Fitting the breakaway condenser

Our Wood and aluminium Venetian blind breakaway condensers are designed for blinds with cords of 1.7-2.0 mm in diameter in the top, and a single cord of 2.0-2.3 mm in diameter in the bottom, a maximum of 4 blind cords and one pull cord can be accommodated with this device. These devices must be used in conjunction with the cord cleat(s) also supplied with the blind.

To install the condenser take the half with a lower hole and thread the single pull cord into the hole in the middle and either melt the cord to form a stop bead or tie a knot or as close to the end as possible to hold in place.

Next, with the blind fully lowered make sure that the raise and lower cords are all cut to the same length and finish no more than 50 mm from where they exit the headrail, the ends of these should be melted to form a stop bead (do not make a knot). Take one of the cords and push the end through both slots of the condenser at the opposite end to the pull cord, ensure that the cord is pushed firmly in the slots, then repeat the process with the second cord in the other half of the condenser. If you have more than two blind cords the remaining cord ends need to be pushed into the single top groove in either half of the condenser.

Whilst the condenser will lift the weight of the blind easily in normal use if any of the multiple cords are pulled apart the safety condenser will separate to prevent a strangulation hazard. To reconnect the condenser check that it is not damaged, then re-insert any free cords as described above and place the sections together. If any slack cording appears above the condenser lower the blind so that it is straight and raise it again.









Use of these safety devices may reduce the risk of strangulation or injury but cannot be considered foolproof. Persons in charge of children and vulnerable people are ultimately responsible for following the safety instructions provided by us the manufacturer.

We do everything we can to make sure your chosen product is safe for your child. As a minimum, all of our blinds meet the European Standard BS EN 13120 for both performance and safety. Beyond this, safety is at the forefront of our minds right through the design process as we strive to make products that are not only stylish and high-quality, but also safe.

The information is guidance for fitting the provided child safety devices. Please read it carefully and keep it safe for future reference.

Only use the devices and cords/chains provided with your blind.

Devices are under continuous development. For this reason, some photographs may not be an exact representation of the provided device, although their function will be the same.

WARNING

Window coverings can pose a danger to small children. Please be aware that swallowing small parts can cause internal asphyxiation. Looped or low hanging cords, chains or tapes can also cause strangulation.

Please read these instructions carefully before installing and using the device(s). Children can be strangled if any device is not installed correctly. All safety devices must be correctly installed for the protection from strangulation of young children and the proper use of the blind. Keep the instructions for future reference. As the end user you have a responsibility to insure the safety device is fitted as per our fitting guides set out above, if for some reason you do not receive a safety device with your order or you are in anyway unsure on how to fit the device please contact us before installing your blind.