

The Task:

To supply two blinds
1080mm wide x 8250mm drop
and four blinds
640mm wide x 8250mm drop.

"Even though the longest drop we had done before was 6000mm," said SHY's Martin Dibben, "I was confident we could do this as SHY Japan, which provides excellent technical support, had made drops of 15,500mm."

Such a long drop has to be guided of course and the unique SHY Zip System is the ideal solution. For the rewind system we chose our largest roller – 160mm diameter, as this required only 15 revolutions to fully rewind the fabric and maintain the stability of the blind.

However the diameter of the roller plus the thickness of the fabric was too big for our largest box, so we designed a completely new box and components.

Everything was manufactured to strict quality tolerances and assembled in one day. The installation was completed on time with control to the motors via radio switches in two groups of three blinds. "Each blind is working perfectly which is music to my ears," says Martin Dibben.

Mike Falla of IBS, who installed the blinds, says, "SHY's product and technical excellence gives us the confidence to tackle jobs, which can at first seem difficult."

'The Long Drop'

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