

The system offers thermally broken sections for both Lift & Slide and In-Line sliding doors to suit most project requirements

Introduction

The basic suite of section has equal leg outer frame, in addition there are add-on sections to enable the system to be fitted into all type of structure, including all of the Brital curtain walling systems.

The door system can be manufactured either as an in-line sliding door or as a lift & slide door, for applications requiring higher performance.

The system is designed to accommodate 28mm thick insulated glass units. The sliding panes are designed to be wrap-around glazed and the fixed frames are bead glazed directly into the outer frame.

As with all Brital systems the sliding doors are manufactured to exacting standards, enabling economy to be combined with strength to give many years of aesthetic, trouble-free operation.

Scope

This specification defines materials, construction, finishes and size limits for the sliding doors.

Materials

Aluminium profiles are extruded from aluminium alloy 6063 T6 complying with the recommendations of BS EN 12020-2:2008 / BS EN 755-9:2008

Finishes

The range of sections can be provided in either of the following finishes:

1. Anodised to BS 1615 or BS 3987 (Natural or Coloured)
2. Powder organic coated to BS 6496

Subject to Brital approval other finishes may also be used.

The finish may differ on the internal and external surfaces if required.

Construction

The frame members are cut at 45°, outer frame corners are jointed with either cast aluminium mechanical cleats or extruded aluminium cleats. Shutter frames are jointed with cast aluminium cleats. The fixed mullions are fixed into the outer frame by means of screw ports extruded in to the section and stainless steel self tapping screws. All joints are fully sealed during construction against the entry of water. Extruded gaskets and woolpiles are provided to resist water penetration.

Glazing

The shutter frame is assembled around the glazing units, which are set against extruded EPDM gaskets internally and externally. The fixed glazing is glazed directly into the outer frame and retained between extruded EPDM gaskets by means of aluminium beads. Glazing support packers should be used between the edge of the insulated glazing unit and the frame.

Installation

The manual provides detailed installation instructions which should be followed. It is important that the bottom track is laid as horizontally as possible, with a deviation of not more than ±3mm. The outer top rail should be parallel with the cill rail and the end gap between them should not vary by more than ±1.0mm.

Sliding Door Fittings

The sliding doors are designed to suit the hardware described in this manual and manufactured by Brital's authorized supplier, Master.

Doors can be supplied with or without key operated locks.

Size Limits for Sash sections

The maximum and minimum sizes for the door systems are dictated by the hardware manufacturer's recommendations and the structural strength of the section. Charts contained in this manual should be used to check that the meeting rails are capable of resisting the maximum wind load for the height and width of any given shutter unit.

Horizontal Lift-Sliding Door Maximum & Minimum Moving Shutter Sizes Maximum Weight 200kg			
Shutter Section	Max Height	Max Width	Min Width/Height Ratio
BR-LS60-32-60	3000mm (Min Height 1175mm)	2400mm (Min Width 800mm)	1/3

Horizontal In-Line Sliding Door Maximum & Minimum Moving Shutter Sizes Maximum Weight 180kg			
Shutter Section	Max Height	Max Width	Min Width/Height Ratio
BR-LS60-32-60	3000mm (Min Height 1900mm)	1800mm (Min Width 600mm)	1/3

Performance

The Brital sliding door systems have been designed to the requirements of BS6375: Pt1.

Air permeability	Class 2 (2.25m ³ /hr/m at 100Pa)
Water tightness	Class 7A (300Pa)
Wind Resistance	Class A5 (2000Pa)

Development

Our policy is to continually research the market for new and improved products. We must therefore retain the right to amend specifications without prior notice.