Certificate

Certified Passive House Component
for cool, temperate climates; valid until 31.12.2016

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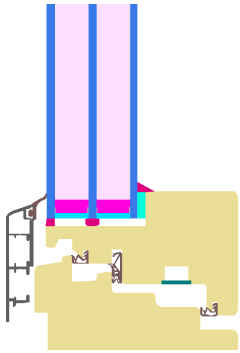
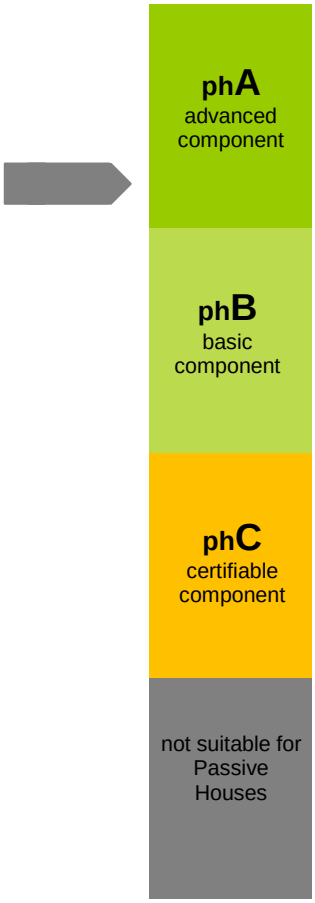
Category: **Window Frame**
Manufacturer: **OPTIWIN GmbH**
6341 Ebbs, AUSTRIA
Product name: **PURISTA**



Passive House Efficiency Class



This certificate was awarded based on the following criteria:

Given a Ug value of 0.70 W/(m²K) and a window size of 1.23 m by 1.48 m,

U_W = 0.78 W/(m²K) ≤ 0.80 W/(m²K)

Taking into account the installation based thermal bridges and provided that the installation is, with regard to the thermal bridges, equal or better than shown in the data sheet, the window meets the following criterion.

$U_{W,installed}$ ≤ 0.85 W/(m²K)

Thermal data

	U_f-value [W/(m²K)]	Width [mm]	Ψ_g [W/(mK)]	$f_{Rsi=0.25}$ [-]
Spacer			acs+*	
Bottom	0.94	92	0.023	0.71
Side/top	0.76	92	0.023	

*Spacers of lower thermal quality, especially those made of aluminium, lead to significantly higher thermal losses and lower temperature factors.

For further information, please see the data sheet

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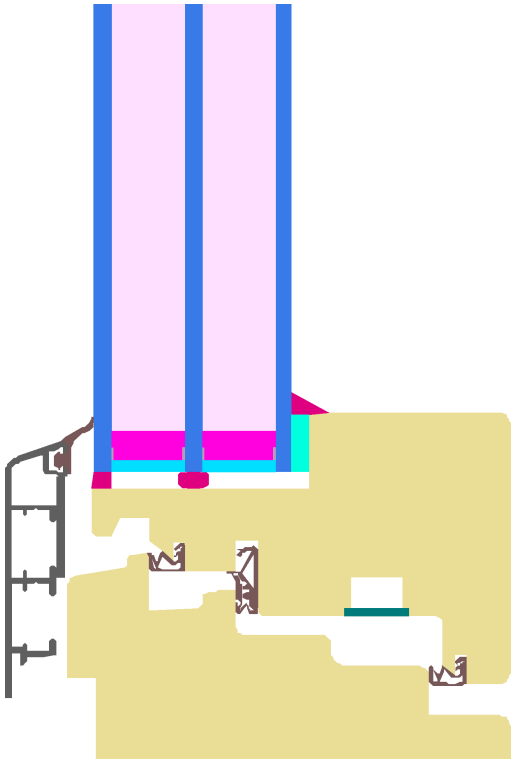
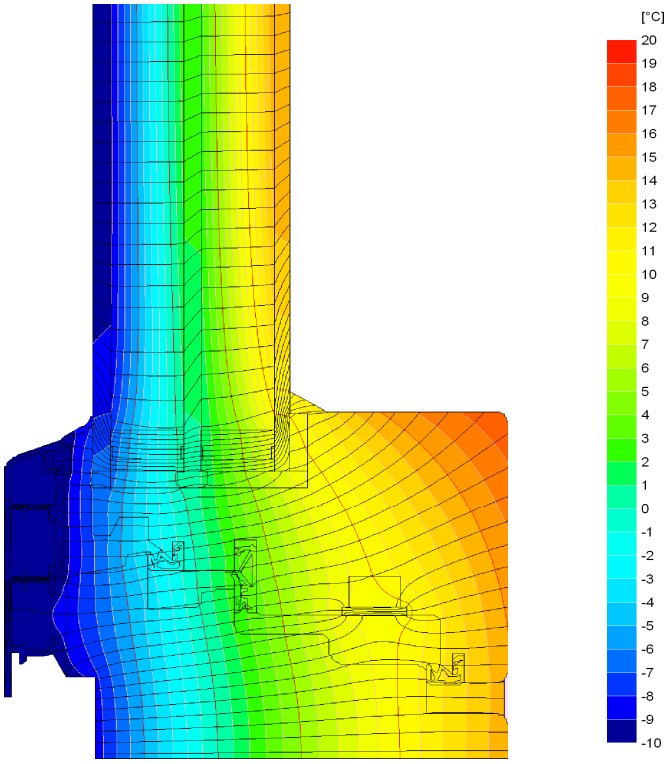


Bottom section



Isothermal

Description

Timber window frame (0,11 W/(mK)) with external aluminium cladding as rain protection. Pane thickness: 48 mm (4/18/4/18/4), Rebate depth: 15 mm.

Thermal data for the window frame

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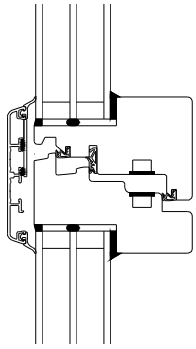
Spacer			acs+*	
Bottom	0.94	92	0.023	0.71
Side/Top	0.76	92	0.023	
Flying Mullion	0.94	109	0.022	0.71



Mullion

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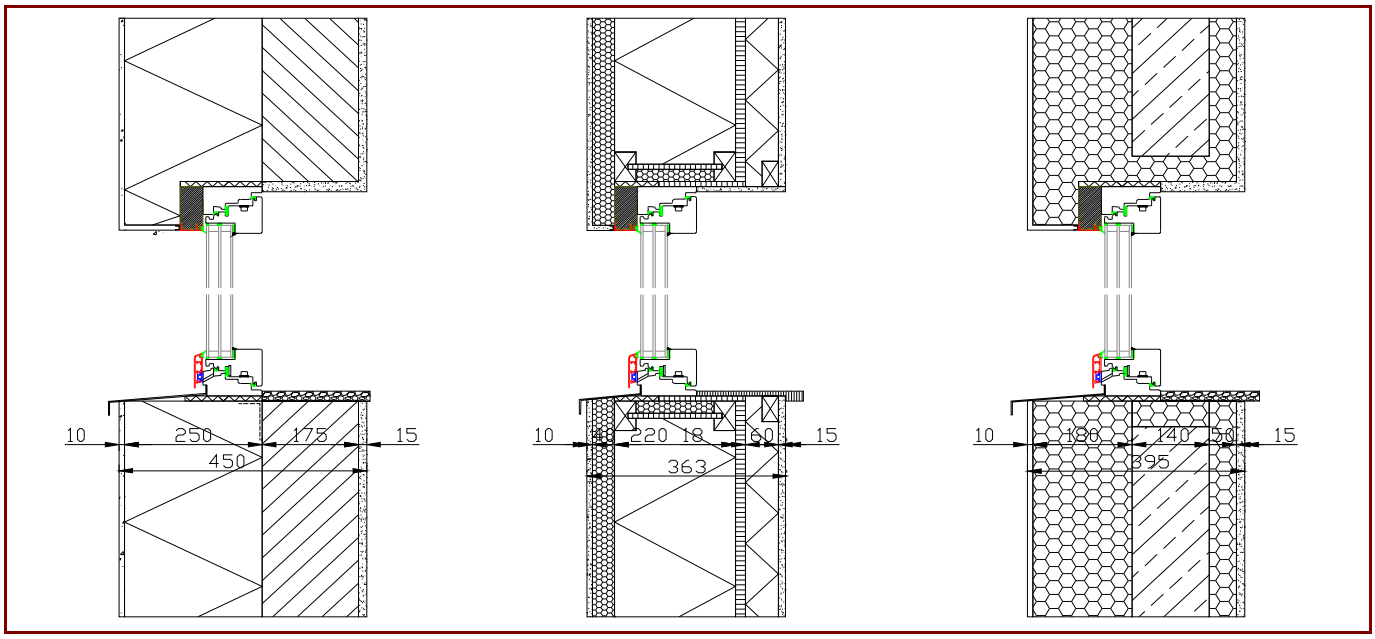
Installation



Installation based thermal bridge $\Psi_{instal.}$ in Passive House suitable walls

Position		EIFS	Timber construction wall	Insulated formwork blocks
Bottom	[W/(mK)]	0.016	0.023	0.017
Side/Top	[W/(mK)]	-0.004	0.012	-0.003
$U_{W,instal.}$	[W/(m²K)]	0.79	0.83	0.79

Explanatory notes

The window U-values were calculated based on a 1.23 m by 1.48 m window U_g = 0.70 W/(m²K).
If better glazing is used, the window U-values decrease as follows:

U Glazing	U_g [W/(m²K)]	0.64	0.58	0.54
U Window	U_W [W/(m²K)]	0.74	0.70	0.67

Depending on the thermal losses through opaque elements, transparent components are categorised according to efficency classes. These thermal losses include the losses through the frame, the frame width, the thermal bridge at the glass edge as well as the length of the glass edge. Certificates for arctic regions are too valid vor cold, certificates for cold regions are too valid for cool, temperate zones.
Please ask the manufacturer for a detailed report containing all calculations and results.
For further information, please visit www.passivehouse.com or www.passipedia.org.

Calculations: kmt Sustainable Engineering