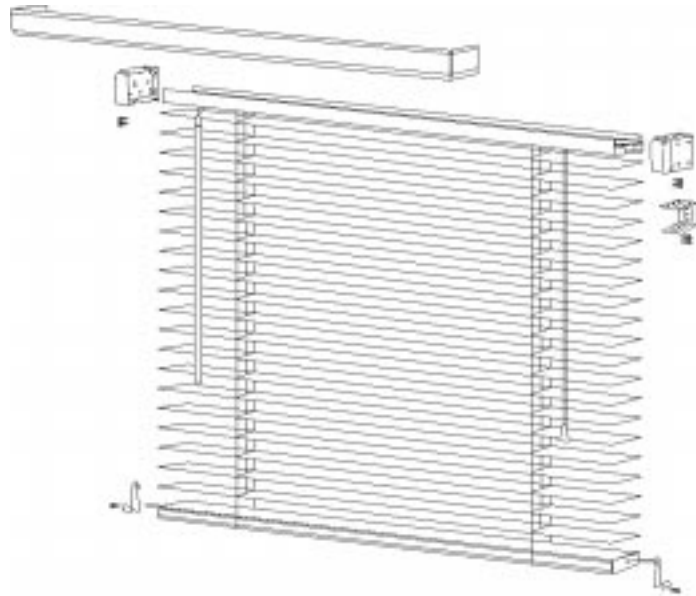


How to Install 2" Blinds

Congratulations on your purchase of a quality 2" Blind. Your blind has been custom made to your specifications and is one of the finest window treatments available.



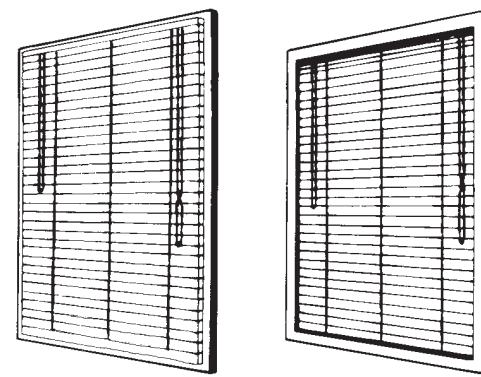
Your blind includes: Two mounting brackets, a tilt wand, a center support bracket (if needed), mounting screws, a valance and self adhesive mounting pads. If you ordered them, your blind will also include optional hold-down bracket assemblies.

Unwrap the blind but leave its cord tied. Hold the blind up to the window to determine placement. It will fit inside (inside mount) or outside (outside mount) the window frame. It is also possible to mount the blind to the ceiling. This placement determines where and how the mounting brackets will be attached.



To avoid possible strangulation, keep cords out of reach of children. Use these devices:

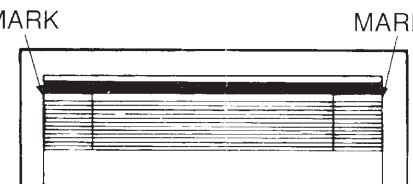
1. Clamp or clothes pin
2. Cleat
3. Tie the cord to itself
4. Tie-down device



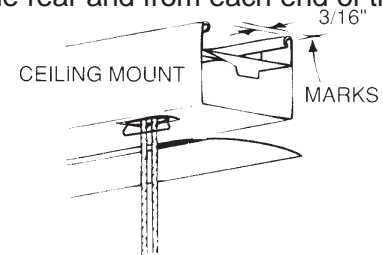
For an outside mount. Hold the blind level against the window casing and mark the casing with a pencil below the headrail on each end. Center the blind over the window and mark the casing 3/16 inch from each end of the headrail.



For an inside mount. Make certain the headrail is level and clear of obstructions. Make pencil marks on the window casing 3/16 inch from each end of the headrail.



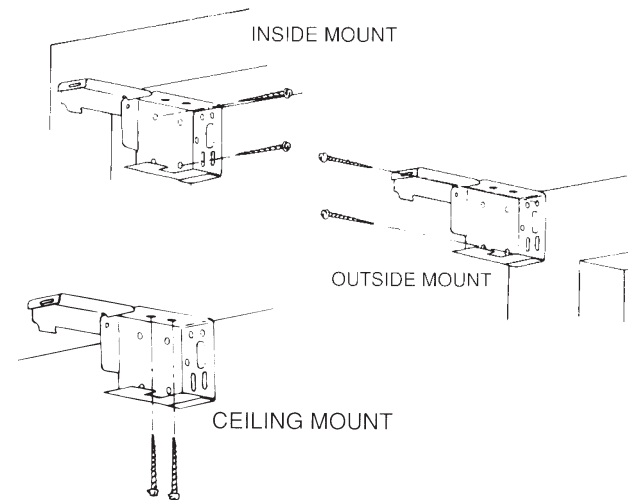
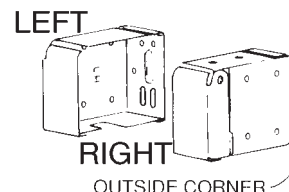
For ceiling mount. Hold the blind against the ceiling centered in front of the window. Make pencil marks 3/16 inch to the rear and from each end of the headrail.



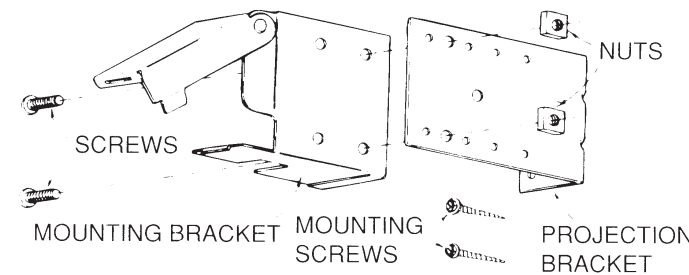
Mounting Bracket Installation

The mounting brackets may be mounted in several ways according to your requirements. Two long screws are used for attachment.

Notice that there is one right and one left bracket. They are identified with either R.H. or L.H. stamped inside. Open the bracket cover using a screwdriver. Align the outside corners of the brackets with the marks made earlier and mark the locations of the two mounting holes you will be using.



Projection brackets will be included if required. Mount the projection bracket to the wall or wall casing using the long wood screws or one of the methods described below. Attach the mounting brackets to the projection brackets using the machine screws and nuts provided.



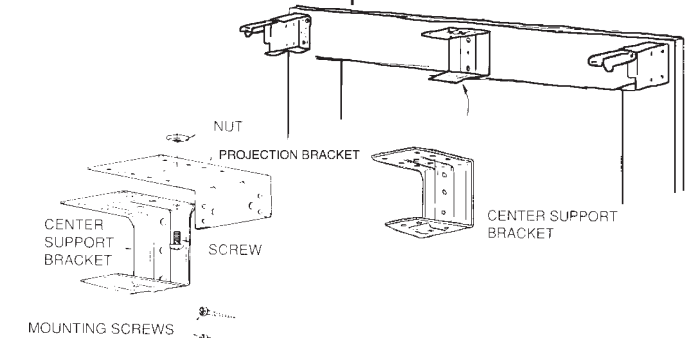
If you are mounting to solid wood, drill pilot holes at each mounting screw location using a 7/64" drill bit. If a drill is unavailable, use a finishing nail and hammer or an awl to make a small hole for starting the screws. If possible, stay at least 1/4 inch from the edge of the wood to avoid splitting it. For mounting onto other materials proceed as below:

If the mounting surface is metal, you must pre-drill holes for the screws. Use a 1/8" steel drill bit. If the surface is brick, tile, stone or concrete, it will be necessary to use a carbide drill and suitable anchors, plugs or screws. Plaster and wallboard need pre-drilled holes for anchors or plugs. Follow manufacturer's recommendations for these types of fasteners.

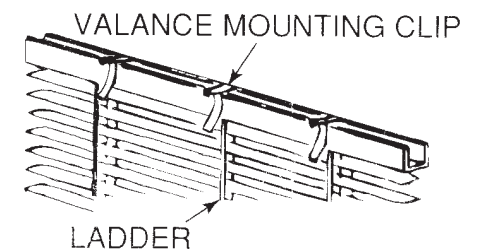
HINT: Smearing a little bar soap on the screws will make them easier to drive.

Center Support Bracket Installation

If a center support bracket was included with your blind, it should be mounted in line with the mounting brackets as shown. Locate the center support so that it will not interfere with the ladder tapes. If projection brackets are included, mount one to the wall or window casing in place of the center support using the long wood screws or one of the methods described previously. Attach the center support bracket to the projection bracket using the machine screw and nut provided.

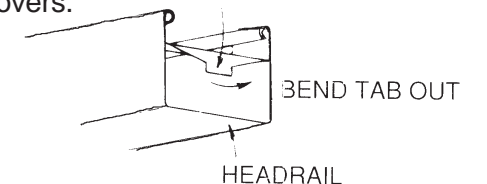


A valance clip is furnished for every ladder. Install the valance clips next to each ladder. If the clips are mounted directly in line with the ladders, they may catch on the cords inside the headrail.



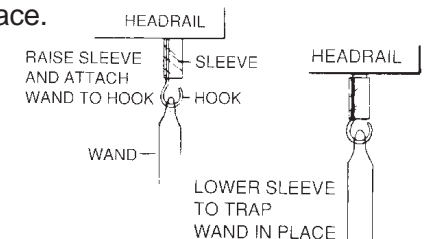
Headrail Installation

Untie the blind cord, insert the headrail into the mounting brackets and snap the covers closed. If the blind has too much free play between the brackets, reopen the covers, remove the headrail and bend out the tab on the end of the headrail. Reinsert the headrail and close the covers.



Wand Attachment

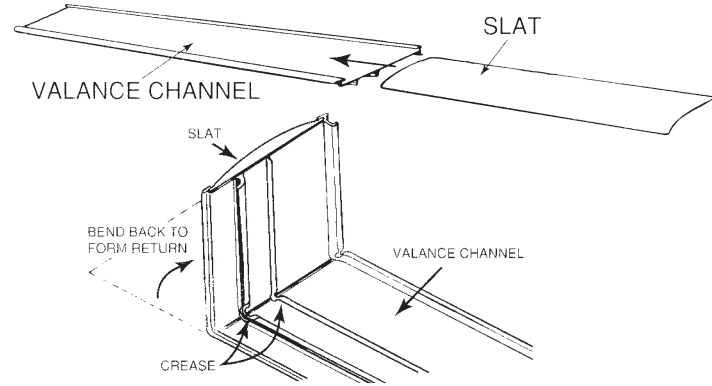
Attach the wand to hook and slide sleeve down the trap wand in place.



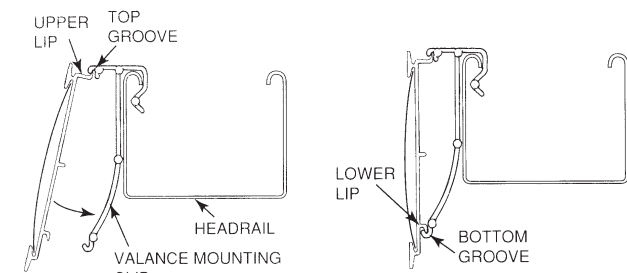
Now you will be able to adjust the angle of the slats by turning the wand. Caution: Do not continue to turn the wand after it starts to bind as this may damage the tilt mechanism.

Valance Installation

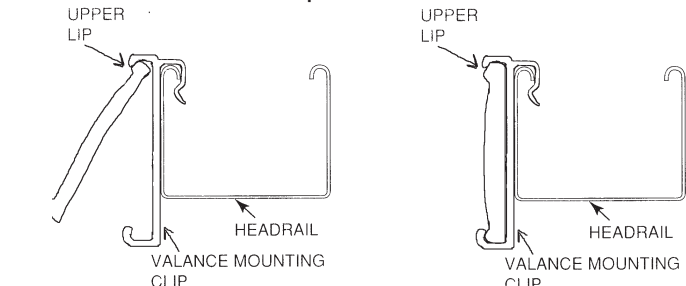
For Aluminum Blind Valances: If the valance slat is not already installed on the valance channel, lay the valance channels flat, slide the valance slat into place. On outside mount blinds, the channel is creased to allow the ends of the channel to be formed into returns.



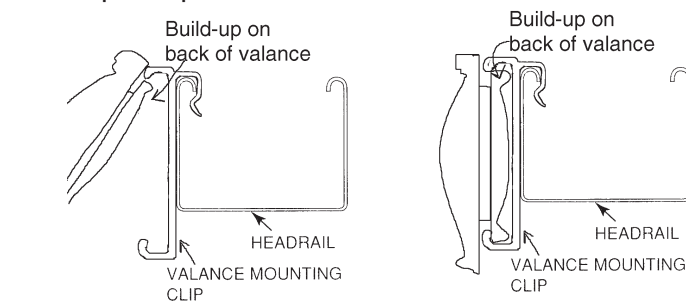
Starting at one end, place the upper lip of the valance into the top groove on a valance mounting clip. Carefully snap the lower lip into the bottom groove on the clip. Repeat this at each clip. Valance return length may be trimmed with scissors if necessary.



For Wood and Composite Valances: Place top of wood valance into valance clip and then carefully snap bottom of valance into place.



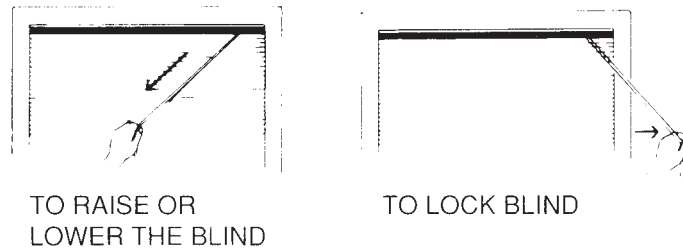
For Built-up Wood Valances: Place top of build-up into valance clip and then carefully snap bottom of build-up into place.



The valance may be detached and re-installed as required.

Adjust Blind Height

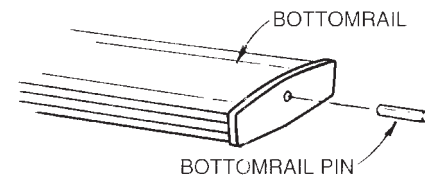
To raise or lower your blind, pull the cord down and toward the center of the blind. Using the cord, raise or lower the blind to the desired height. When lowering, move slowly or the cord lock may engage. To lock the blind at the desired height, move the cord past the edge of the blind and release.



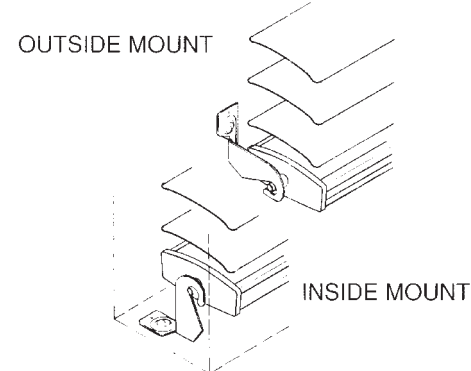
If the bottomrail isn't level when partially raised, level the blind, slide the cord tassel up away from the cord knot and reknit so all cords are even. Return the tassel over the knot.

Optional Hold Down Brackets

If you ordered the optional hold down brackets, proceed as follows: Install the bottomrail pins by tapping into the holes provided. About 1/4 inch of pin should remain exposed.



Lower the blind, attach the brackets to the pins and mark a small starter hole at each mark and install both brackets with the short screws provided. Hook the bottomrail into the brackets.



Cleaning

Your blind is easily cleaned by lowering it to full length and closing the louvers (not tightly) first in one direction and then the other. Wipe them with a soft brush, cloth or clean them with your vacuum cleaner's brush attachment.

It is also possible to have your blind professionally cleaned. Look for cleaning services in your telephone directory.

SKANDIA HORIZONTAL ALUMINUM BLINDS

Limited Lifetime Warranty

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FOR GUARANTEE SERVICE: Contact or write to:

Customer Relations Department • Skandia Industries
270 Crossway Road • Tallahassee, FL 32310 Phone: (904) 878-1144

Include your name, address, a description of the problem, the date of purchase, and the date and conditions under which the problem occurred. A bill of sale, cancelled check, receipt or other record must be provided to verify the original purchase date.

GUARANTEE LIMITS: This guarantee does not apply to any Skandia Blind or parts thereof which fail due to accident, alteration, improper use, abuse, neglect, normal wear, nor color fading due to sunlight, direct exposure to salt air, failure to follow instructions for measuring, installing or operating the product, products produced by Skandia Industries, that are not identified as Skandia Blinds, or any blinds made of wood. Also, this guarantee applies only to Skandia Blinds manufactured by Skandia Industries.

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Damage to the product resulting from misuse, abuse, direct exposure to salty air or discoloration due to sunlight or the passage of time is not covered by this warranty. This warranty takes the place of all other state warranties, whether written, oral, or implied.

In no event shall Skandia be liable for incidental or consequential damages.

In the event of a defect under this warranty, Skandia will repair or replace the product, at our option, provided it is returned to an authorized Skandia dealer.

The exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages may vary by state of purchase; therefore, the above limitations or exclusions may not be applicable to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights and may also include other rights which again, vary from state to state.

The natural beauty of wood often includes dark pigments and strong grain patterns which appear randomly throughout the blind. These are especially visible in blinds finished in light colors. Slight variations in color as well as minimal warpage may also occur. These are all natural occurring tendencies when dealing with wood products and are considered acceptable. Returns for the above mentioned reasons are not warranted.

SKANDIA INFUSIONS 2" VINYL BLINDS

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SKANDIA ENVUE 2" COMPOSITE BLIND

Full Five Year Warranty

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For the period of five years from the date of purchase, Skandia will repair or replace without charge any part of your composite blind, which is found to be defective in workmanship or materials.

Skandia extends their warranty to the original purchaser. This warranty applies only to manually operated Skandia composite blinds properly installed in the window, door, or interior area for which it was intended.

Installation of the blind must be in accordance with Skandia's accompanying instructions. The blind cannot be modified. It is the purchaser's responsibility to maintain and clean the blind in compliance with the instructions provided.

This warranty does not cover defects which result from misuse or failure to follow use and care of instructions provided at the time of purchase. Damage resulting from direct exposure to salty air or discoloration due to the passage of time is not covered by this warranty. This warranty does not cover claims for incidental or consequential damages.

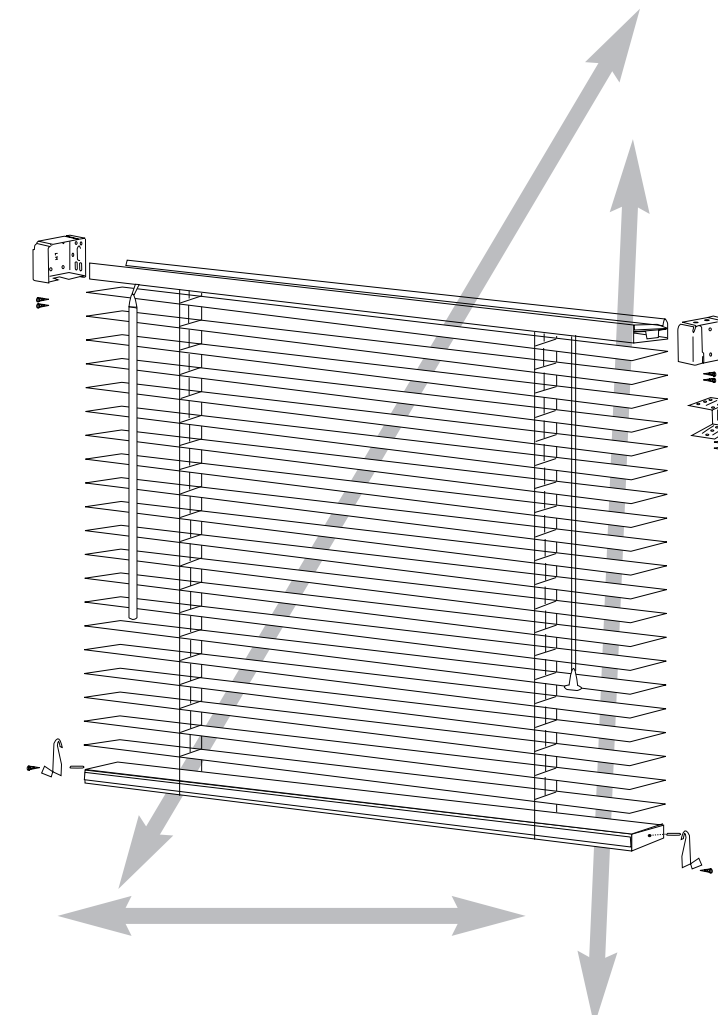
In order for repair or replacement to be made, contact your dealer or write to:

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