# **Aluminium Venetian Blinds**

#### NOTE:

TO PREVENT DAMAGE and FACILITATE EASY MOUNTING – do not let the blind down before fitting or PULL IT BACK UP before performing STEPS 1-3.

# STEP 1.

#### The Brackets.

There are basically two types of fixing:

- a) top fixing -- to ceiling or to lintel (window recess top);
- b) face fixing -- to wall or window frame;

Your blinds usually come with universal galvanized 'twister' brackets



that are good for both types of blind fixing or



'top fixing' twister brackets for 'inside' blinds mounting. Either type of bracket is good enough to hold your blind in place for years. The easy opertation twister mechanism lets you remove the blind at any time for slats cleaning, room painting, etc. We recommend locking one bracket to a blind's headrail before you start fixing them to wall/ceiling to see how the twister mechanism locks and to realize that these brackets must allow for blinds cord mechanisms located in the blind's headrail.

# STEP 2.

# Fixing the brackets.

We recommend that you make your measurements and markings for brackets location on wall/ceiling

individually for each blind!

Brackets should be placed symmetrically at each end of the blind – min 2-3 cm max 10-15 cm from the blind's ends (for heavy/big blinds – as close to the lifting cords and cord stop mechanisms as possible\*). It is enough to use brackets every 70-90 cm (eg 2 brackets for a blind up 110 cm wide: 10+90+10). You may choose to fix an additional supporting bracket near the blind's center point but allowing for headrail inside cord mechanisms.

\* for extra large size blinds fix 2 brackets near cord stop mechanism at its both sides.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Position brackets in headrail in places they will be locked. Determine the blind's fitting position and take markings in pencil on wall/ceiling pointing to brackets location. Do the drilling and fix brackets to wall/ceiling.

# STEP 3.

# Hanging the Blind.

To hang the blind, locate blind's headrail in brackets. Lock brackets and that's it!

### STEP 4.

# Preparing the Blind.

- a) Fix the tilting wand.
- b) Let the blind down.
- Adjust lifting cords together for bottomrail's perfect horizontal position and knot the cords together.
- d) Hide the knot in plastic cup and you're done.

**NOTE**: If lifting or tilting mechanism do not work smoothly – **DO NOT FORCE OPERATION** - unlock brackets, remove the blind and check if brackets do not interfere with the cords inside headrail.