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Introductions

Alex Howell

Architectural Consultant with Andersen Windows



With a background in design, Alex has been collaborating with architects locally in the Cape Cod market for the past 8 years and now nationally as well, picking up the MN and Chicago markets as of last year. Alex's goal is to be an asset to her architects and designers by assisting them in anything they may need to have a successful project. With her knowledge in the products, her markets and design trends, she helps her customers in finding window and door solutions that meet their clients wants and needs.

Course / Learning Objectives

- Describe how wind forces act upon different parts of a building, and how those forces are impacted by factors such as topography, height, and adjacent buildings
- Define building code requirements for impact resistance, wind pressure, and opening protection
- Describe the methods of opening protection that can be used to meet code requirements
- Describe how ASTM E1886 is used to test windows and doors for impact resistance
- Explain how wind load requirements are determined for windows and doors using ASTM E1886, E1996, and South Florida TAS

Challenges of Coastal Environments

- High winds and extreme winds
- Wind-borne debris
- Moisture intrusion
- Other considerations:
 - Corrosion
 - Thermal comfort and energy efficiency
 - Aesthetics

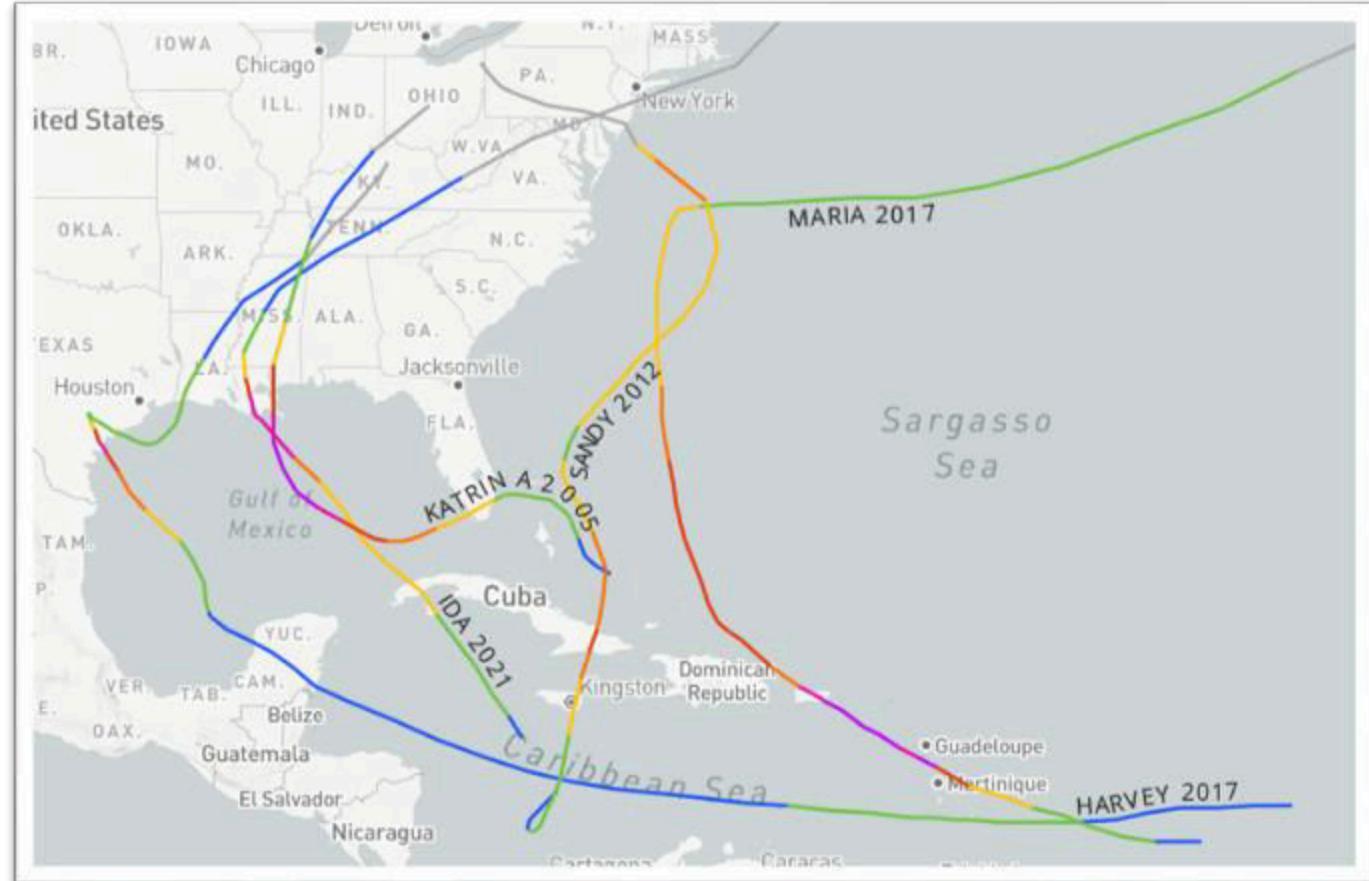


Destructive Hurricanes and Storms on the Rise

- Katrina (2005) \$186 Billion
- Harvey (2017) \$149 Billion
- Maria (2017) \$107 Billion
- Sandy (2012) \$82 Billion
- Ida (2021) \$79 Billion
- Michael (2018) \$25 Billion

Source: <https://news.bloomberg.com/insurance/hurricane-ian-set-to-rank-in-top-10-costliest-us-storms-chart?context=article-related> Accessed date: 10/1/2024

*This data does not reflect the impact of Helene or other 2024 hurricanes.



Source: <https://coast.noaa.gov/hurricanes/#map=3.07/32.32/-57.38&search=eyJzZWFrY2hTdHJpbmc0IjUREgMjAyMSIsInNlYXJjaFR5GUiOjZdG9ybWlkcyIsm1hdGNoljoizXhhY3QiLCJyXRlZ29yaWVzIjpbIkkg1IiwiSDQjLCJMylskgylwiSDEiLCIUuylsIjREiwiwRVQiXSwieWVhcnMiOtdiC1tb250aHMiOtdiC1bnNvIjpXSwicHlc3N1cmUiOnsicmFuZ2UiOlsWLDFwMzBdLC1pbmNsdWRIW5rbm93b1ByZXNzdXlljp0cnVlfSwic3Rvcm1jRHMiOjlyMDA1MjM2TjzMjg1LDIwMTcyMjhOMTOzMTQsMjAxNz12MF4xMjMxMCwyMDFyMjk2TjE0mjzLD1wMjEyMzIOMTcyODEiLCj1dWzXmZVbml0Ijpblk1pbGVzll0slnNvcnRTZwXlY3Rp24iOnsidmFsdWUjOj5ZWfyc19uZXd1c3QiLCjsYWIibC16l1lYXlgKE51d2VzdCkifSwiYXbwbHU0FPSS16ZmFsc2UslmlzU3Rvcm1MYWJlbHNWaXNpYmxljp0cnVlfQ==>

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Coastal Requirements for Windows & Doors

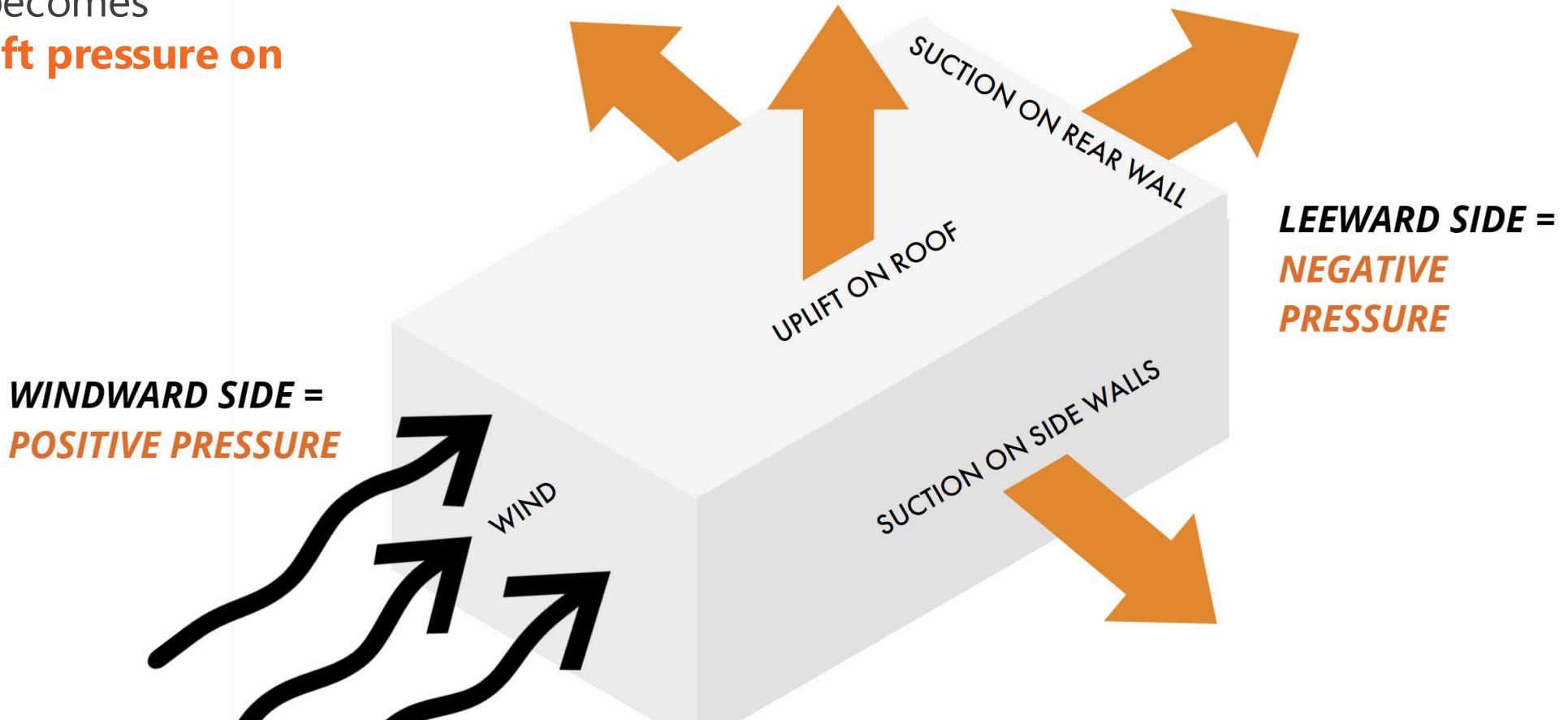
- Hurricane Andrew, August 1992
- 175 mph wind gusts
- \$25 billion damage



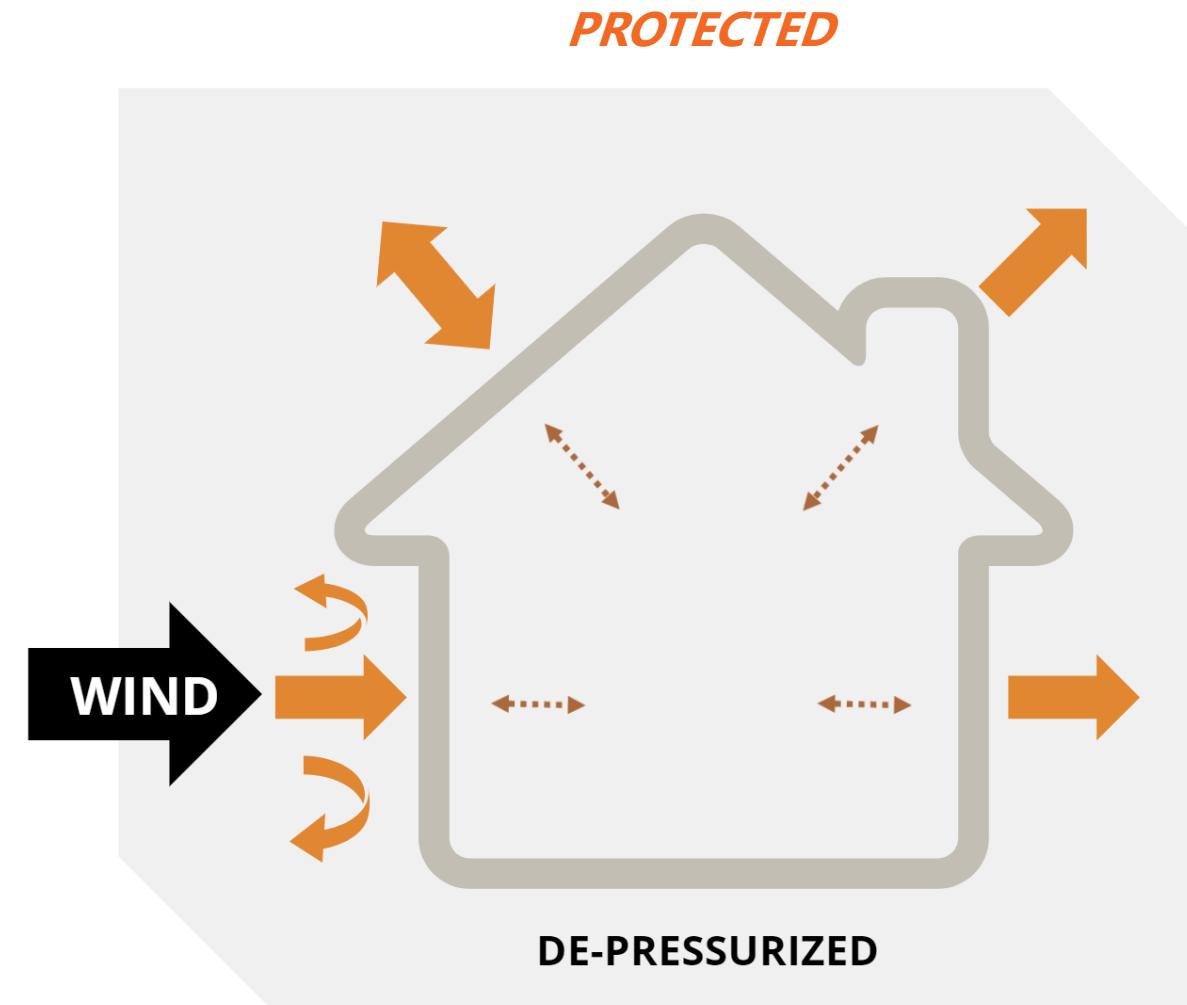
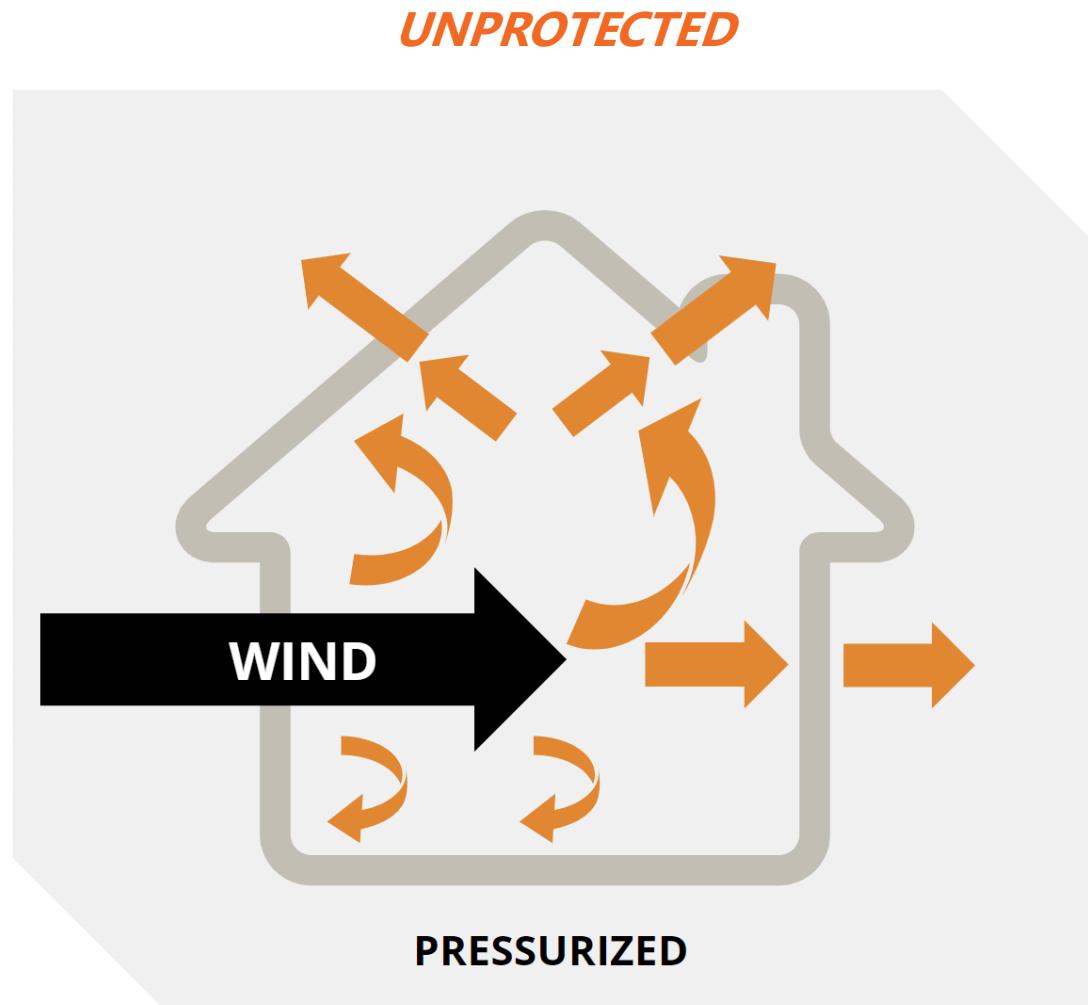
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How Wind Forces Act on Buildings

When building becomes pressurized, **uplift pressure on roof increases**.



Why Protect Openings?



Why Protect Openings?

Which house was protected?



Crystal Beach, Texas on Sept 21, 2008 after Hurricane Ike. Photo Courtesy of FEMA ID 38764 by Patsy Lynch/FEMA.

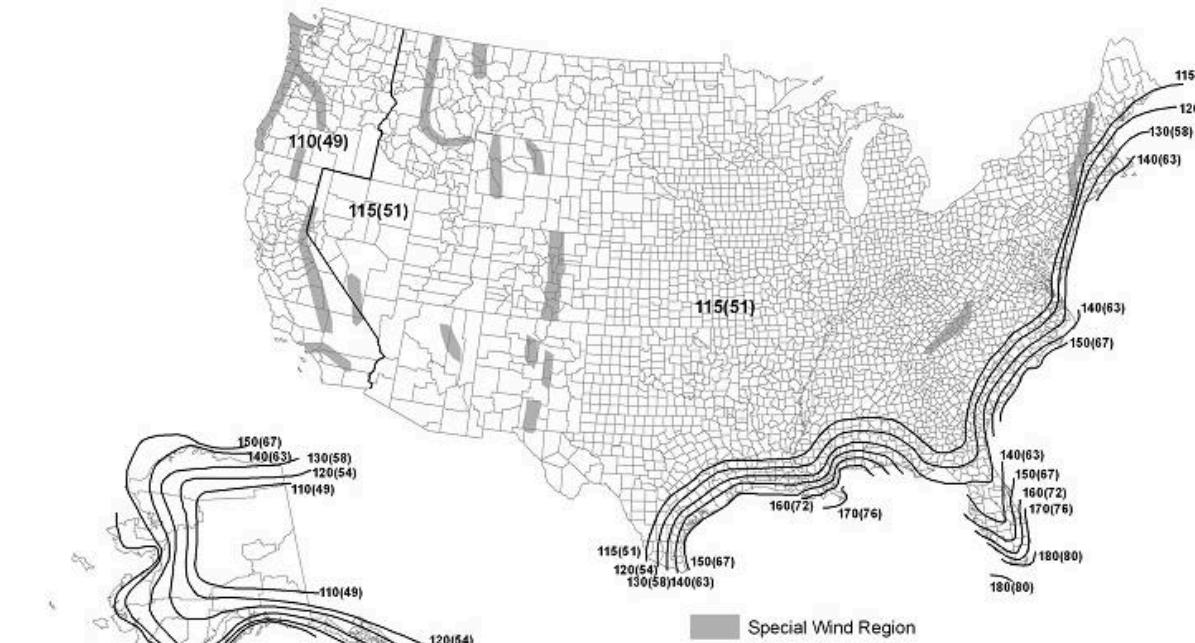
Wind Forces: Other Influencing Factors

- Height
- Building shape and irregularities
- Size and location of component
- Topography
- Presence of other buildings



ASCE 7-16 Wind Speeds

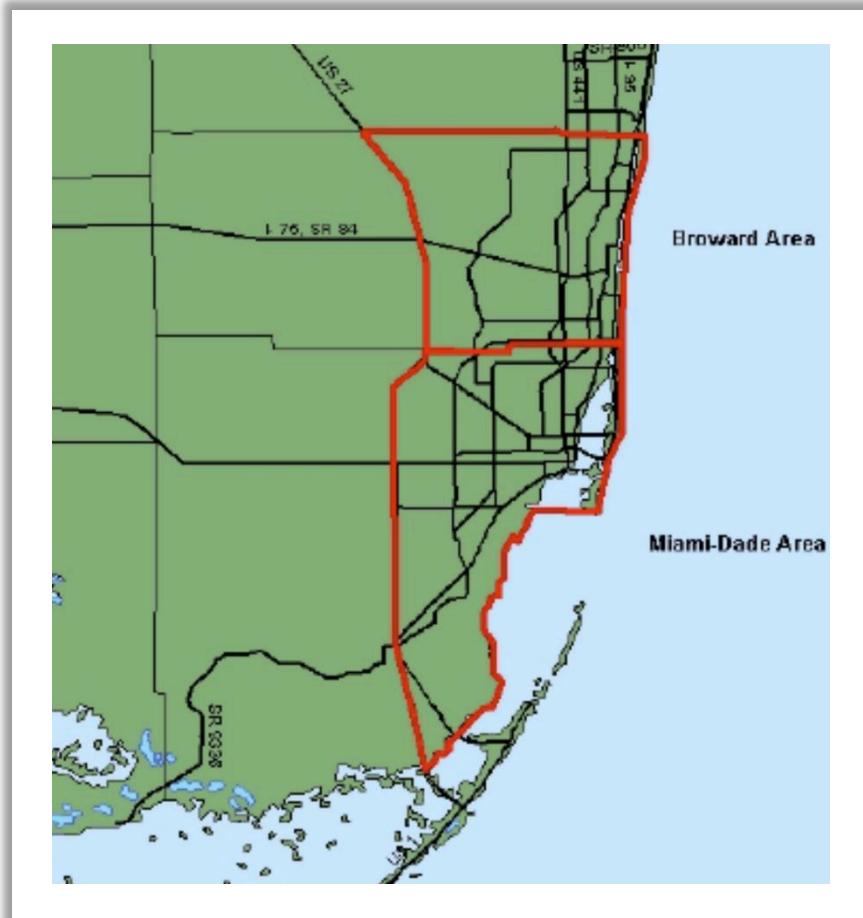
FIGURE 1609A
ULTIMATE DESIGN WIND SPEEDS, V_{ULT} , FOR RISK CATEGORY II BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES



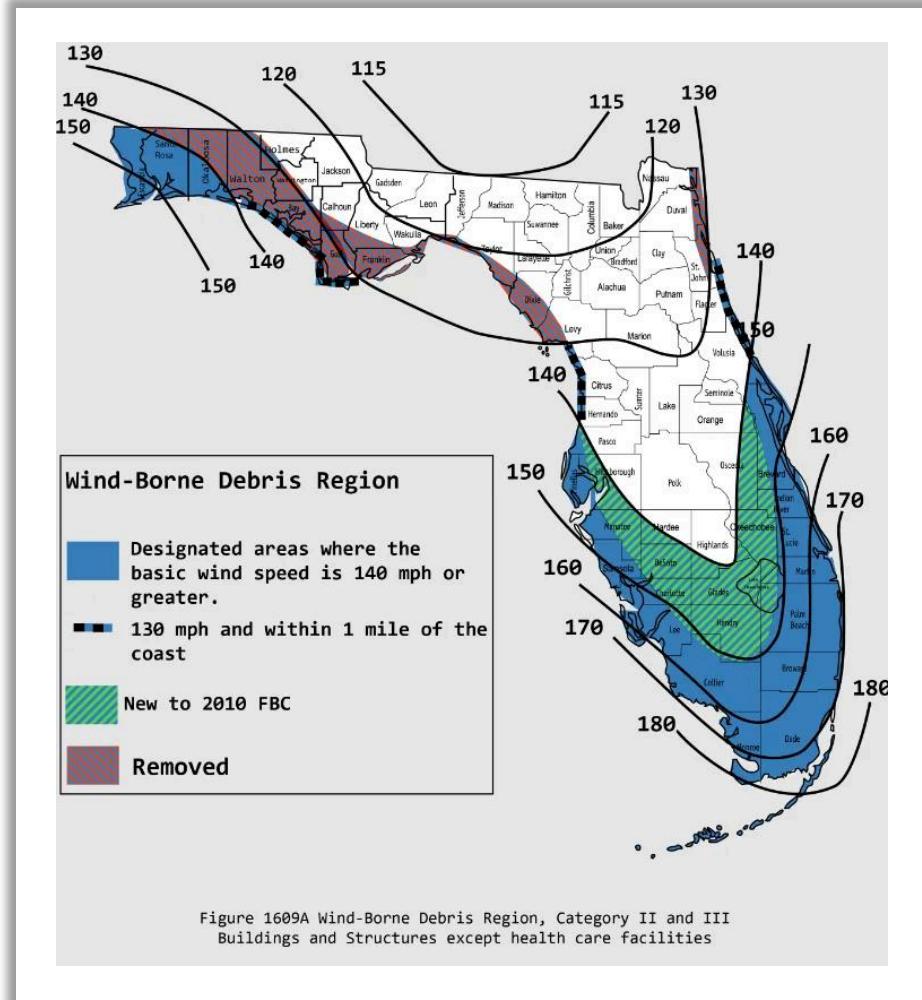
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3. Islands and coastal areas outside the last contour shall use the last wind speed contour of the coastal area.
4. Mountainous terrain, gorges, ocean promontories, and special wind regions shall be examined for unusual wind conditions.
5. Wind speeds correspond to approximately a 7% probability of exceedance in 50 years (Annual Exceedance Probability = 0.00143, MRI = 700 Years).

High-Velocity Hurricane Zones



Source: https://www.researchgate.net/publication/228851071_A_statistical_procedure_to_forecast_the_daily_amount_of_warm_season_lightning_in_South_Florida
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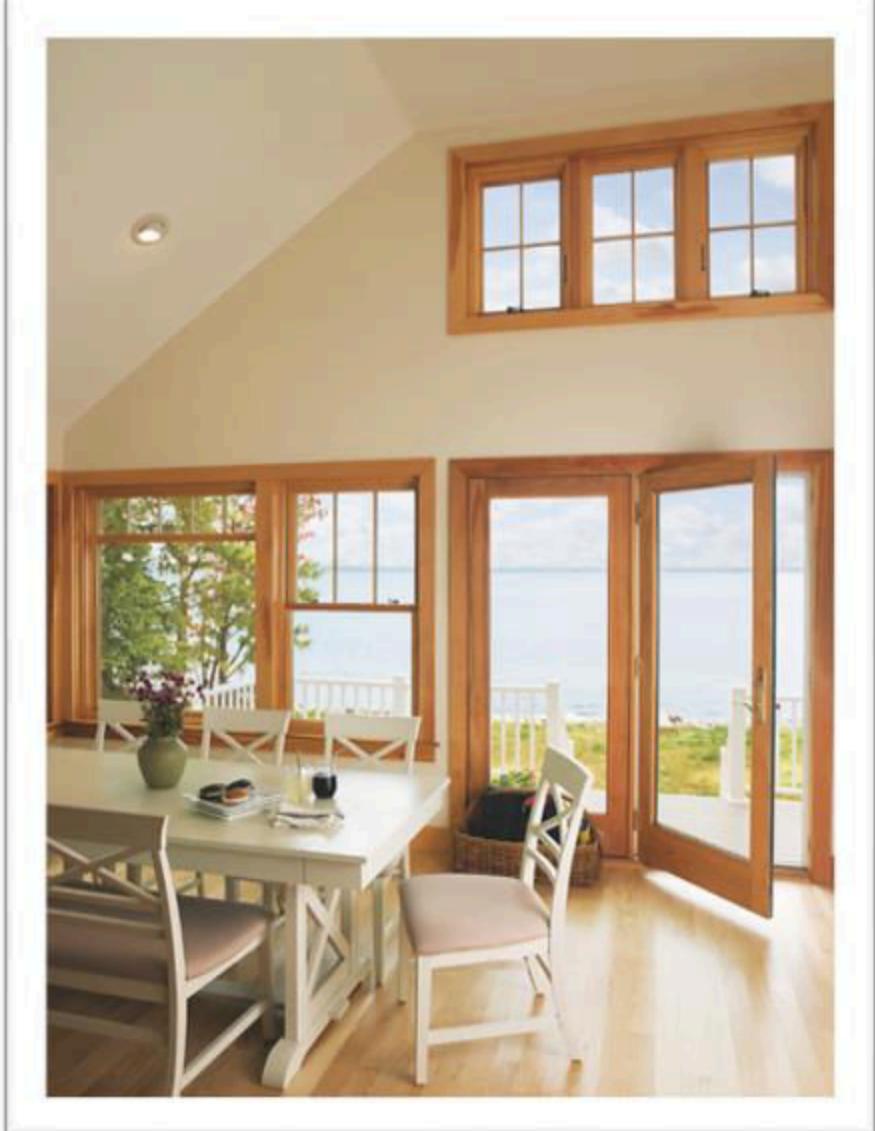


Source: https://www.floridabuilding.org/fbc/wind_2010/flyer_wind_january2012.pdf
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Building Code Requirements

Windows and doors in wind-borne debris regions must meet two separate requirements:

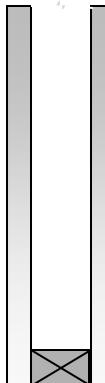
- Design Pressure requirements
- Opening protection requirements:
 - Impact resistant glass
 - Storm panels
 - Shutters



Impact Resistant Glazing Materials

Monolithic laminated

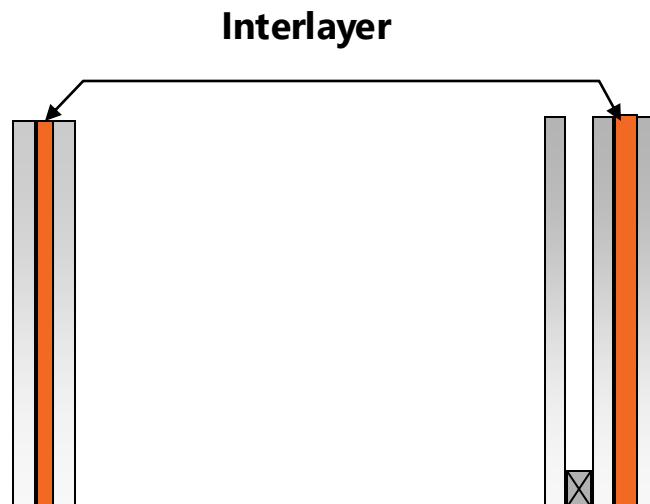
- Use restricted by energy code requirements
- Interlayer material options include:
 - Polyvinyl butyral (PVB), engineered plastic, PVB/Polyester/PVB, and poured in place resin
 - Sentry Glass Plus (SGP), innerlayer
 - *Total interlayer thickness = .090" to pass large missile test



Standard Insulating glass

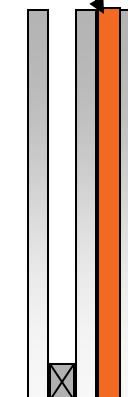
Insulating laminated

- Same interlayer options used with monolithic
- Designed to also meet energy code requirements



Monolithic Impact Resistant glass

Interlayer



Insulating Impact Resistant glass

Product Enhancements

Other sash and frame component upgrades:

- Glazing bead, sealant location
- Hinges
- Sash & frame reinforcement



Lock System
Materials
Multiple locks

Installation Methods
Type and location

Opening Protection Options

Physical protection

- Storm shutters
- Screens
- Storm panel
- Wood structural panel
 - Wind speed < 130 MPH
 - Mean roof height \leq 33'
 - Precut panels - 7/16" thick,
 \leq 8' long
 - Engineered anchors



Opening Protection Options

These methods of opening protection require manual or electrical operation, or manual installation prior to the high wind event.



Automatic Rolldown Shutters



Awning Shutters



Bahama Shutters



Accordion Shutters



Storm Panel Shutters



Plywood Shutters

Test Standards

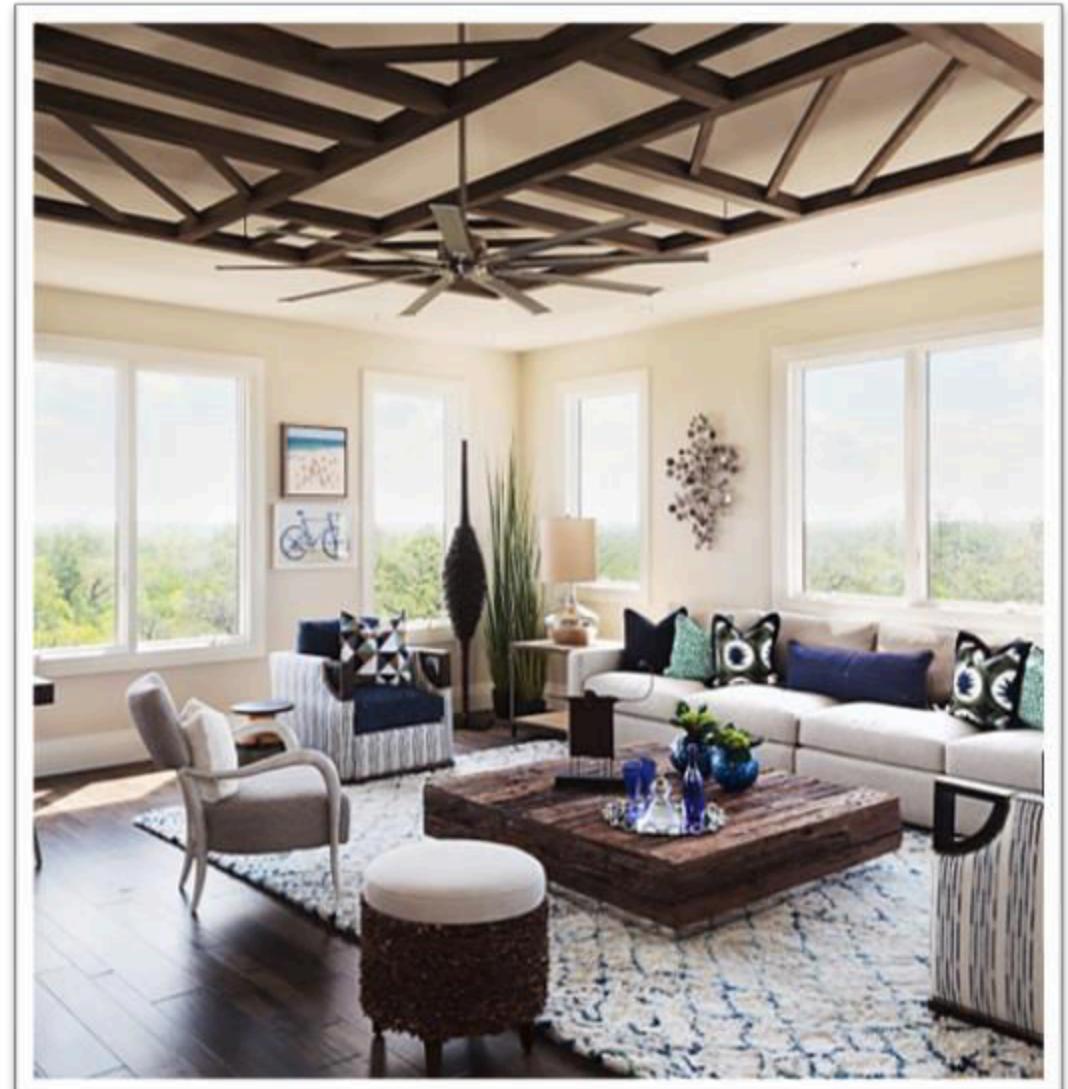
ASTM Wind-Borne Debris Test Method E-1886 and Specification E-1996

ASTM E1886: Defines test method

- Defines devices and apparatus
- Defines procedures for reporting

ASTM E1996: Defines test specifications

- Missile type, size, weight and speed at impact, location, and number of strikes
- Pressure cycles
- Failure criteria



Wind-Borne Debris Testing

The purpose of these tests is to simulate the effects of a hurricane or other high wind event:

- The **impact** of wind-borne debris
- The fluctuation of **wind toward and away from** windows and doors



Test Standards

ASTM E-1996 - Missiles

Wind Zone	Wind Speed	Missile	Size	Velocity
Zone 1	110 to 120 mph	A	10 2g Steel Balls	130 ft/s (89 mph)
Zone 2	120 to 130 mph	B	2x4 @ 2 lbs.	50 ft/s (34 mph)
Zone 3	130 to 140 mph	C	2x4 @ 4.5 lbs.	40 ft/s (27 mph)
Zone 4	> 140 mph	D	2x4 @ 9 lbs.	50 ft/s (34 mph)
		E	2x4 @ 9 lbs.	80 ft/s



Small Missile Impact Test

- 2 g steel balls (simulates roof aggregate)
- Applies to units 30' to 60' above grade
 - Measured to center of unit
- 30 balls are fired at each target in 3 groups of 10 balls each
- 3 test units, one target each unit, targets at center, corner and edge
- Impact speed = 130 ft/second (89 mph)



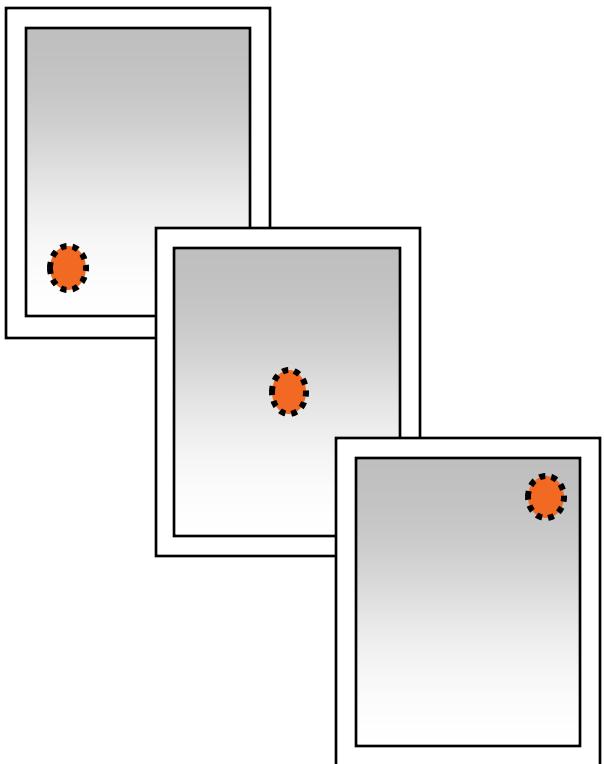
Large Missile Impact Test

- Nominal 2x4 lumber (simulates large debris, tree branch)
- 9 lbs., 8 ft. for 120 mph wind zone & higher
 - Smaller size (4.5 lbs.) for 110 mph wind zone
- Applies to units up to 30' above grade
 - Measured to center of unit
- 3 test units, one impact each
 - Targets: center and 6" from two corners
- Impact speed = 50 ft/sec (34 mph)



Missile Impact Locations

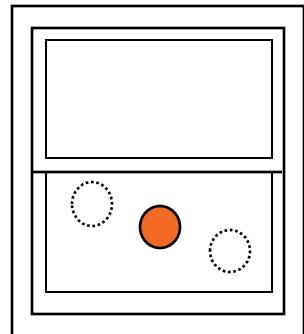
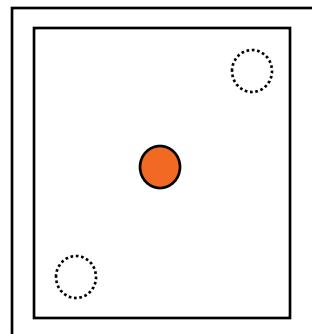
- Impacted in 3 places (targets) on the glass area of 3 individual units
- All 3 tested units must pass



Large Missile Impact Test Comparison

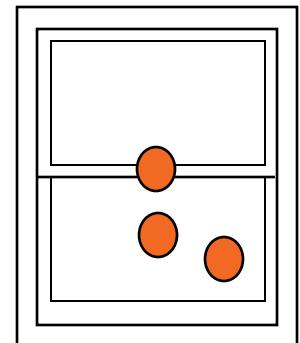
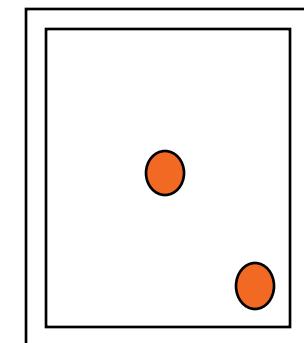
ASTM E1996

- Nominal 2x4 Lumber
- **Size varies for lesser wind zones**
- Length = 8 feet
- Weight = 9 lb.
- Speed = 50 f/s (34 mph)
- One impact
- No tear greater than 5" or an opening up to 3" in diameter



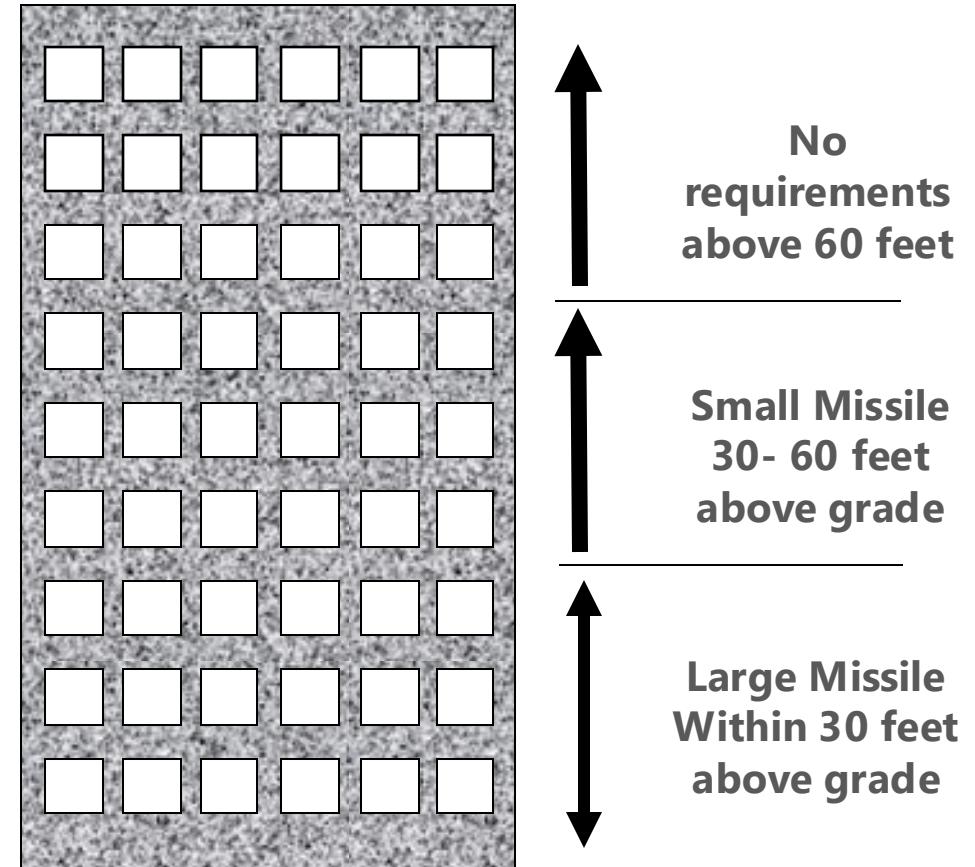
TAS 201

- S4S nominal 2x4 #2 Surface Dry Southern Pine
- **All wind zones**
- Length = 7 to 9 feet
- Total Weight = 9 lb.
- Speed = 50 f/s (34 mph)
- Two impacts
- No tear over 1/16" x 5"



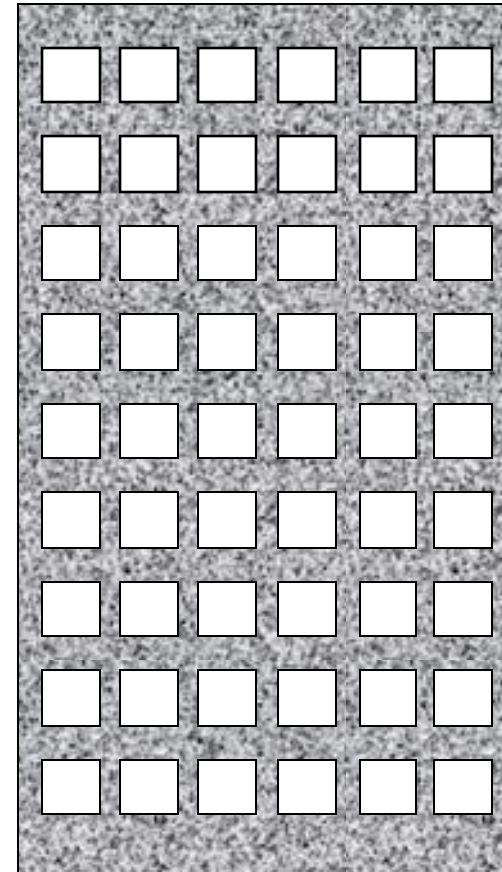
ASTM Impact Requirements

If product passes the Large Missile Impact test, small impact testing is not required.



TAS Impact Requirements

If product passes the Large Missile Impact test, small impact testing is not required.



**Florida requires
Small Missile
30 feet to top of
building**

**Large Missile
within 30 feet
above grade**

Pressure Cycle Testing

ASTM E1996 Cyclic Pressure Test

- Simulates pressure fluctuation during high wind event
- The units must first pass missile impact test
- Must pass 4,500 cycles of positive & 4,500 cycles of negative applied pressure (shown in video)
- Pressures are % of rating the unit is being tested to achieve



Pressure Cycle Testing

Cyclic wind pressure testing:

4,500 Positive Cycles

4,500 Negative Cycles

Design pressure increased each sequence

Pressure Direction	Loading Sequence	% of Load Range	Number of Cycles
Inward Acting Pressure P_{max} =maximum positive wind pressure in accordance with specified wind calculation method	1	0.2 P_{max} to 0.5 P_{max}	3500
	2	0 to 0.6 P_{max}	300
	3	0.5 P_{max} to 0.8 P_{max}	600
	4	0.3 P_{max} to 1.0 P_{max}	100
Outward Acting Pressure P_{max} =maximum negative wind pressure in accordance with specified wind calculation method	5	0.3 P_{max} to 1.0 P_{max}	50
	6	0.5 P_{max} to 0.8 P_{max}	1050
	7	0 to 0.6 P_{max}	50
	8	0.2 P_{max} to 0.5 P_{max}	3350

Impact Test Criteria

Test Failure Criteria

- No tear or crack longer than 5" x 1/16" wide that air can pass through
- No opening that a 3" sphere can pass through
- All 3 test units must pass impact and pressure cycle tests



Structural Performance Testing

- Impact resistant units are tested to the same test standards as non-impact resistant units: ASTM E330
- Units are tested to 1.5 times the rated design pressure
 - **Example:** A unit rated at Performance Grade 50 must pass 75 pounds per square foot of test pressure
 - $(50 \times 1.5 = 75 \text{ psf})$
- Performance Grade: identifies product tested for air, water and structural performance



Air and Water Testing

Impact resistant units are tested to the same test standards as non-impact resistant units.

Water Penetration ASTM E547

- Unit sprayed with water while under pressure (psf)
 - Example: For a PG 50 rating, 7.50 psf is used. (Test pressure equals 15% of DP)
- Water is applied continuously in 5-minute cycles
- Amount of water penetration not measured – pass/fail rating
- Failure occurs if water passes into interior of room

Air Leakage ASTM E283

- Air measured in cubic feet per minute (cfm) per sq. ft. of unit. Maximum allowable leakage = .30 cfm/sq. ft.
- Air pressure is applied at 1.57 cfm (6.24 cfm for Heavy Commercial and Architectural window class)
- Pass/fail rating

Test Reports

Intertek



SUMMARY TEST REPORT

Report Number: E3276.02-201-44

Test End Date: 12/17/2014

Report Date: 02/17/2015

Test Record Retention End Date: 12/17/2018

SERIES TESTED:

MODEL TESTED

NAFS-08/-11

Series 07 Clad Double Hung Vent with HMIG
3466

Class R-PG55 Size Tested 1016 x 1981 mm (40.0 x 78.0 in.)-H

Test

Results Summary

Resistance to Air Infiltration

0.16 cfm/ft² (ASTM E283)

Resistance to Water Penetration

Pass at DP55 (ASTM E547)

Resistance to Structural Loading

Pass at DP55 (ASTM E330)

Forced Entry Resistance

Pass (ASTM F588)

ASTM E1886 / ASTM E1996

Test

Results Summary

Impact

No rips, tears or penetrations, Missile D, Zone 4

Pressure Cycling

DP+55/-65 psf

REFERENCE:

See Intertek-ATI Report No. E3276.01-201-44 and E3266.02-201-18
for complete test results.

Research and Innovation

Numerous efforts to improve testing requirements

Wall of Wind (WoW) at the International Hurricane Research Center, FIU Miami, simulates the effects of both wind and wind-driven rain.

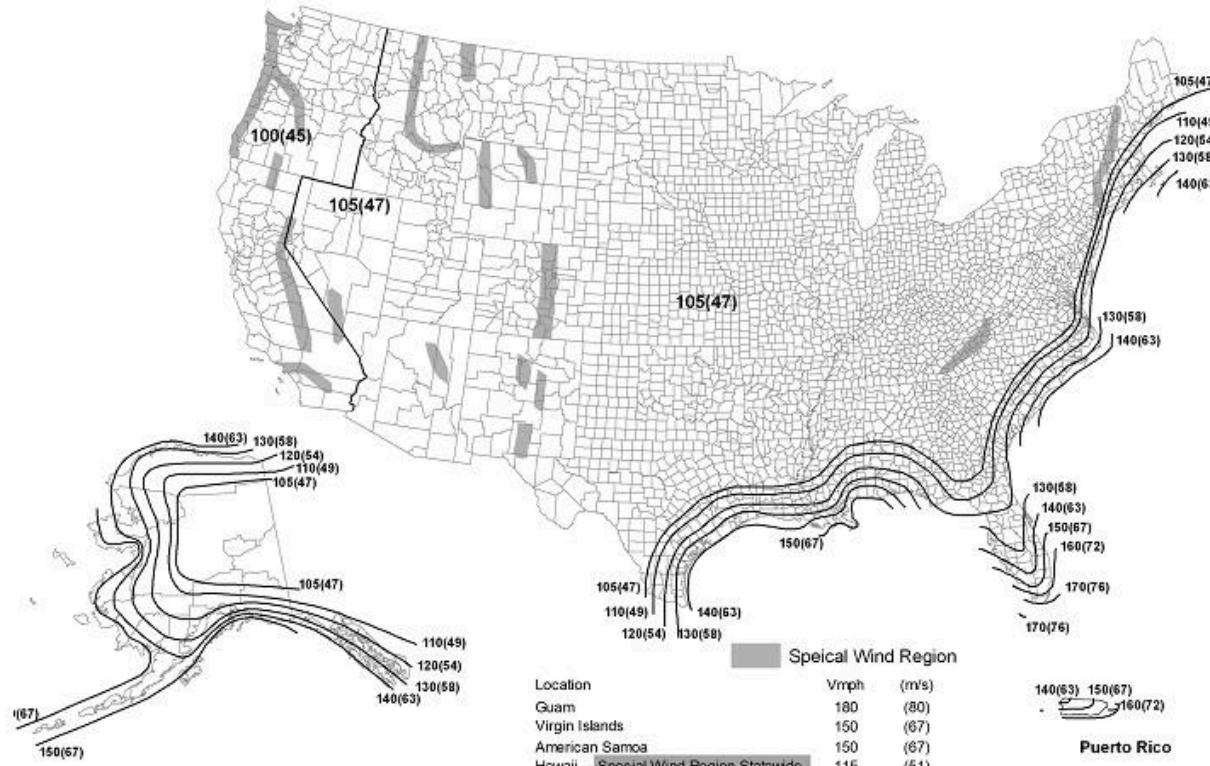


Determining Wind Load Requirements

What design pressure rating is required for windows and doors in a project with these characteristics?

- Residential structure
- Located in 140 mph wind speed zone
- Located on the coast in Exposure C
- Mean roof height = 45 feet
- Window size = 10 square feet

FIGURE 1609.3(3) BASIC DESIGN WIND SPEEDS, V , FOR RISK CATEGORY IV BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES



Notes:

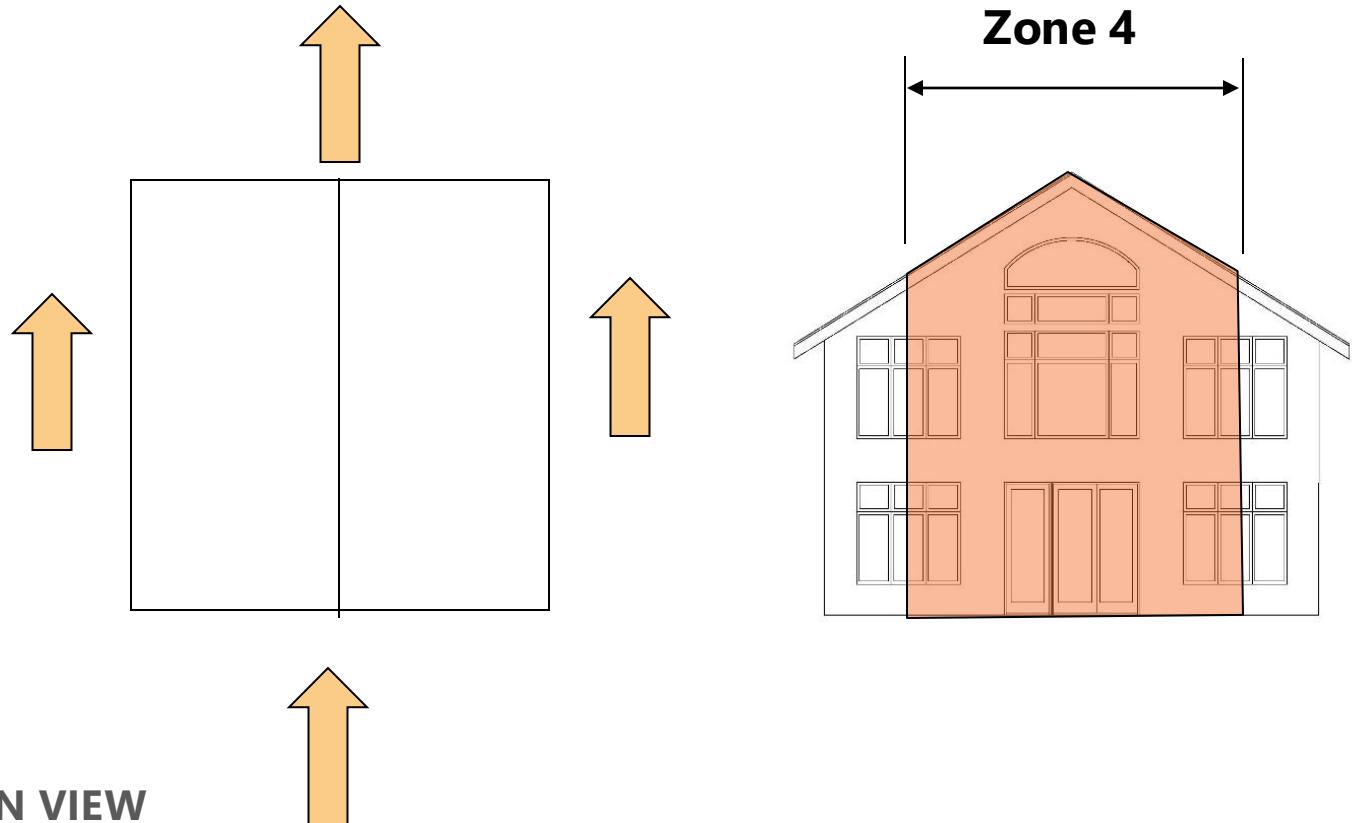
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Wind Zones

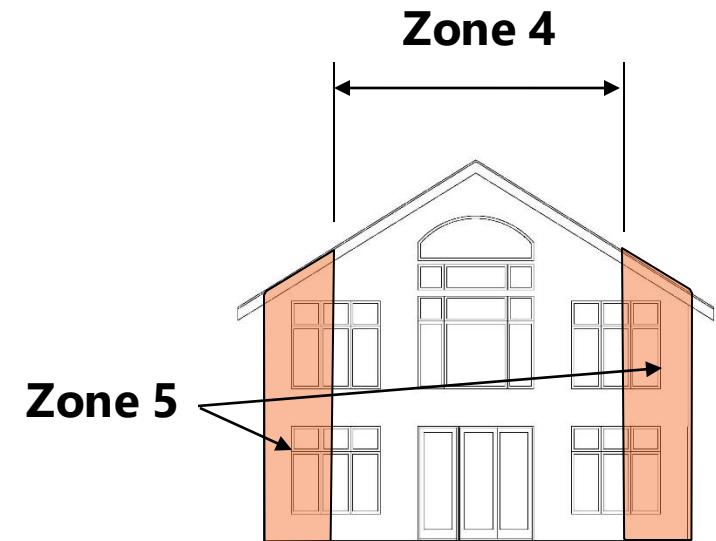
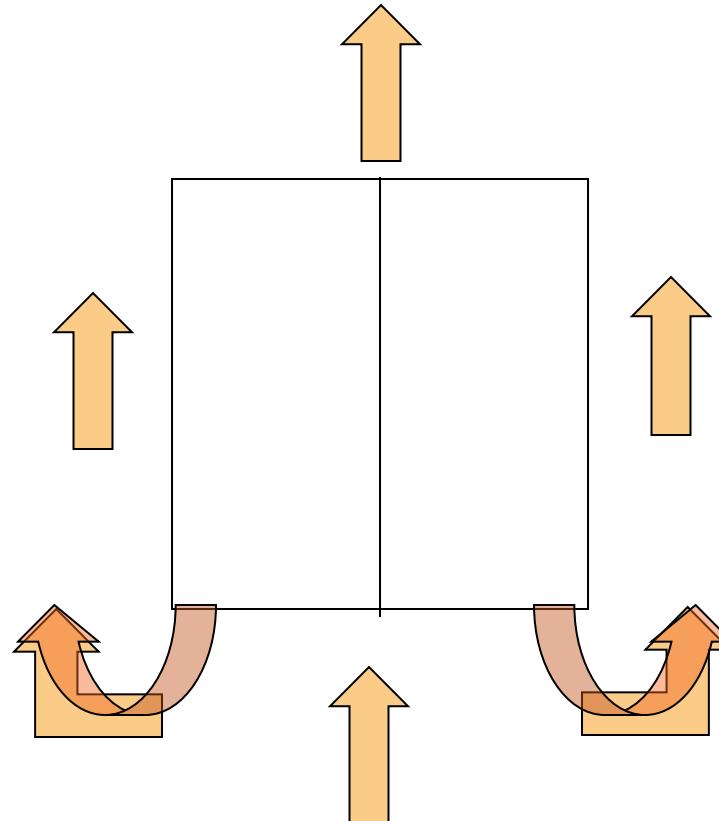
Zone 4: Body of building



Wind Zones

Zone 4: Body of building

Zone 5: Corner zone



Mean Roof Height

Distance from grade to halfway between the soffit and ridge of a gabled roof



Exposure Categories



Exposure B: Cities & residential areas



Exposure C: Flat open areas



Exposure D: Open water $> 5,000$ ft across, Hurricane-prone regions

Exposure A: Deleted in ASCE 7-02, Applied to cities with tall closely spaced buildings.

Design Pressure Example

Step 1: Go to Table R301.2(2) of the International Residential Code (IRC). Refer to the "Wall" section.

	ZONE	EFFECTIVE WIND AREA (feet ²)	ULTIMATE DESIGN WIND SPEED, <i>V_{ULT}</i> (mph)														
			110	115	120	130	140	150	160	17	18	19	20				
Wall	4	10	13.1	-14.0	14.3	-15.0	15.5	-16.0	18.2	-19.0	21.2	-22.0	24.3	-26.0	27.7	-30.0	31.2
	4	20	12.5	-13.0	13.6	-14.0	14.8	-16.0	17.4	-19.0	20.2	-22.0	23.2	-25.0	26.4	-28.0	29.7
	4	50	11.7	-12.0	12.8	-14.0	13.9	-15.0	16.3	-17.0	19.0	-20.0	21.7	-23.0	24.7	-27.0	27.9
	4	100	11.1	-12.0	12.1	-13.0	13.2	-14.0	15.5	-17.0	18.0	-19.0	20.6	-22.0	23.5	-25.0	26.5
	4	500	10.0	-10.0	10.6	-11.0	11.6	-12.0	13.6	-15.0	15.8	-17.0	18.1	-20.0	20.6	-22.0	23.2
	5	10	13.1	-17.0	14.3	-19.0	15.5	-20.0	18.2	-24.0	21.2	-28.0	24.3	-32.0	27.7	-37.0	31.2
	5	20	12.5	-16.0	13.6	-17.0	14.8	-19.0	17.4	-22.0	20.2	-26.0	23.2	-30.0	26.4	-34.0	29.7
	5	50	11.7	-14.0	12.8	-16.0	13.9	-17.0	16.3	-20.0	19.0	-23.0	21.7	-27.0	24.7	-31.0	27.9
	5	100	11.1	-13.0	12.1	-14.0	13.2	-16.0	15.5	-19.0	18.0	-22.0	20.6	-25.0	23.5	-28.0	26.5
	5	500	10.0	-10.0	10.6	-11.0	11.6	-12.0	13.6	-15.0	15.8	-17.0	18.1	-20.0	20.6	-22.0	23.2

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Design Pressure Example

Step 2: Determine the adjustment factor.

To do this, identify the appropriate Height and Exposure Adjustment Coefficients in Table R301.2(3) for 45-foot mean roof height and Exposure C (on the shore). The adjustment factor = 1.53

TABLE R301.2(3)
HEIGHT AND EXPOSURE ADJUSTMENT COEFFICIENTS FOR TABLE R301.2(2)

MEAN ROOF HEIGHT	EXPOSURE		
	B	C	D
15	1.00	1.21	1.47
20	1.00	1.29	1.55
25	1.00	1.35	1.61
30	1.00	1.40	1.66
35	1.05	1.45	1.70
40	1.09	1.49	1.74
45	1.12	1.53	1.78
50	1.16	1.56	1.81
55	1.19	1.59	1.84
60	1.22	1.62	1.87

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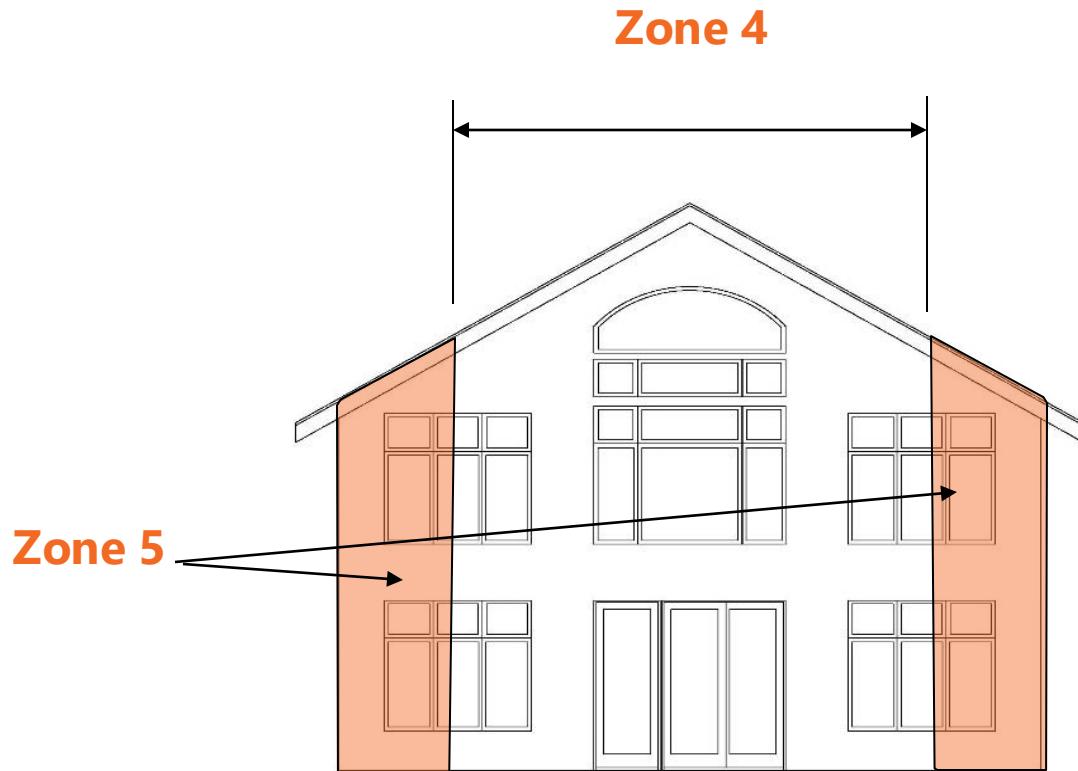
From Step 1:

Interior (Zone 4) design pressures

- 21.2 psf positive pressure
- (-)34.0 psf negative pressure

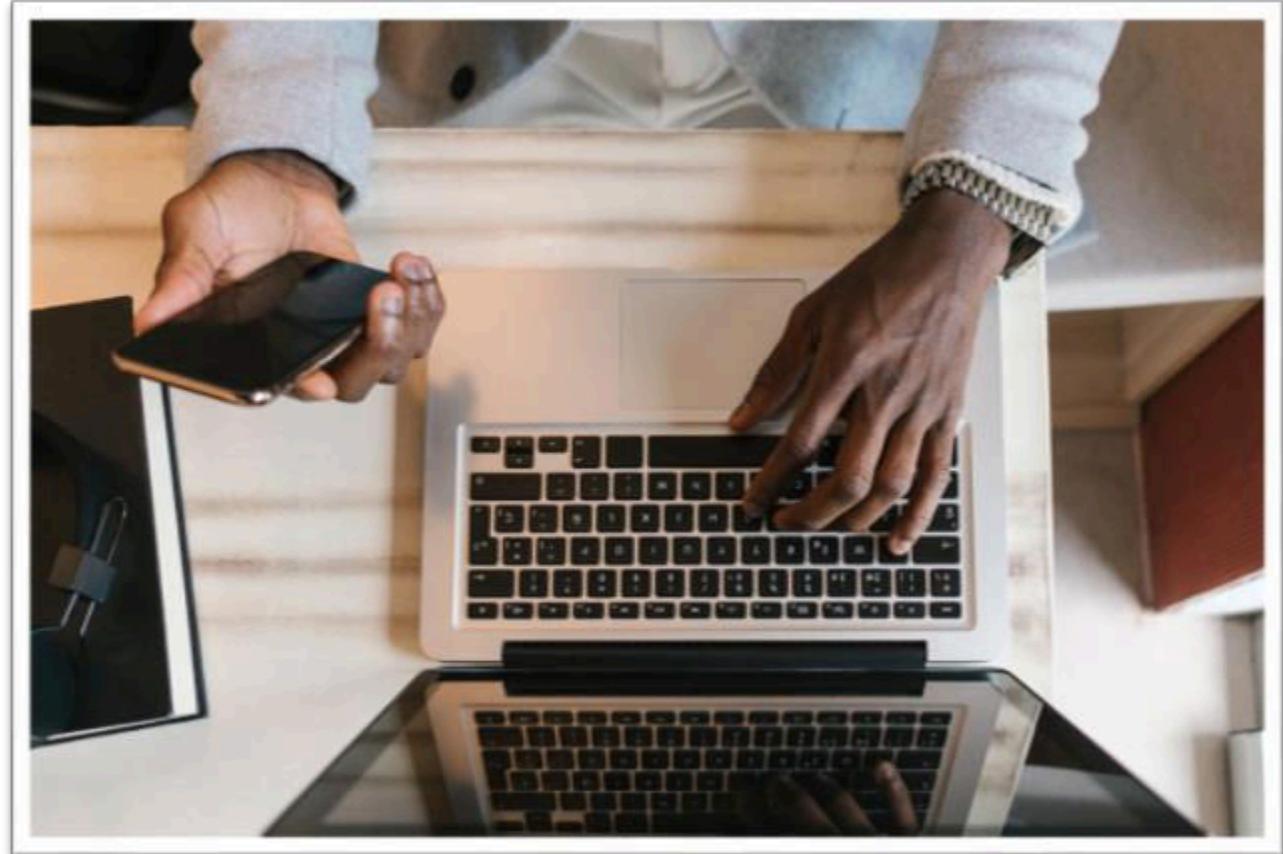
Corner (Zone 5) design pressures

- 21.2 psf positive pressure
- (-)43.0 psf negative pressure



Design Pressure Estimating Tools

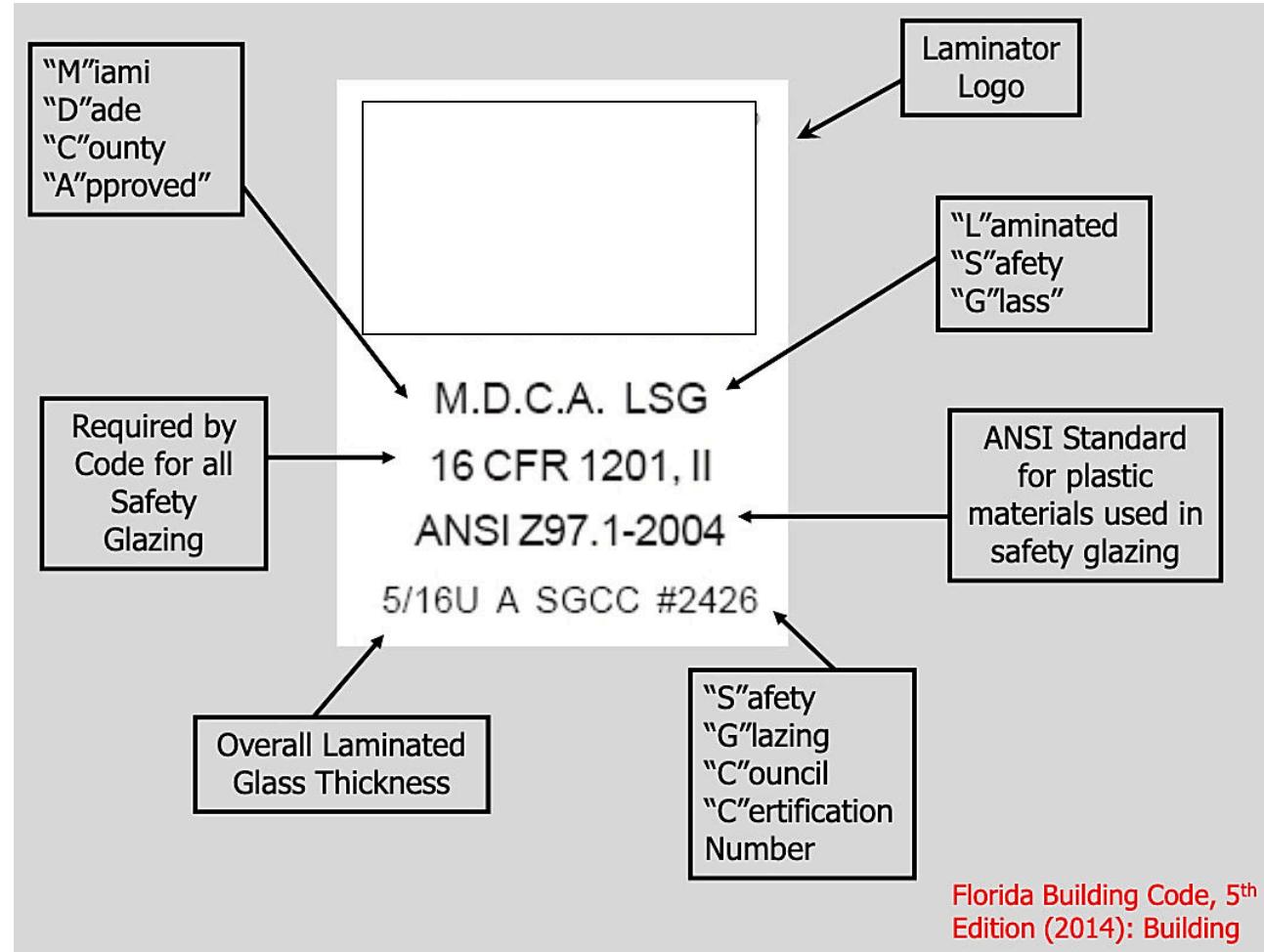
- Calculate design wind pressures for windows and doors
- Obtain site-specific wind speeds
- Calculate design roof-to-wall uplift loads



Florida Requirements

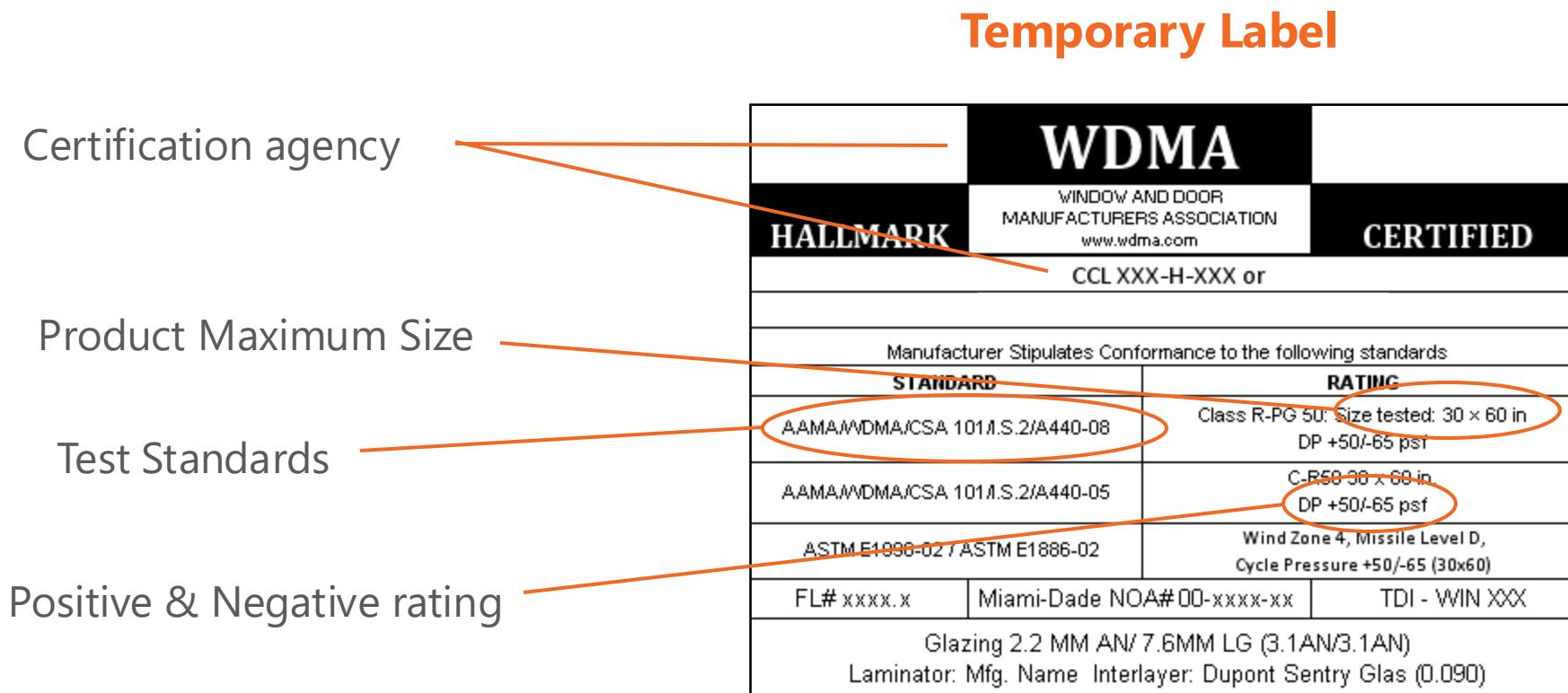
Products need to be identified in order to provide compliance with the wind loads. Florida has additional requirements for impact product identification.

- Each pane of tempered glass requires a permanent label that identifies:
 - Laminator
 - Overall glass thickness
 - Trade name of interlayer
- Label can be acid etched, ceramic fired, laser etched, embossed, sand etched, or of a type that cannot be removed



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Conclusion

Code requirements, testing, opening protection methods, and materials

- Air and Water Infiltration Tests
- Structural Wind Load Resistance Test
- Impact Test
- Pressure Cycling Test

- Methods of Protection
- Glass Options
- Physical Barriers

- Design Pressure Performance
- Product Labeling



Going “Beyond Code”

Hurricane Michael

- Many homes damaged or destroyed were built before strict codes in place
- Design pressure in Mexico Beach is only 120 mph
- This newer home was built according to “Fortified Home” requirements



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