



C600 Aluminum Exterior / Aluminum Interior W600 Aluminum Exterior / Wood Interior



# The Next Architectural Evolution in Window Technology!



EXCLUSIVE

## **Patented OptiCore Technology**

Quaker<sup>®</sup> Patented OptiCore Technology defines the next evolution in thermal, structural and sound transmission performance for windows and doors, while allowing for application flexibility that is changing the face of architectural window design. The scope of the OptiCore patent encompasses 16 protected elements and product variants, setting OptiCore apart from any other window system in the industry.

## **Architecturally Enhanced Aluminum**

OptiCore patented products have been engineered to create a superior **Architecturally Enhanced Aluminum** window and door system that maximizes thermal and structural performance.

## **Unparalleled Thermal Performance**

The OptiCore evolutionary thermally-aligned patented products were engineered to maximize thermal performance by minimizing thermal conductivity passing through the Aluminum frame system, thus establishing U-Values previously unheard of in an Aluminum frame window. No matter which interior product series is selected, OptiCore Technology industry-leading thermal performance test results speak for themselves:

Dual Glazed 1" (Standard)		Casement	Awning	Fixed
<ul> <li>C600 Series Aluminum Interior</li> </ul>	U-Value as low as:	0.26	0.27	0.23
<ul> <li>W600 Series Natural Wood Interior</li> </ul>	U-Value as low as:	0.24	0.25	0.22
Triple Glazed 1-3/8" (Optional)				
<ul> <li>C600 Series Aluminum Interior</li> </ul>	U-Value as low as:	0.19	0.19	0.15
<ul> <li>W600 Series Natural Wood Interior</li> </ul>	U-Value as low as:	0.17	0.17	0.14

Quaker offers a variety of glass combinations to achieve the look desired without compromising thermal efficiency and performance. OptiCore windows are designed to handle a triple-pane insulating glazing unit with a 1-3/8" pocket providing even greater thermal efficiency, as well as, the standard double-pane glazing unit with a 1" pocket. U-Values shown may vary depending upon glass package selected.

### **Structural Performance**

More than ever before, Architectural products are getting larger and must meet and exceed design expectations and continue to perform. Performance testing is critical, that is why all OptiCore windows are not just tested to minimum *Gateway* sizes, but undergo rigorous AW testing and certification process at the *Maximum* sizes for each window or combination of windows. OptiCore products utilize double corner key construction for maximum corner joinery and frame strength. This ensures superior performance while offering architectural design and combination flexibility to meet your project's specifications.

## **Sound Transmission Performance**

The OptiCore patented windows along with Azon's Azo-Core<sup>™</sup> thermal barrier system, has been engineered to improve Sound Attenuation for enhanced noise reduction. The C600 and W600 series also allow for up to a 1-3/8" glazing pocket for a variety of double and triple pane glass packages to enhance STC and OITC performance ratings.

## **IDEA Essentials**

OptiCore products IDEA "Innovative Design Enhanced Adaptability" Essentials offer you inside and outside design flexibility to turn your vision into reality, without compromising strength, durability or energy efficiency. OptiCore C600 and W600 windows offer three core interior options to meet any project requirement —

- Natural Wood interior windows with an Aluminum exterior
- Painted or Class I Anodized Aluminum interior/exterior
- Two-Tone Aluminum interior option that allows you to mix interior and exterior colors

### Glass and Glazing

OptiCore windows have been designed with a standard exterior glazed 1" pocket, with an option of up to 1-3/8" triplepane glazing to achieve the glass performance your project deserves. OptiCore products provide a variety of glass options such as internal grids, or Simulated Divided Lites (SDL) to reflect your design style. OptiCore windows offer two different sash glazing design options as part of its IDEA Essentials —

• Square Glazed - for a modern look that also simulates storefront

• Bevel Glazed – for a more traditional/historic look

### Hardware

OptiCore products were engineered with a dual Euro-Groove frame system to allow for a variety of standard and custom hardware options and adjustments. The C600 and W600 feature contemporary low-profile architectural grade hardware designed for maximum ease of operation. The OptiCore window Euro-Groove frame system also allows for a variety of custom built hardware and technology options to allow for larger than normal sash sizes and even remote control of your windows.

### Paint

OptiCore C600 and W600 windows offer a variety of industry leading high-performance powder paint options to achieve the perfect interior and exterior look —

- W600 Wood interior / Painted or Anodized exterior
- C600 Single color or Two-Tone Aluminum interior/exterior
- Standard High Performance AAMA 2604 Powder Paint (an FGIA specification)
- Optional AAMA 2605 Powder Paint (an FGIA specification)
- Unlimited color options for interior and exterior Finish
- Class I Anodized Aluminum Finish for superior anodized performance
- SOLARLE Innovative finish to diminish exterior surface temperatures (limited color availability)

## **Screen Options**

C600 and W600 windows can be ordered with or without screen channels depending on your preference -

- FlexScreen<sup>®</sup> Shallow profile, easy to install and remove
- Standard flange screen with "thumb-turn" locking system

## Size and Combination Flexibility

OptiCore windows were designed for a maximum viewing area. Assorted combinations and sizes offer expansive views, more natural daylight and the ability for year-round comfort. OptiCore windows feature larger size and combination options while maintaining and exceeding AW performance levels.



# Enhanced Thermal Performance with Azon Azo-Core™

OptiCore windows feature Azon's Azo-Core<sup>™</sup> thermal barrier system. Azo-Core<sup>™</sup> offers superior performance compared to traditional Strut and Pour & Debridge technology —

- Enhance thermal performance with the lowest conductivity value of 0.21, compared to 0.84 for traditional *Polyurethane Pour & Debridge* and 10X lower than *Polyamide Strut/Strip System*.
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- Superior structural performance based on torsion, shear and deflection testing over *Polyamide Strut System.*



Material U-factors - Btu-in/(hr-°F-ft)





Dual Glazed 1" IG U-Value 0.22 - 0.25

Triple Glazed 1-3/8" IG U-Value 0.14 - 0.19

## **Mullions and Continuous Frame**

Both the C600 and W600 windows can be configured to meet your project needs utilizing both factory and field applied C-Mullions and T-Mullions, as well as, the OptiCore continuous framing system for enhanced performance and narrow sitelines, maximizing both Architectural flexibility and ease and speed of installation.

# **Inspiring New Ideas**







### Casement c600/w600 / AW-PG70-C

### **A Versatile Choice**

The OptiCore Casement window system provides a variety of possibilities for the building's interior and exterior design. Flexibility options allow you to create larger window configurations and a variety of interior styles that can range from real and painted Wood to Aluminum custom colors without compromising quality or performance.

### **Standard Features and Benefits**

- NAFS Rating AW-70
- C600 Alum/Alum frame depth is 4-1/8"
- W600 Alum/Wood frame depth can be 4-9/16" and 6-9/16" standard
- 1" insulating glass
- Dual Sealed Warm Edge Spacer System for increased energy efficiency, performance and durability
- Two-tone capabilities (i.e. different colors inside and outside)
- Integral nailing fin for low floor installation
- Azo-Core<sup>™</sup> Thermal Barrier System for reduced thermal conductivity and increased energy efficiency
- FlexScreen<sup>®</sup> for greater visibility, easy installation and removal

### **Options**

- Modern Squared or traditional/historic style
   Beveled frame glazing
- ADA Hardware
- Structural mullions for multi-unit configurations
- Panning systems to assist with the most challenging installations
- Multiple glazing packages and Finish options
- 1-3/8" glazing pocket for optimal energy efficiency and enhanced sound attenuation
- Retractable Screen
- Continuous Framing System
- Muntin Options Grids Between the Glass, Simulated Divided Lites
- Impact-rated glazing package
- Maximum size Width: 48" Height: 72" U.I.: 132"







### Awning C600/W600 / AW-PG70-AP

### **The Perfect Combination**

The C600 and W600 window series' provide the perfect combination of exceptional Performance and Flexibility. OprtiCore windows are ideal for creating a unique architectural design with a mixture of fixed and awning units. The result is an abundance of natural daylight, full ventilation, maximum energy efficiency and a custom architectural style.

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### Performance

Description	Value*	
U-Value	as low as .19	
CR	as high as 80	
SHGC	as low as 0.11	
VT	as high as 0.54	
OITC	28-35	
STC	28-44	

\*Depending on Glazing Package

### Note — North American Fenestration Standard (NAFS)

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FIXED

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## **Capabilities and Services**

### **Designed for Innovative Solutions**

Quaker offers a full range of services to satisfy your vision — your way. We have an experienced team who are strongly committed to providing creative and practical solutions to the most difficult challenges unique to a project. We offer the highest quality product designs and services within technical and budget constraints to satisfy and fulfill your project goals.

### Research

Quaker<sup>®</sup> Research objectives are to identify the latest product and manufacturing technologies, market trends, future code requirements and product features that are required and desired by the key influencers and various market segments.

### **Design and Engineering Services**

Our Design and Engineering team collaborates closely with our customers and the Quaker® team to focus on project necessities. This allows quick and seamless modifications and enhancements as well as the highest quality design solutions for your project.

### **Project Support Team**

Our Project Support Team helps to drive all aspects of a project from planning and implementation to meeting the successful objectives in an efficient and cost effective manner.

### LEED<sup>®</sup> and GREEN

Two words that have revolutionized the building industry and changed the way architects, designers and developers think are LEED® and GREEN.

At Quaker, we've been offering positive, environmental products for many years, so the GREEN concept is simply second nature to us.

We have the products to help your project achieve the coveted Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) status.

Our Aluminum and glass contain a significant amount of recycled materials. On all of our Aluminum windows, doors and components, Quaker employs only powder-coat paint which emits nearly zero Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) into the air. Enhanced glass packages are offered with all of our windows and doors. These glazing systems are versatile and efficient — sunlight and solar heat can be deflected or captured depending upon what's required.

perform to desired requirements.

### Main Frame and Vent Construction — The C600/

W600 Series of OptiCore enhanced windows are constructed utilizing aluminum alloy 6063-T6. A fully automated computer-controlled cornerkey assembly system aligns and locks each mitered frame corner to exact specifications. Sealant is then robotically injected into the key for added strength and to ensure a water-tight corner and glazing pocket.

**New Construction** — Quaker<sup>®</sup> windows are designed and manufactured to meet your installation needs. OptiCore windows can be ordered with an integral miter cut continuous nail fin built into the frame, which surrounds the whole unit. You do not have to worry about open gaps around the window, or uneven fins. Quaker also offers a variety of receptor, subsill and panning options to meet your project's installation needs.

### **Anodized Exterior Aluminum Finish** — Quaker<sup>®</sup>

OptiCore Aluminum windows use the superior Class I Anodized Aluminum Exterior Finish to ensure a long-lasting appearance and performance that will hold up to the challenges of the elements, unlike some manufacturers who use a Class II Finish on their windows. The Class II Anodized Aluminum Finish is meant for interior applications and has a limited life and warranty.

where specified.

# THE QUAKER DIFFERENCE

**Design Performance** — Quaker<sup>®</sup> OptiCore windows are tested to achieve a NAFS AW architectural rating based on both the windows *Maximum* design size and *Gateway* test size. This means that no matter the size needs of your project, your windows will

**Exterior Powder Paint** — Quaker has one of the largest state-of-the-art Aluminum window powder paint facilities in the United States. This not only enables Quaker to offer consistent

color flexibility, but also the highest quality standards in the industry. Quaker OptiCore standard powder coating meets the requirements of AAMA 2604, while offering the option to utilize coatings that meet the upgraded requirements of AAMA 2605,





Since 1949, the Quaker<sup>®</sup> Difference has been represented by a standard of quality, engineering, craftsmanship and innovation that Quaker builds into every window and door. It is that attention to detail and manufacturing excellence that distinguishes Quaker from all other window and door companies in America.



An American Company Founded in 1949.



North Campus — Freeburg, MO



South Campus — Freeburg, MO



Newest Campus — Completed 2020 Eldon, MO



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