

# TENSIONED PLEATED BLIND

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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## INTRODUCTION

**Thank you for purchasing this Pleated blind.  
Please read the instructions carefully before use  
to ensure safe and satisfactory operation of this  
product.**

It is recommended that this blind should only be installed by persons competent in DIY. At John Lewis, we are committed to making great products possible. From our in-house Design Team, to our Buyers, we work together to bring great design to life. Our Product Technologists work collaboratively with our Buyers and suppliers to ensure the legality, safety and quality of the product we sell. We are all committed to designing and developing products to the highest industry standards.

We hope you are happy with your product and welcome any feedback or comments you may have.

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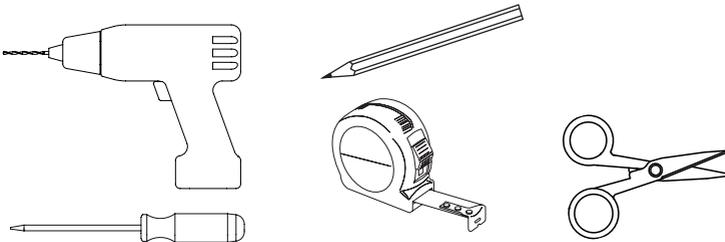
## VIDEO INSTRUCTIONS

Scan the QR code to link to our online videos that guide you in getting a perfect fit for a pleated blind. Alternatively, follow the link [www.johnlewis.com/blindassembly](http://www.johnlewis.com/blindassembly)



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## TOOLS REQUIRED



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## PEOPLE TO ASSEMBLE

One person

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## TIME TO ASSEMBLE

1 Hour

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## SAFE BY DESIGN

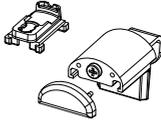
Safe by design means the hazards have been identified early in the design process to eliminate or minimise the risk of harm throughout the life of the product.



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## PARTS LIST

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Code	Item	Quantity	Illustration
1	Tensioning shoe	x4	
2	Wall brackets	x4*	
3	Clamp bracket	x4**	

\*Applicable with outside the recess mounting option.

\*\*Applicable with PVC and aluminium tilt and turn windows.

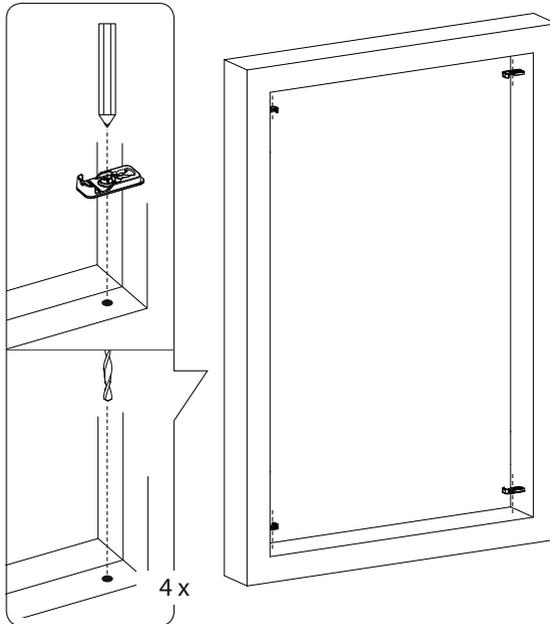
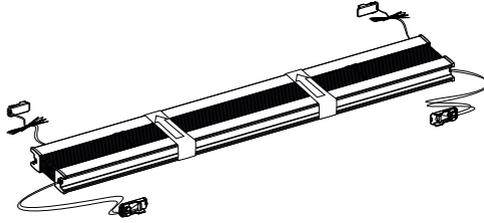
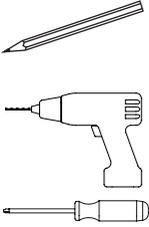
# 1. Installing the brackets.

We highly recommend to keep the elastic bands around the blind during the installation process.

Use the bottom part of the tensioning shoe as a template to mark the hole positions with pencil.

Use a drill to pre drill the holes and fix the bottom of the tensioning shoe with a screwdriver.

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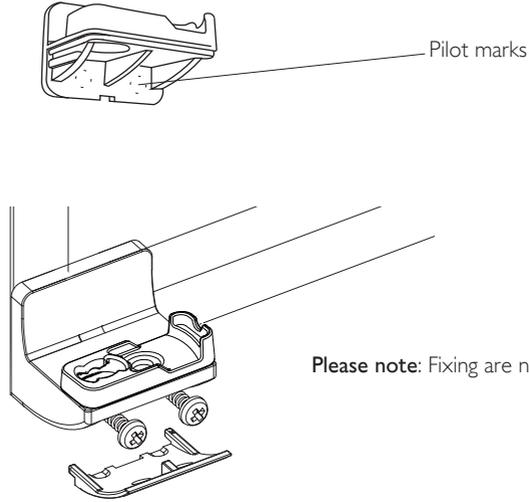
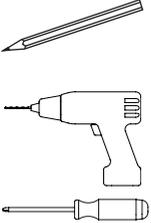


**Please note:** Fixing are not included.

**1a.**  
Installing the  
brackets.  
(Wall brackets)

To install the wall brackets drill through the pilot holes which can be found on the base of the bracket.  
Once the bracket is secured, clip on the bottom plate.

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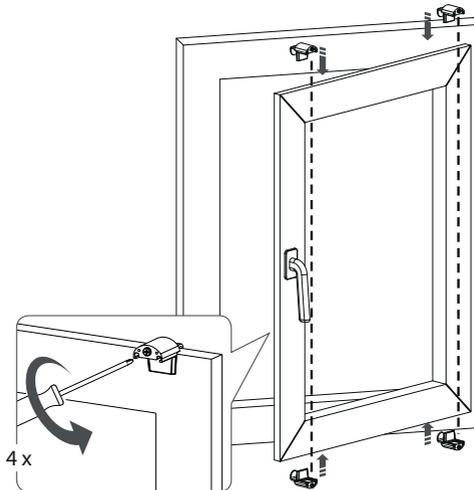
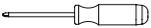


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**1b.**  
Installing the  
brackets.  
(Clamp brackets)

To install the clamp brackets slot the bracket onto the window frame. Using a screwdriver, tighten the screw to secure the bracket in place. Repeat in all corners.

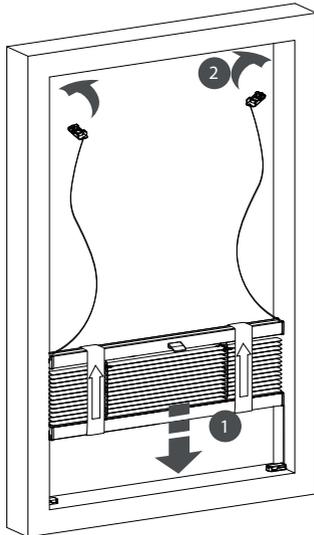
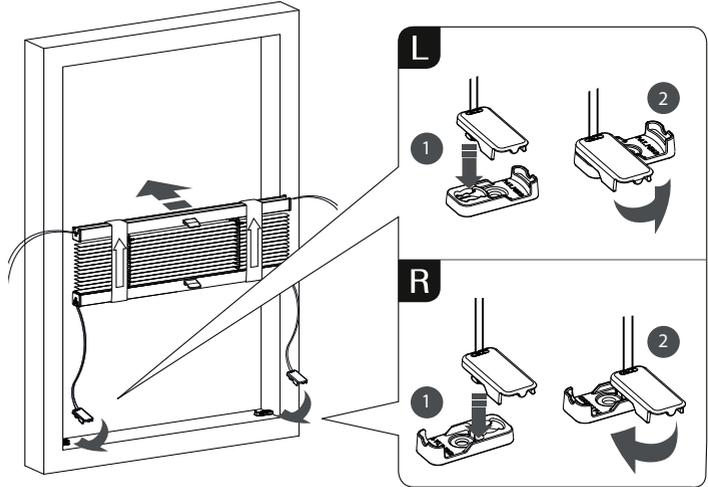
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## 2. Installing the blind

Starting from the bottom: Attach the top of the tensioning shoe to the fixed bottom part as per instructions below.  
Lower the blind all the way down and attach the top brackets.

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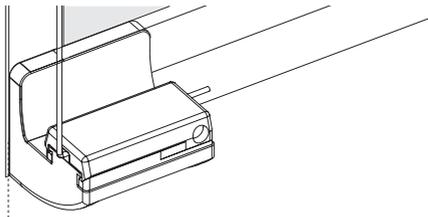
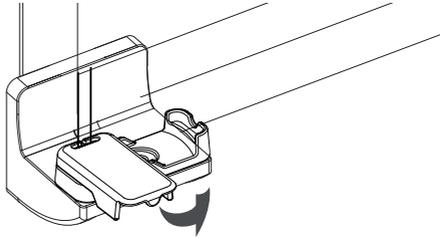
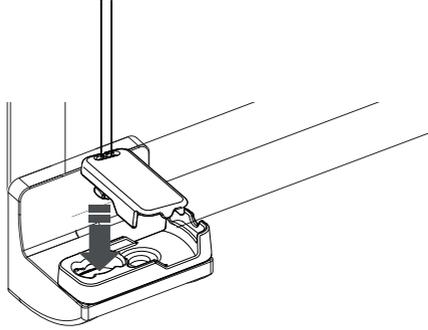
## 2a.

### Installing the blind

(Wall brackets)

Once the wall brackets are fixed to the wall, attach the top of the tensioning shoe to the brackets and repeat on all sides.

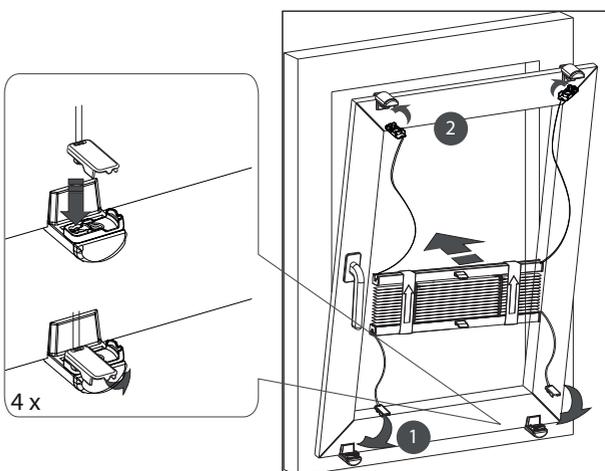
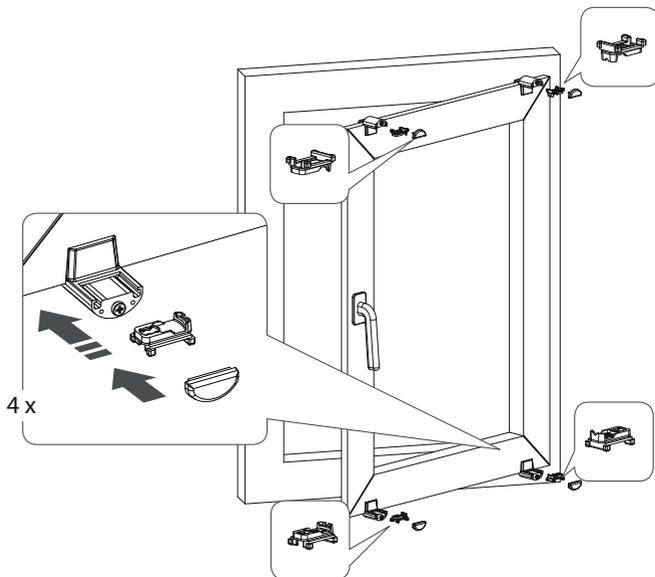
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## 2b. Installing the blind (Clamp brackets)

Slot the tensioning shoes onto the clamp brackets. Once slotted into place, clip the endcap on to secure it. Attach the blind to the clamp brackets starting from the bottom.

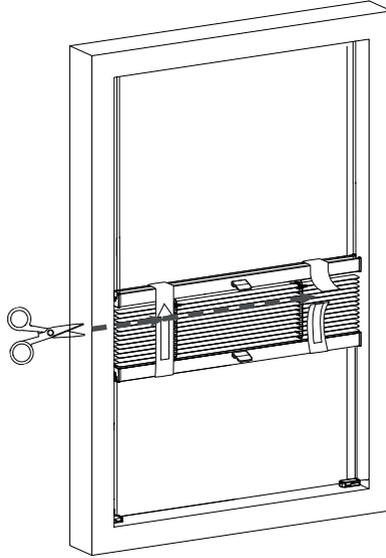
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### 3. Completion

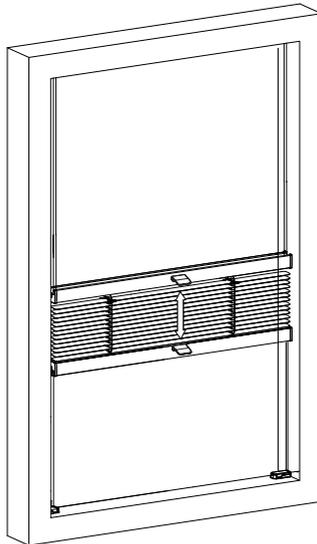
Once the blind has been installed, please cut the elastic bands off.  
Your blind is now ready to use.



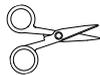
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### 4. Operation

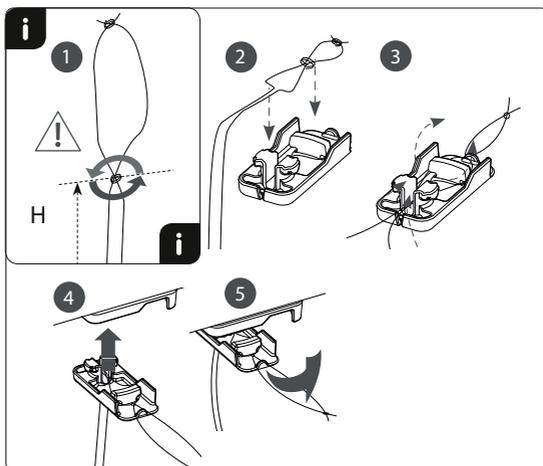
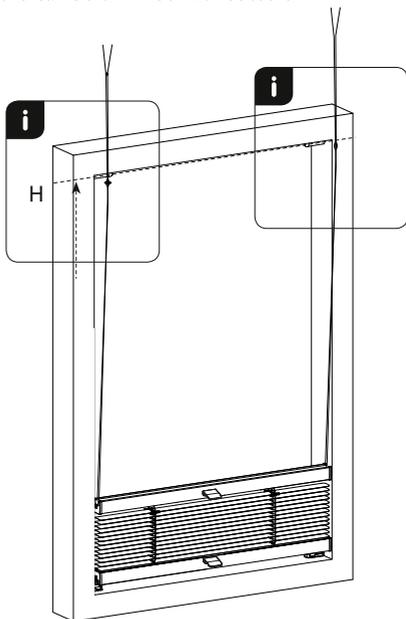
To operate the blind use the handles to lower and raise the blind to your desired position.



## 5. Troubleshooting



If you find your blind is not tensioned to your desire, please follow the steps below for successful re-tensioning. Carefully remove the tensioning cord out of the tensioning shoe and create a new knot. Place the new knot on top of the shoe and run the cord around the middle part and through the end hole. Clip the tensioning shoe to the top fixed bracket. Check if the blind is tensioned properly, repeat if necessary. Any excess cord can be trimmed with scissors.



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## PRODUCT INFORMATION

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### CARING FOR YOUR PRODUCT

The fabric may be dusted using a damp cloth. The product is maintenance free however we recommend regular checks are completed to ensure no components have been damaged, which could result in operating difficulties or case a safety risk. Pleated blinds rely on fabric memory and tension to keep the pleats crisp. That is why opening and closing your blinds regularly is important.







Please retain these instructions for future reference.

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