

Technical Report

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Product Tested: Traditional Sliding Sash Window

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1. Introduction

This report describes testing of a window sample conducted at the test laboratory of Wintech Engineering Ltd on behalf of Mighton Products Ltd in order to determine compliance with PAS 24:2016.

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2. Summary of Results

The following summarises the results of testing carried out, in accordance with PAS 24:2016

Test Description	Result
C.4.3 – Manipulation test (a)	Pass
C.4.4.2 – Infill manual test	Pass
C.4.6 – Manual check test	Entry Gained
C.4.4.3 – Infill mechanical test	Pass
C.4.5 – Mechanical loading test	Pass
C.4.7 - Additional mechanical loading test	Pass
Overall Classification in accordance with PAS 24:2016	W

More comprehensive details are reported in Section 6.

Note: These results are valid only for the conditions under which the test was conducted

Note: All measurement devices, instruments and other relevant equipment were calibrated and traceable to National Standards.

3. Description of Test Sample

Product range name:	Traditional Sliding Sash Window (Balances)
Configuration:	2 Sashes Sliding
Opening direction:	Vertical Sliding Sash

Outer Frame

Outer frame width:	1200mm	Outer frame material:	Pine
Outer frame height:	2000mm	Outer frame gasket	
Outer frame Part Numbers		Gasket type:	Aquarius
Top:	80x160mm	Manufacturer:	Mighton
Bottom:	80x160mm	Product name:	
Lock side:	80x160mm	Product code:	AQ21
Hinge side:	80x160mm	Threshold	
Outer frame section size		Manufacturer:	Mighton
Width:	80x160mm	Product name:	Cill
Depth:	80x160mm	Product code:	
Reinforcing:		Material:	Meranti
Manufacturer:	Not Applicable	Outer frame joint method	
Product name:	Woodscrews	Head:	Trench, Screwed & Glued
Product code:		Foot:	Trench, Screwed & Glued
Material:			

Leaf

Leaf width:	Top & Bottom Sash - 1034mm	Leaf material:	Pine
Leaf height:	Top:936mm – Bot 970mm	Leaf gasket	
Leaf Part Numbers		Gasket type:	Aquarius
Top:	Top rail – 56 x 56mm	Manufacturer:	Mighton
Bottom:	Meeting Rail – 66 x 50mm	Product name:	
Lock side:	Stiles – 56 x 56mm	Product code:	AQ21
Hinge side:		Leaf midrail:	
Leaf section size		Manufacturer:	
Width:		Product name:	
Depth:		Product code:	
Reinforcing:		Material:	
Manufacturer:		Leaf joint method	
Product name:		Head:	Finger or Comb Joints
Product code:		Foot:	Finger or Comb Joints
Material:			

Glazing

Glass unit		Glazing gasket	
Manufacturer:	PD Glass	Gasket type:	N/A
Inner thickness:	16mm	Manufacturer:	
Spacer material:	Aluminium Spacer	Product name:	
Outer thickness:	24mm	Product code:	
Unit sizes:	950x848mm	Glazing clip	
Bead		Manufacturer:	
Manufacturer:	Rouse Joinery	Product name:	
Product name:	Glazing Bead	Product code:	
Product code:		Glazing tape details	
Bead size:	16.5x15mm	Manufacturer:	Mighton
Bead material:	Pine	Product name:	Glazing Tape
		Product code:	DGT2X12BL25

Hardware

	Manufacturer:	Product description:	Product code:	Quantity:
Restrictor Non Locking	Mighton	Push Ventlock	PUSHVL	1
Sash Screws	Mighton	Sash Screws	DS70PB	2
Sash Lifts	Mighton	Sash Lifts	SLPVD	2
Locking Fastener	Mighton	Securifitch Locking	SECFKEYRHGLD	1
Non-Locking Fasteners	Mighton	Securifitch Non-Locking Fastener	SECFRHGLD	1
Restrictor locking	Mighton	Locking Ventlock	VL	1
Mighton Security Parting Bead	Mighton	Security Parting Bead	SBEAD	2
Mighton WPC Staff Bead	Mighton	WPC Staff Bead	MBEADS	4
Sash Balances	Mighton	Spiral Sash Balance AL	AL4030	2
Sash Balances	Mighton	Spiral Sash Balance D	D630	2
Meeting Rail Interlock	Mighton	Meeting Rail Interlock	MRI	1

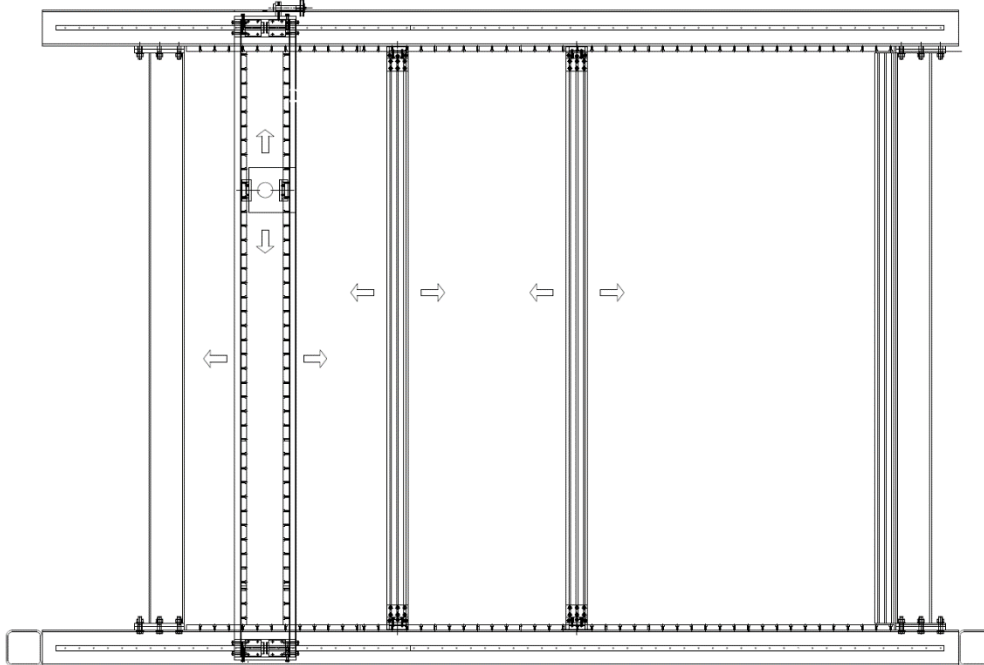
The details shown in Section 3 and drawings shown in Section 7 have been supplied by and confirmed as typical of normal production by Mighton Products Ltd and have not been verified by Wintech Engineering Limited.

4. Test Arrangement

4.1 Test Rig

The test sample was supplied mounted in 100 x 50 mm timber sub-frame in accordance with manufacturer's installation requirements. It was fitted into the test rig, shown below which was constructed to meet the requirements of the test specification and was fitted plumb, square and without twist or bends.

Figure 1 – Test rig used for testing



4.2 Attack Tool Groups

Tools group A

- A.2.1.1 Assorted mild steel wire
- A.2.1.2 Two credit cards
- A.2.1.3 Two paint scrapers
- A.2.1.4 One craft knife
- A.2.1.5 Two flat blade screwdrivers, 150mm length

Tools group B

- A.2.2.1 One 25mm wood chisel
- A.2.2.2 One 6mm wood chisel
- A.2.2.3 One flat blade screwdriver, 200mm length
- A.2.2.4 One brick bolster
- A.2.2.5 One crosspoint screwdriver, 200mm length
- A.2.2.6 One cross head screwdriver, 200mm length

4.3 Mechanical Load Application

A series of parallel to plane loads and perpendicular to plane loads were applied to the products using hydraulic cylinders.

5. Test Procedures

5.1 Manipulation test (a)

The objective of this test was to highlight any inherent vulnerability in the design of the window which, from the outside, would permit entry by the hardware being operated, released or disengaged when tested using all of Tools group A from Section A.2.1 of PAS 24:2016 and, where applicable, tools specified in A.2.2.3, A.2.2.5 and A.2.2.6 in Tools group B from Section A.2.2 of PAS 24:2016. The overall attack time was limited to 15 minutes with no single attack technique being used for more than 3 minutes.

5.2 Infill manual test

The objective of this test was to assess the vulnerabilities of the infill retention system, including gaskets and beading, using Tools group A & Tools group B as described in section A.2.1 & A.2.2 of PAS 24:2016 for a maximum period of 3 minutes.

5.3 Manual check test – determine additional mechanical loading

The objective of this test was to assess any vulnerabilities of the sample that are not covered by the standard loading cases assessed in the mechanical loading test C.4.5. The tools described in Section B.4.6.2 of PAS 24:2016 were used for a maximum period of 15 minutes in an attempt to gain entry through the sample. No single location was tested for more than 6 minutes with no single attack technique being used for more than 3 minutes.

5.4 Infill mechanical test

The objective of this test was to assess the ability of the infill retention system to withstand the application of a 2.0 kN load to each corner of each infill without gaining entry through the sample in accordance with Section C.4.4.3 of PAS 24:2016.

5.5 Mechanical loading test

The objective of this test was to assess the ability of the sample to withstand a specified sequence of loading without gaining entry through the sample. The loads and loading sequence were in accordance with Section C.4.5 of PAS 24:2016.

5.6 Additional mechanical loading test

The objective of this test was to assess the ability of the sample to withstand the application of loads identified during the manual check test. The loads and loading sequence were in accordance with Section C.4.5 of PAS 24:2016.

5.7 Manipulation test (b)

The objective of this test was to release threaded fasteners exposed as a result of the mechanical loading test using all of Tools group A from Section A.2.1 of PAS 24:2016 and, where applicable, tools specified in A.2.2.3, A.2.2.5 and A.2.2.6 in Tools group B from Section A.2.2 of PAS 24:2016. The overall attack time was limited to 3 minutes

6. Test Results

6.1 Laboratory Conditions

Prior to the start of the test, the laboratory conditions were measured as follows:

Temperature (°C)	19.5
Humidity (% RH)	23

Note The test samples were stored in a non-destructive environment at a temperature of 15 – 30°C for a minimum of 12 hours, testing was also conducted at those conditions. Prior to testing, the window was closed and locked and any keys were removed.

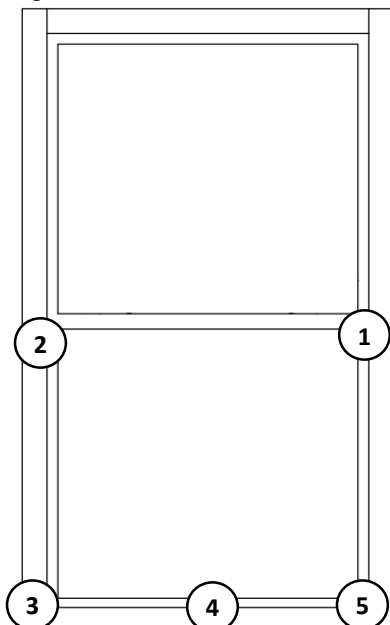
6.2 Manipulation test (a)

Attempts were made from the external face to operate, release and disengage the system hardware in order to gain entry through the sample in accordance with Section C.4.3 of PAS 24:2016. The results are as follows:

Table 1 – Manipulation test (a)

Location	Tools Used	Method	Time
Point 1 Locking point	Knife	Attempted to cut through the bottom of the lower sash in an attempt to gain entry to the locking point but could not. 3 minutes used.	03:00
Point 2 Locking point	Knife	Attempted to cut through the bottom of the lower sash in an attempt to gain entry to the locking point but could not. 3 minutes used.	03:00
Point 3 Lower left hand corner	Scrapers	Levered between the frame and the lower sash in an attempt to gain entry. 3 minutes used.	03:00
Point 4 Lower sash centre Clasp	Scrapers	Levered under the sash in an attempt to gain access to the sash clasp but could not. 3 minutes used.	03:00
Point 5 Lower right hand corner	Scrapers	Levered between the frame and the lower sash in an attempt to gain entry. 3 minutes used.	03:00

Figure 2 – Attack locations



6.3 Infill manual test

Attempts were made from the external face to remove gaskets and beading in order to gain access to and remove the infill using tools A.2.1 & A.2.2 in accordance with Section C.4.4.2 of PAS 24:2016.

No entry was gained throughout the test.

6.4 Manual check test

Attempts were made from the external face to gain entry through the sample by applying load combinations not covered by the standard loading cases for the mechanical loading test. The overall attack time was limited to 15 minutes with no single attack technique being used for more than 3 minutes and no single location being attacked for more than 6 minutes.

Entry was gained during this test and an additional mechanical load test was carried out as shown in section 6.7

6.5 Infill mechanical test

A series of loads were applied to the external face of the infill as defined in Section C.4.4.3 of PAS 24:2016. A perpendicular-to-plane load of 2.0kN was applied and held for 8-12 seconds at each corner of the infill.

No entry was gained throughout this test.

6.6 Mechanical loading test

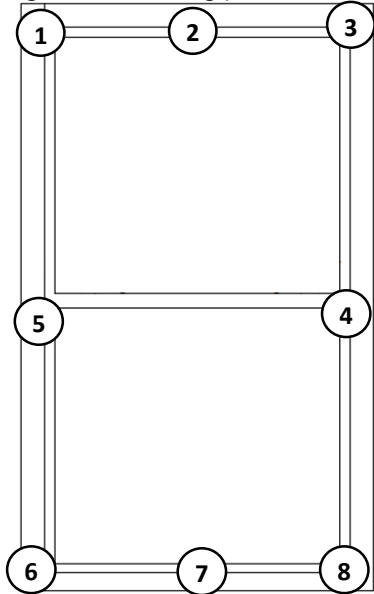
A series of loads were applied to the sample as defined in Section C.4.5 of PAS 24:2016. The loading combinations used were as defined in Table C.1 of PAS 24:2016 as shown in Table 2. The results are as follows:

Table 2 – Mechanical Loading

Loading Point	Parallel-to-plane Load		Perpendicular-to-plane Load		Result
	Load	Direction	Load	Direction	
1 – Top corner	1 kN	→	3 kN	-	Pass
1 – Top corner	3 kN	↓	1 kN	-	Pass
2 – Centre of top sash	3 kN	↓		-	Pass
3 – Top corner	1 kN	←	3 kN	-	Pass
3 – Top corner	3 kN	↓	1 kN	-	Pass
4 – Meeting corners / Locking point			3 kN	↔	Pass
4 – Meeting corners / Locking point	1 kN	←	3 kN	-	Pass
5 – Meeting corners / Locking point			3 kN	↔	Pass
5 – Meeting corners / Locking point	1 kN	→	3 kN	-	Pass
6 – Lower corner	1 kN	→	3 kN	-	Pass
6 – Lower corner	3 kN	↓	1 kN	-	Pass
7 – Centre of top sash	3 kN	↑		-	Pass

8 – Lower corner	1 kN	←	3 kN	-	Pass
8 – Lower corner	3 kN	↑	1 kN	-	Pass

Figure 3 – Loading points



6.7 Additional mechanical loading test

A series of loads identified during the manual check test were applied to the internal face of the sample as defined in Section C.4.5 of PAS 24:2016. The results are as follows:

Table 3 – Additional Mechanical Loading

Loading Point	Parallel-to-plane Load		Perpendicular-to-plane Load		Result
	Load	Direction	Load	Direction	
1 – Top corner	3	↑	-	-	Pass

Figure 4 – Loading points

