

Application Notes / Overview Winshield - Shielded Windows

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Winshield is a range of EMC screened viewing panels for use with display types ranging from cathode ray tubes, liquid crystal displays, vacuum fluorescent displays or light emitting diodes. The types offered are detailed below and use a blackened copper or stainless steel mesh gauze to provide the EMC shielding.

P&P Technology are always happy to provide guidance on the best option for your application.



WF Shielding - Fully laminated windows in glass or plastic

Advantages - Good light transmission Can be supplied complete with mounting gaskets Surface treatment anti-reflective finish available Tinted inter layers available for anti-reflective or contrast enhancement Surface treatment scratch resistant finish available Available with or without a step Available with or without a silver painted busbar Can be supplied as individual windows or in sheet form machined into smaller segments

Points to Note -None Applications -Enclosure doors Displays Viewing panels

WG Shielding - Edge bonded windows in glass or plastic

Advantages - Cost effective Good light transmission Can be supplied complete with mounting gaskets Surface treatment anti-reflective available Surface treatment scratch resistant finish available Custom sizes easily manufactured Optional aluminium frame available

> Applications -Enclosure doors Displays Viewing panels Particularly suited to large enclosures & racks MRI viewing windows



Points to Note -Not suitable for stepped construction Performance reduces as size increases



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WC Shielding - Cast plastic windows

Advantages - Robust construction for specialist applications Good light transmission Can be supplied complete with mounting gaskets Surface treatment anti-reflective finish available Surface treatment scratch resistant finish available Stepped construction possible Available tinted for contrast enhancement Minimum thickness advantages over other windows

Points to Note -Cost more than laminated windows Process necessitates silver busbar termination **Applications** -Enclosure doors Displays Viewing panels

Gasket Options:-

Flying mesh windows generally bond both the window and the flying mesh to a convenient point on the equipment. The window and/or the mesh can also be gasketed using most gasket types. The mesh can be wrapped around a sponge material and clipped into position.



Metweave gaskets provide a flexible sealing option with good attenuation.

Extended mesh options (with or without foil busbar) are readily gasketed using K-Range cored meshes and twinstrip (KC Series).



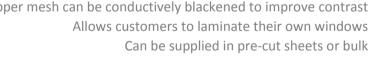
WM Shielding - Woven copper & stainless steel meshes

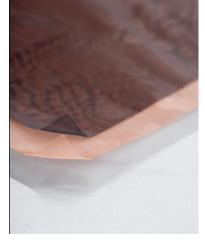
Advantages -

Copper mesh can be conductively blackened to improve contrast

Applications -Membrane switch panels

Points to Note -





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to avoid fraying & handling problems

Untreated mesh is best ordered by the linear metre

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