

# **External Movable Shading Systems:**Strategy to Scaling-up



# Cutting direct and diffuse solar radiation: Examples of external shutters and movable blinds from many countries



# Shutters and external blinds

 Are used extensively in many places in the world



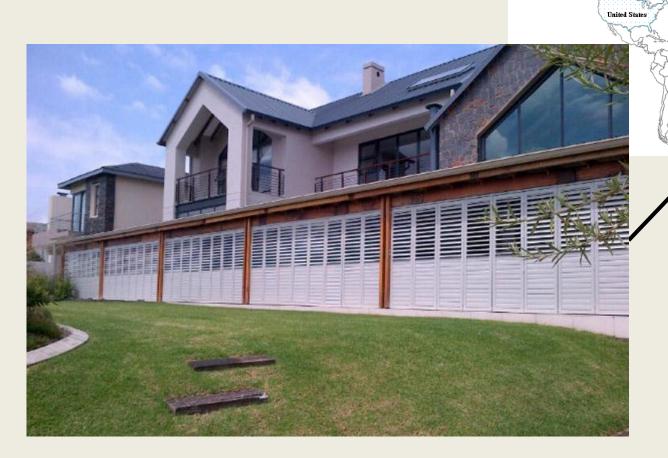


### Algeria





#### Zambia





#### Australia







# Singapore, Chinatown





Singapore, Malay heritage district



#### **Thailand**







#### **Kuwait**

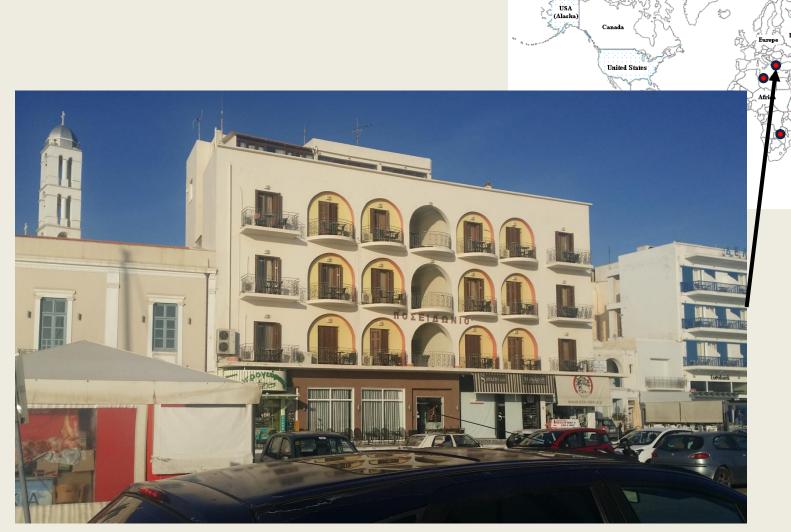








#### Greece





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# **Italy**









#### **France**

Typical 1930-50 steel shutters





USA (Alaska)

United States

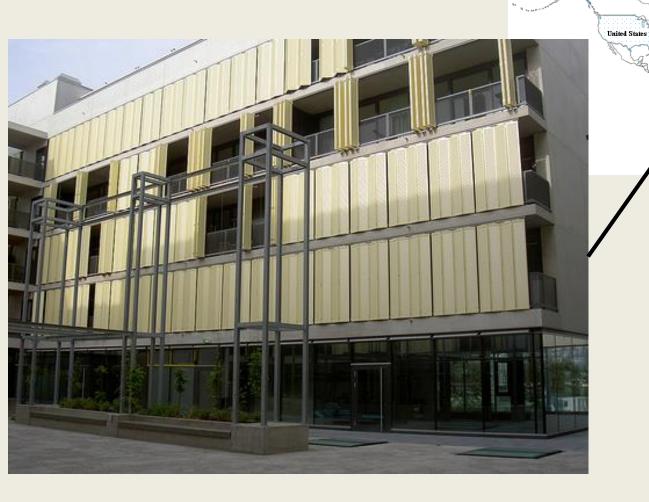
# France, Paris



Early 20th century next to 2010



# Switzerland, Zurich



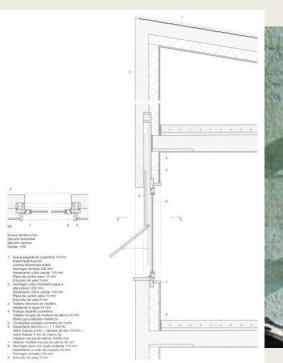


#### Switzerland, central plateau





# Switzerland, Ticino







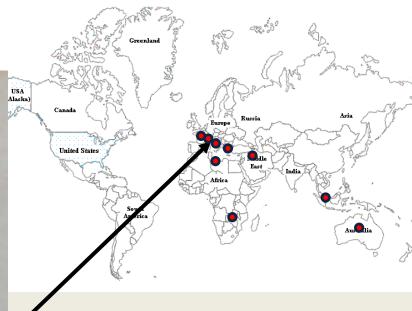
#### Switzerland





#### **Switzerland**





 detached frame, retrofit



#### Spain, Andalousia

 Max temperature in summer: 42°C





# Spain, Andalousia







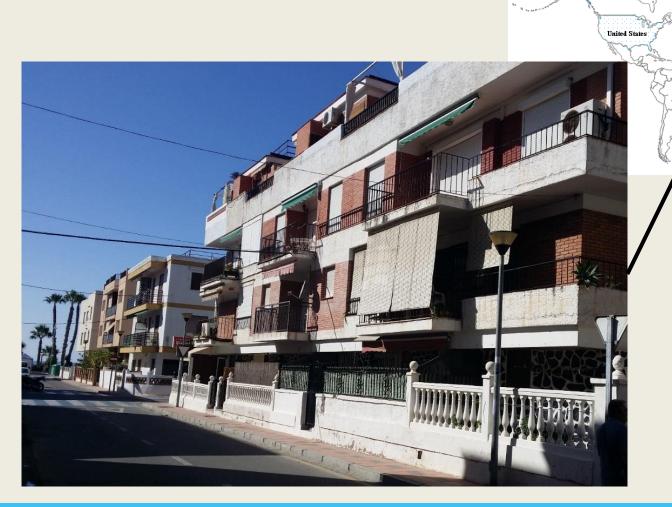
# Spain, Andalousia







# Spain, Malaga





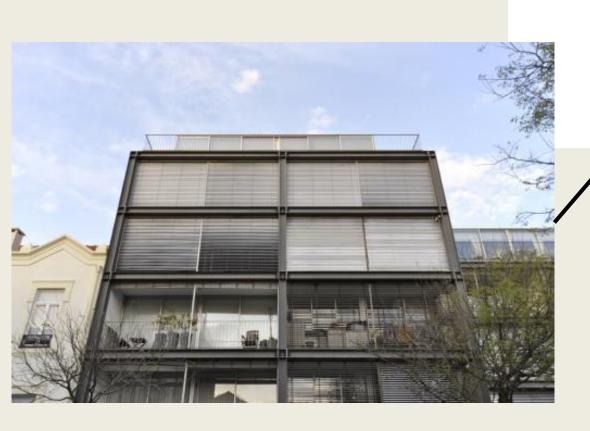
# Spain, Balears







# **Portugal**



USA (Alaska)

United States



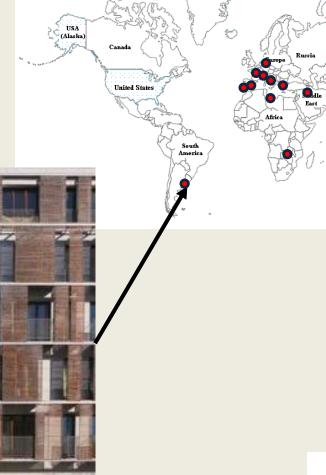
# Germany





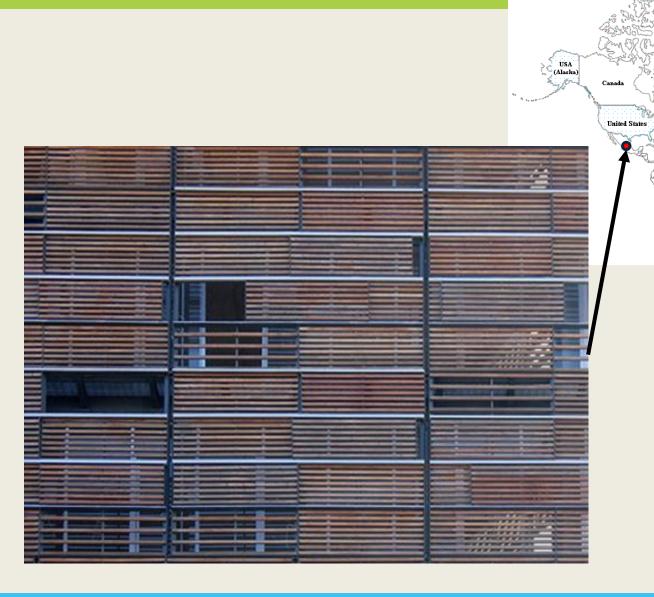


# Argentina, Buenos Aires





#### Mexico





# Cuba, La Habana





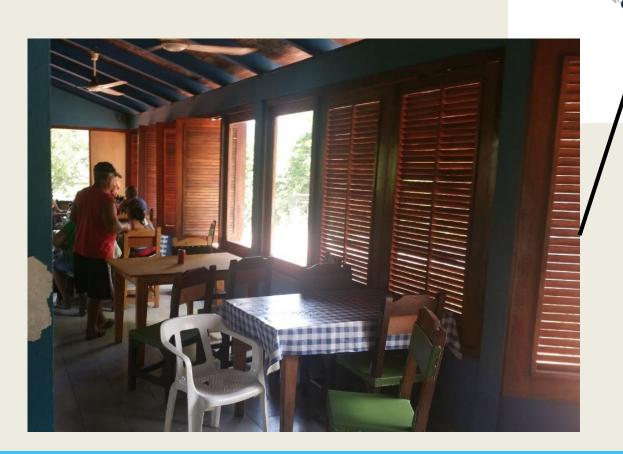


# Cuba, La Habana





# Cuba, country side



USA (Alaska)

United States



# **Cuba**, Vinales







# **Incomplete inventory of countries using external shutters**

