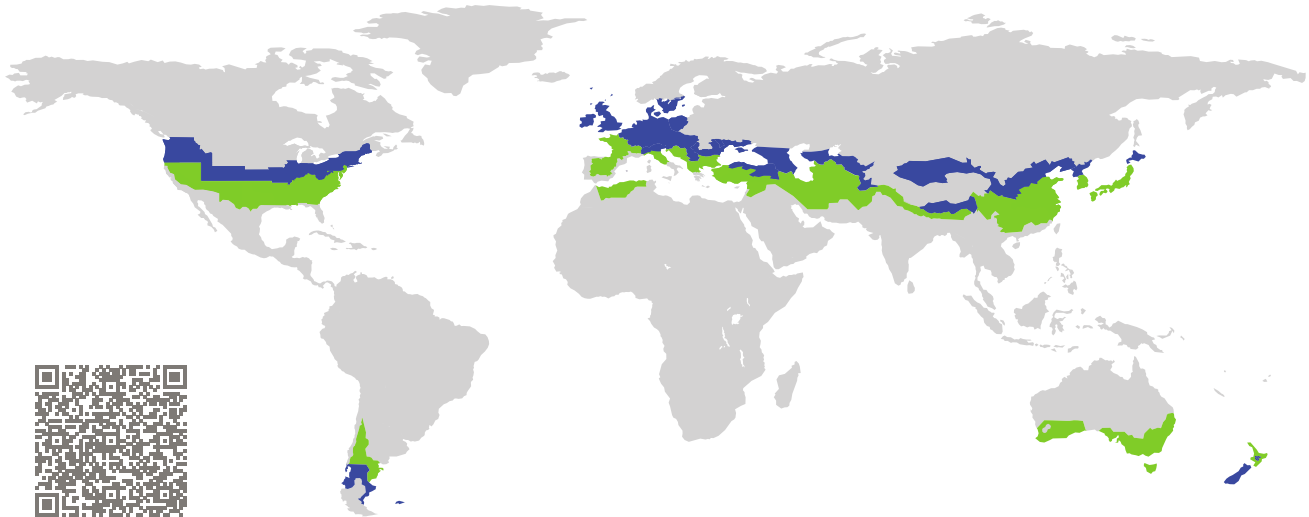


# CERTIFICATE

Certified Passive House Component

Component-ID 1687wi03 valid until 31st December 2025

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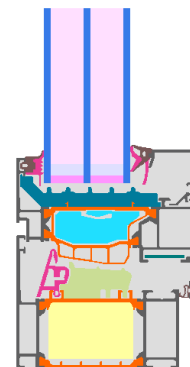


Category: **Window Frame**  
Manufacturer: **Schüco International KG,  
Bielefeld, Nordrhein-Westfalen,  
Germany**  
Product name: **AWS 90.SI+ optimized**

**This certificate was awarded based on the following  
criteria for the cool, temperate climate zone**

Comfort  $U_W = 0.80 \leq 0.80 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$   
 $U_{W, \text{installed}} \leq 0.85 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$   
with  $U_g = 0.70 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$

Hygiene  $f_{Rsi=0.25} \geq 0.70$



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efficiency class

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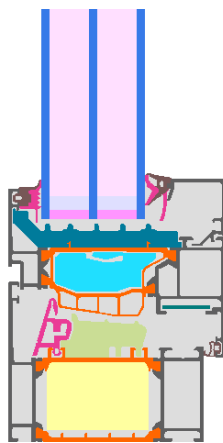
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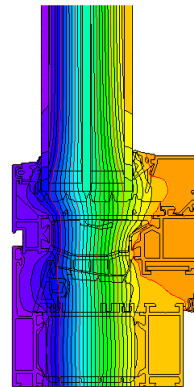


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Calculation model



Isothermal

### Description

Aluminium frame, insulated by phenolic foam: 0.022 W/(mK), XPET-foam in the glazing rebate: (0.029 W/(m<sup>2</sup>K) and PU-foam in the thermal break, 0.027 W/(mK). Thermal break: Low Lambda PA: 0.21 W/(mK). Pane thickness: 48 mm (4/18/4/18/4), rebate depth: 18 mm. Spacer: SWISSPACER Ultimate.

### Explanation

The window U-values were calculated for the test window size of 1.23 m × 1.48 m with  $U_g = 0.70$  W/(m<sup>2</sup> K). If a higher quality glazing is used, the window U-values will improve as follows:

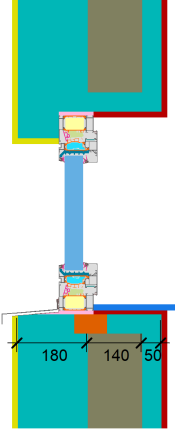
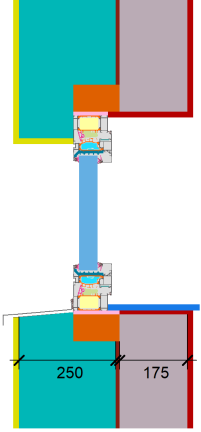
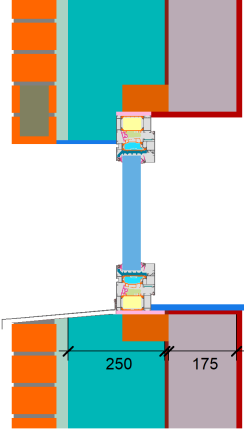
Glazing	$U_g =$	0.70	0.64	0.58	0.52	W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)
		↓	↓	↓	↓	
Window	$U_W =$	0.80	0.76	0.72	0.68	W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)





Transparent building components are classified into efficiency classes depending on the heat losses through the opaque part. The frame U-Values, frame widths, thermal bridges at the glazing edge, and the glazing edge lengths are included in these heat losses. A more detailed report of the calculations performed in the context of certification is available from the manufacturer.

The Passive House Institute has defined international component criteria for seven climate zones. In principle, components which have been certified for climate zones with higher requirements may also be used in climates with less stringent requirements. In a particular climate zone it may make sense to use a component of a higher thermal quality which has been certified for a climate zone with more stringent requirements.

Further information relating to certification can be found on [www.passivehouse.com](http://www.passivehouse.com) and [passipedia.org](http://passipedia.org).

## Validated installations

Formwork blocks (operable)	Exterior insulation and finishing system (EIFS) (operable)	Cavity wall (operable)
$U_{Wall} = 0.15 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$	$U_{Wall} = 0.13 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$	$U_{Wall} = 0.13 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$
		
$\Psi_{install}$ W/(m K)	$\Psi_{install}$ W/(m K)	$\Psi_{install}$ W/(m K)
Top 0.012	Top 0.014	Top 0.012
Side 0.012	Side 0.014	Side 0.012
Bottom 0.019	Bottom 0.020	Bottom 0.019
$U_{W,installed} = 0.84 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$	$U_{W,installed} = 0.85 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$	$U_{W,installed} = 0.84 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$

Frame values		Frame width $b_f$ mm	$U$ -value frame $U_f$ W/(m <sup>2</sup> K)	$\Psi$ -glazing edge $\Psi_g$ W/(m K)	Temp. Factor $f_{Rsi=0.25}$ [-]
Mullion 2 casements	(2M1) 	209	0.79	0.029	0.76
Bottom	(OB1) 	122	0.80	0.029	0.76
Top	(OH1) 	122	0.80	0.029	0.76
Lateral	(OJ1) 	122	0.80	0.029	0.76
Spacer: SWISSPACER ULTIMATE			Secondary seal: Polysulfide		

