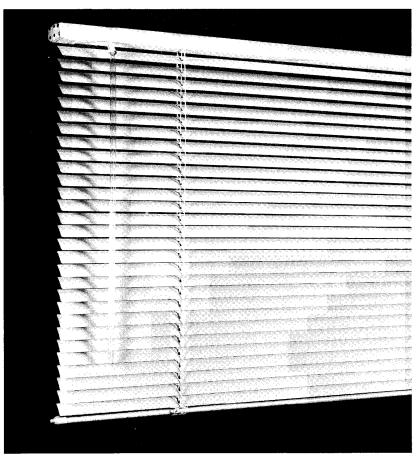


NEWPORT® 1" BLIND

Competitively positioned 1" horizontal aluminum window covering for commercial applications.



Key Features:

- Lifetime warranty
- Headrail: 3/4" high x 13/16" wide
- Nominal .0085" slat thickness
- 14.2 slats per foot
- Guardian Tilter™ disengaging clutch mechanism

Product Overview

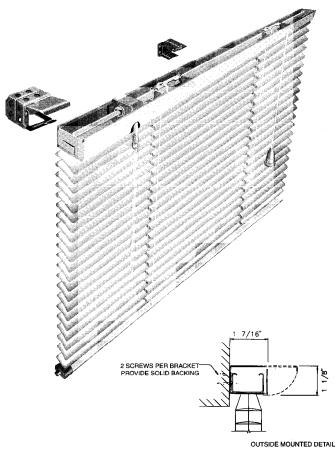
The Newport 1" Blind, considered the tenant standard, represents Levolor's competitively positioned horizontal blind backed by a lifetime limited warranty. Committed to both durability and aesthetics, the Newport 1" blind provides the high quality economical choice.

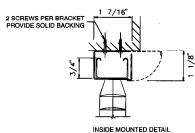
The durable and slim headrail, made of roll-formed Tomized steel, is designed for windows with restricted mounting surfaces. The steel hardware is securely installed, insuring accurate alignment of moving parts and long, maintenance-free operation.

The nominal .0085" thick slats are made of high grade magnesium aluminum alloy which provides overall strength and resiliency, assuring a quality look for the life of the blind. The Newport 1" blind's 14.2 slats per foot meet or exceed industry standards and insure tight closure and optimum light control. The exclusive Guardian Tilter disengaging clutch mechanism eliminates over rotation of the tilt wand and protects the tilt mechanism against breakage. This key feature eliminates the problem of the slats being locked in a permanent position preventing further opening or closing of the blind.

The Newport 1" blind is offered in a wide array of popular colors with coordinated components. Several options are available including the popular Top-Lok Cord Lock, which holds the blind completely up or down for a consistent look across all windows.

NEWPORT® 1" BLIND





Product Specifications

For more detailed specifications please reference Newport 1" Blind product Guide Specifications.

Part II - Products

- A. Newport 1" (25 mm) Blind manufactured by Levolor Home Fashions
- B. Lifetime Warranty
- C. Materials:
 - ☐ **Headrail** shall be of .025" thick Tomized steel, "U" shaped, ³/₄" high x 1³/₁s" wide. All hardware shall be enclosed in the metal headrail.
 - ☐ Guardian Tilter mechanism shall be of at not less than .031" thick Tomized steel housing with a self-lubricating nylon, automatically disengaging worm and gear mechanism to eliminate overdrive.
 - ☐ **Tilt Wand** shall be transparent with a round fluted cross section approximately ⁵/16" in diameter with 12 grooves for nonslip grip.
 - □ Cord Lock shall be .031" thick Tomized steel and shall be crashproof.
 - ☐ Drum and Cradle shall be provided for each ladder.
 - a. Drums shall be engineering polymer.
 - b. Cradles shall be of .025" thick Tomized steel.
 - Installation Brackets shall be of at least .042" thick Tomized steel with a hinged safety locking front cover to permit removal of headrail without lateral movement.
 - ☐ Ladders (slat supports): Distance between slats shall not exceed 21.5 mm (nominally 14.2 slats per vertical foot).
 - □ Slats shall be of 5000 series magnesium aluminum alloy only, not to include reprocessed metals. Slats shall be nominally 1" wide and .0075" ± .0085" thick prior to coating; after coating the thickness of the slats shall be nominally .0085".
 - ☐ **Bottomrail** shall be of .031" thick Tomized steel.
 - ☐ **Options** shall include:
 - a. Top-Lok cord Lock
 - b. Restrictive Cam Tilter
 - c. Special Installation Brackets.
 - d. Hold down brackets.



Open End Bracket



Hold Down Bracket



Tassel



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PART I - GENERAL

1.01 SCOPE

- A. Furnish and install Levolor blinds, provided by Levolor Home Fashions,
 4110 Premier Drive, High Point, NC
 27265, in accordance with specifications, drawings, and contract documents.
- B. Related work specified elsewhere.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer's qualifications:
 - 1. The installer shall be a firm approved by Levolor Home Fashions Contract Division.
 - 2. The installer shall be qualified to install the product specified, as demonstrated by prior experience.
- B. Job mock-up: (Describe)

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- Product information: Submit Levolor product literature and installation instructions.
- B. Shop drawings: Indicate field-measured dimensions of opening which are to receive blinds, details on mounting surface and sill conditions, and details of corners and conditions between adjacent blinds.
- C. Color samples: Submit a sample of each type and color of material specified.

1.04 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Packing and Shipping
 - 1. Materials shall be delivered to the Project in Levolor's original unopened packaging with labels intact.
- B. Storage:
 - Materials shall be stored in a clean area which is free of corrosive fumes, dust, and away from construction activities.

- 2. Materials shall be stacked horizontally using plastic or wood shims such that drainage and ventilation are provided for, and such that water cannot accumulate in, about or upon the containers.
- 3. Stacks shall be covered with tarpaulins or plastic such that ventilation is provided for, and such that contaminants are prevented from contacting surfaces.

1.05 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS (BEFORE PRODUCT INSTALLATION BEGINS)

- A. Roof must be tight, windows and frames installed and glazed, and interior doors hung.
- B. Wet work including concrete, masonry, plaster, stucco, terrazzo, sheetrock, spackling, and taping (including sanding) shall be complete and dry.
- C. Ceilings, window pockets, electrical, and mechanical work above the product shall be complete.
- Electrical power (110 volt AC) shall be available for installer's tools within 500 ft. of product installation areas.

1.06 WARRANTY

A. Lifetime warranty: Levolor Home Fashions Contract Division shall repair or replace for the life of the blind, at its option, without charge, any part found defective in workmanship or material as long as the blind remains in the same window for which it was purchased.

Part II – Products

2.01 MANUFACTURER AND PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

A. Acceptable product: Newport 1" (25mm) blind manufactured by Levolor Home Fashions.

B. Materials.

- 1. Headrail shall be of .025" thick Tomized steel, "U" shaped, 3/4" high x 1 3/16" wide with flanged edges at top, and coated with baked on finish. All hardware shall be enclosed in the metal headrail.
- 2. Guardian Tilter mechanism shall be of a not less than .031" thick Tomized steel housing with a self-lubricating nylon, automatically disengaging worm and gear mechanism to provide maximum closure, eliminate overdrive, and prevent strain or damage to blind.
- 3. Tilt Wand shall be transparent with a round fluted cross section approximately ⁵/1e" in diameter with 8 grooves for nonslip grip.
- 4. Cord Lock shall be .031" thick Tomized steel and shall be securely attached to headrail. It shall be a crashproof type with sufficient sensitivity to lock slats at desired height upon release of cords.
- 5. Drum and cradle shall be provided for each ladder.
 - a. Drums shall be engineering polymer providing secure attachment for both ladder ends.
 - b. Cradles shall be of .025" thick Tomized steel having two holes with rolled edges to guide cords through bottom of headrail with out abrasion. They shall provide bearing support for the tilt rod, thus preventing the weight of the blind from being transferred to the tilter. Cradles shall center drums over ladder openings.
- 6. Tilt Rod shall be U-shaped, with a circular radius of approximately .125" designed to achieve minimum torsional deflection.
- 7. End Braces shall be of .025" thick Tomized steel with reinforcing ribs.

End braces shall incorporate a field adjustable tab to insure secure installation, center blind in window, and prevent lateral movement.

- 8. Installation Brackets shall be of at least .042" thick Tomized steel with baked-on finish to match headrail. The brackets shall incorporate a hinged safety locking front cover to permit removal of headrail without lateral movement. Mounting holes shall be located to accommodate overhead, side, or face mounting.
- 9. Intermediate Brackets shall be supplied as required.
- 10. Ladders (slat supports) shall be braided polyester yarn dyed to Levolor color standard. The two vertical components shall be .076" x .038" designed for maximum flexibility combined with minimum stretch and tensile strength of not less than 50 lbs. per cable. Horizontal components (rungs) shall consists of not less than four cables inter-braided with the vertical components. Ladder shall support the slats without visible distortion. Distance between slats shall not exceed 21.5mm (nominally 14.2 slats per vertical foot). Distance between ladders shall not exceed 23" for blinds up to 80" long. For blinds over 80" long, distance between ladders shall not be greater than 22". Distance between end ladder and end of slat shall not exceed 7".
- 11. Slats shall be of 5000 series magnesium aluminum alloy only, not to include reprocessed metals. Aluminum alloy shall be tempered to optimize tensile and yield strength for superior slat strength, resiliency, and corrosion resistance. Slats shall be nominally 1" wide and .0075" ± .0003 prior to coating; after coating the thickness of the slats shall be nominally .0085". Slats shall have a coating thickness of .8 mil to 1.5 mil. Slats shall perform to 500 hours of 100% relative humidity testing, 300 hours of 5% salt spray solution at 95 degree F testing, and 250 hours of accelerated weathering testing without blistering, fading, corroding, or adhesive failure. Slat thickness and ladder support distances shall prevent visible sag or bow after continued use indoors

- 12. Bottomrail shall be of .031" thick Tomized steel formed after coating and shall be provided with color compatible molded plastic ladder and end caps having integral protrusions designed to prevent bottom bar from marring window sill and/or mullions.
- 13. Lift Cord shall be braided of high strength, 1.4 mm dia. polyester fiber with a high tenacity polyester core, 33 picks per inch, 16 carrier smooth braids, and shall be flexible, have minimum stretch, maximum abrasion resistance characteristics, and a minimum breaking strength of 130 lbs. Cord shall be of sufficient length equalized to properly control raising and lowering of blind and spaced not over 46" between cords.
- 14. Color of blind shall be selected from over 50 standard Levolor solid colors or metallic slat finishes.
- 15. Options shall include:
 - a. Hold Down Brackets
 - b. Multiple Blinds on One Headrail
 - c. Pivot Plate
 - d. Pocket Brackets
 - e. Projection Brackets
 - f. Restrictive Cam Tilter
 - g. Ring Pull
 - h. Telescopic or Non-Telescopic Tilter Pole
 - I. Top-Lok Cord Lock
 - i. Universal Tilter Ring
 - k. Valance

PART III - EXECUTION

3.01 INSPECTION

- Window treatment subcontractor shall be responsible for inspection of site, field measurements, and approval of mounting surfaces and installation conditions.
- B. Subcontractor shall verify that site is free of conditions that interfere with blind installation and operation, and shall begin installation only when any unsatisfactory conditions have been rectified.

3.02 INSTALLATION

A. Installation shall comply with Levolor specifications, standards, and procedures.

- B. Provide support brackets as per Levolor's installation instructions.
- See installation instructions packaged with blinds for more installation details.
- Provide adequate clearance to permit unencumbered operation of blind and hardware.
- E. Demonstrate blinds to be in uniform and smooth working order.

3.03 CLEANING

- A. Clean soiled blinds with a mild soap solution only. Do not use cleaning methods involving heat, bleach, abrasives, or solvents. Do not use window cleaner or cloths with paper content.
- Ensure proper drying following cleaning by providing adequate ventilation.



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