

insulating shades







EcoSmart shades are designed to save energy. and we make them with bonded polyester, which means dust and particulates in the air won't penetrate the fabric, so your shades will stay looking fresh and new for years to come!

WHAT GOES INTO A CUSTOM SHADE? **OPERATION**

FABRIC OPTIONS

STANDARD

MOUNTING

ROOM DARKENING

CORDI ESS

INSIDE MOUNT

LIGHT FILTERING SINGLE CELL

STANDARD TDBU

OUTSIDE MOUNT

DOUBLE CELL

CORDLESS TOBU

DOORS SIDETRACKS

HYBRID

MOTORIZED

SKYLIGHTS

SPECIALTY SHAPES



NOT SURE WHERE TO START?

1. One of our designers will come to your home to help with the vision, measuring, and working up a quote

2. Our production team will make your shades (right here in Williston!)

3. Our installers will come install your brand new EcoSmart shades!





FABRIC OPTIONS

SINGLE CELL VS. DOUBLE CELL

less insulating

more insulating





Single cell shades trap less dead air, so they are slightly less insulating but still do a great job.

Double cell shades are more insulating. **Both are great options!**Talk to your designer about what will be right for you.

R-VALUES OF OUR ECOSMART INSULATING FABRICS

R-Value measures a material's ability to resist energy transfer. The higher a material's R-value, the better it insulates against heat or cold. A typical double pane window has an R-value of 1.8. The R-value depicted beneath each type of cellular fabric represents the insulating properties of the shade alone, not combined with the R-value of the window it may be covering.



Single Cell Light Filtering R - 1.6



Room Darkening R - 2.5



Double Cell Light Filtering R - 2.8



Double Cell Light Filtering with Tracks R - 3.3



Double Cell Room Darkening R - 4.0



Double Cell Room Darkening with Tracks R - 4.7



Now, where to mount?



the window opening. In the image here, all of the shades are "inside mounted." You decide on the best your shades!



Now, where to mount?

Sometimes, mounting within a window opening isn't possible.

In those cases, shades can be mounted on the outside of the window, covering the window opening all the way to the trim.

In this image, the bottom row of shades is outside mounted.





DOORS

When dealing with difficulties. Your designer will know what to look for in terms of any and work with you to







The maximum width of a cellular shade is 84" so if the expanse of your window/door opening is larger than that, we can split the width into 2 or 3 shades, which also allows for more flexible functionality!



As you can see in the images here, there is only a tiny gap between the 2 shades - so you won't lose any insulating power by having multiple shades!



OPERATIONAL VARIATIONS

HEADRAIL COMPARISON (cordless shades)



Left: Top Down Bottom Up (middle rail allows TDBU functionality)

Right: bottom-up only (no middle rail)

STRING VS. CORD LOOP (both tdbu)



Left: Standard string-operated shade Right: Cord loop operated shade (thicker headrail)





This standard shade has bottom-up only operation and is perfect if you are looking fo a basic shading + insulating system.

No frills here, but lots of functionality. The string controls feature a break-away clasp i accordance with WCMA standards, so you can rest easy knowing there is no choking hazard.

STANDARD W/TRADTIONAL STRING CONTROLS





STANDARD SHADE TOP DOWN BOTTOM UP



Above: close-up of standard headrail with string operation







STANDARD SHADES

TOP DOWN

BOTTOM UP







CORDLESS TOP DOWN BOTTOM UP





TOP DOWN BOTTOM UP

SEEN HERE

- single cell
- cordless
- light filtering
- inside mount

GREAT FOR PRIVACY
WHILE STILL LETTING
IN NATURAL LIGHT



CORDLOOP





Cordloop shades are great if you are looking for something with really sturdy operation. They are almost impossible to operate incorrectly and have a heavy-duty clutch.

Top Down Bottom Up Cord Loop

These have a "middle rail" operated with a cord loop, giving the option to not only raise the shade from the bottom, but the top as well!





WHY HYBRID?

The "top down" feature is controlled with a cord loop system (in case the top rail is

The "bottom up" function is controlled with a simple cordless handle: just push or pull on the bottom of the shade to raise or lower it.





Features described here can go either way - either the middle or bottom rail can be cordless, and the cord can be oriented on either side.

MOTORIZED

Perfect for hard to reach windows, or if you have a lot of shades to raise and lower! Up to 15 shades can operate on 1 remote.





SIDETRACKS





For a fully enclosed insulating system, often used in particularly drafty situations, or just to increase the energy efficiency of your home, add sidetracks to your shade - pictured above!

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SKYLIGHT SOLUTIONS





OUTSIDE VIEWS

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Yes, we do specialty shapes! Just ask your designer.



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