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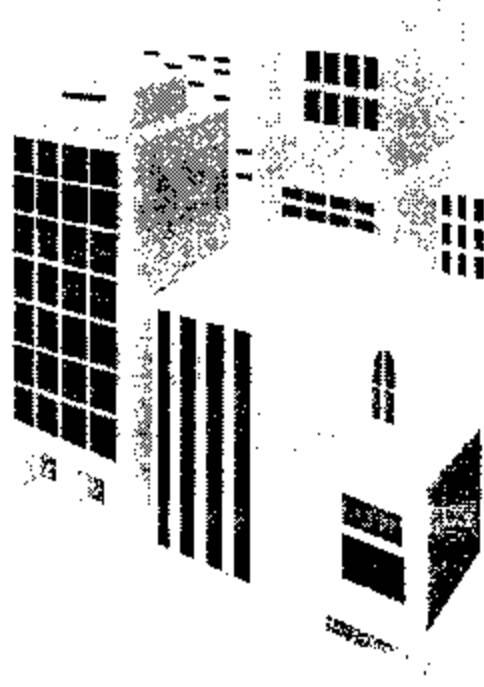
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Report Number ETC-01-552-11501.0

Test Start Date: 05/08/02

Test Finish Date:

Summary Date: 05/16/02



## Fenestration Structural Test Report

Rendered To

Great Lakes Window  
30499 Tracy Road  
Walbridge, OH 43603

### Series/Model

GLW – EVQHQ – 120 Triple Horizontal Slider QHQ

**Description:** The product tested was a vinyl Horizontal Sliding window. The product was glazed with insulated glass units with a nominal thickness of 7/8 inches and using double strength annealed glass. The frame size is 114 -5/8 inches wide by 64 inches high.

**Test Specification:** AAMA/NWDA 101/I.S.2-97

## Summary of Results

Overall Design Pressure	25.0 psf
Air Leakage Rate	0.04 scfm/ft <sup>2</sup>
Maximum Water Pressure Achieved	3.75 psf
Maximum Structural Pressure Achieved	37.5 psf
Forced Entry Resistance – AAMA	Pass

**Product Rating**

**HS – R25 - 115 x 64**

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**Specifications:** The test specimen was evaluated in accordance with AAMA/NWWDA 101/I.S.2-97 "Voluntary Specification For Aluminum, Vinyl and Wood Windows and Glass Doors", sections 1,2 and 4 only. All performance specifications in this standard shall be met for full compliance to the standard and for product certification, labeling or represented as conforming to this standard.

## Referenced Test Reports: None

*Note – The test data in any section below with an "RTR" comment have not been obtained from this specimen but from the Referenced Test Report with a specimen of the same or larger size and identical construction.*

**Design Pressure (DP)** – The product tested herein has been first evaluated to the Gateway pressure in the referenced specification for the performance class rating achieved.

## Gateway Performance Tests

<u>Specification Paragraph</u>	<u>Title of Test</u>	<u>Results</u>	<u>Allowed</u>
2.1.2	<u><i>Air Infiltration – ASTM E283</i></u> <b>Test Pressure - 1.57 psf</b>	0.04 scfm/ft <sup>2</sup>	0.3 scfm/ft <sup>2</sup>
2.1.3	<u><i>Water Resistance – ASTM E547</i></u> 5 gal/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> – 4 Test cycles – 24 Minutes <b>Design Pressure - 15.0 psf</b> <b>Test Pressure - 2.86 psf (15% x DP)</b> With Screen Without Screen	Pass Pass	No Leakage No Leakage
2.1.4	<u><i>Uniform Structural Load - ASTM E 330</i></u> <b>Design Pressure - 15.0 psf</b> <b>Test Pressure</b> Positive Load - 22.5 psf (150% x DP) Negative Load - 22.5 psf (150% x DP)	0.026 in. 0.030 in.	0.239 in. 0.239 in.

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## Gateway Performance Tests (con't)

Specification Paragraph	Title of Test	Results	Allowed
2.1.7	<u>Welded Corner Tests- AAMA Method</u> Frame – Four Corners Sash – Eight Corners	Pass Pass	<100% <100%
2.1.8	<u>Forced Entry Resistance AAMA 1302</u> Tests A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, A7	Pass	No Entry
2.2.2.5.1	<u>Operating Force – No Standardized Method</u>  Right Sash – Open / Close	  8/9 lbf	  20 lbf
2.2.2.5.2	<u>Deglazing – ASTM E 987</u>  Right Sash – Rails – 50 lbf Right Sash – Rails – 50 lbf  Right Sash – Stiles – 70 lbf Right Sash – Stiles – 70 lbf  Left Sash – Rails – 50 lbf Left Sash – Rails – 50 lbf  Left Sash – Stiles – 70 lbf Left Sash – Stiles – 70 lbf	  0% ( in.) 0% ( in.)  0% ( in.) 0% ( in.)  0% ( in.) 0% ( in.)  0% ( in.) 0% ( in.)	  <100% <100%  <100% <100%  <100% <100%

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## Optional Performance Tests

The manufacturer specified herein has successfully achieved all the required criteria in section 2 of the referenced specification for the Gateway size of the achieved Performance Rating and has further successfully tested the product to higher performance levels as indicated below.

**Design Pressure (DP)** – The product tested herein has been additionally evaluated to the Design Pressure referenced below.

Specification

<u>Paragraph</u>	<u>Title of Test</u>	<u>Results</u>	<u>Allowed</u>
4.3	<u>Water Resistance - ASTM E 547</u> 5 gal/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> – 4 Test cycles – 24 Minutes <b>Design Pressure - 35.0 psf</b> <b>Test Pressure – 5.25 psf (15% x DP)</b> With Screen Without Screen	Pass Pass	No Leakage No Leakage
4.4	<u>Uniform Structural Load - ASTM E 330</u> <b>Design Pressure - 25.0 psf</b> <b>Test Pressure</b> Positive Load – 37.5 psf (150% x DP) Negative Load – 37.5 psf (150% x DP)	0.056 in. 0.010 in.	0.239 in. 0.239 in.

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## Product Description of Test Specimen

### Glazing:

Overall Thickness	7/8 in.
Thickness of Glass(s)	DS Annealed
Number of Lights	Two
Spacer Material	Steel channel

### Frame:

Width, Height, Depth	114-5/8 in. W x 64 in. H x 4-1/4 in. D
Material	Vinyl
Corner Construction	Mitered
Corner Fastening	Welded
Corner Sealing	None
Cladding	None

### End Vents, Right and Left:

Width, Height, Depth	29-3/8 in. W x 59-5/16 in. H x 1-1/2 in. D
Material	Vinyl
Corner Construction	Mitered
Corner Fastening	None
Cladding	None
Glazing Method	Interior Drop-In
Interior	Dual-durometer glazing bead, snap-in vinyl
Exterior	Wet glazed w/silicone, dual-durometer glazing leg

### Reinforcement

Material	Fiberglass
Location	Meeting stiles / Lock Stiles

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## Product Description of Test Specimen (con't)

### Center Vent:

Width, Height, Depth	56-3/4 in.W x 59-15/16 in. H x 1-1/2 in deep
Material	Vinyl
Corner Construction	Mitered
Corner Fastening	Welded
Corner Sealing	None
Cladding	None
Glazing Method	Interior drop-in
Interior	Dual-durometer glazing bead, snap-in vinyl
Exterior	Wet glazed w/silicone, dual-durometer glazing leg

### Reinforcement

Material	Fiberglass
Location	Meeting stiles / Lock Stiles

### Weather-stripping

Frame	One row of fin-pile on the interior leg of each sash channel of all frame members
End Vents	One row of fin-pile on the interior face of each sash member, with pile pad at the bottom of the lock stile (3/4 in. W. x 1/2 in. H.)
Center Vent	One row of fin-pile on the exterior face of each sash member. One additional row on the interior face of each keeper stile with a pile pad at the top and bottom of each.

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## Product Description of Test Specimen (con't)

### Drainage:

Type	Weep slots at the bottom of each sash channel near the parting stop $\frac{1}{4}$ inch from each end, four total, and cut through to the internal sill cavity. Slot at the exterior face of the sill $4\text{-}\frac{1}{8}$ inch from each end, 2 total, cut through to the internal sill cavity, with corners.
Quantity	Six weeps in the frame, two in the operating sash
Size:	exterior face, one inch wide x $\frac{3}{16}$ inch high; sash tracks, 2 in. W. x $\frac{3}{16}$ in. D.; sash $\frac{3}{16}$ in. Dia.
Location:	Frame – sash track insert cutback $\frac{3}{4}$ in. at each end. Sash – bottom edge of each sash, $4\text{-}\frac{1}{4}$ in. from each end of bottom rail.

### Hardware:

Locks/Keepers	Four cast Zinc cam locks – 2 centered at 38 inches apart at on each lock stile.
Rollers	One pair $\frac{3}{8}$ inch dia. brass rollers in plastic carrier, centered and $2\text{-}\frac{1}{2}$ inch from each corner
Night Latches	Plastic latch centered $5\text{-}\frac{1}{2}$ in. from the ends of the bottom rail of the center sash

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## Product Description of Test Specimen (con't)

### Screen

Size	28 in. W x 60 in. H x 3/8 in. Thk
Cloth Material	Fiberglass
Corner Construction	But corners with Aluminum insert
Weep System	N/A

### Anchorage of Frame to Test Buck:

Type	Screws
Material	Steel
Size	#6 x 2-1/2 in. L
Quantity	16
Location	3 each jamb, 5 inches from ends and centered, 5 on head and sill – 5 inches from corner, 26 inches on-center

### Test Buck:

Mounting Gap	1/4 in.
Shims-Qty./Location	Four shims, 1-1/2 in. W. at each fastener
Stops: size, Qtn., Loc.	None
Sealant	Silicone
Buck Size	2 x 6
Material	Pine
Grade	#2

### Review of Bill of Materials -

### Review of Assembly and Detail Drawings –

Components changed or altered during testing to achieve stated results – None

*This report, in its original form contains product drawings and a Bill of Materials.*

### Product Description Approval

### Product Description Analysis

Clients Representative Signature on File

William Yanda  
Laboratory Representative

Date: 5/8/02

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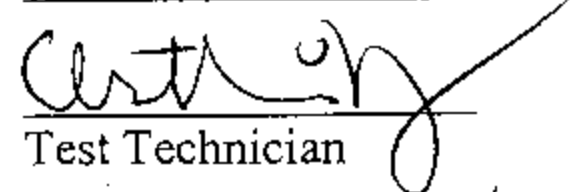
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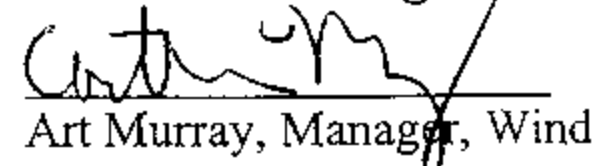
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