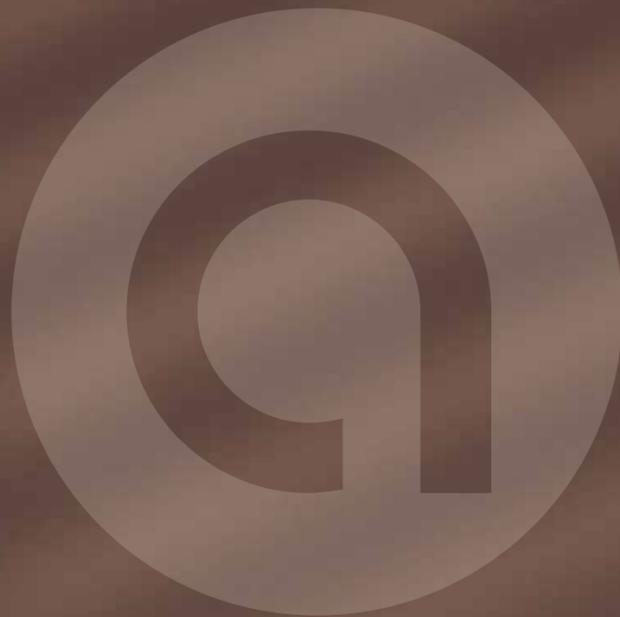


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Akant is a Polish manufacturer of window shielding with over 20 years of experience. Continuous care for the highest quality, the use of modern technologies and adaptation of the design to current trends makes the products offered by Akant appreciated by its Clients all over Europe.

In Akant's offer you can find solutions in the scope of both internal and external shielding techniques. The company's portfolio includes pleated blinds, roller blinds, wooden and aluminum blinds, vertical blinds, track panels, mosquito net screens, external blinds and screens. The reliability of all components of the finished product ensures its durability.

Continuous optimization of production, implementation of state-of-the-art technologies and drawing on scientific discoveries results in functionality expansion of Akant windows' shielding. The shielding now not only protects against excessive sunlight, but may also affect the temperature in the interiors, completely darken it, protect against burglary or insects.

A modern machine park combined with the knowledge and skills of Akant's employees guarantee that the offered products are of the highest quality.

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INTERIORS ARE FORMED BY IMAGINATION.

Often when creating them we have in our minds the mood they might put us in. There are no accidental designs. Each arrangement, selection of elements and color combination is dictated by the feeling of the project designer. Thus, interiors come from the inside – from aesthetic, emotional and finally physical needs.

Window shielding is an important element of the arrangement. Thanks to the possibility of controlling the angle or degree of light penetration, they can create a specific mood in the room. Thanks to their wide functionality, they can control the temperature inside, which affects physical feelings. Visual qualities can make interiors more cozy or elegant, which has an impact on our aesthetic perception.

Taking into consideration the multitude of human needs, tastes and expectations, in 2020 we plan to further expand Akant's offer so as to best match it with our Clients' interiors. Constellations of variants, color fades and expanding functionality continue to be our goals, which we believe will affect your interiors. Both in the physical and emotional dimensions.

Anna Maria Brańka
Retail Sales and Marketing Director





PLEATED BLINDS

Pleated blinds are a system of internal window shielding appreciated mainly for its ability to cover any part of the window and broad functionality depending on the selected fabric. Pleated blinds may completely darken the room or perform only a function similar to sheer curtains. They can protect against excessive heat in the summer and loss of heat in the winter. They provide protection against strenuous solar radiation and give a sense of privacy, which enables relaxation in optimal conditions.

Flexible adaptation
to current needs



„Cosimo pleated blinds are an interior fitment that our loft couldn't do without. The fabric used to make Cosimo pleated blinds effectively darkens the interior and insulates against heat, and everyone who uses a converted loft is well aware how important it is, especially during the summer. The fine workmanship and design make

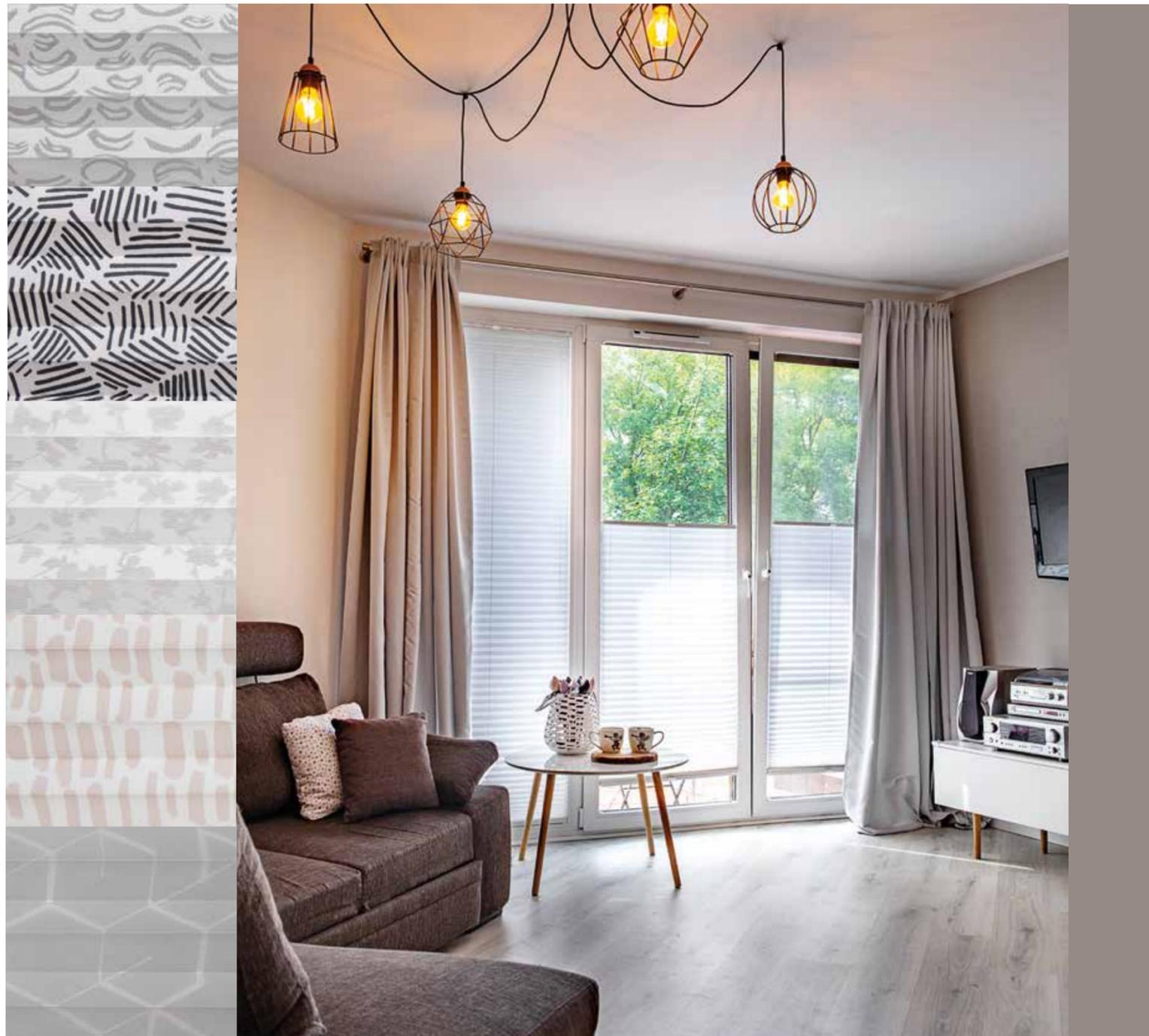
Cosimo pleated blinds combine the functional and decorative function,

which I greatly appreciate”.



Tatiana Mokra, Influencer, owner of @tatiana_home_decor na Instagramie





ACTIVATE YOUR IMAGINATION.

The possibility of matching to different window shapes, a wide selection of fabrics, their different textures and thickness and a wide range of profile colors - from pure white through various wood-like shades to classic black - make it possible to match pleated blinds to the arrangement of any interior. Playing with color, shape and light allows for creating a unique atmosphere in any room.

We are constantly expanding our range of fabrics for pleated blinds so that everyone can find something suitable for their interior. Currently, Akant's offer includes over 700 fabrics in a variety of colors, degree of translucency or functions.

Eliza Żołnowska
Purchasing Director for Akant



ROLLER BLINDS

Internal roller blinds are one of the most popular systems of internal shielding. Thanks to simple operation and uncomplicated installation roller blinds are often chosen to cover windows in houses or public utility buildings. The multitude of fabrics, their rich functionality and colors make them suitable for almost every room. The design of internal roller blinds perfectly reflects contemporary minimalism.





CHOOSE COMFORT

The use of screen-type fabric in the internal roller blinds allows for reduction of too high temperatures in the rooms. These fabrics reduce solar radiation by up to 75%, which reduces the discomfort associated with excessive sunlight. By choosing the right degree of the opening factor, you can still enjoy the view outside the window and daylight in your room.

Interior blinds are extremely versatile. They can be mounted to the ceiling, wall or directly on the window. What is more, they can be installed both invasively and non-invasively. The variety of mounting options is a feature that users greatly value.

Rafal Sibera
Head of the Assembly Department in Akant





DAY AND NIGHT

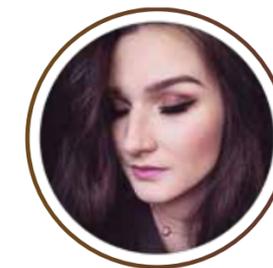
The day and night blinds are a combination of the functionality of blinds and fabric roller blinds. Horizontal arrangement of strips of different translucency introduces into the interior a sublime dose of daylight. The possibility of setting the strips in any position allows you to control the degree of privacy and interior lighting.





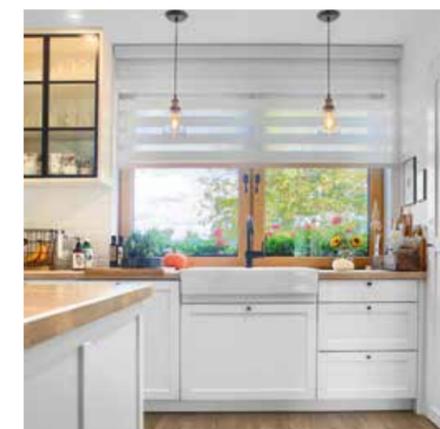
„My day and night roller blinds have been fitted in such a way that they don't overwhelm the rooms they are in. Perfectly matched systems

blend in with the interior of the house, creating a perfect, coherent integrity.



The material Calypso 1650, from which my roller blinds have been made, resembles a delicate mist. When the blind is lowered halfway down the window, a delicate, soft light comes into the room, pleasantly spreading all around the house. In the evening, the blinds create an ideal intimate atmosphere, separating the space of the house from the entire world.”

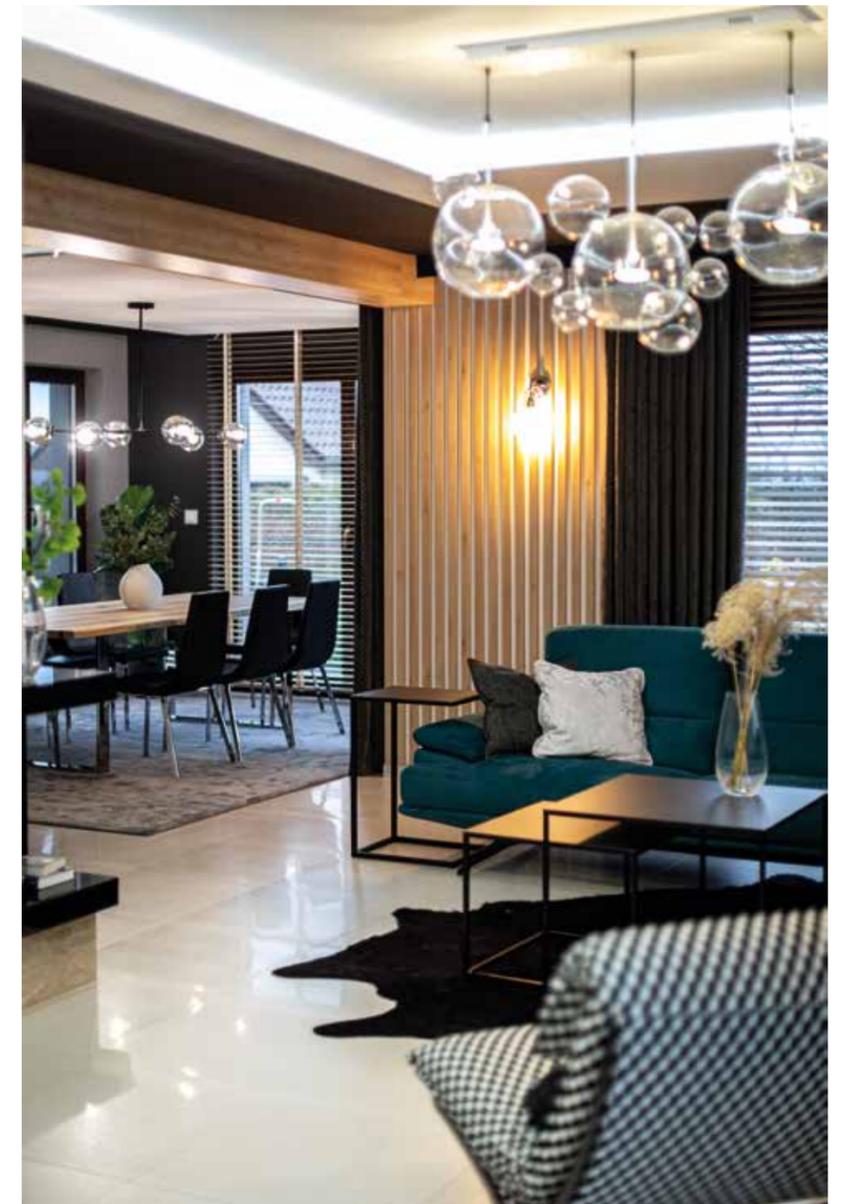
Anna Michaliszyn, Influencer, owner of the @annamichaliszyn na Instagramie





VENETIAN BLINDS

Blinds provide effective protection against sunlight and neighbors looking into your house. Closed laths darken the room and limit heating, which provides the desired conditions for resting, while open ones let in a pleasant streak of light introducing a magical atmosphere. Apart from functionality, they are appreciated for their unique design. Depending on the chosen material or color, they make the interior more cozy or elegant.



A COHERENT ELEMENT

Daylight and the way it is used are an important element of the interior design. Wooden blinds perfectly exploit the potential of large window spaces, providing at the same time a sense of privacy. Matching the shade of the blinds to other wooden elements in the room enhances the cohesion effect of the whole project. Movable laths perfectly adapt to the current needs of the residents - when necessary, they will completely cover the room and on another occasion they will let in an appropriate dose of sunlight.





„I always choose wooden blinds for my interiors because they are beautifully

reminiscent of the hamptons style,

which is definitely my favorite style in interiors. In my designs, I always dress my windows in wooden blinds in white color, because they make the interior elegant and the owners can count on full privacy - a perfect combination of aesthetics and functionality!



Maria Malinowski - interior designer, owner of @shokodesign na Instagramie

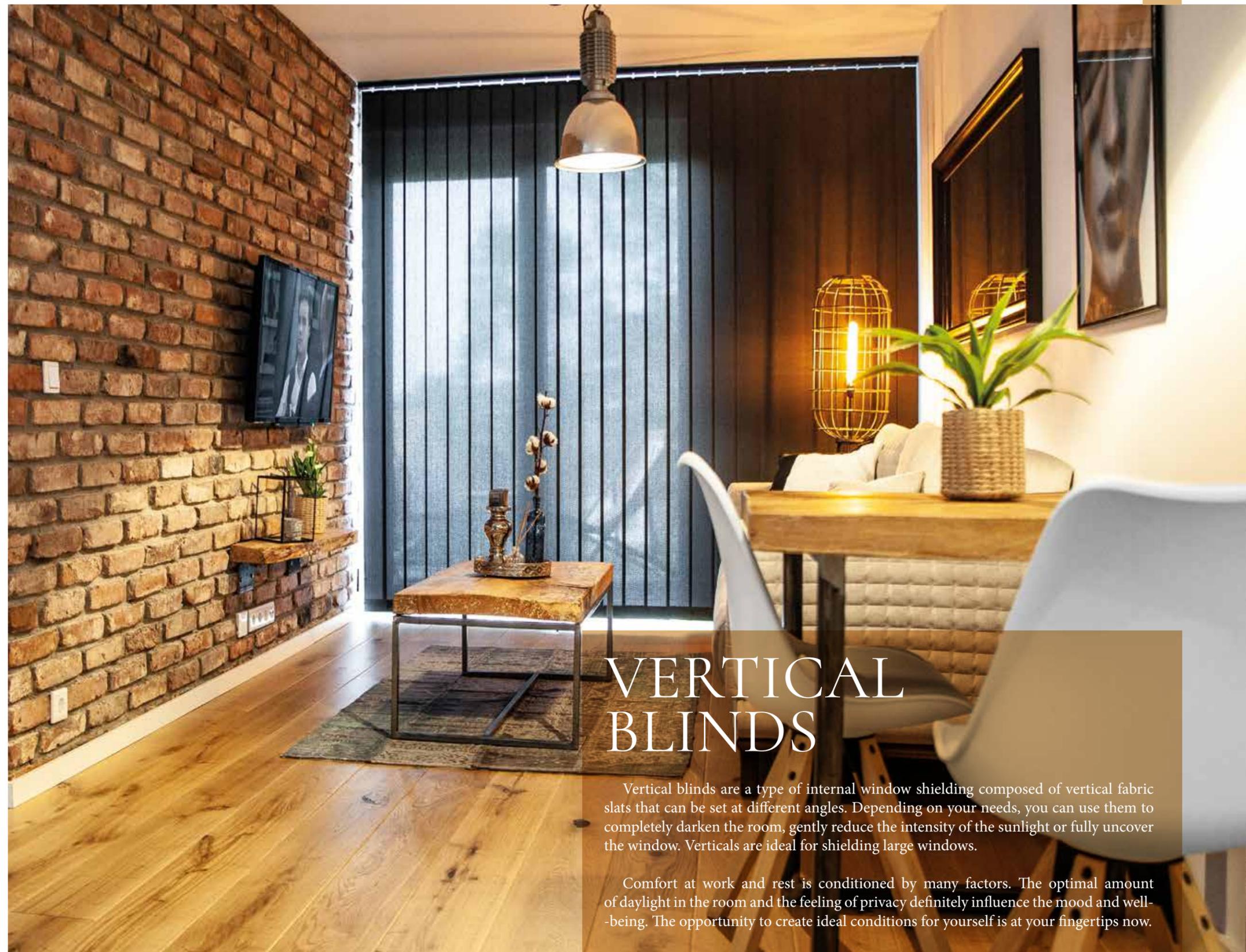


CLOSER TO NATURE

Recently I have been observing an ongoing interest in wooden blinds. Customers appreciate them in particular for the naturalness of the material they are made of. We use three types of wood: Siberian linden, abachi and bamboo. Wood is renewable raw material, which makes this type of blinds ecological and friendly to our planet. As you can see, the desire to be close to nature is also visible in the shielding industry.

Natalia Kot
E-commerce Client Advisor in Akant

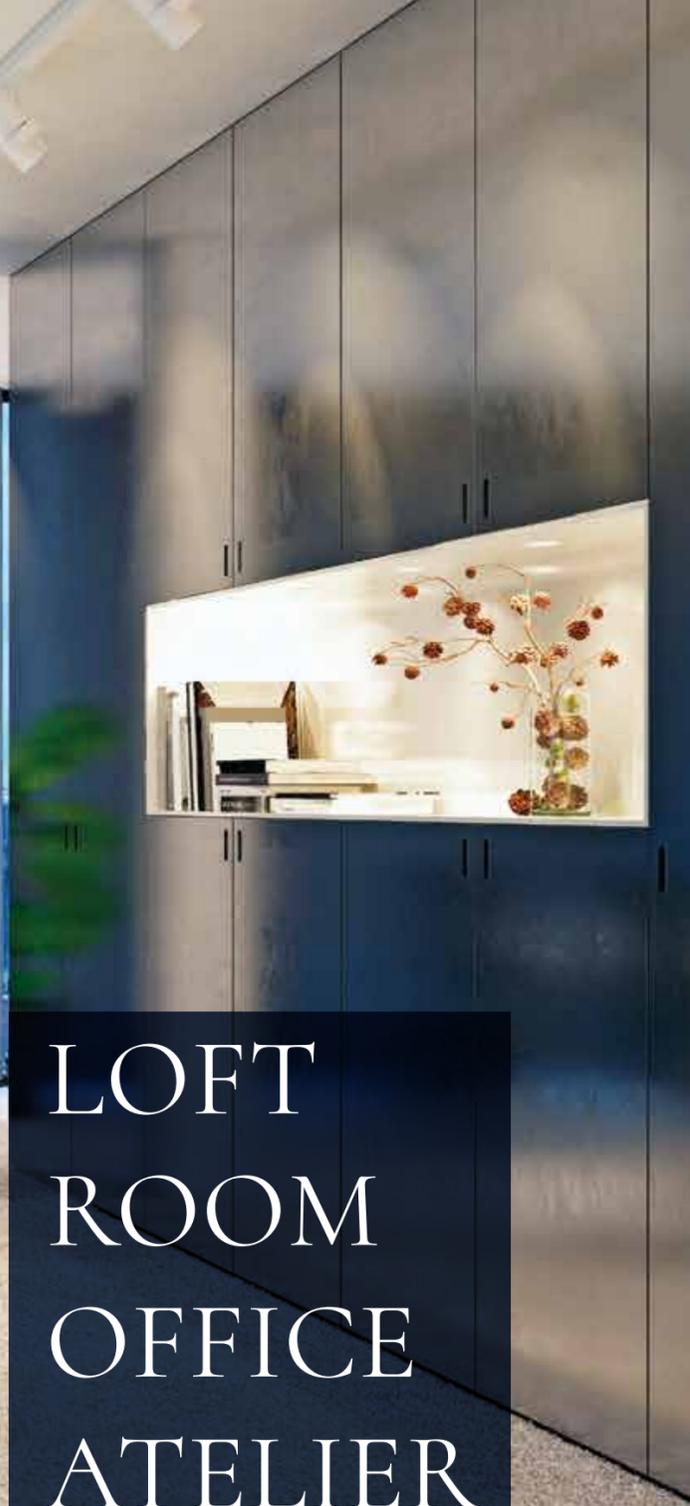




VERTICAL BLINDS

Vertical blinds are a type of internal window shielding composed of vertical fabric slats that can be set at different angles. Depending on your needs, you can use them to completely darken the room, gently reduce the intensity of the sunlight or fully uncover the window. Verticals are ideal for shielding large windows.

Comfort at work and rest is conditioned by many factors. The optimal amount of daylight in the room and the feeling of privacy definitely influence the mood and well-being. The opportunity to create ideal conditions for yourself is at your fingertips now.



LOFT ROOM OFFICE ATELIER



The system is perfect for shielding large areas, e.g. in public utility buildings, offices, halls or conference rooms.

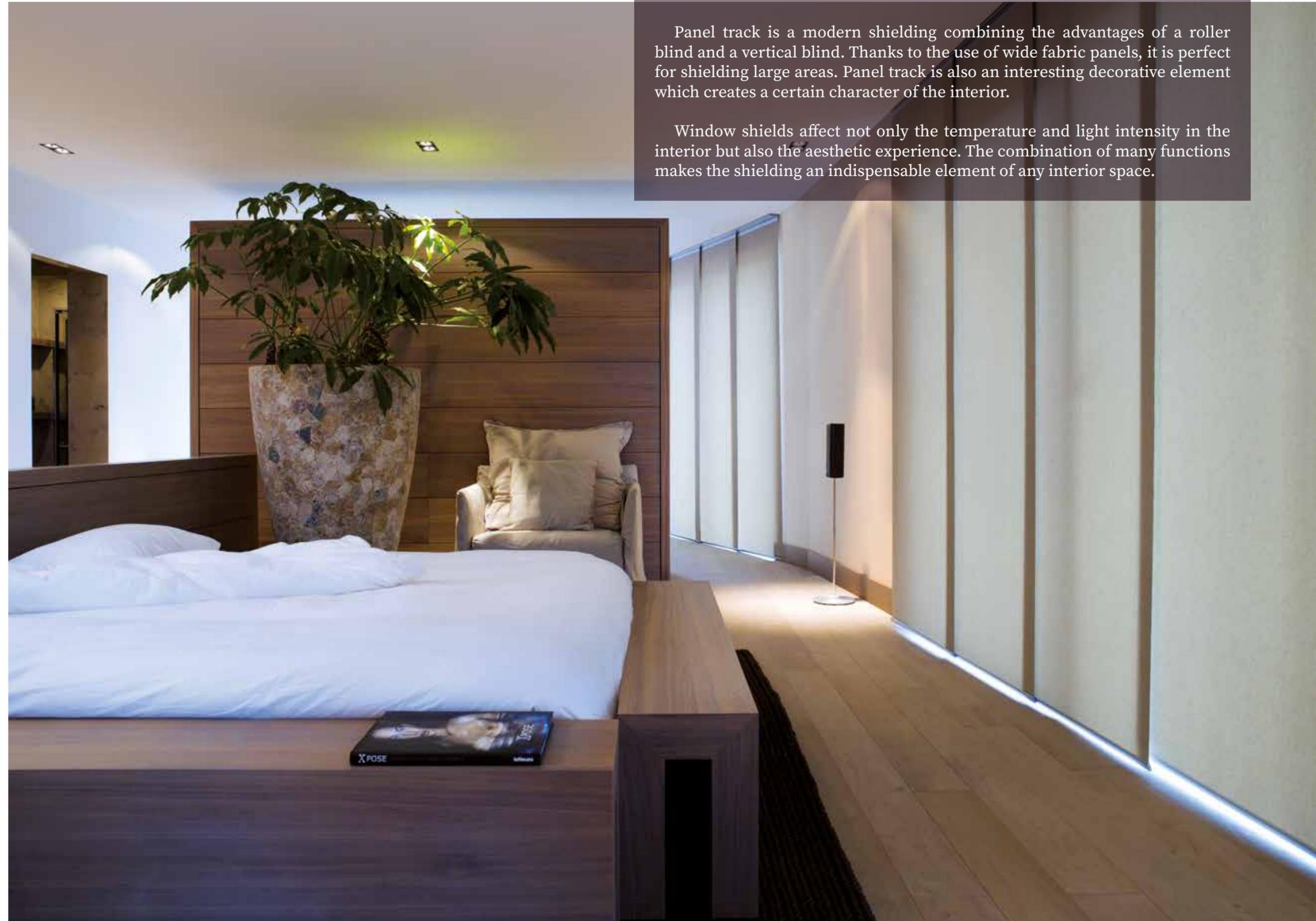
We currently have four groups of vertical blinds fabrics: Atelier, Loft, Office and Room. Vertical blinds can be adjusted to various needs. In our offer we have screen fabrics limiting the heating of rooms or a collection with a certificate of flame retardancy, which is designed mainly for public utility buildings. Vertical blinds make an extremely universal shielding offer.

Dominik Tuszyński
Commercial Director for Akant

PANEL TRACK

Panel track is a modern shielding combining the advantages of a roller blind and a vertical blind. Thanks to the use of wide fabric panels, it is perfect for shielding large areas. Panel track is also an interesting decorative element which creates a certain character of the interior.

Window shields affect not only the temperature and light intensity in the interior but also the aesthetic experience. The combination of many functions makes the shielding an indispensable element of any interior space.





SCREEN

Screens are a modern system of external premium class window shielding. The highest quality fabrics perfectly protect the room against heating, and their design fits perfectly into modern construction and impresses with its functionality.

Screen fabrics reduce thermal radiation by up to 97% and minimize solar radiation by 75%. Depending on the chosen degree of fabric translucency it is possible to completely darken the interior or leave the daylight and view outside the window.



„Window shielding has a very important function in our house – it prevents rooms from overheating in the summer. For me, the possibility to protect myself from the eyes of passers-by or neighbors in the evening is of equal importance. External screens in balcony windows is a solution we are very satisfied with. Apart from limiting the sunrays entering the rooms,

they provide a feeling of privacy

that is so precious when living in a semi detached house neighborhood, where the distances between buildings are very small.”

Anna Urbaniak, Influencer, owner of @ann.living na Instagramie



SHIELDING TRENDS

For several years now, more and more people have been talking about ecology and environmentally friendly solutions. Screens fit perfectly into this trend. In case of interiors with large window spaces, which leads to heating of rooms, it is often necessary to have air conditioning consuming a lot of electricity. Screens have been established with such spaces in mind. Their main task is to reduce temperature - they almost completely reduce heat and solar radiation, due to which even owners of large windows get over the high temperature problem in the interior. This reduces the need for air conditioning, and lower power consumption is a plus for the environment. I believe that in 2020 Earth friendly solutions will be the most popular ones.

Maria Malinowski Interior designer, owner of Shokodesign design office



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The year 2020 will belong to natural and ecological solutions; therefore it is worth paying special attention to wooden blinds. Wood is an extremely durable material. The blinds made of it are not only fashionable, but also environmentally friendly. The coloring of the window shielding should be above all adjusted to our interior, and as we know every interior is different. The shielding is to be a decoration of our houses and flats, an element emphasizing the character of rooms, harmonizing with the appearance of the entire interior.

DOBRY UKŁAD
SANDRA BIAŁKOWSKA

Sandra Białkowska, Interior designer, owner of Dobry Układ



EXTERNAL ROLLER BLINDS



External roller blind is an extremely versatile system of external window shielding. It protects the house against excessive solar radiation, loss of heat, strong wind and noise. Minimalistic appearances, possibility of matching color to the building's facade or many installation options make this system very popular.

The roller blind also protects against pollution or insects, providing ideal conditions for relaxation. The system with burglary resistance class RC3 is also effective protection against uninvited guests.





MOSQUITO NET SCREENS

A mosquito net screen is a system of window shielding that prevents troublesome insects, various pollutants and even allergenic plant pollen from getting inside. A special mesh of optimal density stops them, so you can open the window without risking unwanted visitors from outside. Despite its functions, a mosquito net screen does not obstruct the view outside the window.

Having the option of enjoying a relaxing, undisturbed rest in your own home is a luxury that everybody can take care of. Proper protection of the house against factors disturbing home relaxation is easier than it might seem.



„For several years my enjoyment of warm summer days and evenings was consistently disturbed by insects visiting my house. Although I used regular Velcro screens in the windows, they did not provide adequate protection. I was afraid that the installation of specialized mosquito nets would involve interference with the window joinery. It turned out, however, that the Akant company offers a product that meets my expectations – mosquito nets mounted non-invasively on the flange. Since their application, not only the problem of pesky mosquitoes has been solved.



The nets have an antiallergic coating, which is very beneficial for me during the pollination period.

Their aesthetic appearance – frames in the color of the windows that perfectly match my interiors, ease of assembly and disassembly and cleaning all render the Akant mosquito nets products worth recommending.”

– Paula Faltynowska, influencer, owner of the @tam_i_tu profile on Instagram

