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Installation Instructions for SOLASOLV[®] STOPLITE[®] Blackout Blinds

Tools Required:

Tape measure, Pencil, Drill, Drill bits (2.5mm/3.3mm), PZ1 Screwdriver, PZ2 Screwdriver, Cutters (For Cord/Cable), Cassette remover (Included).

IMPORTANT NOTE FOR FITTER:-

PLEASE LEAVE THIS INSTRUCTION SHEET WITH THE ROLLER BLIND FOR CUSTOMER REFERENCE.



1.

BLIND AND COMPONENTS

Each STOPLITE will be supplied with:

- 2 x Mounting Brackets and 2 x countersunk screws.
- 2 x FRONT side channels and 4 x (3/4" x 6) fixing screws.
- 2 x REAR side channels and 4 x locking screws.
- 2 x Side Channel Feet
- Sufficient EXPANDABLE FOAM.



2.

BRACKETS

- Measure bracket holes equally in from each side. Bracket holes should be at least 75mm in from each side.
- Using the bracket as a template make sure the brackets holes are marked so the bracket sits flush to the front of the window recess and does not extend beyond the edge and into the room.
- Also ensure there is at least 15mm clearance behind the brackets so the REAR side channels will fit.

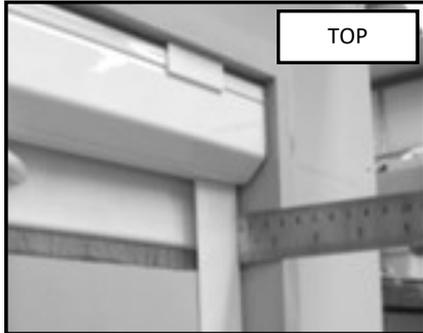


3.

EXPANDABLE FOAM

- The expandable foam is designed to prevent light ingress between the blind and window recess. Not all recesses are perfectly flat and the foam will expand to fill light gaps around the blind.
- Apply the foam to the sides ensuring that it will be covered by the side channels once they are installed. It is also possible to apply directly to the side channels.
- Depending on the recess it may be necessary to also fit the foam between brackets and recess if the surface does not appear flat.

We reserve the right to make any modifications necessary to ensure products comply with a customers requirements.



4.

INSTALLING BLIND AND FITTING FRONT SIDE CHANNELS

- The blind can now be clipped into the mounting brackets as shown in the photograph.
- The FRONT (Angle) side channels can now be fitted. Place the top edge in front of the lip at the bottom of the cassette and slide the bottom of the side channel into place. (The plastic feet for the channels should be clipped onto the bottom of each side channel at this point but not secured).
- Ensure the depth of the side channel is the same distance back at both the top and the bottom to keep the blind vertical.



5.

FIXING THE FRONT SIDE CHANNELS AND PREPARING THE REAR SIDE CHANNELS

- Using the screws provided secure the FRONT side channels into place using a drill or screwdriver.



6.

FITTING REAR SIDE CHANNELS

- Place the REAR side channel into position ensuring the blind locking mechanism slots into the channel as shown in the photograph.
- Line up the screw holes in the side channel to the small U section on the FRONT (Angle) side channels and secure using the small locking screws (do not over tighten).
- If the brush is obscuring visibility of the fixing holes you can use a ruler or any flat material to push the brush strip to one side in order to see the holes clearly.



7.

COMPLETE

- The installation is now complete.
- To operate push the handle on the bottom rail away from you and pull the blind down to the desired position. To lock the blind into position pull the handle towards you.

Care and Maintenance

Under normal circumstances dusting with a **NON-ABRASIVE** dry duster is all that is required. Finger prints, grease and most stubborn marks on the fabric can be carefully removed with white spirit and a soft cloth, followed by a further wiping over with a soft non-abrasive cloth dipped in clean soapy water. If the fabric becomes very dirty it can be carefully wiped over with a soft non-abrasive cloth and clean water with a little soap or detergent. This will do no harm as long as the fabric is allowed to dry completely before the blind is rolled up. Excess water should be removed as it may leave a water mark when dry.