

## Product Evaluation

WIN2717 | 0822

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-2717

**Effective Date:** August 1, 2022

**Re-evaluation Date:** March 2024

**Product Name:** Galaxy Series Vinyl Single Hung Tilt Windows, Fin Installation, Non-Impact Resistant

**Manufacturer:** Value Windows and Doors  
13715 Murphy Road  
Suite D  
Stafford, TX 77477  
(281) 261-8900

### General Description:

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
1	Galaxy Series Vinyl Single Hung Tilt Windows; X/O	R-PG35 (41 x 68)-H	+35 / -35 psf

**Product Dimensions:**

System	Overall Size	Operable Sash Size	Fixed Sash Daylight Opening Size
1	41" x 68"	38-1/2" x 33"	35-1/4" x 29-7/8"

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

System		
1	Certification Agency	AAMA
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	VAL-3
	Product Name	GX-SHT Single Hung
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-11

**Impact Resistance:**

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

**Installation:**

System		
1	Type of Installation	Nail Fin Installation
	Wall Framing	Southern Yellow Pine dimension lumber
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 8 PFH screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Approximately 3" from each corner and approximately 10" on center along the perimeter.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum of 1-1/2" into the wall framing

**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.