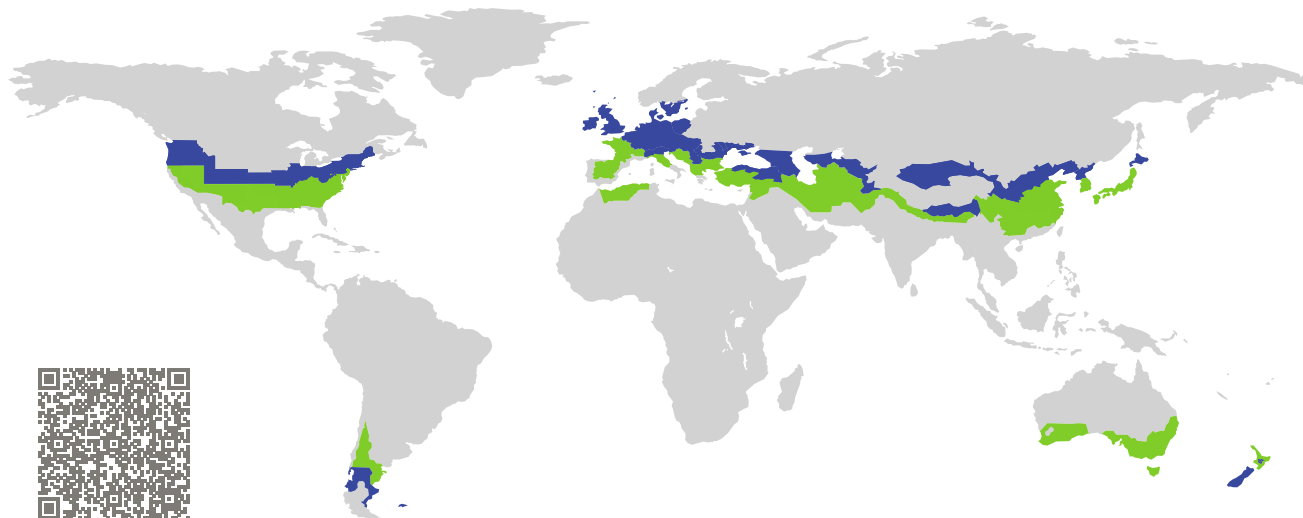


CERTIFICATE

Certified Passive House Component

Component-ID 1512cw03 valid until 31st December 2025

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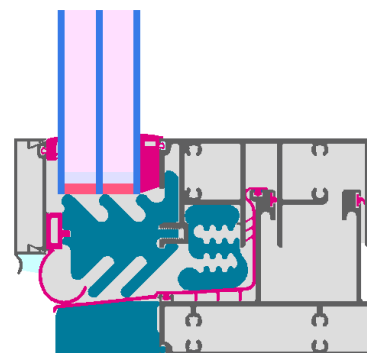


Category: **Curtain Wall**
Manufacturer: **GAMMA North America,
Concord,
Canada**
Product name: **PHACTOR II Unitized CurtainWall by
GAMMA**

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

Comfort $U_{CW} = 0.79 \leq 0.80 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$
 $U_{CW, \text{installed}} \leq 0.85 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$
with $U_g = 0.70 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$

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



Passive House
efficiency class

phE

phD

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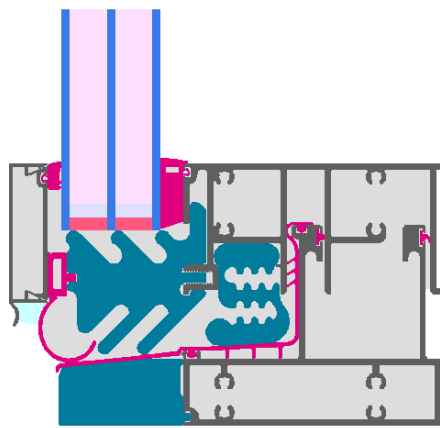
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cool, temperate climate

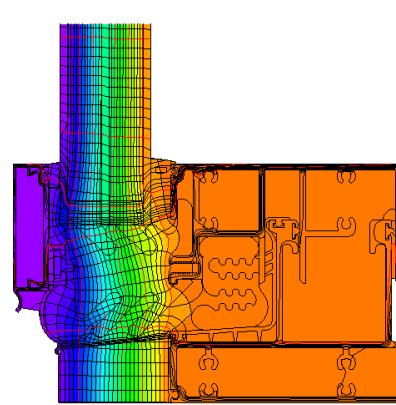


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Calculation model



Isothermal

Description

Aluminum frame, insulated by G-EPS-foam (0.031 W/(mK)). For the mullion has no pressure plate, DeeltaU does apply not for this part. Pane thickness: 48 mm (4/18/4/18/4), rebate depth: 17 - 32 mm mm, spacer: SWISSPACER Ultimate with DOWSIL(TM) 3364 Warm Edge secondary sealant

Explanation








The element U-values were calculated for the test element size of 1.20 m × 2.50 m with $U_g = 0.70 \text{ W}/(\text{m}^2 \text{ K})$. If a higher quality glazing is used, the element U-values will improve as follows:

Glazing	$U_g =$	0.70	0.64	0.58	0.50	W/(m ² K)
		↓	↓	↓	↓	
Element	U_{CW}	0.79	0.74	0.68	0.61	W/(m ² K)

Transparent building components are sorted 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 that have been certified for climate zones with higher thermal 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 and passipedia.org.

Frame values			Frame width b_f mm	U -value frame U_f ¹ W/(m ² K)	Ψ -glazing edge Ψ_g W/(m K)	Temp. Factor $f_{RSi=0.25}$ [-]
Mullion fixed	(0M1)		75	0.84	0.034	0.84
Transom fixed	(0T1)		75	0.80	0.031	0.84
Mullion 1 casement	(1M1)		140	0.73	0.032	0.84
Transom 1 casement	(1T1)		140	0.93	0.031	0.83
Bottom fixed	(FB1)		126	0.92	0.029	0.84
Top fixed	(FH1)		75	0.75	0.031	0.84
Lateral fixed	(FJ1)		75	0.97	0.033	0.84
Spacer: SWISSPACER ULTIMATE			Secondary seal: DOWSIL™ 3364 Warm Edge IG Sealant			

Thermal glass carrier bridge² $\chi_{GT} = 0.008$ W/K

¹ Includes $\Delta U = 0.19$ W/(m² K). Determined through 3D FEM simulation

² Determined through 3D FEM simulation. Glass carrier type: Non-metallic glass carrier with screws

Validated installations

