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Model: 4004368 | Dimensions: 200 x 300 cm | Color: Anthracite

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the Generico Retractable Side Sun Blind. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient installation, operation, and maintenance of your new sun blind. Please read these instructions carefully before assembly and retain them for future reference.

This retractable side sun blind is designed to create an instant private oasis on your balcony, terrace, or patio. It offers protection against wind, sun, water, and UV rays, making it a versatile addition to both outdoor and indoor spaces.



Image: The Generico Retractable Side Sun Blind in its extended position, providing privacy and shade.

SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always read and understand all instructions before assembly and use.
- Ensure all mounting hardware is securely fastened to a stable surface to prevent accidental detachment.
- Do not use the sun blind in strong winds or severe weather conditions. Retract the blind to prevent damage.
- Keep children and pets away from the blind during operation to avoid injury.
- Do not hang heavy objects on the blind or its posts.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Before beginning assembly, ensure all parts are present and undamaged. If any parts are missing or damaged, do not proceed with assembly and contact customer support.

- Main Blind Unit (with integrated fabric and retraction mechanism)
- Receiving Post (for securing the extended blind)
- Mounting Hardware (screws, anchors, brackets for wall and ground attachment)

- Handle (for extending and retracting the blind)



Image: Illustration of the main blind post and the separate receiving post, essential components for installation.

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Assembly is required. The two posts can be easily fixed to the wall and ground using the included mounting accessories to ensure stability and security.

1. **Choose Location:** Select a suitable, stable wall surface for the main blind unit and a corresponding ground location for the receiving post. Ensure the area is clear of obstructions and provides the desired coverage.

2. **Mount Main Blind Post:** Securely attach the main blind unit's housing to the chosen wall using the provided wall brackets and screws. Ensure it is level and firmly anchored.



Image: Close-up of the top mounting bracket for the main blind post, showing how it attaches to the wall.

3. **Mount Receiving Post:** Position the receiving post on the ground at the maximum desired extension point of the blind. Mark the drilling points and securely fasten the receiving post to the ground using the appropriate hardware.
4. **Check Stability:** After installation, gently test the stability of both posts to ensure they are securely mounted and can withstand the tension of the extended blind.



Image: The retractable side sun blind fully installed and extended, demonstrating its functional appearance.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The sun blind features a practical retractable design, allowing it to automatically roll up when the handle is released from the receiving post.

1. **Extend the Blind:** Grasp the handle attached to the blind fabric. Gently pull the handle horizontally away from the main blind unit towards the receiving post.



Image: A visual representation of the blind being extended from its housing, indicated by an arrow.

2. **Secure the Blind:** Once extended to the desired length, hook the handle onto the designated slot or pin on the receiving post. Ensure the handle is securely engaged to keep the blind taut.



Image: The retractable side sun blind in its fully retracted position, neatly stored against the wall.

- 3. Retract the Blind:** To retract, unhook the handle from the receiving post. Guide the handle gently back towards the main blind unit. The blind will automatically roll back into its housing. Do not release the handle abruptly; allow it to retract smoothly.



Image: A detailed view of the handle mechanism, showing how it connects to the receiving post for securing the blind.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** The fabric is water-resistant. Clean the fabric with a soft cloth, mild soap, and lukewarm water. Rinse thoroughly and allow to air dry completely before retracting. Do not use harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, or stiff brushes, as these can damage the fabric's polyurethane coating.
- **Frame Care:** Wipe the steel and aluminum frame components with a damp cloth to remove dust and dirt.
- **Seasonal Storage:** During periods of strong winds, heavy rain, snow, or when not in use for extended

periods, it is recommended to retract the blind to protect it from damage and prolong its lifespan.

- **Inspection:** Periodically check all mounting hardware for tightness. Tighten any loose screws to maintain stability.

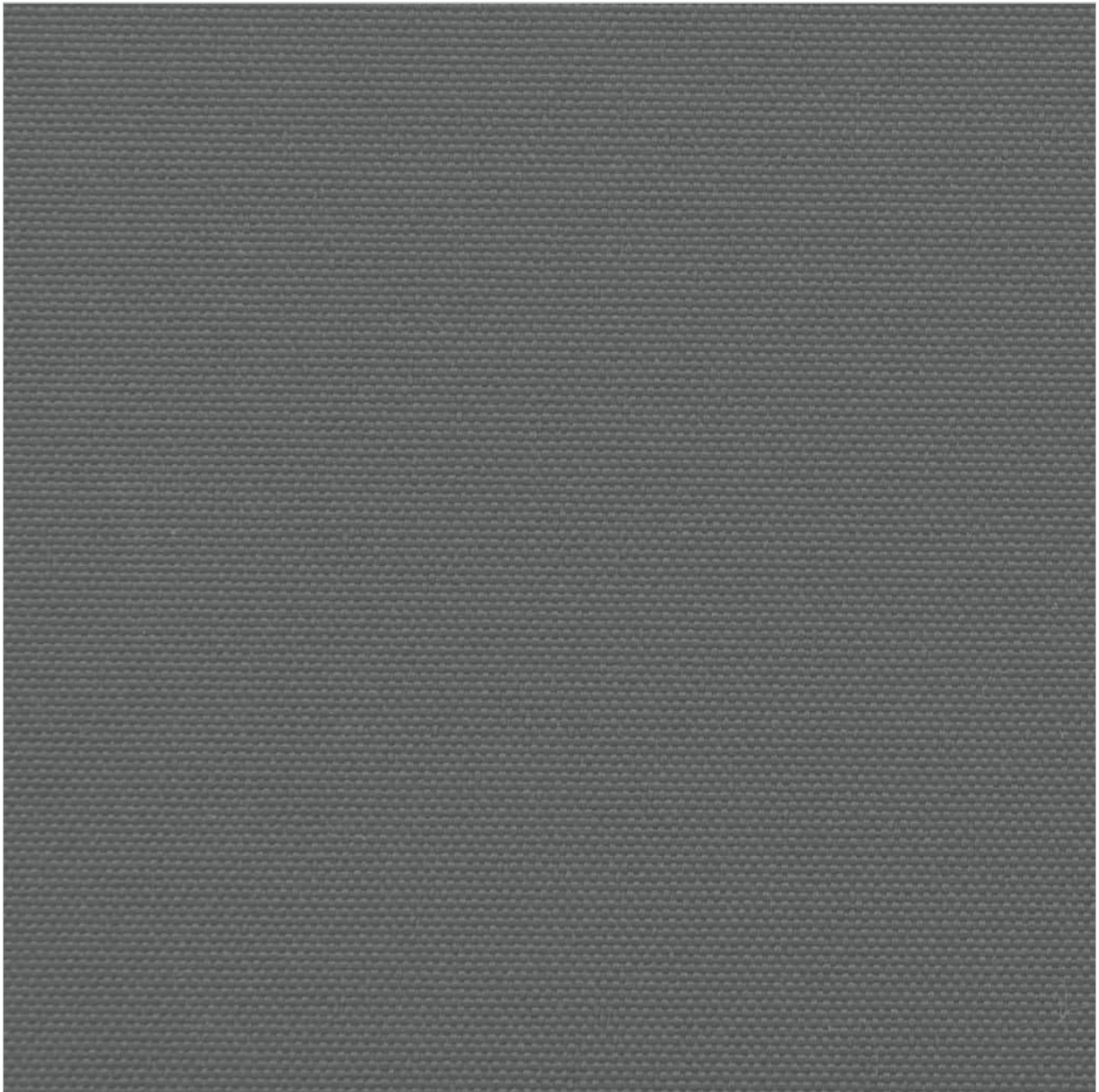


Image: A close-up view of the anthracite fabric, highlighting its texture and material quality.

TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Blind does not extend or retract smoothly:**
 - Check for any obstructions in the path of the blind or within the retraction mechanism.
 - Ensure the fabric is not twisted or caught.
 - Verify that the main blind unit is level and securely mounted.
- **Blind sags or is not taut when extended:**
 - Ensure the handle is fully engaged with the receiving post.
 - Check if the receiving post is securely anchored and has not shifted.
- **Mounting posts feel unstable:**

- Re-tighten all mounting screws for both the main blind unit and the receiving post.
- Ensure the mounting surface (wall/ground) is structurally sound.

SPECIFICATIONS

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| Model Number | 4004368 |
| Color | Anthracite |
| Fabric Material | Polyester with Polyurethane (PU) coating |
| Frame Material | Steel and Aluminum |
| Dimensions (H x L) | 200 x 300 cm |
| Assembly Required | Yes |

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the terms and conditions provided by your retailer or the manufacturer at the time of purchase. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.

If you encounter any issues or require further assistance, please contact your retailer or the manufacturer's customer support department. Provide your product model number (4004368) and a detailed description of the problem for efficient service.