

# Thermal Performance Data

Visions 3500 Single Hung Windows (9109)  
(J-channel)



US Qualification Criteria		Climate Zone	U-Value	SHGC	
 As of January 2016	Northern	Northern	<=0.27	Any	Prescriptive
			=0.28	>=0.32	Equivalent Energy Performance
			=0.29	>=0.37	
			=0.30	>=0.42	
	North-Central	North-Central	<=0.30	<=0.40	
	South-Central	South-Central	<=0.30	<=0.25	
	Southern	Southern	<=0.40	<=0.25	
Canadian Qualification Criteria		Climate Zone	U-Value	or	Energy Rating
 As of February 2015	<b>ENERGY STAR®</b> ZONE 3 ZONE 2 ZONE 1	Zone 1	<=1.60		>=25
		Zone 2	<=1.40		>=29
		Zone 3	<=1.20		>=34
Air Leakage <= 0.3 cfm/ft <sup>2</sup>					

## U-Value

A measurement of how much energy a material conducts. The lower the U-Value, the greater the insulating effect.

## Solar Heat Gain Coefficient (SHGC)

Measures how well a window or door prevents heat from passing through it.  
The lower a window or door's SHGC, the less heat it allows to pass through it.

## Visible Light Transmittance

The amount of light in the visible portion of the spectrum that passes through a glazing material.

## Condensation Resistance Rating

Measures how well a window resists the formation of condensation on the inside surface.  
The higher the number the better resistance to condensation.

## Energy Rating

A value demonstrating the balance between U-Value, SHGC and air leakage.  
The higher the number, the more efficient the product.

## R-Value

A measurement of how much a material resists heat transfer.  
A higher R-Value means a greater insulating effect and a lower rate of heat flow out of the home.  
While **R-value** measures resistance to heat transfer, **U-value** measures the rate of heat transfer.  
In simple terms, **U-value** is the mathematical reciprocal of **R-value**; that is, **U = 1/R and R = 1/U**.

<sup>a</sup> Total Unit calculations are derived from computer simulations that are then verified by 3rd party testing in accordance with NFRC 100, NFRC 200, and NFRC 500.

<sup>b</sup> Published values reflect 3mm/3mm glass lite thicknesses.

ENERGY PERFORMANCE DATA Visions 3500 Single Hung Windows (9109)											CANADIAN ENERGY PEFORMANCE DATA		CANADA ENERGY STAR v 4.1		
Grille Option	Glazing thickness	aNFRC Total Unit Calculations bGlazing Option	CPD #	U-Value	Solar Heat Gain Coefficient	Visible Light Transmittance	Condensation Resistance Rating	US ENERGY STAR V 6.0				U-Value (metric)	Maximum Air Leakage Ls/m <sup>2</sup>	Air Infiltration/Exfiltration Average	Energy Rating
								N	NC	SC	S				
No GIA or SDL	3/4"	Clear Insul	WEA-N-305-00429-00001	0.46	0.62	0.65	44					2.61	0.6	0.17	18
	3/4"	Insul Low-E	WEA-N-305-00432-00001	0.32	0.33	0.57	55					1.82	0.6	0.17	19
	3/4"	Insul Low E w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00494-00001	0.28	0.33	0.57	58	Y	Y			1.59	0.6	0.17	24
	3/4"	Passive Solar	WEA-N-305-00438-00001	0.32	0.55	0.63	54					1.82	0.6	0.17	32
	3/4"	Passive Solar w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00500-00001	0.29	0.55	0.63	58	Y				1.65	0.6	0.17	35
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5	WEA-N-305-00435-00001	0.31	0.22	0.52	55				Y	1.76	0.6	0.17	14
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00497-00001	0.28	0.22	0.52	59		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	18
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 Extreme	WEA-N-305-00450-00001	0.26	0.22	0.50	43	Y	Y	Y	Y	1.48	0.6	0.17	20
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 Extreme w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00512-00001	0.24	0.22	0.50	47	Y	Y	Y	Y	1.36	0.6	0.17	23
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 6	WEA-N-305-00473-00001	0.32	0.22	0.51	57				Y	1.82	0.6	0.17	13
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 6 w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00535-00001	0.28	0.22	0.51	61		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	18
	3/4"	Zo-e SafeGuard Certified	WEA-N-305-00479-00001	0.32	0.22	0.50	58				Y	1.82	0.6	0.17	13
	3/4"	Zo-e SafeGuard Certified w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00541-00001	0.28	0.22	0.50	61		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	18
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 240	WEA-N-305-00444-00001	0.32	0.21	0.32	54				Y	1.82	0.6	0.17	12
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 240 w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00506-00001	0.29	0.20	0.32	58		Y	Y	Y	1.65	0.6	0.17	15
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 340	WEA-N-305-00447-00001	0.31	0.15	0.31	55				Y	1.76	0.6	0.17	10
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 340 w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00509-00001	0.28	0.15	0.31	58		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	14
	3/4"	Bronze Low E	WEA-N-305-00432-00011	0.32	0.32	0.42	55					1.82	0.6	0.17	18
	3/4"	Bronze Low E w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00494-00011	0.28	0.32	0.42	58	Y	Y			1.59	0.6	0.17	23
Less Than 1" GIA or SDL	3/4"	Clear Insul	WEA-N-305-00429-00002	0.46	0.56	0.58	44					2.61	0.6	0.17	15
	3/4"	Insul Low-E	WEA-N-305-00432-00002	0.32	0.30	0.51	55					1.82	0.6	0.17	17
	3/4"	Insul Low E w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00494-00002	0.28	0.30	0.51	58		Y			1.59	0.6	0.17	22
	3/4"	Passive Solar	WEA-N-305-00438-00002	0.32	0.49	0.56	54					1.82	0.6	0.17	28
	3/4"	Passive Solar w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00500-00002	0.29	0.49	0.56	58	Y				1.65	0.6	0.17	32
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5	WEA-N-305-00435-00002	0.31	0.20	0.46	55				Y	1.76	0.6	0.17	13
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00497-00002	0.28	0.20	0.46	59		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	16
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 Extreme	WEA-N-305-00450-00002	0.26	0.20	0.45	43	Y	Y	Y	Y	1.48	0.6	0.17	19
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 Extreme w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00512-00002	0.24	0.20	0.45	47	Y	Y	Y	Y	1.36	0.6	0.17	21
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 6	WEA-N-305-00473-00002	0.32	0.20	0.45	57				Y	1.82	0.6	0.17	11
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 6 w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00535-00002	0.28	0.20	0.45	61		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	16
	3/4"	Zo-e SafeGuard Certified	WEA-N-305-00479-00002	0.32	0.20	0.45	58				Y	1.82	0.6	0.17	11
	3/4"	Zo-e SafeGuard Certified w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00541-00002	0.28	0.20	0.45	61		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	16
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 240	WEA-N-305-00444-00002	0.32	0.19	0.28	54				Y	1.82	0.6	0.17	11
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 240 w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00506-00002	0.29	0.19	0.28	58		Y	Y	Y	1.65	0.6	0.17	15
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 340	WEA-N-305-00447-00002	0.31	0.14	0.28	55				Y	1.76	0.6	0.17	9
	3/4"	Insul Low-E 340 w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00509-00002	0.28	0.13	0.28	58		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	12
	3/4"	Bronze Low E	WEA-N-305-00432-00012	0.32	0.29	0.38	55					1.82	0.6	0.17	17
	3/4"	Bronze Low E w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00494-00012	0.28	0.28	0.38	58		Y			1.59	0.6	0.17	21
1" Or Over GIA or SDL	3/4"	Clear Insul	WEA-N-305-00429-00003	0.46	0.50	0.52	44					2.61	0.6	0.17	11
	3/4"	Insul Low-E	WEA-N-305-00432-00003	0.32	0.27	0.45	55					1.82	0.6	0.17	15
	3/4"	Insul Low E w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00494-00003	0.28	0.27	0.45	58		Y			1.59	0.6	0.17	20
	3/4"	Passive Solar	WEA-N-305-00438-00003	0.32	0.44	0.50	54					1.82	0.6	0.17	25
	3/4"	Passive Solar w/Argon	WEA-N-305-00500-00003	0.29	0.44	0.50	58	Y				1.65	0.6	0.17	29
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5	WEA-N-305-00435-00003	0.31	0.18	0.41	55				Y	1.76	0.6	0.17	12
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00497-00003	0.28	0.18	0.41	59		Y	Y	Y	1.59	0.6	0.17	15
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 Extreme	WEA-N-305-00450-00003	0.26	0.18	0.40	43	Y	Y	Y	Y	1.48	0.6	0.17	18
	3/4"	Zo-e-shield 5 Extreme w/ Argon	WEA-N-305-00512-00003	0.24	0.18	0.40</									