## FITTING INSTRUCTIONS: ROLLER BLIND WITH CASSETTE & TRACKS









pic 3



#### PARTS INCLUDED

- I x cassette and roller blind
- 2 x side tracks with end caps
- I x bottom track (as requested)

- cassette brackets (as requested)
- I x chain tidy device

HOW TO FIT:

Follow step A, B or C depending on the type of brackets you have chosen.

#### A. FITTING WITH TOP FIX BRACKETS

The brackets have 'release tabs' to allow the cassette to be removed once fitted. (pic I) The brackets can be orientated with the tabs at the front or back of the cassette. If you orientate the brackets with the tabs at the front, the tabs will be easily accessible but visible and the cassette can be fitted tightly against the wall or window frame. (pic 2) If you orientate the brackets with the tabs at the back, ensure you can access the tabs. (pic3)

Look out for obstructions such as window handles and ensure you position the cassette, tracks and brackets so they won't interfere.

- a. Space the brackets out evenly. We recommend fixing the brackets 70mm from the end of the blind. Secure the brackets with suitable screws.
- b. Hook the cassette into the brackets. If the release tabs are at the front of the cassette, hook the back of the cassette in first, then PUSH the front of the cassette in. If the release tabs are at the back of the cassette, hook the front of the cassette in first, then PUSH the back of the cassette in. The cassette should 'click' into place. Continue to step I to fit the side tracks.

### B. FITTING WITH FACE FIX BRACKETS

The brackets hold the cassette 12mm out from the surface they are mounted to. (pic 4) Therefore the side tracks will need to be fitted 12mm away from this surface so that they align with the cassette.

Decide where the cassette and side tracks will be positioned and calculate where the brackets need to be positioned. Look out for any obstructions, such as window handles and ensure you position the cassette and tracks where they won't interfere.

- a. Space the brackets out evenly. We recommend fixing the brackets 70mm from the end of the blind. Secure the brackets with suitable screws.
- b. Clip the cassette into the brackets, hooking the front of the cassette into the brackets first and then PUSH the back of the cassette in The cassette should 'click' into place.

Continue to step I to fit the side tracks.

#### C. FITTING WITH NO BRACKETS (DIRECT FACE FIX)

Decide where the cassette and side tracks will be positioned. Look out for any obstructions, such as window handles and ensure you position the cassette and tracks where they won't interfere.

Remove the cassette cover & take out the roller blind.

- a. Remove the curved cassette cover by pulling firmly on the inner edges near to the ends, levering it up from the end caps which hold it in place.
- b. Remove the blind by pushing the control end of the blind (with chain, if applicable) approx. I cm upwards and then push the blind towards the other end (plunger end) to release the blind.

Fix the cassette to the window frame/wall.

- a. Drill at least two holes, evenly spaced, along the back of the cassette. We recommend drilling the holes 70mm from each end of the cassette.
- b. Secure the cassette to the wall or window frame with suitable screws.
- c. Fit the blind into the cassette, by pushing the control end of the blind in first, then the plunger end.
- d. Fit the cassette cover by 'clicking' it back into place. Continue to step I to fit the side tracks.





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#### I. FIT THE SIDE TRACKS

- a. Position the tracks under the cassette, ensuring the tracks are in line with the back edge of the cassette. Ensure the tracks are straight and level. We recommend using a spirit level to help ensure the tracks are straight. Ensure the bottom bar of the roller blind is inside the track before securing the track in place. (pic 5)
- b. Fix the side tracks in place by glueing them with a suitable adhesive, such as 'No More Nails' or 'Gripfill'.
- c. Alternatively, you can drill holes in the side tracks and screw them into place with suitable screws. (pic 6) We recommend that holes are drilled approximately 25mm from the top and bottom and then intermediate holes are drilled as necessary, spaced evenly apart.

#### 2. FIT THE BOTTOM TRACK

If you ordered an additional bottom track, fix the bottom track in the same way as you fixed the side tracks.

#### 3. FIT THE CHAIN TIDY DEVICE

Before fitting the chain tidy device, remove the red plastic which holds the chain and chain tidy device together during transit.

The chain control threads through this device to eliminate a free-hanging loop, thereby reducing the risk of strangulation.

- a. Position the chain tidy device so that the chain is held reasonably taut, but with enough slack to allow the chain to pass through. Mark the screw hole positions.
- b. Secure the chain tidy device using suitable screws.

#### **OPERATION**

Gently pull on the chain control to raise and lower your blind.

# CARE INSTRUCTIONS Wipe clean with a damp cloth.

#### **SAFETY WARNING**

Chain controls should be kept out of reach of children. Move cots and furniture away from the blind's chain controls.









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