Fascia Shade Pocket

Description
The Sivoia® SV-POCKET-1 Recessed Shade Pocket (to be used in conjunction with an SV-MDU-20) offers blackout capability for the window and a protective enclosure for the entire shade system.

Important Notes
1. Each individual pocket cannot exceed a 15 foot width. Greater widths can be accommodated by ganging multiple pockets.
2. When planning to install a Sivoia® Recessed Shade Pocket, allow space for the following dimensions:
   - Minimum clearance width = Pocket Width + 1/4" (6 mm)
   - Minimum clearance height = 8 3/4" (222 mm)
   - Minimum pocket depth = 6 1/2" (165 mm)
3. For ease of installation, three (3) individuals may be required.
4. Pocket requires standard support for 9 lbs./ft.

Parts Included With This Package:
Pocket
- End Cap
- Pocket Back
- Pocket Cover Clips (already on cover when shipped - 3 extra included)
- 3/4" Pocket Cover Screws (x2)

Flanged Pocket Cover
- 5/8" End Cap Screws (x10)

Mounting Brackets
- 1/2" Mounting Bracket Screws (x6)

Required Tools:
- Any necessary tools to hang the pocket (fasteners to be supplied by the installer).
- Power Drill with #28 Drill Size (0.140" hole size)
I. Pre-Installation/Pocket Assembly

1 Assemble Pocket

Insert the top flange of the pocket front into the receiving cavity of the pocket back. Angle the pocket front (Figure A), slide the flange into place, and lower the pocket front. The two pieces should fit snugly (Figure B), forming a level surface on top of the pocket.

Figure A

Pocket Back → Pocket Front

Figure B

2 Attach End Caps

Mount the end caps as shown using five (5) screws per cap.
II. Installation

1. **Attach Pocket**

   **Note:** Only mount system where ambient temperature will be 0°C–50°C (32°F–122°F).

   Choosing which fasteners to use when attaching the pocket is left to the discretion of the installer.

1. The weight of the pocket is 9 lbs./ft.

2. Keep all fasteners at least 3” from any fabric edge if the fastener is attached to the pocket back (Figure A). This does not apply if the fasteners are located on the top or front walls of the pocket (Figure B).

3. Do not fasten any drop ceiling supports to the cavity area on the pocket front (as shown in Figure B: “No Screws!”). See Figure C for an alternative solution for fastening drop ceiling supports.

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**Figure A**

*Front View (with Pocket Front removed)*

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**Figure B**

*Side View*

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**Figure C**

*Drop Ceiling Supports*

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II. Installation (continued)

2 Bring Wiring into the Pocket

Remove one of the 7/8" (22 mm) knockouts (located on the side covers) to allow the MDU wiring to enter the pocket.

Notes:
1. It is recommended that the installer provide a strain relief device to prevent damage to the wiring.
2. If necessary, it is possible to drill a hole through the top of the pocket as an alternative wire entry. Contact VIMCO for details.

3 Add Side Channels (Optional)

A. Mount the pocket to the wall stud (Figure A), allowing the drywall to bring the side channels flush.

Note: To mount directly to the wall (Figure B), add 1/2" (13 mm) furring strips to where the side channels are to be mounted. This will bring the side channels flush with the pocket.

B. Mount the top of the side channels 3/8" (10 mm) inside the bottom of the pocket.

Note: This diagram shows the pocket without a front cover for instruction purposes.

Caution! 3/8" (10 mm) engagement into the pocket is necessary to ensure complete blackout once the shade is in place.

C. Mount the 2-1/2" (64 mm) side channels (other sizes available) 1" (25 mm) from each side of the pocket (measure towards the center of the pocket).

Note: For inside pocket mount applications, the 3-1/2" (89 mm) side channel is recommended. Mount the channels flush with the sides of the pocket to ensure complete blackout.
III. Installing Brackets

1 Attach the MDU to the Bracket

Attach the MDU to the mounting bracket using three (3) truss head screws.

2 Attach the Idler Support to the Bracket

Attach the idler support to the mounting bracket using three (3) truss head screws.

3 Slide the Brackets into Place

A. Slide the top flange of the bracket into the upper slot on the back wall of the pocket.

Further bracket placement instructions are included on the next page …
III. Installing Brackets (continued)

3 Slide the Brackets into Place (cont’d)

B. While pushing the top flange as high as it will go into the upper slot, drop the bottom flange of the bracket into the lower slot.

C. Position the brackets using the Fabric Width measurement as a guide.
   **Note:** Use the indentation on the outer edge of each bracket as a fabric edge indicator.

D. Tighten the locking screw against the pocket ceiling to secure the brackets in place.

Once the brackets are in place, proceed with installing the shade(s) as instructed in the SV-MDU-20, SV-CP, or SV-MMDP Installation Guide (depending on the application).
IV. Attach Pocket Cover

1 Prepare Pocket Cover

If the pocket cover does not require the side flanges (inside-mount application) included with this kit, proceed to Step 2 below.

For outside-mount applications, it is necessary to attach the side flanges to the pocket cover. Follow these steps:

A. Push the pocket cover into place by inserting the clips on the cover’s top flange into the pocket’s receiving cavity.

Note: These clips should be placed 8” (203 mm) to 12” (305 mm) apart and snap firmly into the cavity.

B. Fasten the side flanges to the pocket cover using the screws provided.

2 Attach Pocket Cover

Note: These steps show an outside-mount application for attaching the pocket cover. Inside-mount applications follow this same procedure.

A. Trim the pocket cover at each end 11/16” (18 mm) using a chop saw and debur the edges.

Caution! Make sure to trim the cover at each end. Do not add the measurements and trim from one side, or one of the pre-drilled holes for fastening the cover to the pocket will be eliminated.
IV. Attach Pocket Cover (continued)

2 Attach Pocket Cover (cont’d)

B. Use the pocket cover holes as guides to drill matching holes (drill size #28, 0.140” (4 mm) hole size) into the pocket base.

C. Insert and tighten the two (2) pocket cover screws to securely fasten the cover in place.

Note: The cover screws also act as a leveling mechanism for the cover. Finding the desired level position for the cover can be achieved by tightening or loosening the screws.

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