

SECTION 08 43 13

ALUMINUM-FRAMED STOREFRONTS

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.1 PURPOSE

- A. This guideline is intended to provide useful information to the Professional Service Provider (PSP) to establish a basis of design. PSP is to apply the principles of this section such that the University of Texas at Arlington (UTA) may achieve a level of quality and consistency in the design and construction of their facilities. Deviations from these guidelines must be approved by UTA and may require justification through Life Cycle Cost (LCC) analysis and submitted to UTA for approval.

1.2 LESSONS LEARNED AND DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

- A. **Anodized finish with Anodic Coating Class I Architectural Clear Film with thickness greater than 0.7 mil.**
- B. **Sill and Head anchoring and attachments per manufacturer's standard details.**
- C. **System design per wind pressure tables supplied by the Architect and Structural Engineer of Record.**
- D. **All storefront system shall have 1" insulated glazing units.**

1.3 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Aluminum doors and frames.
- B. Weatherstripping.
- C. Door hardware.

1.4 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 07 92 00 – Joint Sealants: Sealing joints between frames and adjacent construction.
- B. Section 08 71 00 – Door Hardware: Hardware items other than specified in this section.
- C. Section 08 80 00 – Glazing: Glass and glazing accessories

1.5 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. AAMA CW-10 - Care and Handling of Architectural Aluminum from Shop to Site; current edition.
- B. AAMA 501.2 - Field Check of Metal Storefronts, Curtain Walls, and Sloped Glazing Systems for Water Leakage; current edition.
- C. AAMA 609 & 610 - Cleaning and Maintenance Guide for Architecturally Finished Aluminum (Combined Document); current edition.
- D. AAMA 2605 - Voluntary Specification, Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for Superior Performing Organic Coatings on Aluminum Extrusions and Panels; current edition.
- E. ASCE 7 - Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures; current edition, Supplements and Errata.
- F. ASTM B221 - Standard Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Bars, Rods, Wire, Profiles, and Tubes; current edition.
- G. ASTM B221M - Standard Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Bars, Rods, Wire, Profiles, and Tubes [Metric]; current edition.
- H. ASTM E283 - Standard Test Method for Determining the Rate of Air Leakage Through Exterior Windows, Curtain Walls, and Doors Under Specified Pressure Differences Across the Specimen; current edition.
- I. ASTM E330/E330M - Standard Test Method for Structural Performance of Exterior Windows, Doors, Skylights and Curtain Walls by Uniform Static Air Pressure Difference; current edition.

1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. See Division 01 for submittal procedures.
- B. Product Data: Provide component dimensions, describe components within assembly, anchorage and fasteners, glass and infill, internal drainage details.
- C. Shop Drawings: Indicate system dimensions, framed opening requirements and tolerances, affected related Work, expansion and contraction joint location and details, and field welding required.
- D. Samples: Submit two samples 12 inches in size illustrating finished aluminum surface, glass, glazing materials.

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- E. Manufacturer's Certificate: Certify that the products supplied meet or exceed the specified requirements.
- F. Hardware Schedule: Complete itemization of each item of hardware to be provided for each door, cross-referenced to door identification numbers in Contract Documents.

1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing aluminum glazing systems with minimum ten years of documented experience.
- B. Installer Qualifications: Company specializing in performing work of type specified and with at least three years of documented experience.

1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Handle products of this section in accordance with AAMA CW-10.
- B. Protect finished aluminum surfaces with wrapping. Do not use adhesive papers or sprayed coatings that bond to aluminum when exposed to sunlight or weather.

1.9 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Do not install sealants when ambient temperature is less than 40 degrees F. Maintain this minimum temperature during and 48 hours after installation.

1.10 WARRANTY

- A. See Division 01 for additional warranty requirements.
- B. Provide twenty year manufacturer warranty against excessive degradation of exterior finish. Include provision for replacement of units with excessive fading, chalking, or flaking.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS

2.1 BASIS OF DESIGN – FRAMING FOR MONOLITHIC GLAZING

- A. Center-Set Style:
 - 1. Basis of Design: Kawneer Trifab 451T; www.kawneer.com.
 - 2. Vertical Mullion Dimensions: 2 x 4-1/2 inches.

2.2 BASIS OF DESIGN – SWINGING DOORS

- A. Medium Stile, Insulating Glazing, Thermally-Broken:
 - 1. Basis of Design: Kawneer 350 medium stile.
 - 2. Thickness: 1-3/4 inches.

2.3 STOREFRONT

- A. Aluminum-Framed Storefront: Factory fabricated, factory finished aluminum framing members with infill, and related flashings, anchorage and attachment devices.
 - 1. Glazing Rabbet: For 1 inch monolithic glazing.
 - 2. Finishes:
 - a. Clear Anodized Aluminum: AA-M10C21A41, AAMA 611, Architectural Class I, Color #14 Clear, 0.7 mil.
 - b. Superior Performance Organic Coating System: AAMA 2605 multiple coat (4), thermally cured polyvinylidene fluoride system. "Mica" finish.
 - 1) Polyvinylidene fluoride (PVDF) multi-coat thermoplastic fluoropolymer coating system, including minimum 70 percent PVDF color topcoat and minimum total dry film thickness of 0.9 mil; color and gloss as indicated on drawings.
 - 3. Fabrication: Joints and corners flush, hairline, and weatherproof, accurately fitted and secured; prepared to receive anchors and hardware; fasteners and attachments concealed from view; reinforced as required for imposed loads.
 - 4. Construction: Eliminate noises caused by wind and thermal movement, prevent vibration harmonics, and prevent "stack effect" in internal spaces.
 - 5. System Internal Drainage: Drain to the exterior by means of a weep drainage network any water entering joints, condensation occurring in glazing channel, and migrating moisture occurring within system.
 - 6. Drain Pan Flashing: Manufacturer's standard aluminum sill flashing.
 - 7. Expansion/Contraction: Provide for expansion and contraction within system components caused by

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cycling temperature range of 170 degrees F over a 12 hour period without causing detrimental effect to system components, anchorages, and other building elements.

8. Movement: Allow for movement between storefront and adjacent construction, without damage to components or deterioration of seals.
9. Perimeter Clearance: Minimize space between framing members and adjacent construction while allowing expected movement.

B. Performance Requirements:

1. Wind Loads: Design and size components to withstand the specified load requirements without damage or permanent set, when tested in accordance with ASTM E330/E330M, using loads 1.5 times the design wind loads and 10 second duration of maximum load.
 - a. Design Wind Loads: Comply with requirements of ASCE 7.
 - b. Member Deflection: Limit member deflection to flexure limit of glass in any direction, with full recovery of glazing materials.
2. Air Leakage: Maximum of 0.06 cu ft/min sq ft of wall area, when tested in accordance with ASTM E283 at 6.27 psf pressure differential across assembly.

2.4 COMPONENTS

- A. Controller: Aluminum Framing Members: Tubular aluminum sections, drainage holes and internal weep drainage system.
 1. Glazing Stops: Flush.
 2. Cross-Section: 2 x 4-1/2 inch nominal dimension.
- B. Glazing: As specified in Section 08 80 00.
- C. Swing Doors: Glazed aluminum.
 1. Thickness: 1-3/4 inches.
 2. Top Rail: 3-1/2 inches wide.
 3. Vertical Stiles: 3-1/2 inches wide.
 4. Bottom Rail: 10 inches wide.
 5. Glazing Stops: Square.
 6. Finish: Same as storefront.

2.5 MATERIALS

- A. Extruded Aluminum: ASTM B221 (ASTM B221M).
- B. Fasteners: Stainless steel.
- C. Glazing Gaskets: Type to suit application to achieve weather, moisture, and air infiltration requirements.

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 2. 0.9 mil; color and gloss to match sample.
 - b. Manufacturers:
 - 1) PPG Metal Coatings; Duranar XL: www.ppgideascape.com.
 - 2) Substitutions: See Division 01.

2.7 HARDWARE

- A. Weatherstripping: Wool pile, continuous and replaceable; provide on all doors.
- B. Sill Sweep Strips: Resilient seal type, retracting, of neoprene; provide on all doors.
- C. Threshold: Extruded aluminum, one piece per door opening, ribbed surface; provide on all doors.
- D. Pivots: Offset type; top, intermediate, and bottom.
 1. Provide on all doors.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

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- A. Install wall equipment in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
 - B. Attach to structure to permit sufficient adjustment to accommodate construction tolerances and other irregularities.
 - C. Provide alignment attachments and shims to permanently fasten system to building structure.
 - D. Align assembly plumb and level, free of warp or twist. Maintain assembly dimensional tolerances, aligning with adjacent work.
 - E. Provide thermal isolation where components penetrate or disrupt building insulation.
 - F. Install sill flashings. Turn up ends and edges; seal to adjacent work to form water tight dam.
 - G. Where fasteners penetrate sill flashings, make watertight by seating and sealing fastener heads to sill flashing.
 - H. Pack fibrous insulation in shim spaces at perimeter of assembly to maintain continuity of thermal barrier.
 - I. Set thresholds in bed of sealant and secure.
 - J. Install hardware using templates provided.
 - K. Install glass in accordance with Section 08 80 00, using glazing method required to achieve performance criteria.
 - L. Touch-up minor damage to factory applied finish; replace components that cannot be satisfactorily repaired.
- 3.2 TOLERANCES
- A. Maximum Variation from Plumb: 0.06 inches every 3 ft non-cumulative or 1/16 inches per 10 ft, whichever is less.
 - B. Maximum Misalignment of Two Adjoining Members Abutting in Plane: 1/32 inch.
- 3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
- A. See Division 01 for independent testing and inspection requirements. Inspection will monitor quality of installation and glazing.
 - B. Test installed storefront for water leakage in accordance with AAMA 501.2.
- 3.4 ADJUSTING
- A. Adjust operating hardware and sash for smooth operation.
- 3.5 CLEANING
- A. Remove protective material from pre-finished aluminum surfaces.
 - B. Wash down surfaces with a solution of mild detergent in warm water, applied with soft, clean wiping cloths. Take care to remove dirt from corners. Wipe surfaces clean.
 - C. Upon completion of installation, thoroughly clean aluminum surfaces in accordance with AAMA 609 & 610.
- 3.6 PROTECTION
- A. Protect installed products from damage during subsequent construction.

PART 4 APPENDIX

- 4.1 PRODUCT DATA / CUT SHEETS
- A. Kawneer, TriFab VersaGlaze 451T
 - B. Kawneer, 350 Medium Stile Entrance
 - C. Kawneer, Anodized Finishes chart

END OF SECTION

Trifab™ VG (VersaGlaze™)

Trifab™ VG 450, 451 & 451T (Thermal) Framing Systems &
Trifab™ 451UT (Ultra Thermal) Framing System

Design + Performance Versatility with
Unmatched Fabrication Flexibility



Preston Pointe, Louisville, KY
Architect: Potter & Associates Architects PLLC, Louisville, KY
Glazing Contractor: Kentucky Mirror & Plate Glass Company, Louisville, KY

Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ is built on the proven and successful Trifab™ platform – with all the versatility its name implies. There are enough framing system choices, fabrication methods, design options and performance levels to please the most discerning building owner, architect and installer. The Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ family's newest addition, Trifab™ 451UT (Ultra Thermal) framing system, is designed for the most demanding thermal performance and employs a "dual" Isolock™ Thermal Break.

Aesthetics

Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ framing systems offer designers a choice of front-, center-, back- or multi-plane glass applications. Structural silicone glazing (SSG) and Weatherseal glazing options further expand the designers' choices, allowing for a greater range of design possibilities for specific project requirements and architectural styles. All systems have a 4-1/2" frame depth – Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ 450 has 1-3/4" sightlines, while Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ 451/451T and Trifab™ 451UT have 2" sightlines.

With seamless incorporation of Kawneer entrances or windows, including GLASSvent™ visually frameless ventilators, Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ can be used on almost any project. These framing systems can also be packaged with Kawneer curtain walls and overhead glazing, thereby providing a full range of proven, and tested, quality products for the owner, architect and installer from a single source supplier.

Economy

Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ 450/451/451T framing systems offer four fabrication choices to suit your project (Trifab™ 451UT available as screw spline fabrication only):

- **Screw Spline** – for economical continuous runs utilizing two piece vertical members that provide the option to pre-assemble units with controlled shop labor costs and smaller field crews for handling and installation.
- **Shear Block** – for punched openings or continuous runs using tubular moldings with shear block clips that provide tight joints for transporting large pre-assembled multi-lite units.
- **Stick** – for fast, easy field fabrication. Field measurements and material cuts can be done when metal is on the job.
- **Type B** – Same fabrication benefits as shear block except head and sill run through.

All systems can be flush glazed from either the inside or outside. The Weatherseal option provides an alternative to SSG vertical mullions for Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ 450/451/451T. This ABS/ASA rigid polymer



Brighton Landing, Cambridge, MA
Architects: ADD Inc., Cambridge, MA
Glazing Contractors: Ipswich Bay Glass Company, Inc., Rowley, MA

extrusion allows complete inside glazing and creates a flush glass appearance on the building exterior without the added labor of scaffolding or swing stages. Additionally, High-Performance (HP) Flashing options are engineered to eliminate perimeter sill fasteners and associated blind seals.

For the Finishing Touch

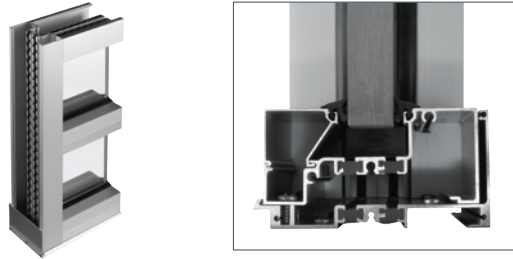
Architectural Class I anodized aluminum finishes are available in clear and Permanodic™ color choices.

Painted finishes, including fluoropolymer, that meet AAMA 2605 are offered in many standard choices and an unlimited number of specially designed colors.

Solvent-free powder coatings add the green element with high performance, durability and scratch resistance that meet the standards of AAMA 2604.

Performance

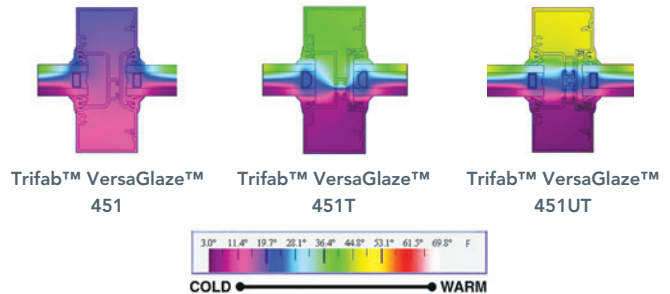
Kawneer's Isolock™ Thermal Break process creates a composite section, prevents dry shrinkage and is available on Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ 451T. For even greater thermal performance, a "dual" Isolock™ Thermal Break is used on Trifab™ 451UT.



Trifab™ 451UT uses a "dual" Isolock™ Thermal Break (right) and features a new HP (High Performance) sill design, which incorporates a screw-applied end dam (left), ensuring positive engagement and tight joints between the sill flashing and end dam.

U-factor, CRF values and STC ratings for Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ vary depending upon the glass plane application. Project specific U-factors can be determined for each individual project. (See the Kawneer Architectural Manual or Kawneer.com for additional information).

Thermal simulations showing temperature variations from exterior/cold side to interior/warm side.

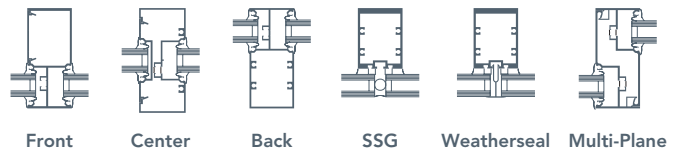


PERFORMANCE TEST STANDARDS

Air Infiltration	ASTM E 283
Water	AAMA 501, ASTM E 331
Structural	ASTM E 330
Thermal	AAMA 1503
Thermal Break	AAMA 505, AAMA TIR-A8
Acoustical	AAMA 1801, ASTM E 1425

Trifab™ VersaGlaze™ 450/451/451T glazing options

(note: Trifab™ 451UT available as center set glass plane only).



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Features

- Trifab™ VG 451/451T is 4-1/2" (114.3) deep with a 2" (50.8) sightline
- Front, Center, Back or Multi-Plane glass applications
- Flush glazed from either the inside or outside
- Screw Spline, Shear Block, Stick or Type-B fabrication
- SSG / Weatherseal option
- IsoLock™ lanced and debridged thermal break option with Trifab™ VG 451T
- Infill options up to 1-1/8" (28.6) thickness
- Permanodic™ anodized finishes in seven choices
- Painted finishes in standard and custom choices

Optional Features

- High performance interlocking flashing
- Acoustical rating per AAMA 1801 and ASTM E 1425
- Project specific U-factors (See Thermal Charts)
- Integrates with Versoleil™ SunShade Outrigger System and Horizontal Single Blade System
- Profit\$Maker™ plus die sets available

Product Applications

- Storefront, Ribbon Window or Punched Openings
- Single-span
- Integrated entrance framing allowing Kawneer standard entrances or other specialty entrances to be incorporated
- Kawneer windows or GLASSvent™ Windows for Storefront Framing are easily incorporated

For specific product applications,
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190, 350 and 500 Standard Entrances

Single Source Packages
Generate Versatile
First Impressions



Garland Special Events Center, Garland, TX
Architect: HKS, Inc., Dallas, TX
Glazing Contractor: B & B Glass, Inc., Dallas, TX

Tough yet attractive, the clean lines of Kawneer's Standard Entrances are designed as a single-source package of door, door frame and hardware that is easily adaptable to custom requirements. Designed to complement new or remodel construction, modern or traditional architecture, they are engineered, constructed and tested to make good first impressions while withstanding the rigors of constant use by occupants and visitors.

Performance

To resist both lever arm and torsion forces that constantly act on any door, all three entrances feature welded corner construction with Sigma deep penetration and fillet welds plus mechanical fastenings at each corner – a total of 16 welds per door. Each door corner comes with a Limited Lifetime Warranty, good for the life of the door under normal use operation. It is transferable from building owner to owner and is in addition to the standard two-year warranty covering material and workmanship of each Kawneer Door.



1. Thermoplastic elastomer weatherstrip in blade-stop of frame jambs, header or transom bar.
2. Integral polymeric fin is attached to adjustable astragal creating an air barrier between pairs of doors.
3. Optional surface-applied bottom weatherstrip with flexible blade gasket. Extruded raised lip on threshold to provide a continuous contact surface for bottom weatherstrip.
4. Standard 1/4" beveled glass stops sheet water and dirt off without leaving residue.
5. Available in all finishes offered by Kawneer.

The 190 Narrow Stile Entrance

- Is engineered for moderate traffic in applications such as stores, offices and apartment buildings
- Vertical stile measures 2-1/8"; top rail 2-1/4" and bottom rail 3-7/8"
- Results in a slim look that meets virtually all construction requirements

The 350 Medium Stile Entrance

- Provides extra strength for applications such as schools, institutions and other high traffic applications
- Vertical stiles and top rails measure 3-1/2"
- Bottom rail measures 6-1/2" for extra durability

The 500 Wide Stile Entrance

- Creates a monumental visual statement for applications such as banks, libraries and public buildings
- Vertical stiles and top rail are 5"; bottom rail measures 6-1/2"
- Results in superior strength for buildings experiencing heavy traffic conditions

Economy

Kawneer's Sealair™ bulb neoprene weatherstripping forms a positive seal around the door frame and provides a substantial reduction in air infiltration, resulting in improved comfort and economies in heating and cooling costs. The system is wear and temperature-resistant and replaces conventional weathering. Bottom weatherstrip at the interior contains a flexible blade gasket to meet and contact the threshold, enhancing the air and water infiltration performance characteristics.

For the Finishing Touch

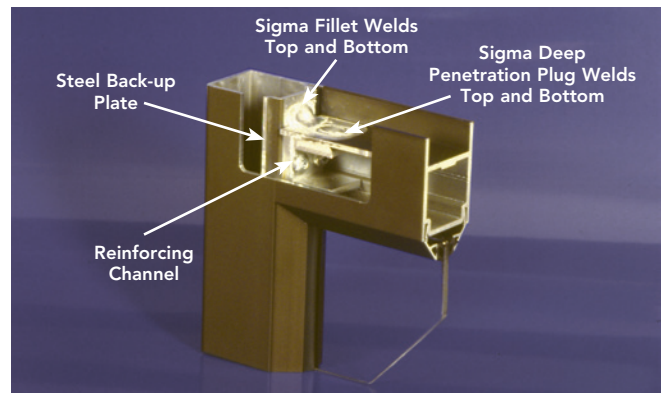
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General

- Heights vary to 10'; widths range from approximately 3' to 4'
- Door frame face widths range to a maximum of 4", while depths range to 6"
- Door operation is single or double-acting with maximum security locks or Touch Bar Panics standard
- Architect's Classic one inch round, bent bar push/pull hardware is available in various finishes and sizes
- Infills range from under 1/4" to more than 1"



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Features

- 190 narrow stile has 2-1/8" (54) vertical stile, 2-1/4" (57.2) top and 3-7/8" (98.4) bottom rail
- 350 medium stile has 3-1/2" (88.9) vertical stile, 3-1/2" (88.9) top and 6-1/2" (165.1) bottom rail
- 500 wide stile has 5" (127) vertical stile, 5" (127) top and 6-1/2" (165.1) bottom rail
- Door is 1-3/4" (44.5) deep
- Dual moment welded corner construction
- Single or double acting
- Infills range from 1/4" (6.4) to 1" (25.4)
- Offset pivots, butt hinges, continuous geared hinge or center pivots
- MS locks or panic hardware
- Surface mounted or concealed closers
- Architects Classic push/pulls
- Adjustable astragal utilizing pile weathering with polymeric fin at meeting stiles
- Polymeric bulb weatherstripping in door frames
- Permanodic™ anodized finishes in seven choices
- Painted finishes in standard and custom choices

Optional Features

- Paneline™ exit device or Paneline™ EL exit device
- Wide variety of bottom rail and cross rail

Product Applications

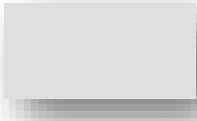
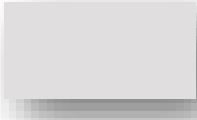





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Kawneer Anodize finishes

Kawneer gives you a wide variety of anodized finishes with attractive alternatives. The benefit of a durable, anodized finish is married to the beauty of some very dynamic and exciting colors.

At the start of every design, there's a choice of how you want to finish. Contact your Kawneer sales rep for the information on these and other finishes available from Kawneer.

	KAWNEER FINISH NO.	COLOR	ALUMINUM ASSOCIATION SPECIFICATION	OTHER COMMENTS
	#14	CLEAR	AA-M10C21A41 / AA-M45C22A41	Architectural Class I (.7 mils minimum)
	#17	CLEAR	AA-M10C21A31	Architectural Class II (.4 mils minimum)
	#18	CHAMPAGNE	AA-M10C21A44	Architectural Class I (.7 mils minimum)
	#26	LIGHT BRONZE	AA-M10C21A44	Architectural Class I (.7 mils minimum)
	#28	MEDIUM BRONZE	AA-M10C21A44	Architectural Class I (.7 mils minimum)
	#40	DARK BRONZE	AA-M10C21A44 / AA-M45C22A44	Architectural Class I (.7 mils minimum)
	#29	BLACK	AA-M10C21A44	Architectural Class I (.7 mils minimum)