

# METAL BLINDS

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### GETTING STARTED

A few simple tools are required:



Steel Tape Measure



Pencil



Level



Power Drill and Drill Bits



Flathead & Phillips Screwdriver

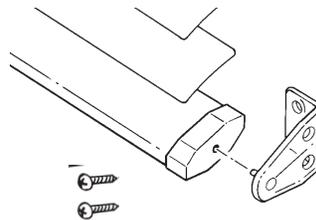


Awl (or tool for starting a screw hole)

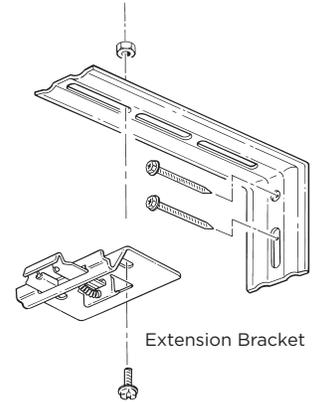
Included in your order is all the hardware necessary for a normal installation. Depending on the mounting surface, fasteners other than the screws provided may be required. Wall board and plaster require the use of anchors such as expansion or toggle bolts. Bricks, tile and stone need special plugs and drill bits. Wood should always be pre-drilled to avoid splitting.

Professional installation is also available in most areas, call 800-800-3329.

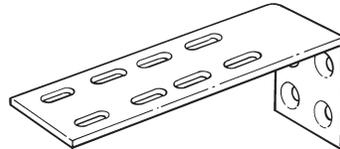
### OPTIONAL HARDWARE



Hold Down Brackets with Screws



Extension Bracket



End Mount Bracket



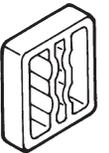
Phillips Flat Head Wood Screws



Phillips Machine Screws

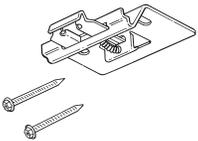


Hex Machine Nuts



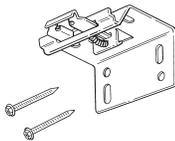
Spacers  
(2 Spacers per Bracket)

### STANDARD HARDWARE



Inside Mounting Bracket and Screws

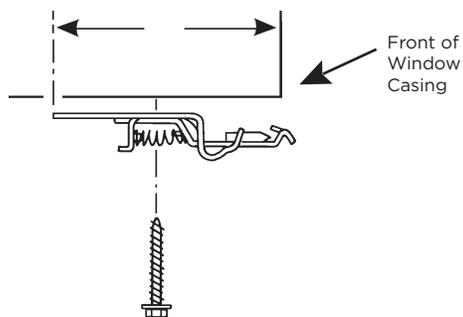
or



Outside Mounting Bracket  
(over 60" wide 4 screws per bracket supplies)

# INSIDE MOUNT

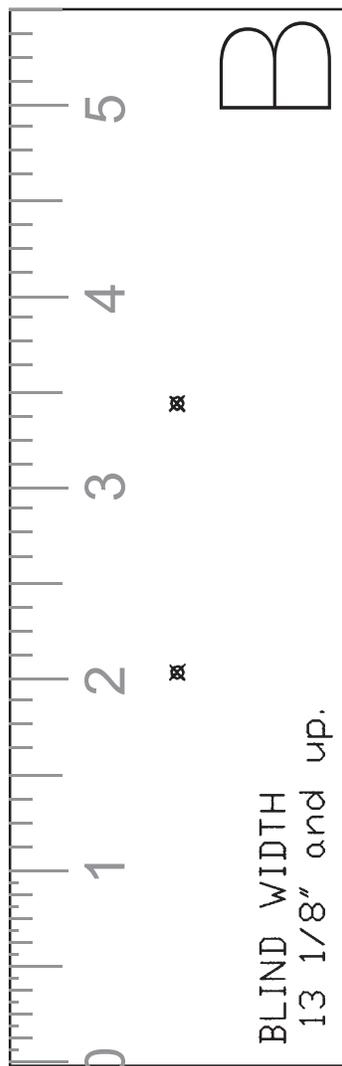
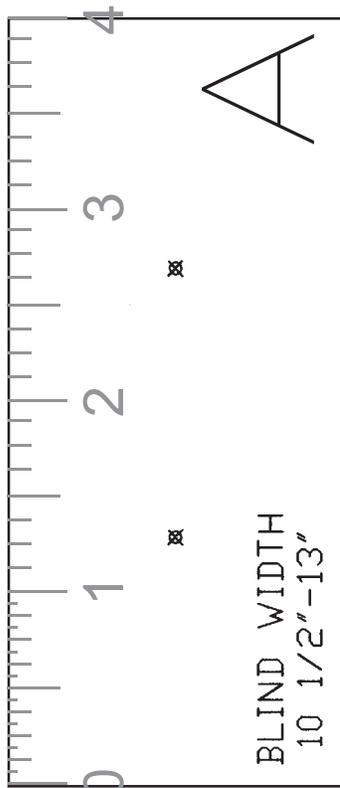
- Mount a bracket in each corner of the window.



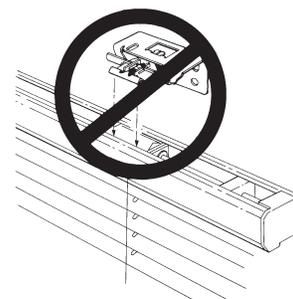
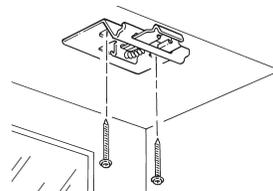
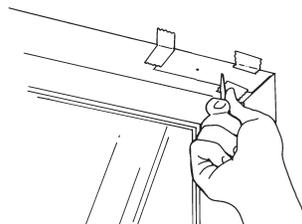
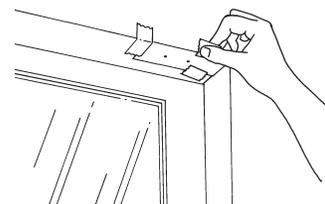
The back of the bracket must not be mounted any further back than 1 3/4" from the front of the window casing. The front of the bracket will extend slightly beyond the front of the window casing when installed correctly. Templates have been provided to assist with placement of the brackets.

Select the template that corresponds with the size of the blind you purchased.

Blind Width	Template
10 1/2" - 13"	A
13 1/8" - and up	B



**IMPORTANT:** Make sure when printing this page you print at 100%. DO NOT shrink to fit the page or the template will not be accurate and result in improper installation. There is a rule drawn on the template so you can verify the printed template has been printed correctly.



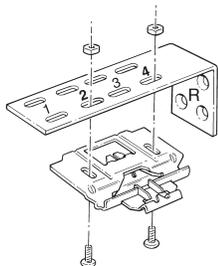
- Cut out the appropriate template for the size of your blind.
- Align the template along the front edge and inside corner of window casing.
- Tape template in place.
- Create small pilot holes with an awl or 1/16" drill bit.
- Mount each bracket with two screws.
- Additional mounting brackets, if required, should be evenly spaced between the two end brackets.
- Align the same template along front edge of the window casing to determine mounting position for additional brackets.
- Make sure brackets do not interfere with any moving parts in the headrail.

Proceed to "Blind Installation".

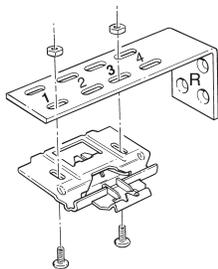
# INSIDE MOUNT WITH END BRACKETS

NOTE: An end mount is recommended only when there is no alternative mounting surface available.

You will be using your blind with mounting brackets attached to the headrail to mark the position of the brackets inside your window casing (no template required). Bolt the inside mount brackets to each end mount bracket with the nuts and bolts provided to create a left hand bracket and a right hand bracket. Use appropriate holes as shown below.

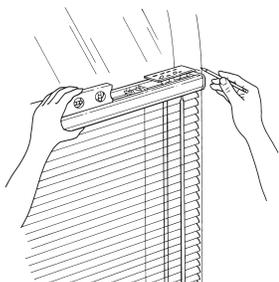


- For Blind width of 10 1/2" to 13" use second and fourth holes of the end mount bracket.

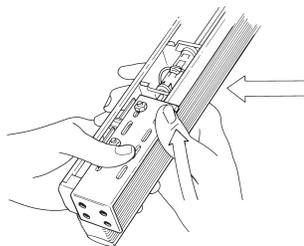


- For Blind width of 13 1/8" and over use first and third holes of the end mount bracket.

- Lower the blind to its full length. (see "Blind Operation")
- Hold the blind up to the desired mounting position in the window casing.

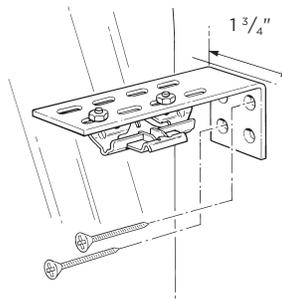


- Once the blind is level, mark the wall or molding on the top edge of each mounting bracket.



- Remove the mounting brackets from the headrail by pushing the back of the bracket forward and up with your thumb.

Attaching brackets to headrail is described in "Blind Installation".



- Recess the back of the bracket no more than 1 3/4" from the front edge of the window casing.

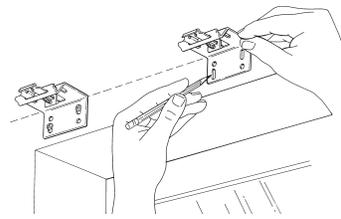
For maximum stability the screws should be installed diagonally.

Proceed to "Blind Installation".

# OUTSIDE MOUNT

You will be using your blind with mounting brackets attached to the headrail to mark the position of the brackets on your wall or molding. To determine bracket placement, you will need to make a small pencil mark on the back of the headrail at either 2" or 2 3/4" from the end of the headrail:

Blind Width	Mark Headrail
10 1/2" - 13"	2" from each end
13 1/8" - and over	2 3/4" from each end

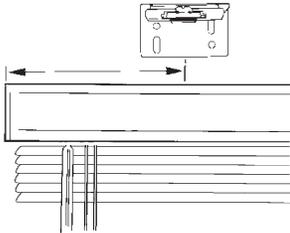


- Mount each bracket making sure all brackets are installed level and in line with each other.

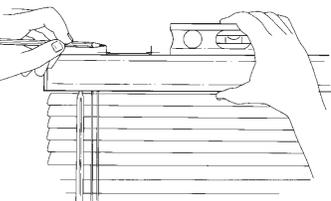
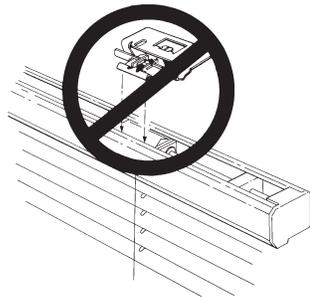
NOTE: Blinds UNDER 60" wide require two screws per bracket. Screws should be mounted diagonally from one another. Blinds OVER 60" wide require four screws per bracket.

- Proceed to "Blind Installation"

## BLIND INSTALLATION



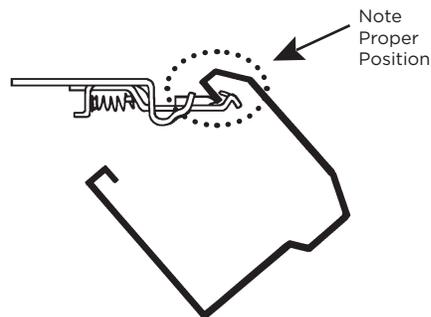
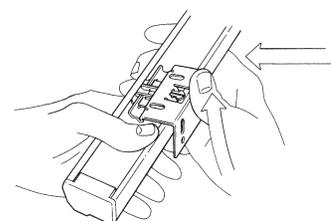
- Center a bracket over each pencil mark on the headrail.
- Additional mounting brackets, if required, should be evenly spaced between the two end brackets.
- Make sure brackets do not interfere with any moving parts in the headrail.



- Hold the blind up to the desired mounting position over the window. Once the blind is level, mark the wall or molding on either side and the top edge of each mounting bracket.

NOTE: If using extension brackets, attach mounting brackets to extension brackets with nuts and bolts before attaching brackets to headrail.

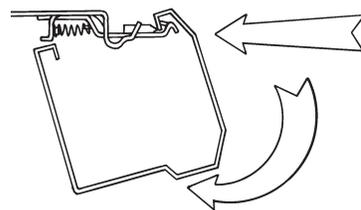
- Mount each bracket making sure all brackets are installed level and in line with each other.
- Remove the mounting brackets from the headrail by pushing the back of the bracket forward and up with your thumb.



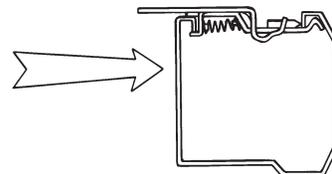
Note Proper Position

- Hang the front lip of the headrail onto the mounting bracket hook.
- Headrail must be positioned between the "teeth" on the front of the mounting bracket.

NOTE: If the bracket interferes with any of the working parts, the incorrect holes of the end mount bracket may have been selected.



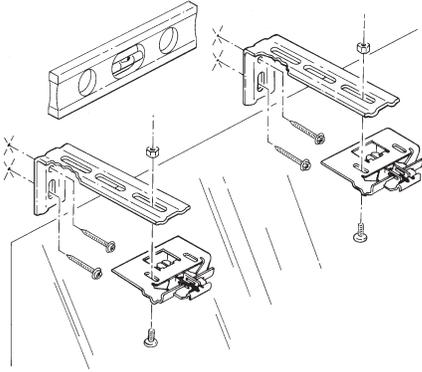
- Push the headrail back while rotating the back of the rail up into the bracket.
- Pull the headrail forward slightly until it engages into the bracket.



# OPTIONAL HARDWARE INSTALLATION

## EXTENSION BRACKETS

These are available in two sizes and are used to project the blind up to 3" from the mounting surface. Extension brackets are available at an additional charge and are ideal if your blind must clear an obstruction such as a sliding glass door handle or window crank. Extension brackets require a flat vertical mounting surface of at least 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>".



- Attach each mounting bracket to an extension bracket using the nuts and bolts provided.
- Mount the extension bracket to the wall per the instructions for an "Outside Mount" on Page 4, making certain that all mounting brackets are level and project the same distance from the mounting surface.

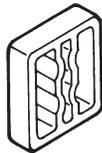
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Install the blind per the directions for "Blind Installation".

## SPACERS

Available for use on windows with a projected molding. They are 3/8" thick and allow the blind to be mounted flush with the outside edge of any standard window molding.

Spacers  
(2 spacers per bracket)

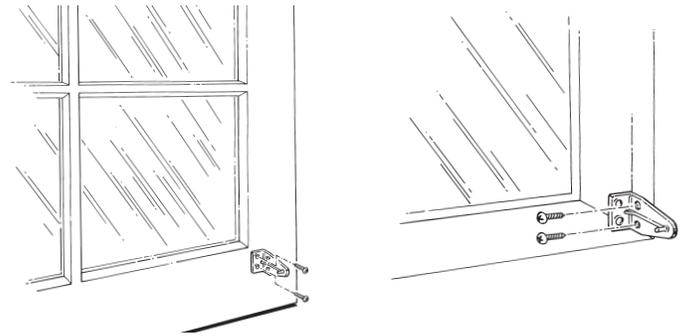


Spacers are available by contacting our Client Care Team at 800-800-3329.

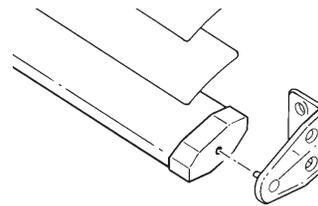
## HOLD DOWN BRACKETS

Hold down brackets are used primarily on shades being mounted to doors or in motor homes. (2 per blind) Hold Down Brackets are available by contacting our Client Care Team at 800-800-3329. There is a small hole in the center of the end cap that is covered by a thin plastic cover. Use the pin of the hold down bracket to push through the center of the end cap and it will break through the plastic cover.

- With the blind lowered to its full length, place the pin of each hold down bracket into the hole in each end of the bottom rail.
- Using a pencil, mark the mounting surface through the holes in the hold down bracket. Make sure the hold down brackets are level and aligned with each other.
- Raise the blind and screw the hold down brackets into the mounting surface using the screws provided.



- Mount the hold down to the side or back of the window frame so that the pin lines up with the front hole in the ottom rail end cap with the blind fully lowered.



- Lower the shade and flex the hold down bracket outward so that the pin can be inserted into the hole in the end cap.

## BLIND OPERATION

To lower the blind, pull the lift cords down and toward the center of the blind and allow the cords to slide slowly through your hand.

To tilt the slats, twist the tilt wand.

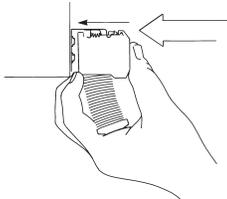
Do not attempt to raise or lower the blind unless the slats are in a completely open (horizontal) position.

To raise the blind, pull the lift cords down.

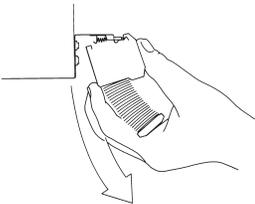
To engage the lock, pull the lift cords down and toward the outside of the blind.

## BLIND REMOVAL

Draw the blind completely up.



- Push the headrail back toward the wall or window casing to release the back of the headrail from the mounting bracket hooks.



- Rotate the back of the headrail down and carefully lift the headrail off of the front hooks of the mounting brackets.



## WARNING

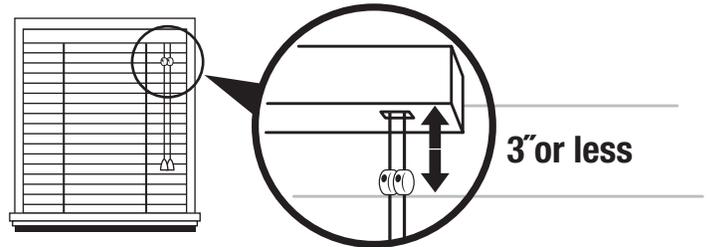
Young children can STRANGLE in cord and bead chain loops. They can also wrap cords around their necks and STRANGLE.



- Always keep cords and bead chains out of children's reach.
- Move cribs, playpens, and other furniture away from cords and bead chains. Children can climb furniture to get to cords.
- Do not tie cords together. Make sure cords do not twist together and create a loop.

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Inner cords can pull out to form a loop, which can strangle a young child.



- Inner cord stop devices can reduce this risk if positioned correctly on the pull cords.
- If inner cord stop devices are more than 3 in (76 mm) below the headrail when the blind is fully lowered, move them closer by following the inner cord stop device adjustment instructions.

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