

Interior Attachments Task Group
Monday, November 3, 2008

Task Group meeting was called to order by Mike Cienian who did the Anti-Trust and NFRC Meeting Guidelines reminders to the group.

Mike explained that there were several Work Groups reporting to the Task Group that were active that would be covered in the agenda:

- Reference Base Case Windows
- Product/Product Family
- Attachment Mounting Instructions for Test and Simulation
- NFRC 100 U-factor Technical Procedure Needs for Attachments
- NFRC 200 SHGC Technical Procedure Needs for Attachments

Unfinished Business:

4a) Mike Cienian and Fred Higgins explained that the Interior Attachments and Exterior Attachments Task Groups had combined their efforts to establish technical procedures for rating both interior and exterior attachment products with a common set of procedures. This was to better leverage the time and effort of the expert resources that were supporting both groups.

Also, it is the expressed desire of both groups to have a common process that will serve the purposes of both groups, and simplify the amount of work in NFRC if possible. The philosophy that is guiding both groups is to utilize wherever possible existing NFRC data, references and procedures in the attachments work.

4b) The group recognized that Willie duPont had shared the update of Reference Base Case Windows as part of the Storm Window Task Group meeting. The direction we are heading is to have a common set of Reference Base Case Windows that will serve all attachment Task Groups. We are pleased to now have Storm Windows participating in our combined Task Group meetings.

4c) Sanjiv Malkin shared the Product/Product Family spreadsheet that is being developed to support both Interior and Exterior attachments. Product groupings and features were reviewed.

4d) Rob Simons gave an overview of the efforts of two of the Work Groups:

- Attachment Mounting Instructions for Test and Simulation
- NFRC 100 U-factor Technical Procedure Needs for Attachments

4e) John Gant gave an overview of the efforts of the work group addressing NFRC 200 SHGC Technical Procedure Needs for Attachments.

There was no new business. Meeting was adjourned.
Submitted by Mike Cienian