## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



The Maxium chain system is exclusive to Altex. It's main distinction is it's totally safe lock system. The shade colth is attached to a spline that slides into a groove, which secures the fabric to the roller and prevents detaching.

# Refer to the illustration below during all the installation of your shade :



# Your shade should be composed of all the following pieces:

- 1. Clutch
- 2. Tube
- 3. Shade cloth
- 4. Spring loaded pin end
- 5. Universal brackets (2)
- 6. Tension device (optional)
- 7. Stopper
- 8. Bracket covers (optional) (2)

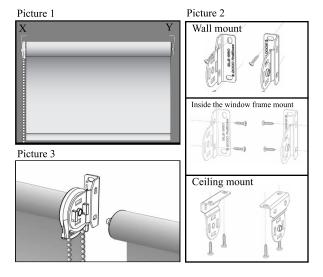


### **Step 1: Mount the brackets**

- A Notice the width inscription on the packaging of your shade;
- B Depending on the mounting (wall, ceiling or inside the window frame), mark with a pen the extremities of your shade (see points X and Y on picture 1);
- C Screw in the brackets in the correct angle (see picture 2).

IMPORTANT: Make sure brackets are mounted level. For inside the window frame mounting, you must install the bracket covers (included or not in your packaging depending on the order) before screwing in (see step 3).

Brackets are universal. Each bracket can be used for the right and left side.



# Sharing a bracket between two shades (if necessary):





If sharing a bracket between two shades, bracket can only be shared by a clutch and a pin end, not clutch-to-clutch or pin end-to-pin end (see picture 3).

IMPORTANT: The lower part of the bracket (dark area on picture 4) must be considered as the center of the two shades.

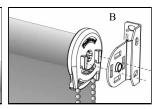
### **Step 2: Install the shade**

IMPORTANT: You must respect the order of the two following steps.

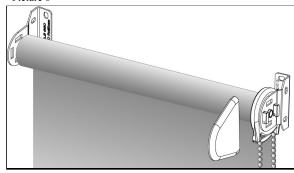
- A Put the spring loaded pin into the round hole of the bracket (see picture 5A);
- B Insert the hook arms on the clutch straight into the two hook arm receiver holes of the bracket. Once the two hook arms are through the holes, gently pull down on the clutch until the two hook arms have locked securely to the bracket (see picture 5B).

#### Picture 5





Picture 6



# **Step 3: Install the bracket covers (optional)**

Depending on the order, your packaging might contain covers. Bracket covers are slid over the bracket until snapped into position (see picture 6).

## **Step 4 : Operate the shade**

Pulling gently on the bead chain in one direction raises the shade cloth; pulling it in the other direction lowers it. Make sure that the shade cloth go up straight.

## To adjust roll-up (if necessary):

IMPORTANT: At first, make sure brackets are mounted level.

- 1. If shade cloth veers toward the right:
- A Lower the shade completely;
- B Place a piece of tape (multiple pieces may be necessary) as close to the left edge of the roller as possible.

2. If shade cloth veers toward the left:

Correct by following the same steps that on point 1, except that the tape must be placed at the right edge of the roller.

## Step 5: Attach the stopper to the bead chain

IMPORTANT: It is essential to attach the stopper.

- 1. For a plastic bead chain:
- A Lower the shade cloth to sill or floor height;
- B Attach the stopper next to the clutch, on the front part of the bead chain, this prevents the shade cloth from being lowered beyond that point.

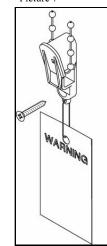
Note that the first stopper, which stops the raising of the shade cloth is attached at the factory.

- 2. For a metal bead chain:
- A Raise the shade until you reach the height where you want your shade to stop;
- B Attach a stopper without tightening it, near the mechanism on the back part of the bead chain;
- C Make sure the shade stops at the point you wanted, then tighten the stopper by using pliers;
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# **Step 6: Install the Tension Device (optional)**

The Tension Device reduces the hazards of strangulation and entanglement of young children by limiting access to the bead chain.

Picture 7



- A Lower the shade;
- B Hold the Tension Device upright so the *Warning Tag* hangs straight down (see picture 7);
- C Anchor the Tension Device on the window frame or the wall so that the Tension Device and bead chain do not interfere with raising and lowering the shade.

IMPORTANT: The Tension Device should be installed without stretching or pulling down on the bead chain. Stretching the cord will cause excessive wear. Do not twist or cross the bead chain.