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The following significant changes have been made:

(a) A thorough restructuring of this Standard/Specification, with separate sections for products and materials and components;
(b) Addition of requirements on lead content for hardware;
(c) Reorganized mullion provisions, with new ratings and designations;
(d) Addition of parallel opening windows;
(e) Expansion of tubular daylighting device (TDD) products to include closed ceiling and open ceiling options;
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The following significant changes from the previous edition of this Standard/Specification have been made:

(a) Information that was determined to be advisory rather than mandatory was moved to “Commentary” sections. The commentary in blue text is linked to the comments at the end of the document.
(b) A new Clause, 1.4, is added that sorts out where the requirement is intended to impact. There are five different categories here.
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Voluntary Specification for Secondary Storm Products for Windows and Sliding Glass Doors

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This practice addresses the recommended methods and/or sequences used to apply/modify the water-resistive barrier or other flashing and sealing materials to the open-framed opening. The techniques demonstrated in this standard practice have been developed specifically to create a moisture barrier to incidental liquid water penetration at the external interface between the window and rough opening. Any water intrusion; whether through the external interface between the window and rough opening, the window jamb, or the installation joints around the perimeter of the window will not have a means to exit to the building exterior. As a result, this standard is recommended for buildings/installations considered at low risk of water intrusion. (Addendum released in February 2011)

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Standard Practice for Installation of Windows with an Exterior Flush Fin Over an Existing Window Frame

This practice covers the installation of retrofit windows in detached one- and two-family dwellings and townhouses not more than three stories above-grade in height with a separate means of egress. This practice applies to retrofit windows with an exterior flush fin installed over a pre-existing window frame into a vertical wall.

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This comparative analysis procedure is especially suited for regions where it is desirable to document the performance of each window and exterior door size to meet specific structural design pressure criteria. For window and door manufacturers, this procedure provides a uniform approach for dealing with different code jurisdictions and specific design pressure for each size of fenestration product opening.
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This Processing Guide is to assist architects, manufacturers, designers, and/or owner(s) in utilizing polyamide 6.6 thermal strip profiles, reinforced with 25% glass fibers in three axes, for use in curtain wall, storefront, windows, doors, and skylights. This standard applies to aluminum composite sections used in fenestration products.
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CURTAIN WALLS & STOREFRONTS

Methods of Test for Exterior Walls
Laboratory and field test specifications for metal curtain walls including performance characteristics, test specimens, methods, recommended practices, test apparatus and testing procedures. AAMA 501.1 was removed from AAMA 501-05 and was published as a standalone document in February 2005.
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Standard Test Method for Water Penetration of Windows, Curtain Walls and Doors Using Dynamic Pressure
Establishes the equipment, procedures and requirements for field testing of exterior windows and curtain wall and door systems for water penetration using dynamic pressure.
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Quality Assurance and Diagnostic Water Leakage Field Check of Installed Storefronts, Curtain Walls, and Sloped Glazing Systems
The purpose of this specification is to provide a quality assurance and diagnostic field water check method for installed storefronts, curtain walls and sloped glazing systems.
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Recommended Static Test Method for Evaluating Window Wall, Curtain Wall and Storefront Systems Subjected to Seismic and Wind-Induced Inter-Story Drift
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Recommended Dynamic Test Method for Determining the Seismic Drift Causing Glass Fallout from Window Wall, Curtain Wall and Storefront Systems
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Test Method for Thermal Cycling of Exterior Walls
Procedures recommended for evaluating the effects of thermal movement on large wall sections. Includes standardized approach for thermal cycle testing of joints, anchors and other components of exterior walls.
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Recommended Static Test Method for Evaluating Windows, Window Wall, Curtain Wall and Storefront Systems Subjected to Vertical Inter-Story Movements
This test method provides a means of evaluating the performance of windows, window walls, curtain walls and storefront wall systems when subjected to specified vertical displacements. This test method is a complement to AAMA 510.1. Like AAMA 501.4, this test method focuses primarily on changes in serviceability of wall system specimens (e.g., air and water leakage rates) as a result of statically applied, in-plane displacements.
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This test method provides a standard laboratory procedure for evaluation of single and multiple human impacts on window systems intended for installation in psychiatric hospitals and facilities, as well as other occupancies with similar concerns. It is the intent of this test method to help determine whether window systems intended for installation in psychiatric facilities perform at or above minimum acceptable levels when sustaining human impact from the interior, to restrict patient passage to unauthorized areas, to confine patients, to reduce the opportunity for self-harm, and to delay and frustrate escape attempts.
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Surface Temperature Assessment for Condensation Evaluation of Exterior Wall Systems
This document provides a standard procedure for the measurement of surface temperatures to be used in the condensation evaluation of exterior walls under laboratory conditions. The assessment can be used to evaluate the potential for interior condensation formation under wintertime conditions only. This document references the AAMA 515-19.
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These specifications establish the requirements for test specimens, minimal sampling, test procedures and test reports to be used in evaluating the performance of installed storefronts, curtain walls and sloped glazing systems. This specification provides a guide which can be used to evaluate the installed performance of storefronts, curtain walls and sloped glazing systems for resistance to water penetration under controllable and reproducible wind driven rain conditions.
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Standard Practice for Determining the Thermal Performance Characteristics of Fenestration Systems in Commercial Buildings
This document provides a uniform standard method for determining the thermal performance of building specific fenestration systems that are installed in commercial buildings. This document covers glazed fenestration systems such as windows, curtain walls, window walls, sloped glazing, storefronts, doors and other glazed products that are installed in commercial buildings (buildings other than low-rise residential buildings).
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This specification and test method establishes the requirements for test specimens, test procedures, test reports and minimum performance criteria to be used in the evaluation of pressure equalized rain screen wall cladding (panel) systems.
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Standard Test Method for Static Loading and Impact on Exterior Shading Devices
This test method provides a standard laboratory procedure for project-specific evaluation of downward static ice and snow loads, and impacts on exterior horizontal shading devices from falling ice or snow, when required by contract documents.

Voluntary Procedure for Determination of Fenestration Surface Temperatures by THERM Finite Element Modeling
This voluntary procedure helps designers determine what temperatures and film coefficients to use when running a project-specific condensation analysis. This document references the AAMA 501.9-19.

Anodic Finishes/Painted Aluminum
This standard covers production, specification, testing and proper handling of all types of anodic finishes and organic coatings for architectural aluminum curtain walls and their components.

Care and Handling of Architectural Aluminum from Shop to Site
This comprehensive manual covers care and handling of architectural aluminum products from mill to fabricator to job site through project completion.

Structural Sealant Glazing Systems
A design guide to the three basic structural silicone sealant glazing systems: 1) all glass; 2) strip window; and 3) total wall. Discusses the glass, the metal framing members and the silicone sealant.

Structural Silicone Glazing (SSG) Design Guidelines
This guide describes proper guidelines and glazing procedures for structural glazing. This guide combines information from TSSEG-04, two-sided structural glazing for skylights, and CW-13-85, a structural glazing design guide.

The Curtain Wall Manual
The design of metal-and-glass walls requires careful attention to matters which normally receive little consideration when designing with the more traditional wall construction materials. It isn’t because the laws of nature are any different for metal curtain walls; they aren’t. But the materials used in its construction react quite differently to some of these laws than do other wall materials. To help bridge this gap, and provide guidance for the architect, the AAMA Curtain Wall Manual highlights the basic principles and essential requirements of a good curtain wall design.

The Rain Screen Principle and Pressure Equalized Wall Design
This guide details a design approach to make curtain walls water resistant by eliminating the pressure differential between interior and exterior surfaces.

Aluminum Storefront and Entrance Manual
An aid in solving the special design problems of public entrance areas, this manual provides authoritative information on good design practice including hardware selection and structural design.

WALL CLADDING
Voluntary Test and Classification Method for Drained and Back Ventilated Rain Screen Wall Cladding Systems
This voluntary test and classification method establishes the requirements for test specimens, apparatus, test procedures, test reports and performance data that may be used in the evaluation of drained and back ventilated rain screen wall cladding systems. The primary purpose(s) of this test method is to quantify the volume of rain water contacting an imperfect AWB and the system’s ability to allow for ventilation/drying as measured by air flow through the cladding. EDITORIAL REVISION: 9/2014

TECHNICAL INFORMATION REPORTS

Sound Control for Fenestration Products
This document was prepared for anyone who requires information on what sound is, how it is transmitted, how it is measured and how its transmission can be controlled. Although technical in nature, this document is organized to be useful to anyone from the window designer who is trying to meet an architect’s sound control specification to a window salesman who just wants to help a customer understand how sound travels and what can be done to “cut down on the noise”. Furthermore, this document will clarify and differentiate between the two methods of product classification, STC (Sound Transmission Class) and OITC (Outdoor-Indoor Transmission Class), and their appropriate use.

Sloped Glazing Guidelines
The objective of this guideline is to assist the designer (i.e. design architect, engineer) in the proper selection of glazing materials for use in sloped glazing applications above human traffic or occupied areas. Covers general provisions for design factors, breakage, condensation, loadings, deflection, inspection and testing for skylights and space enclosures tilted more than 15 degrees from the vertical plane.

Structural Performance of Composite Thermal Barrier Framing Systems
Though there are several thermal barrier systems in use today, the scope of this document will address the composite thermal barrier systems that are the most widely used, as known by this document’s authors. Guidelines for these framing systems are offered on cavity design, thermal barrier material, selection, testing manufacturing, fabrication, installation and environmental approval. This report is to provide the design professional with sufficient information to intelligently evaluate composite thermal barrier systems.

An additional document to be useful to anyone from the window designer who is trying to meet an architect’s sound control specification to a window salesman who just wants to help a customer understand how sound travels and what can be done to “cut down on the noise”. Furthermore, this document will clarify and differentiate between the two methods of product classification, STC (Sound Transmission Class) and OITC (Outdoor-Indoor Transmission Class), and their appropriate use.

Design Guide for Metal Cladding Fasteners
A comprehensive guide for the proper selection and specification of fasteners used in curtain wall construction that helps in choosing the proper fasteners for framing members and anchoring of curtain wall systems to the building structure. Includes 3/2015 Errata.

Maximum Allowable Deflection of Framing Systems for Building Cladding Components at Design Wind Loads
Specification provides guidance for the architect and specifier in selecting deflection limits for storefront and curtain wall applications.

Airflow Through Integral Ventilating Systems/Devices
This document is intended as a guideline for architects, mechanical engineers, fabricators and owners using integral window ventilating systems/devices for supplemental natural ventilation.

Recommended Static Water Test Pressures in Non-Hurricane-Prone Regions of the United States
The purpose of this AAMA TIR is to provide guidance in regards to resistance to wind-driven rain penetration.

Fenestration Anchorage Guidelines
This Technical Information Report is meant to be a companion document to AAMA 2501 and offer engineering rules and guidelines in the design of anchorage fasteners for windows and doors.

Overview of Design Wind Load Determination for Fenestration Systems
This Technical Information Report determines design wind loads on curtain walls and other building cladding systems (exterior fenestration systems), using the national standards ASCE/SEI 7-05 and -10, “Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures.” This standard, by the American Society of Civil Engineers, gives procedures for finding various design loads.
Design of Exterior Shading Devices
This AAMA technical informational report presents design considerations for exterior shading devices. It should be used in conjunction with AAMA S14-16, “Standard Test Method for Static Loading and Impact on Exterior Shading Devices,” in preparation of architectural drawings and specifications, shop drawings and structural calculations, and maintenance programs, to avoid some of the technical and practical issues that can arise from improper design or application of shading devices.

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A Comparison of Condensation Rating Systems for Fenestration
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Voluntary Specification for Skylights
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Installation Guidelines for Unit Skylights
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This specification establishes minimum performance requirements of residential sunrooms (including sunspaces, conservatories, patio enclosures, patio covers, porch enclosures and other related products or structures) and the fenestration products used therein as built from aluminum, fiber reinforced thermosts, vinyl, wood, and/or other alternate materials constructed as a sunroom or extra space on conventionally built structures.

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Selection and Application Guide for Plastic Glazed Skylights and Sloped Glazing
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Cleaning and Maintenance Guide for Architecturally Finished Aluminum (Combined Document)
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Voluntary Specification, Performance Requirements, and Test Procedures for Combined Coatings of Anodic Oxide and Transparent Organic Coatings on Architectural Aluminum
This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for architectural quality combined coatings of anodic oxide and transparent organic coatings applied to aluminum extrusions and panels for architectural products. The specification will assist the architect, owner and contractor to specify and obtain architectural quality combined coatings, which will provide and maintain, with periodic maintenance, a high level of performance in terms of film integrity, exterior weatherability and general appearance over a period of many years.

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Voluntary Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for Organic Coatings on Plastic Profiles
This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for organic coatings applied to AAMA Certified Plastic Profiles for windows, doors and similar products. These profiles may be made from PVC, ABS, and reinforced thermoplastics.

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This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for superior performance organic coatings applied to AAMA Certified Plastic Profiles for windows, doors and similar products. These profiles may be made from PVC, ABS, reinforced thermoplastics, and fiberglass reinforced thermosets or any other suitable synthetic substrate. This specification covers factory-applied spray coatings only.

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Voluntary Specifications for High Performance Organic Coatings on Coil Coated Architectural Hot Dipped Galvanized (HDG) and Zinc-Aluminum Coated Steel Substrates
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Voluntary Specification, Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for Exterior Stain Finishes on Wood, Cellulosic Composites and Fiber Reinforced Thermoset Window and Door Components
This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for exterior stain finishes applied to AAMA Certified Wood, Cellulosic Composite and Fiber Reinforced Thermoset Components for windows, doors and similar products.

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This specification describes the test procedures and performance requirements for pigmented organic coatings applied to aluminum, fiber reinforced thermoset or wood profiles for windows, doors, wall panels and similar products. Such coatings applied to vinyl profiles are excluded.

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Voluntary Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for Organic Coatings on Wood and Cellulosic Composite Substrates
This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for organic coatings applied to AAMA Certified Wood and Cellulosic Composite Substrates for windows, doors and similar products. These substrates may be made from wood or cellulosic composites as defined and specified in AAMA 309-04.

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Voluntary Specification for In-Process Quality Control Requirements for Applicators of Organic Coatings to Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Exterior Profiles
This voluntary specification establishes the minimum in-process quality control requirements for applicators of organic coatings to rigid polyvinyl chloride (PVC) exterior profiles used in windows, doors and skylights.

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Voluntary Specification, Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for Pigmented Organic Coatings on Aluminum Extrusions and Panels
This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for pigmented organic coatings applied to aluminum extrusions and panels for architectural products. In this version, an appendix was added describing differences in test procedures and performance requirements for AAMA 2603 for Pigmented Organic Coatings, applied on a coil coating line, to aluminum architectural products.

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Voluntary Specification, Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for High Performance Organic Coatings on Aluminum Extrusions and Panels
This specification describes test procedures and performance requirements for high performance organic coatings applied to aluminum extrusions and panels for architectural products. In this version, an appendix was added describing differences in test procedures and performance requirements for AAMA 2604 for High Performance Organic Coatings, applied on a coil coating line, to aluminum architectural products.

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Guidelines for Development of Color Measurement Requirements
The purpose of this document is to provide guidelines for describing color measurement requirements for inclusion in AAMA documents. Understanding and correctly stating the parameters related to color measurements may allow for a more complete and correct measurement and interpretation of results.

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This specification establishes the requirements for materials, testing and performance for sash balances used in hung-type windows conforming to AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S. 2/4A40, "Standard/Specification for Windows, Doors, and Unit Skylights."

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Voluntary Standard for Performance Testing of Handle Sets used with Multipoint Hardware on Side-Hinged Doors
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This specification covers procedures, materials and performance criteria for determining the durability of multi-bar hinges used for opening and closing casement, projected, and parallel opening windows.

Voluntary Specification for Sliding Door and Lift and Slide Roller Assemblies
This specification covers roller assemblies, with or without height adjustment features, for use in sliding doors and lift and slide doors.

Voluntary Specification for Corrosion Resistant Coatings on Carbon Steel Components Used in Windows, Doors and Skylights
This specification covers requirements for corrosion resistant coatings on carbon steels used for hardware components in window, door, and skylight applications.

Voluntary Specification for Friction Based Sash Balances
This standard establishes the performance requirements for friction based sash balances used in hung windows, conforming to AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/1S 2/AA440-11.

Voluntary Specification for Cycle Performance and Testing of Side-Hinged Exterior Door Multipoint Locking Hardware
The purpose of this voluntary specification is to establish a minimum performance requirement and test procedure to evaluate the durability of multipoint locking door hardware. This voluntary specification shall establish a method for component testing multipoint locking hardware for side hinged exterior door systems (SHD).

Voluntary Specification for the Water Penetration Resistance and Structural Load Performance of Locking/Latching Hardware Used in Side-Hinged Door Systems
This specification establishes the minimum requirements for the water penetration resistance and structural load performance of locking/latching hardware used in side-hinged door systems. It applies only to locking/latching hardware that is not validated for use through testing in the same or equivalent series/model/design side-hinged door system in which it is to be provided to the marketplace.

WEATHERSTRIPS & SEALANTS
Voluntary Specifications for Pile Weatherstripping and Replaceable Fenestration Weatherseals
Guide to selecting pile weatherstrip and weatherseals used in windows and doors. Standards define requirements to restrict air and water infiltration.

Voluntary Specifications for Non-Integral Door Bottom Weatherseals
This specification establishes minimum performance requirements for sweep type non-integral door bottom weatherseals.

Voluntary Specification for Self-Adhering Flashing Used for Installation of Exterior Wall Fenestration Products
This specification establishes the test methods and minimum performance requirements for self adhering flashing products that are used around the perimeter of exterior fenestration products. It also provides a method to determine the minimum width of the flashing products and to evaluate the influence of the environmental factors on the installation of self adhering flashing products applied under typical field conditions.

Voluntary Specification for Mechanically Attached Flexible Flashing
This voluntary specification establishes minimum performance criteria to allow the user to evaluate and select mechanically attached flexible flashing products intended for use around the exterior perimeter of fenestration products.

Voluntary Test Method to Determine Chemical Compatibility of Sealants and Self-Adhered Flexible Flashings
This Test Method is intended to provide a means to determine the chemical compatibility of liquid applied sealants and self-adhered flashings that may come in contact with each other in the installation of fenestration products.

Voluntary Specification for Liquid-Applied Flashing Used to Create a Water-Resistant Seal around Exterior Wall Openings in Buildings
This voluntary specification establishes minimum performance requirements for liquid applied flashing used to provide a water-resistive seal around exterior wall openings in buildings that includes fenestration products such as windows and doors, as well as other through-wall penetrations. This standard sets forth minimum performance levels, which enable the specifier to evaluate and select the liquid applied flashing.

Voluntary Specifications and Test Methods for Sealants
This is a compilation of standards, specifications and test methods for determining the performance of compounds, sealants, and tapes used in the manufacture and/or installation of windows, sliding glass doors and curtain walls. Product specifications in this publication include: Back Bedding Compounds, Back Bedding Mastic Tapes, Glazing Tapes, Narrow Joint Seam Sealers, Exterior Perimeter Sealing Compounds, Non-Drying Sealants, and Expanded Cellular Glazing Tapes.

Voluntary Practice for Assessment of Frame Deflection When Using One Component Polyurethane Foams for Air-Sealing Rough Openings of Fenestration Installations
This practice identifies pressure build and dimensional stability as the key attributes that contribute to deflection of fenestration products resulting from the use of one component polyurethane foams and provides test protocols for assessing these key attributes.

Assessment of toxicity and precautions for safe use are excluded from the scope of this document.

Voluntary Specification and Test Methods for Adhesives Used in Simulated Divided Lites
The purpose of this specification is to establish minimum performance criteria for adhesive systems when used to attach simulated divided lites (muntin bars).

Fenestration Sealants Guide for Windows, Window Walls and Curtain Walls
This guide is intended to aid in the selection, use and application of sealants commonly used in fenestration systems. It reviews the type of sealants currently in use and their application following accepted standard practices and encompasses both field and factory applications. Note that this document combines the previous AAMA 850-91 and AAMA JS-91 documents.

GLASS: DESIGN & FABRICATION
Preventing Insulating Glass Failures
This manual provides insulating glass manufacturers with best practice recommendations and guidelines to use for testing, fabrication, packaging, shipment and glazing of insulating glass units to assist in achieving long term performance and to minimize seal failure using existing technology for edge seal design along with selection of sealants, desiccants, spacers, gases, glass and other components used for the manufacture of insulating glass.

Insulating Glass Manufacturing Quality Procedures
This manual provides a framework for an insulating glass manufacturer to use as the basis for a specific program geared to the unique requirements of each facility. The manual provides an outline and examples for in-plant quality control.
Voluntary Guidelines for IGU Cavity Width Manufacturing Tolerances
The cavity width of an insulating glass unit (IGU) after fabrication varies based on changes in temperature, barometric pressure and elevation above sea level. The purpose of this guideline is to present voluntary manufacturing tolerances for IGU cavity width reduction at the point and time of IGU manufacturing. The guideline is not intended to address the dynamic aspect of cavity width variability once an IGU leaves the point of manufacture where environmental changes occur. Nor does this guideline address naturally occurring solar reflectance.

This document provides the framework and is a template for the Quality Manual of a complete Quality Management System. It is designed to follow the ISO 9001:2008 format. The text provided, though somewhat specific to IG production, is generic in nature and must be tailored to support your company’s structure, procedures and operations.

Guidelines for Insulating Glass Dimensional Tolerances
The dimensions and tolerances contained within this document are for insulating glass units as manufactured. Glazing cavity size, allowable edge seal pressure, setting block type, allowable minimum edge seal system and insulating glass unit construction to ensure long-term performance. These guidelines address types of loading, code requirements, glass design, insulating glass sealant design and glazing system design.

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Quality Procedures for the Fabrication of Insulating Glass Units to the ISO 9001:2008 Standard
This document provides templates for Quality Procedures as part of a Quality Management System. It is designed to follow the ISO 9001:2008 format. The text provided, though somewhat specific to IG production, is generic in nature and must be tailored to support your company’s structure, procedures and operations.

Design Considerations for Multiple-Cavity Insulating Glass Units
These guidelines are intended to identify design considerations to be taken into account when designing multiple-cavity IGUs and the evaluation of the manufacturing process as well as addressing the quality requirements of the sealed space of a multiple-cavity IGU.

Guidelines to Reduce Instances of Thermal Stress
This publication provides guidelines relating to thermal stress considerations for window glass products used in residential and commercial building envelope projects. Its purpose is to give the user specific guidelines and design assistance toward avoiding glass problems that arise from breakage caused by thermal stress conditions.

Guidelines for the Testing of Moisture Vapor Transmission Rate (MVTR) and the Presentation of the Results
This bulletin provides standardized test method, sample configuration and units for reporting purposes.

IGMA / GANA Guidelines for Use of Capillary / Breather Tubes
These guidelines discuss various attributes of capillary and breather tubes including advantages and disadvantages, workmanship and manufacturing considerations, storage and handling and glazing.

Guidelines for Sloped Glazing
Current sloped glazing design practices require careful consideration of the functional properties of the construction to ensure long-term performance. These guidelines address types of loading, code requirements, glass design, insulating glass sealant design and glazing system design.

Guidelines for Insulating Glass Dimensional Tolerances
The dimensions and tolerances contained within this document are for insulating glass units as manufactured. Glazing cavity size, allowable edge seal pressure, setting block type, allowable minimum edge seal system and sightline design requirements should all be considered when designing an insulating glass unit glazing system.

Unsupported Edge Conditions of IGU’s
These guidelines provide a checklist to be considered for selection and compatibility of glass, desiccant, framework, sealant(s), gas filling, quality control, packaging & shipping of finished products, capillary / breather tubes and glazing.

Vacuum Insulating Glass
This technical bulletin is intended to assist insulating glass manufacturers and window manufacturers in the evaluation of vacuum insulating glazing technologies.

Technical Manual for Acoustical Glass Design
This manual provides design considerations for the elimination of interfering or distracting sound for various noise criteria classifications.

Preventing Glass Breakage During IG Design, Manufacture, Transport, Installation and Use
This report addresses causes of glass breakage by reducing damage to edges, corners, and surfaces. This document covers IG design for applied loads, fabrications, storage & transport, installation and usage.

IGMA Work Instructions for the Fabrication of IGUs to the ISO 9001 Standard
This document provides a template for a quality Work Instruction for manufacturing insulating glass units and associated services. It is designed to follow the ISO 9001:2015 format. The text provided, though somewhat specific to IG production, is generic in nature and must be tailored to support your company’s structure, procedures and operations.

IGMA Quality Control Forms for the Fabrication of IGUs to the ISO 9001:2015 Standard
This document provides templates for Quality Control Forms as part of a Quality Management System. It is designed to follow the ISO 9001:2015 format. The text provided, though somewhat specific to IG production, is generic in nature and must be tailored to support your company’s structure, procedures and operations.

PLANGLASS: VOLUNTARY TEST METHODS FOR COMPONENTS
Recommended Voluntary In-Plant Test Methods and Performance Criteria of Desiccants for Sealed Insulating Glass Units
This manual includes voluntary test methods and criteria performance for the particle size dimension method, residual moisture content by heat of adsorption method, and loss of ignition or total volatile content.

Test Methods of Insulating Glass Sealants
This manual covers types of sealants, application test methods for sealant type, tables of test conditions to standardize temperature, mixing and volume conditions and specific tests.

Voluntary Test Methods & Voluntary Performance Quality Assurance Criteria for Two Component Polysulfide Sealants Used in Manufacturing Sealed Insulating Glass Units
This manual includes information of test specimens, recommended voluntary test and performance quality assurance criteria with typical values based on laboratory test results, and various test methods.

Sealant Adhesion Test
This bulletin provides standardized test method, sample configuration and units for reporting purposes.

Polyisobutylene (PIB) Primary Sealant
This technical bulletin includes information related to the attributes of PIB primary sealants, descriptions of PIB squeeze out and migration and common factors which may lead to either condition.

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GLASS: POST FABRICATION & INSTALLATION
North American Glazing Guidelines for Sealed Insulating Glass Units for Commercial & Residential Use
This advisory guidelines address the importance of good glazing practices and are intended for use by those who design, specify, manufacture and install insulating glass units. These guidelines address glass types, framing, clearances, setting blocks, spacer shims, glazing materials, glazing systems, receiving, storage & handling, glass protection & cleaning for both commercial and residential applications for double and triple-glazed units.

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In the aftermath of tropical storms and hurricanes, questions are often raised concerning wind-driven rain leaking through or around windows, doors and skylights that otherwise remained structurally intact and with little to no apparent damage following these extraordinary events. AAMA updated this white paper, created by the AAMA Southeast Region, to provide information to homeowners, distributors, builders and insurance adjusters regarding water penetration during severe wind-driven rain. Water driven by storm surge or flooding is not covered by this document.

Quick Reference Guide to Vinyl Window Certification

This quick reference guide provides a step-by-step overview of the AAMA Vinyl Profile Certification Program process. It addresses costs, timeline, qualifications, testing, inspections, and appropriate contacts. This guide is only an introduction to the process; refer to AAMA Procedural Guide 109 for the technical details involved in profile certification.

Quick Reference Guide to Rigid Vinyl Profile Certification

Caring for Your Windows, Doors and Skylights

This brochure provides tips on proper care and maintenance of windows, doors and skylights to ensure optimal performance of these products.

Avoiding the Landfill: The Recycling of Vinyl Windows and Doors

This white paper, created by AAMA's Vinyl Material Council, dispels myths and confirms truths about vinyl as a sustainable material. The paper also discusses several merits of vinyl in fenestration as well as in other applications—from safety and longevity, to its recyclable nature and reliable historical performance.

Understanding A GHS Compliant Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

This white paper, created by AAMA’s Vinyl Material Council, provides guidance on the interpretation of Safety Data Sheets during the conversion to Globally Harmonized System (GHS). The GHS provides a baseline for the communication of globally agreed hazard classification and communication systems. This document provides a relationship between required information and material facts.
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