

WIND NOTICE

Advaning's retractable awnings are manufactured to the highest of standards and with top quality materials. Due to variables such as awning size, awning projection, installation type, weather conditions, and general care/maintenance, Advaning does not have a specific wind rating that can be applied to all and every situation.

WHEN TO RETRACT YOUR AWNING

Advaning recommends customers to exercise caution whenever consistent gusts are in the forecast or windy conditions exceed a moderate breeze. As a general rule for any size retractable awning, Advaning highly recommends retracting/closing if/when any wind gusts exceed: 15 MPH.

Beaufort Wind Scale	MPH	Understanding Physical and Visual Cues	
1	1~3	Light Air	Little if any movement with awning fabric valance. Wind barely moves tree leaves.
2	4~7	Light Breeze	Wind can be felt on the face. Awning valance will have some movement. Tree leaves rustle and small twigs move.
3	8~12	Gentle Breeze	Retractable awning fabric may begin to billow, you may hear creaking from the awning's retractable arms.
4	13~18	Moderate Breeze	CAUTION! Retractable awning fabric is billowing and causing the arms to move or sway. It is now time to close/retract your awning.
5	19~24	Fresh Breeze	Retractable awning fabric may shift. Consistent movement may begin to damage structural connection points.
6	25~31	Strong Breeze	Retractable awning fabric may tear and arms may fail. Structural connection damage expected.
7	32~38	Near Gale	Retractable awning fabric will tear and arms will fail. Structural connection damage or failure.
8	39~46	Gale	
9	47~54	Strong Gale	
10	55~63	Whole Gale	
11	64~75	Storm Force	
12	75+	Hurricane	

Avoid Unnecessary Damages.

As a general rule for any size retractable awning, Advaning highly recommends retracting/closing your awning if/when wind gusts exceed:



Wind/Weather Damage Not Covered by Warranty