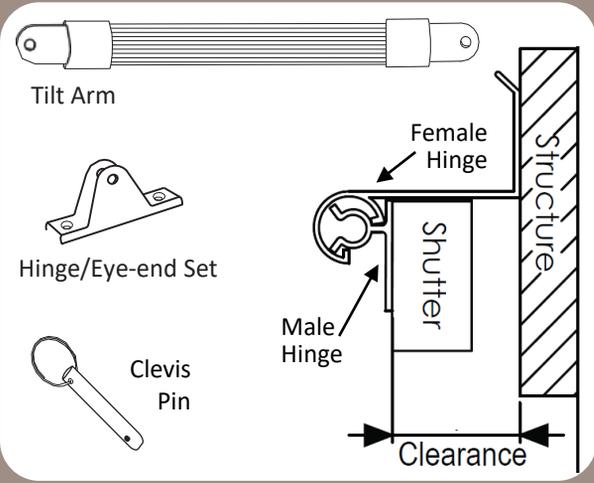




## BAHAMA MEASURING AND INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



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### BAHAMA SHUTTER MEASURING

Bahama shutters are designed to fit over the window opening, so it is important to add 3" to the width and height of the window opening when measuring. This allows overhang and provides room to attach the tilt arms to the shutter. *NOTE: If there is a windowsill, please take this into account for proper closing. For example, shutter height can be 1 ½" taller than window opening rather than 3" taller.*

### BAHAMA SHUTTER INSTALLATION

Pre-drill holes for aluminum female hinge(s) at 8" increments starting on the center. Connect the female hinge to the male hinge on the shutter by sliding the two together. Place the shutter in the desired closed position then rotate the female hinge until it rests flat against the wall of structure. Use the pre-drilled holes on the female hinge to mark for pre-drilling into the wall. After removing the female hinge from the shutter, screw the female hinge to the wall and then slide the shutter with the male hinge back onto the wall mounted female hinge.

### TILT ARM INSTALLATION

Attach hinge/eye to each stile approximately 2" from the bottom, with the screw holes ¾" inward from the outside edge. After mounting the hinge/eyes to the shutter, allow the shutter to hang from the top mounted hinge. Position a second hinge/eye on the wall so both hinge/eyes can be pinned together when the shutter is in the closed position. Mark the location and attach the hinge/eye to the structure. Repeat this procedure for the other stile.

Open the shutter so the louvers are horizontal, providing the best view outwards, or however far you prefer. Connect the tilt arms to the hinge/eyes using the clevis pins which are provided.

Stiles should have hinge/eye clips at each bottom corner and at third points up each stile. This will allow for shutter to be secured when closed.