

Product Evaluation

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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: DR-768

Effective Date: June 1, 2021

Re-evaluation Date: November 2023

Product Name: Series SI 33350 G3 and SI 33350F G3, Impact FGW Aluminum Folding Glass Wall Systems (3.5' X 9.5' Panels), Impact Resistant

Manufacturer: Solar Innovations, Inc.
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General Description:

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
1	Series SI 3000 G3 Impact FGW; 3.5' x 9.5' Panel; Aluminum Frame and Sash; <u>Standard</u> ; Out-Fold Folding Glass Wall XXX/XXX	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated	+70 / -70 psf
2	Series SI 3000 G3 Impact FGW; 3.5' x 9.5' Panel; Aluminum Frame and Sash; <u>Lite Rail</u> ; Out-Fold Folding Glass Wall XXX/XXX	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated	+50 / -50 psf

General Description (Continued):

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
3	Series SI 3000 G3 Impact FGW; 3.5' x 9.5' Panel; Aluminum Frame and Sash; 90° Corner (No Post); <u>Standard Sill</u> ; In-Fold Folding Glass Wall XXX/XXX	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated	+80 / -80 psf
4	Series SI 3000 G3 Impact FGW; 3.5' x 9.5' Panel; Aluminum Frame and Sash; 90° Corner (No Post); <u>Flush Sill</u> ; In-Fold Folding Glass Wall XXX/XXX	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated	+55 / -55 psf

Product Dimensions, Systems 1 and 2:

System	Overall Frame Size	Panel Size	Panel Daylight Opening Size
1, 2	260-11/16" x 118-1/2"	42" x 114"	39-1/4" x 107-1/4"

Product Dimensions, Systems 3 and 4:

System	Left Frame Size	Right Frame Size	Panel Size	Panel Daylight Opening Size
3, 4	134-1/2" x 118-1/2"	139-5/16" x 118-1/2"	42" x 114"	Panels 1-4 & 6: 35" x 107" Panel 5 (2 lites): 35" x 51-3/4"

Product Identification (Certification Agency Label on Folding Glass Wall System):

System		
1	Certification Agency	NAMI
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	Solar Innovations, Inc.
	Product Name	SI 33350 Impact FGW 3.5 X 9.5 Panel Standard Out-Fold Aluminum Folding Glass Wall
	Test Standards	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated

Product Identification (Certification Agency Label on Folding Glass Wall System):

System		
2	Certification Agency	NAMI
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	Solar Innovations, Inc.
	Product Name	SI 33350 Impact FGW 3.5 X 9.5 Panel Lite Rail Out-Fold Aluminum Folding Glass Wall
	Test Standards	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated
3-4	Certification Agency	NAMI
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	Solar Innovations, Inc.
	Product Name	SI 33350F G3 Impact FGW 3.5 X 9.5 Panel 90° Corner (No Post) Aluminum Folding Glass Wall
	Test Standards	TAS 201, TAS 202, TAS 203-94 Large Missile Impact Rated

Impact Resistance:

System	Impact Resistant	Requirement
1-4	Yes	These products satisfy TDI's criteria for protection from windborne debris. They passed the equivalent of Missile Level D in ASTM E 1996-14a. Install the assemblies at a height on the structure that does not exceed the design pressure rating for the assemblies.

Fabrication and Assembly: The folding glass wall panels are fabricated in the factory. The panels themselves are assembled and glazed at their facility. The heads, sill, and side jambs are fabricated at their facility assembled at the jobsite.

Installation:

General: The assembly must be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions and this product evaluation. Detailed drawings and installation instructions are available from the manufacturer.

Design Drawings: The aluminum folding glass wall systems must be installed in accordance with following listed drawings:

System 1: Drawing No. 08-02652; titled "SI 33350 IMPACT FGW, 3.5' x 9.5' Panel, Standard Out-Fold Aluminum;" Sheets 1-9; dated March 19, 2015; Revision A dated February 17, 2020; signed and sealed by Luis R. Lomas, P.E., on April 27, 2021

System 2: Drawing No. 08-02650; titled "SI 33350 G3 IMPACT FGW, 3.5' x 9.5' Panel, Lite Rail Out-fold Aluminum;" Sheets 1-9, dated March 19, 2015; Revision A dated February 17, 2020; signed and sealed by Luis R. Lomas, P.E., on April 27, 2021

System 3: Drawing No. 08-02638; titled "SI 33350 G3 IMPACT FGW, 3.5' x 9.5' Panel, 90° Corner (No Post) Standard Sill;" Sheets 1-14; dated March 19, 2015; Revision A dated February 17, 2020; signed and sealed by Luis R. Lomas, P.E., on April 27, 2021

System 4: Drawing No. 08-02639; titled "SI 33350 G3 IMPACT FGW, 3.5' x 9.5' Panel, 90° Corner (No Post) Flush Sill;" Sheets 1-10; dated March 19, 2015; Revision A dated February 17, 2020; signed and sealed by Luis R. Lomas, P.E., on April 27, 2021.

The stated drawing will be referred to as the approved drawing in this evaluation report. A copy of the approved drawing must be available at the jobsite.

Wall Framing Construction: The folding glass wall panel system may be mounted to several types of wall framing construction. The types of wall framing construction allowed include:

- Concrete (minimum compressive strength specified on drawings)
- Wood dimension lumber (minimum Spruce-Pine-Fir, $G \geq 0.42$)
- Masonry (ASTM C-90, $F_m = 2,000$ psi minimum)
- Steel (18 gauge, 33 ksi)
- Aluminum (6063-T5, 1/8" thick minimum)

Installation:

- Folding glass wall systems are installed in accordance with the approved drawings.
- The approved drawings indicate the minimum embedment depths for the fasteners and the minimum edge distances (minimum distance fastener must be from the edge of the substrate material) for the fasteners.

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.