



Product Evaluation

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Engineering Services Program

The following product has been evaluated for compliance with the wind loads specified in the International Residential Code (IRC) and the International Building Code (IBC).

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For more information, contact TDI Engineering Services Program at (800) 248-6032.

Evaluation ID: WIN-51

Effective Date: May 1, 2015

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Product Name: Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows, New and Replacement Construction, Non-Impact Resistant

Manufacturer: MI Windows and Doors, LLC
650 West Market Street
Gratz, PA 17030-0370
(717) 365-3300

General Description:

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
1	Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows; OX; FIN	R-PG30 72x60-HS	+30 / -30 psf
2	Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows; OX; FLANGE	R-PG30 72x60-HS	+30 / -30 psf
3	Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows; OX; FIN	R-PG40 72x54-HS	+35 / -35 psf
4	Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows; OX; FLANGE	R-PG40 72x54-HS	+35 / -35 psf
5	Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows; XOX; FIN	R-PG40 108x48-HS	+40 / -40 psf
6	Series GA 198 Aluminum Horizontal Slider Windows; XOX; FLANGE	R-PG40 108x48-HS	+40 / -40 psf

Product Dimensions:

System	Overall Size	Sash Size	Fixed Glass Daylight Opening Size
1	72" x 60"	36-3/8" x 57-11/16"	33-3/8" x 56"
2	72" x 60"	36-3/8" x 57-11/16"	33-3/8" x 56"
3	72" x 54"	36-1/2" x 52"	33-5/8" x 50"
4	72" x 54"	36-1/2" x 52"	33-5/8" x 50"
5	108" x 48"	30-5/16" x 45-3/4"	44-5/8" x 44-1/8"
6	108" x 48"	30-5/16" x 45-3/4"	44-5/8" x 44-1/8"

Product Identification (Certification Agency Label on Window):

System		
1-6	Certification Agency	AAMA
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	MTL-12
	Product Name	Series GA 198 (FIN & FLANGE)
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08

Impact Resistance:

System	Impact Resistant	Requirement
1-6	No	Provide an impact protective system when installing the product in areas that require windborne debris protection.

Installation:

System		
1	Type of Installation	Mounting Fin
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 6 x 1-5/8" screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Approximately 6" from each corner and 20" on center along the perimeter.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall-framing members.
2	Type of Installation	Flange Frame
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 6 x 1-5/8" screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Approximately 6" from each corner and 20" on center along the perimeter.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall-framing members.
3	Type of Installation	Mounting Fin
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 6 x 1-5/8" screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Approximately 3" from each corner and 12" on center along the perimeter.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall-framing members.

Installation (continued):

System		
4	Type of Installation	Flange Frame
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 8 pan head screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Side Jambs: Approximately 6" from each corner and 12" on center. Head: Approximately 6" from each corner and 16" on center
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall-framing members.
5	Type of Installation	Mounting Fin
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 6 x 1-5/8" screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Approximately 6" from each corner and 18" on center along the perimeter.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall-framing members.
6	Type of Installation	Flange Frame
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 6 x 1-5/8" screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Side Jambs: Approximately 6" from each corner and 18" on center. Head: Approximately 6" from each corner and 19" on center
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall-framing members.

Note: Keep the manufacturer's installation instructions on the job site during installation. Use corrosion resistant fasteners as specified in the IRC, the IBC, and the Texas Revisions.