

Traditional Shutter Installation Instructions (Hang Strip Mount)



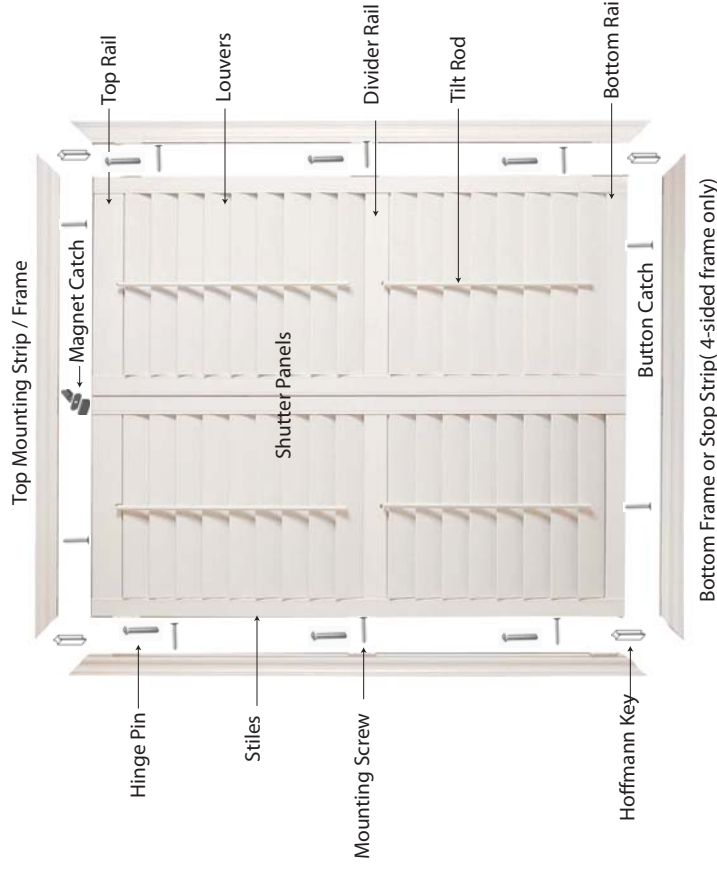
STEP 1- YOUR NEW SHUTTER

THANK YOU for purchasing shutters! Your shutters have been custom made for your windows. Once installed they will provide a lifetime of beauty.

GETTING STARTED

Remove all contents from the packaging. All Panels and frames are labeled by room, size, and mount type. Please keep panels with corresponding frame. **Do not dispose of packaging until the shutter is operating to your satisfaction.**

Please check the diagram to make sure you have parts needed for installation.



STEP 7 - ATTACHING THE BUTTON CATCH

Place the catch on the lip of the frame/strip, 1/2" from the inner edge of the stile. Screw the catch into the frame. Place the strike plate onto the catch and close the panel to determine where the proper location for strike plate is located on the shutter panel.

Mark with pencil where the button should be located on the panel. The button should be installed 1/2" from the inner edge of the stile. Remove from the catch and screw it into the panel.

The catch may need to be adjusted for proper closure of the panels.

TOUCH UP

Touch up paint is provided with all shutters. Any scratches may be removed by simply using a soft cloth. Caulking may be used to reduce any light gaps and to help secure the frame to the wall.

OPERATION

Move the tilt rod to open and close the louvers, for the best light control, the louvers are designed to close in the up position. Open the panels by grasping the stile on the panel frame. Never open the panels by pulling on the tilt rod or louvers.

TROUBLESHOOTING

The panels will not stay closed:

Make sure the button on the back of the panel is engaging firmly with the button catch.

The shutter panels rub against the top or bottom piece of the framework:

Use a level to verify that the top, bottom, and sides of the framework are mounted squarely. If the frame is not square you will have to make necessary adjustments to the frame and reinstall the panels.

CLEANING

Minimum care and cleaning is needed to maintain the beauty of your shutters.

To Dust: Use a soft clean cloth or vacuum with brush attachment.

To Clean: Use soft cloth with mild soap and water

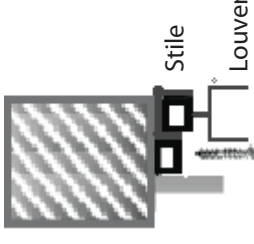
Do Not Use: Ammonia-based cleaners, harsh chemicals or abrasives.

CUSTOMER SERVICE AND INSTALLATION HELP

Please Call us, we will be happy to assist you.

Framing Options

Hang Strip



HARDWARE

- Hinge Pins
- Magnet Catches
- Mounting Screws
- White Button Tacks

TOOLS

You may need: pencil, phillips head screwdriver, pliers, hammer or rubber mallet, tape measure, level, box knife and a drill.



STEP 3 - INSTALL THE FRAME

Center and level the frame on the inside of the opening. If you are using hang strips center and attach the strips to both sides of the opening (Right and left Side). Make sure they are set into the opening so that the panels will be as close to flush with the wall as possible." Once the hang strip is centered on the sides of the window opening, screw the frame into the wall in only 3 places (through the pre-drilled holes): insure that the frame is square and level with the sides of the window opening.

STEP 2 - LAYOUT OF MOUNTING STRIP / FRAME
Find ample working space to assemble your frame (preferably in front of the window). Lay out frames/ strips on a blanket on the floor according to the labels on the back of the mounting strips/frames. Match the appropriate corners to ensure proper fit.

Note: The screws are installed through the side of the strip into the window jamb.

STEP 4 - ATTACH THE PANELS TO THE PROPER FRAME

Match the panels to the opening. The panels are numbered on the top starting from left to right. Attach the panels to the frame by inserting the hinge pins.

STEP 5 - ADJUSTING AND SECURING THE FRAME

Once the panels are in the opening, make sure there are no gaps.

Open and close the panels, checking for clearance between the panels and for proper alignment. If adjustment is necessary, adjust the panel by moving the hinge from right to left on the strip. Once the panels are in the correct position, tighten the hinge screws and install the set screw in the center of the hinge. Do not adjust the screws on the panel side of the hinge.

When the panels are set in the correct position, install the stop strips on the top and bottom of the window opening. If this is a cafe shutter install the stop strip on the bottom of the frame only.