

## How to Align Vertical Vanes

Sometimes vertical vanes can become out of alignment, a situation that causes the vanes to not close properly. When this happens, it is very simple to realign the vanes.

- 1 Take hold of the chain and pull to turn vanes to a closed position. By being out of alignment, some vanes will not seem to close as tightly as others. That's okay, you are getting ready to remedy this.
- 2 Pull vanes to a closed position until the chain stops. Give the chain a good steady tug. It will sound as if you are stripping the gears.
- 3 Pull the chain to turn the vanes in the opposite direction and repeat the act of giving the chain a good steady tug. Again, it will sound as the gears are being stripped.

The vanes are now aligned and will close properly. If at any time the vanes become unaligned, you may repeat the process.

## To Prevent Static Cling

With most vinyl and PVC type products, static cling can occur causing the vertical vanes to cling together. The best way to prevent this from happening is to rub a standard dryer sheet onto the vanes. Or you can use any kind of static control spray. This will let the vanes align correctly.

## Basic Cleaning Tips

For our Fabric and Soft Expression vertical vane, a vacuum with a brush attachment works the best to keep them dust free. A mild detergent and a white cloth will help with most stains.

For our PVC verticals, clean with a mild soap solution and a white cloth. Do not use steam, hot water, bleach or any abrasive cleaners. Do not wash metallic colors, dust only. Please provide good ventilation to assure proper drying of the blinds.

## 3 1/2" One Way Draw Stacking Chart

# of Vanes	Blind Width	Total Stacking Space
5	16 1/4"	4 1/8"
6	19 3/8"	4 9/16"
7	22 1/2"	5"
8	25 5/8"	5 7/16"
9	28 3/4"	5 7/8"
10	31 7/8"	6 5/16"
11	35"	6 3/4"
12	38 1/8"	7 3/16"
13	41 1/4"	7 5/8"
14	44 3/8"	8 1/16"
15	47 1/2"	8 1/2"
16	50 5/8"	8 15/16"
17	53 3/4"	9 1/4"
18	56 7/8"	9 11/16"
19	60"	10 1/8"
20	63 1/8"	10 9/16"
21	66 1/4"	11"
22	69 3/8"	11 7/16"
23	72 1/2"	11 7/8"
24	75 5/8"	12 5/16"
25	78 3/4"	12 3/4"
26	81 7/8"	13 3/16"
27	85"	13 5/8"
28	88 1/8"	14 1/16"
29	91 1/4"	14 1/2"
30	94 3/8"	14 15/16"
31	97 1/2"	15 1/4"
32	100 5/8"	15 11/16"
33	103 3/4"	16 1/8"

# of Vanes	Blind Width	Total Stacking Space
34	106 7/8"	16 9/16"
35	110"	17"
36	113 1/8"	17 7/16"
37	116 1/4"	17 7/8"
38	119 3/8"	18 5/16"
39	122 1/2"	18 3/4"
40	125 5/8"	19 3/16"
41	128 3/4"	19 5/8"
42	131 7/8"	20 1/16"
43	135"	20 1/2"
44	138 1/8"	20 15/16"
45	141 1/4"	21 1/4"
46	144 3/8"	21 11/16"
47	147 1/2"	22 1/8"
48	150 5/8"	22 9/16"
49	153 3/4"	23"
50	156 7/8"	23 7/16"
51	160"	23 7/8"
52	163 1/8"	24 5/16"
53	166 1/4"	24 3/4"
54	169 3/8"	25 3/16"
55	172 1/2"	25 5/8"
56	175 5/8"	26 1/16"
57	178 3/4"	26 1/2"
58	181 7/8"	26 15/16"
59	185"	27 1/4"
60	188 1/8"	27 11/16"
61	191 1/4"	28 1/8"

**Please Note:** This chart is intended for reference purposes only and is estimated by taking the Vertical Width divided by 3.125 and rounding up to the next vane.