

## Product Evaluation

WIN2523 | 1220

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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This product evaluation is intended for use by those individuals who are following the design wind load criteria in Chapter 3 of the IRC and Section 1609 of the IBC. The design loads determined for the building or structure shall not exceed the design load rating specified for the products shown in the limitations section of this product evaluation. This product evaluation does not relieve a Texas licensed engineer of his responsibilities as outlined in the Texas Insurance Code, the Texas Administrative Code, and the Texas Engineering Practice Act.

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

**Evaluation ID:** WIN-2523

**Effective Date:** December 1, 2020

**Re-evaluation Date:** December 2024

**Product Name:** FeelSafe H3 2.0 Composite Fixed Casement Picture Windows, Fin Installation, Impact Resistant

**Manufacturer:** Sierra Pacific Windows  
575 South Whelen Ave  
Medford, WI 54451  
(715) 748-2011

### General Description:

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
1	FeelSafe H3 2.0 Composite Fixed Casement Picture Windows	CW-PG50 (71.5 x 71.5)-FW Missile Level D	+50 / -50 psf

### Product Dimensions:

System	Overall Size	Fixed Sash Daylight Opening Size
1	71-1/2" x 71-1/2"	66-1/2" x 66-1/2"

**Product Identification (Certification Label on Window):**

System		
1	Certification Agency	WDMA
	Manufacturer's Name	Sierra Pacific Windows
	Product Name	H3 2.0 Impact Fixed Casement
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-11,17 ASTM E1886-13a/E1996-17; Missile Level D

**Impact Resistance:**

System	Impact Resistant	Requirement
1	Yes	These products satisfy TDI's criteria for protection from windborne debris. Install the assemblies at a height on the structure that does not exceed the design pressure rating for the assemblies.

**Installation:**

The wood wall framing members must be minimum Southern Yellow Pine dimension lumber. The window assembly is secured to the wall framing through a nailing fin. The nailing fin is secured to the wall framing with minimum No. 8 PPH screws. Locate the screws approximately 2-4" from each corner and 6-7" on center along the perimeter of the window. In addition, one 20-gauge masonry clip (3" x 1-1/2" x 0.078") was secured at the mid-span of the head, sill, and side jambs. Secure each clip to the window frame with three (3) No. 6 x 5/8" PFH screws and to the wall framing with two (2) No. 8 PPH screws. Fasteners must be long enough to penetrate a minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall framing members.

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