

Obscura Operation Manual

Always Before Operation

Check there are no obstructions that may interfere with the screen as it will raise/lower.

Manual operation

Side chain	Pull one side and the screen will raise, pull the other side and the screen will lower.
Hand (with decelerator)	To lower, pull the blind down to the desired position and hold in that position for approximately one second. The blind will now be locked in place. To raise, give the blind a quick tug down and immediately release. The blind will now raise to the top at a controlled speed.
Gear Operation (use)	Fold the free end into a crank shape and using this handle, turn in one direction. Observe direction the blind moves. If the desired movement is not achieved, reverse direction. Stop when the desired position is reached (handle can be folded straight again if desired). Do not over turn.
Attaching Rod	for Detachable Rod Gear Operation, offer the bell on the end of the rod up to the spigot hanging from the blind box. Push home and rotate the rod in any direction to engage.
Detaching rod	for Detachable Rod Gear Operation, lift the rod and turn the opposite direction to that last used by a small fraction of one turn. The rod should now drop free.

Electric operation

Using switch provided

Press the up button to raise the screen.
Press the down button to lower screen.
To stop the blind mid-way press the stop button.
Blind will stop on its own internal limit switches top and bottom.

N.B. Press button configuration may vary according to the type of switch used and the relays/control equipment provided

Frequent operation may cause the motor to overheat, if this happens the motor will cut out until it has cooled. This will result in the screen stopping in mid operation and not responding to any switch commands. When the motor has cooled, operation will re-start automatically and the screen will continue its travel in the direction the switch has been left.

Maintenance

Run the blind to check it is running free and as originally intended. If you believe there is a fault, please call the installation Company. If you do not know who the installation Company is, please call the number below, but you should be aware your warranty (if in date) is with the installation Company.

Construction

Manufactured within the UK from components mostly produced within the UK. Key materials are aluminium, steel, fibreglass and several plastic types.