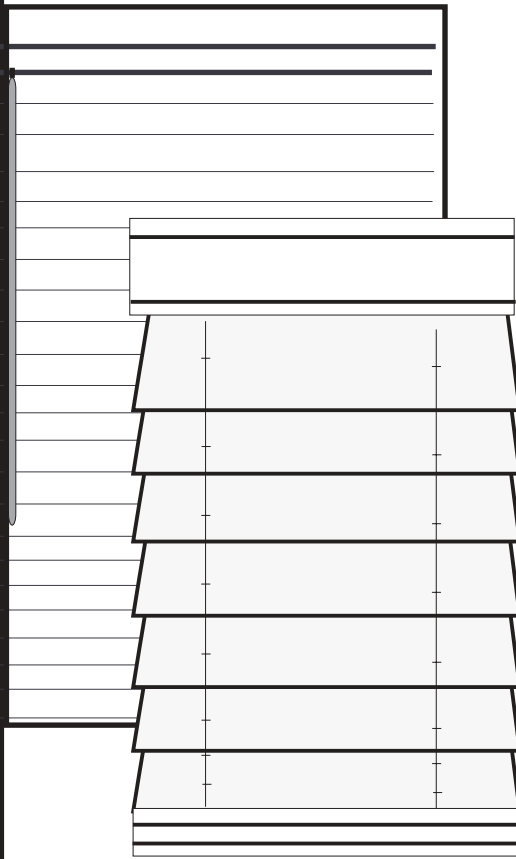


Horizontal Blind

INSTALLATION & OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS



STANDARD HORIZONTAL'S WITH VALANCE

INSIDE WINDOW FRAME INSTALLATIONS:

If the blind was ordered as an "inside mount" the Factory has already made allowances off the window measurements to ensure proper fit.

BRACKET INSTALLATION (standard):

The installation brackets are designed with a series of holes to allow for many different mounting conditions. Mount both left and right brackets in the upper inside corners of each window. For standard installation the front of the bracket should be flush with the wall, not back against the window jamb. Use one screw in any side hole and one screw through any top hole. The "doors" of the installation brackets are intended to open from the front and swing upward.

OUTSIDE WINDOW FRAME (WALL MOUNT) INSTALLATIONS:

If the blind was ordered as an "outside mount", the factory has made the blind exactly to the ordered size.

BRACKET INSTALLATION:

The installation brackets are also designed to work for wall mounting. Use a minimum of two screws through the back plate of each bracket, (one being placed in an upper hole). Make certain that this upper screw is firmly imbedded into the wall framing.

If you are installing into a hollow wall, you'll need to purchase the appropriate hollow wall anchors. Seek the advice of an expert at your local hardware store.

Plan to center the outside mount blind on the window, allowing equal distance beyond the window edge on both sides. Brackets should be placed a minimum of 2 1/2" above the window opening for two-inch & three-inch blinds and 1 1/2" for one-inch blinds.

MOUNT INTERMEDIATE SUPPORT BRACKETS

When intermediate support brackets are provided, space brackets evenly along headrail. Position each bracket so that it will not interfere with the mechanism inside the headrail.



Outside mount

Inside or Ceiling Mount

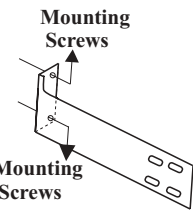


Align back of bracket with back of end brackets.

Number Of Supports	For Widths Over
1	48"
2	96"
3	144"

MOUNT PROJECTION BRACKETS: (optional)

Mount optional projection brackets to window frame. Then, attach side of end brackets and top of intermediate support brackets to projection brackets using machine screw and nut.

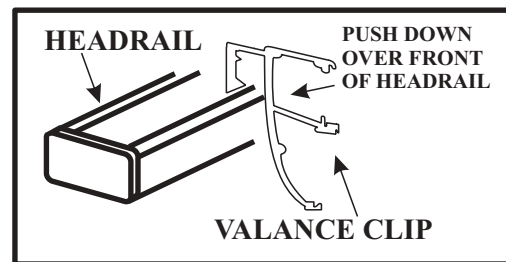


Projection Mount

MOUNT VALANCE CLIPS

VALANCE CLIPS: (not available on wood blinds)

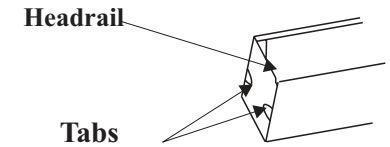
Before inserting the blind into the mounted brackets, attach the valance clips to the headrail. Simply snap valance clips on to the front of the headrail. Position valance clips so they are spaced evenly across the blind.



BRACKETS CONTINUED

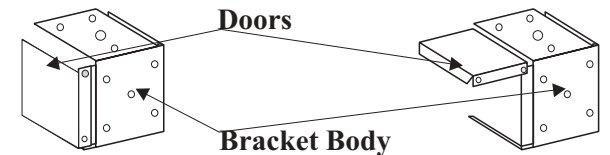
INSTALL BLIND IN BRACKETS:

If headrail moves left or right in brackets more than 1/8", bend out tabs on end stiffeners for tighter fit.



CLOSE BRACKET DOORS:

With headrail in brackets, press hinged doors closed until it snaps in place.



HOLD DOWN BRACKETS: (optional)

Hold down brackets are used where it is desirable to keep the bottom of the blind from swaying, such as on doors or on blinds exposed to the wind. Hold down brackets were supplied if requested when ordering the blind.

Insert one half of hold down pin into bottomrail end plugs. Repeat with the other pin in the other end. Space hold down brackets far enough apart to permit the bottomrail to fit between both hold down brackets. Screw the brackets to the mounting surface. Slip the hold down pins on the bottomrail end plugs into brackets.

Note: Aluminum Blinds with a 1 x 1 1/2" headrail already have pre-molded hold down pins.



VALANCES

ATTACHING THE VALANCE:

Attach the valance into the valance clips by inserting the top edge first and then pressing the bottom edge into place.

VALANCE RETURNS:

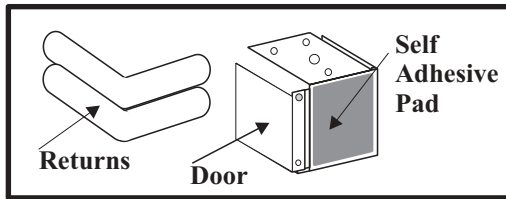
For blinds ordered as outside mount, the valance comes complete without returns attached.

To bend returns, place the slats on a table with the concave side up. With a pencil, make a mark on the slat at the length you desire your return. Place a straight edge on the mark and hold it firmly in place with one hand. With the other hand, bend the slat straight up. Place the self adhesive pad on to the end of the bracket. Place each slat of the return onto the pad being careful to align with the valance.

Note: Returns are not available with 2" Vinyl or 2" Aluminum Blinds.

EXAMPLES:

Valance Returns

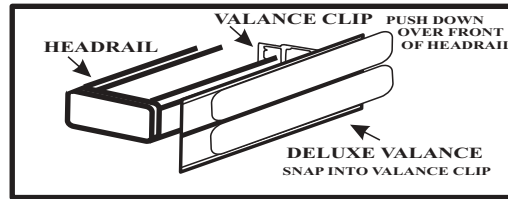


1" Aluminum Standard Valance

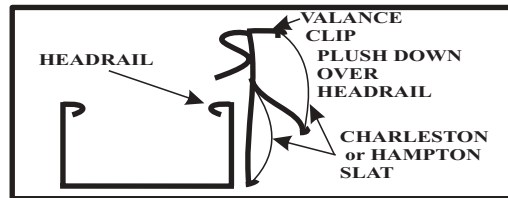


VALANCES CONTINUED

1/2" & 1" Aluminum Deluxe Valance

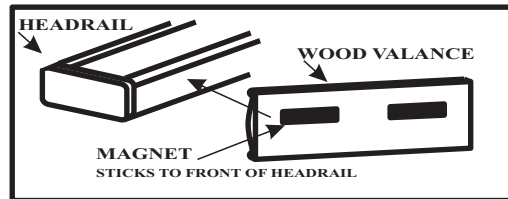


2" Vinyl & Aluminum 2 Slat Valance (Optional)



SOUTHEAST WOODS™

ATTACHING THE VALANCE:



PROPER CARE OF WOOD SLATS:

Wood blind slats are affected by moisture. High humidity environments can cause slat warping as can direct contact with water. Slight twisting and curving of slats is considered normal wear and tear.

PAINTED SURFACE:

Treat the blind as you would any fine piece of furniture that has a painted surface. A soft dusting cloth should be used. If you choose to use an antistatic dusting solution, spray cloth first rather than spraying directly on the blind.

STAINED SURFACES:

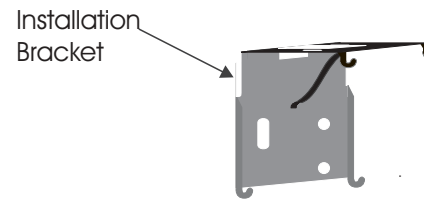
Furniture polish can be used, however it is best to apply the polish to the cloth first and not directly to slat surface.

MONORAIL HORIZONTAL'S (Valanceless Headrail)

BRACKET INSTALLATION:

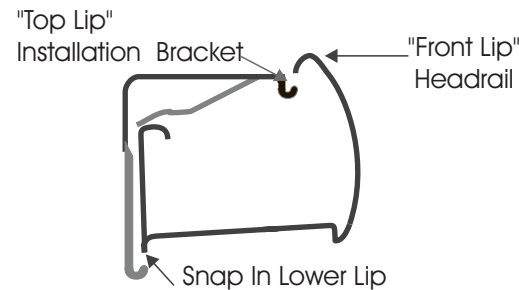
The installation brackets are designed to work for both inside window frame or outside window frame installations. Removable tabs have been placed along the headrail of the blind to assist you in the proper placement of the installation brackets. Simply hold your blind up to the window where it is to be installed and mark (with a pencil) where placement of the brackets are recommended.

Note: Do not try to place brackets over the tilter or the cord lock as this will interfere with the installation and operation of the blind.



INSTALL BLIND IN BRACKETS:

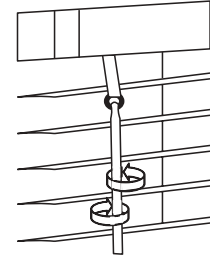
Place the front "lip" of the headrail over the top "lip" of the installation bracket. While gently pulling down on the front, push up on the back of the headrail until you hear a "snap". With both hands, pull down on the headrail to assure it is locked into the brackets.



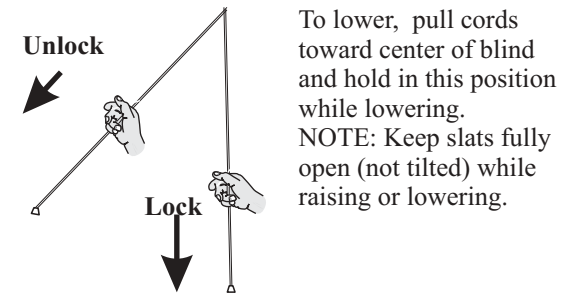
OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

WAND TILT

TO TILT SLATS: Turn wand to tilt slats to desired angle.



LIFT CONTROL: The locking mechanism is a sliding rod type. It will lock automatically when cord is released, preventing blind from crashing down to full length.



CORD TILT (AVAILABLE ON 2" ONLY)

TO TILT SLATS: Pull cord down on left to rotate slats closed. Pull cord down on right to rotate slats open.

