Motorized Cellular Shades

Installation Instructions

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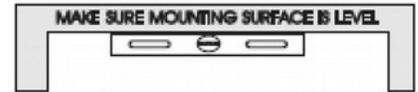Mon - Fri 8am - 7pm (CT)

Installation

NOTE: SHADES OVER 50" WIDE MAY REQUIRE 2 PEOPLE FOR INSTALLATION OF SHADE TO BRACKETS.

Shades are shipped with the required number of brackets for proper installation. Brackets should be located approximately 3" from either end. Depending on the width of the shade, additional brackets may be necessary, evenly space additional brackets between the two end brackets.

Using the Installation Bracket as a template, measure 3" in from the end of the shade and mark the hole locations with a pencil for drilling. When mounting brackets, make sure they are in line and level.

Brackets must be in line and level. Shim brackets on inside mount if necessary. The headrail must be level for the shade to operate properly.

For shade widths:	# of brackets:
Up to 40" 40" – 72" 72" – 84" 84" and up	2 3 4 5
Inside Mount Outside Mount	1 screw / bracket 2 screws / bracket

MAKE SURE MOUNTING SURFACE IS LEVEL

Inside or Ceiling Mounts Use the top bracket holes. Requires 1 screw.	Top Hook Note: Release tab is at the bottom of the bracket
Wall or Outside Mounts Use the rear bracket holes. Requires 2 screws.	Top Hook

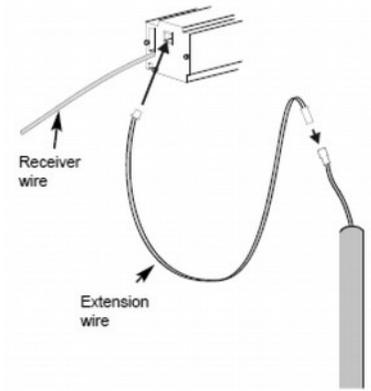|	
Outside Mount with Spacer Block (optional) Optional spacer block will project bracket 3/8".	
Outside Mount with Extension Bracket (optional)	Nut Bolt 3 3/8" 2" minimum surface required
Side Mount with Extension Bracket (optional)	

Battery Wand Attachment

The shade comes with a 10" extension wire. Determine the best position for the battery wand before proceeding.

Make sure that extension wire is long enough to reach from the battery wand to the motor (at the right end of the head rail). Longer wires are available if needed.
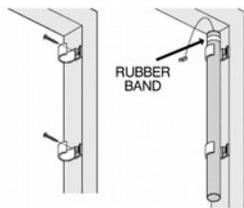
Attach Wand to Motor

Connect the wire from the battery wand to the motor wire. The shade should jog up and down slightly. If not, make sure the screw caps on the ends of the wand are tight.

Receiver wire

Extension wire
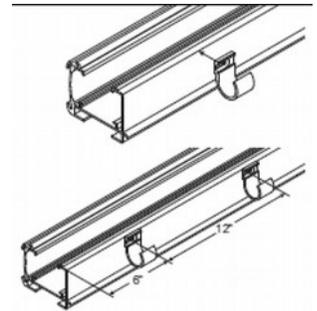
Vertical Battery Installation

Using one screw per clip, attach the clips to the wall as shown. Be sure that the distance between the first clip and the second clip is 12". For vertical mounts, a rubber band can be added to the wand to prevent slippage.

See diagram on the right.

RUBBER BAND

Headrail Battery Installation

Remove the paper backing from the adhesive backing on the clip. Attach the clip to back of the headrail as shown. Be sure that the first clip is 6" in from the end of the headrail and the second clip is 12" from the first. This will allow room for the installation brackets. Snap the battery wand into the clips
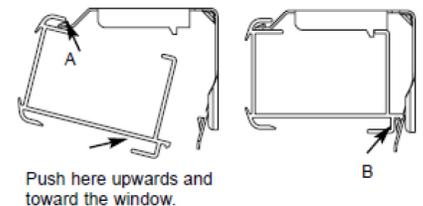

Installing the Headrail

Before mounting the headrail; make sure that the receiver wire is out of the headrail. For optimal performance position the receiver wire so that it is facing into the room.

If there are more than 2 brackets, secure the middle bracket(s) first.
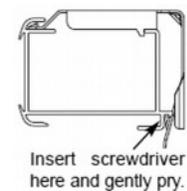
Position the headrail with the front lip (A) resting on the top hooks of all the brackets. Make sure that no fabric is pinched between the brackets and the headrail. Push the bottom of the headrail firmly upwards and toward the window until the groove at the bottom of the headrail snaps into place, (B) as shown.

Push here upwards and toward the window.

Removing the Headrail

To remove a shade, insert a screwdriver between the headrail and the bottom back of the bracket (tab which extends out lightly from each bracket).
Gently pry the screwdriver to release the bracket from the headrail. Take care not to damage the painted finish of the headrail or the fabric. As you release the shade from the brackets, hold the headrail to keep it from falling.

Insert screwdriver here and gently pry.

Operating Your Shades

DO NOT attempt to operate the shade or reprogram the remote until after the shade is installed.
Shades and remotes are paired and programmed at the factory to operate on channel 0. However, you can program the remote to control up to 15 shades individually on channels 1-15, or control multiple shades simultaneously on a single channel by grouping.

Set the remote to channel zero and press and release the down arrow. The shade should lower and stop at the height you ordered. Next, press and release the up arrow and the shade should raise to its original position.

If your upper and lower limits need adjustment, remove the battery cover and press and hold either of the two P2 buttons (Fig. 2). The shade will jog up and down. Release button. Press and hold the P2 button again. Shade will jog. Within 5 seconds, press the up arrow to move the shade to the desired upper limit. **The upper limit must be set first.** Once in the desired up location, press and hold the stop button (dash) until the shade jogs. Now press the down arrow to set the desired lower limit. Once in the desired down location, press and hold the stop button until the shade jogs. Your new limits are now set.

Note: If at any time during programming you need to reset the shade, press and hold the reset button on the motor (Fig. 1).
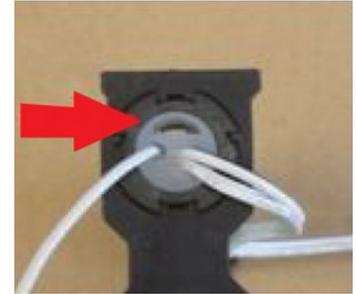
FIG. 1

Replacing a Lost Remote

Press and hold the reset button on the motor. Button must be pressed in the center. Shade will jog. Press and hold the up and down arrows at the same time. Shade will jog. The new remote is paired with the shade. See above for instructions on how to set the upper and lower limits.

Changing a Motor Channel

With the remote set to the current channel, press and hold the P2 button Shade.(Fig.2)
Shade will jog. Select the new channel and press and hold the P2 button. Shade will jog. The new channel is set.
Note: maximum 2 channels per shade (channel 0 is required + 1 additional channel)

FIG. 2

Cleaning and Care

Our cellular shades are designed for durability as well as easy care and cleaning. Our fabrics repel dust and are inherently anti-static, but occasional feather dusting or vacuuming with a brush attachment may help to keep the fabrics clean and bright. Spills and stains can be lightly blotted with a cloth or damp sponge. If you have a light filtering shade, you may need to rub gently with water and clear mild liquid soap (no bleach!). Do not submerge headrail, motors or battery in liquid.