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Perfect Match Joined: 24 May 2005 Posts: 3	<p>Posted: 05 Jul 2005 07:30 pm Post subject: Aft cabin curtains   </p> <hr/> <p>I have been mildly perplexed by Bavaria's policy of not providing curtains where most essential e.g. the aft cabin and in the case of my boat the aft heads.</p> <p>What solutions has the panel invented? Personally I am a bit nervous about the prospect of drilling holes for a proper curtain rail so I might resort to a simple Velcro solution.</p>
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Tanami Joined: 01 Feb 2005 Posts: 6 Location: Nelson Bay NSW AU	<p>Posted: 07 Jul 2005 12:46 pm Post subject:   </p> <hr/> <p>On Tanami I glued a strip of mahogany the full length above and below the windows. The mahogany is 12mm thick, 25mm wide. I do not like drilling holes either. I used Sikaflex and the strips clamped in place for a full day. There is a bit of pressure on the wood as the fibreglass has a slight bend, hence the need for a long clamping period. I needed to remove the windows (undo the three hinge screws) to enable clamping. We then screwed hooks into the timber and attached covered spring wire that you get from the hardware. The curtain is split and can be gathered to each end of the window.</p> <p>Regards Greg</p>
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symphony Joined: 02 Jan 2005 Posts: 21	<p>Posted: 07 Jul 2005 09:10 pm Post subject:   </p> <hr/> <p>We bought plastic track from a caravan shop. It is almost the same as used by Bavaria. We screwed the track on and made an exact copy of the existing curtains which were already on the boat. To locate the bottom of the curtain we used screw-in spray-hood nipples and sewed an elastic loop into the curtain. We found that the benefit of this system is that you can still have the window open with the curtain still drawn.</p>
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