



## Roman Blind Fitting Guide

### Fitting your Blind

**Important:** brackets should be fixed a sufficient distance from the window to allow the lowered blind to clear window handles or other obstructions.

#### Brackets



Brackets should be fixed a nominal 50mm (2") from each end of the headrail. Additional brackets are supplied for blinds wider than 760mm (60").

Space brackets evenly across the window. If using Elan headrail (open at the top) be careful to avoid cord positions.

Position brackets at window or fascia. Ensure they are level and screw fix.

An appropriate number of brackets are supplied for width.

Fixing into wood: No.6 x 19mm (1") Round Head screws are recommended.

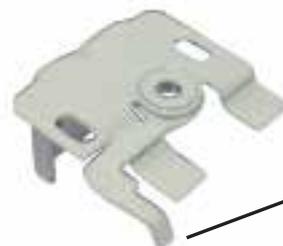
Concrete, brick, plaster, etc. : Use Masonry plugs and screws of an appropriate length, e.g. No.6 x 32mm (1 1/4") Round Head screws to obtain a secure fixing.

#### Fitting

Separating the Velcro of the blind and the headrail will allow easier fixing.

With the finger lock lever in the open position, fit the headrail vertically into the brackets. Secure by pushing the lever to the left until it presses firmly against the headrail, as shown in the diagram.

To complete the installation of your Roman Blind carefully press the Velcro tapes back together ensuring the blind is hanging straight.



Finger Lock Lever in closed position

#### Maintenance

For information on retaining that day-one appearance, see 'Caring for your Blind' overleaf.



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### Operating your Blind



#### Chain Operation

**Lowering:** Pull the chain at the rear of the blind to lower the fabric increasing shading level.

**Raising:** Pull the chain at the front of the blind to raise the fabric decreasing shading level.

#### Pull Cord Operation

**Lowering:** To unlock the cords, pull to left and release gently through the hand until the required drop is reached. Lock cords by returning to the right.

**Raising:** Pull cords downwards until the desired height is reached. Lock by taking cords to the right.

### Caring for your Blind

#### Removing your Roman Blind

Remove your Roman Blind from its brackets and lay on a flat surface, print side down.

Untie the cords from the cord connector.

Separate the blind from the headrail. This is attached by Velcro tape and should easily unfasten. The cords can now be unthreaded, however we recommend they are not removed from the blind. Carefully roll up the cords and secure with an elastic band.

Remove the support rods from the tapes. Open the stitching and remove the bottom bar from the pocket.

#### Washing Instructions

For washing instructions, please refer to your local retailer. Do not machine wash, dry clean only.

#### Refitting Your Blind

Lay the blind out on a flat surface. Place the headrail at top of the blind. Unroll the cords and thread the cords through the loops and tie-off at the bottom, ensure even length.

For Elan headrail only, thread cords through and over the metal rollers of the supports in the headrail. Feed the cords to the cord lock device and thread under the knurled bush. Pass the cords into the cord connector and secure in a firm knot.

Slide the support rods into the tapes and bottom bar into the pocket. Close the pocket by hand sewing. To refit the blind, refer to the fitting instructions.



#### Safety

Always use the cord cleat and chain safety clip to remove the possibility of loose hanging loops.