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The EcoExcel™ package guarantees you'll get the top Andersen® energy-saving features and qualify for the tax credit.* By combining the most innovative glass technologies with our exclusive Perma-Shield® cladding, Andersen® 400 Series windows and patio doors are up to **70% more energy-efficient** than those with ordinary dual-pane glass.¹



Get excellent energy performance.

SmartSun™ glass technology

lets the sunshine in, keeps heat build-up out and blocks 95% of harmful ultraviolet (UV) rays that can damage fabrics and cause colors to fade.



Low-E4® glass coating

is the new standard for high performance and low maintenance. It stays clean longer than ordinary glass and eliminates up to 99% of water spots.²



Andersen windows and doors with the EcoExcel™ package exceed ENERGY STAR® criteria for every climate zone in the United States.

Perma-Shield® system

gives Andersen windows and doors a tough protective shell that safeguards the wood inside. This exclusive vinyl cladding repels water, resists dents³ and blocks the transfer of heat significantly better than aluminum cladding. Best of all, it looks great and never needs painting.



Window replacement returns nearly **77%** of investment costs at resale.⁴

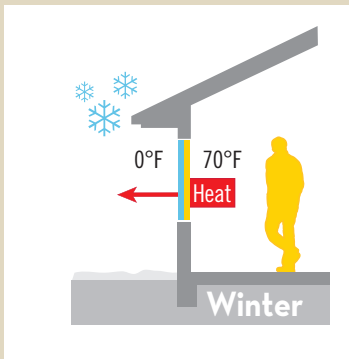
Get a Tax Credit up to \$1500 Guaranteed.*

The EcoExcel™ package makes it easy. While most windows don't qualify for the tax credit, all Andersen® windows and patio doors with the EcoExcel™ package do. Guaranteed.* And with the EcoExcel™ package, there is no need for expensive upgrades, such as triple-pane glass.

3 Simple Steps to Getting Your Tax Credit

- 1 Purchase and install replacement products with the EcoExcel™ package by December 31, 2010 and save the sales receipt.
- 2 Download the Andersen Manufacturer's Certification Statement from www.andersenwindows.com/TaxCredit and keep it with the sales receipt.
- 3 Claim the tax credit when filing your Federal taxes for the 2009 and/or 2010 tax year.

There's only one way to confidently compare the energy efficiency of windows and patio doors. Look for the National Fenestration Rating Council (NFRC) energy performance label. The NFRC ratings are used by the IRS to determine which products qualify for the tax credit.



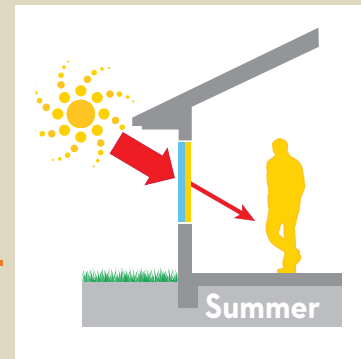
U-Factor *Insulating value*

U-Factor measures how well a product prevents heat from escaping. U-Factor ratings generally fall between 0.20 and 1.20. The lower the number, the better.

To qualify for the tax credit, the U-Factor must be .30 or lower.



It's all on the label.



Solar Heat Gain Coefficient *How well a window blocks heat from sunlight*

SHGC is expressed as a number between 0 and 1, which translates to the percentage of heat from the sun that enters through a window. As with U-Factor, the lower the number, the better.

To qualify for the tax credit, the SHGC must be 0.30 or lower.

*See Andersen's Manufacturer's Certification Statement at www.andersenwindows.com for a list of products in Andersen's EcoExcel™ package that meet the eligibility requirements for the tax credit under Section 25C of the Internal Revenue Code as amended by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. Andersen guarantees only that products will meet tax credit performance criteria. Andersen expressly disclaims any responsibility for other criteria determining whether a particular purchase or application qualifies for the tax credit. Further, Andersen does not intend to and is not providing legal or tax advice and recommends that purchasers consult their own tax advisor to determine whether the products they purchase for a particular application qualify for the tax credit.

1- Values are based on a comparison in summer of the U-Factor and SHGC for an Andersen 400 Series tilt-wash double hung window with SmartSun™ glass to the U-Factor and SHGC for clear dual-pane glass, non-metal frame default values from the 2006 International Energy Conservation Code (IECC).

2- Exterior pane, when activated by sunlight.

3- See the Andersen limited warranty for details.

4- National average reported in Remodeling magazine's cost vs. value report 2009-2010.



Get the windows you want.

More energy-saving choices means you don't have to compromise your style.



Andersen makes it easy to complement any décor, any architectural style and any imagination. The EcoExcel™ Energy Performance Package is available on 22 distinctly different styles of windows and patio doors. Combine that with our selection of exterior colors and natural wood interiors in pine, oak or maple and you start to get the picture. We put the energy-saving features you need on virtually any size, shape or combination of windows you could want.



You can also personalize your windows and patio doors with one of the industry's most extensive selections of elegant options and accessories, including Frank Lloyd Wright® series art glass, 12 hardware finishes and an endless array of grilles.



For over a century, Andersen has been helping people make their

homes brighter, beautiful and more comfortable. Our dedication to

craftsmanship has made our windows and doors

a favorite of builders and homeowners alike. Our uncompromising

commitment to **performance** has earned us a

reputation as the most trusted brand in the industry. And our belief

that where you live should be as **individual** as how you

live is the reason more people come home to Andersen than any other

brand of window or patio door.





Our Commitment to the Environment

Andersen is not new to the sustainability movement. We first began rewarding employees for waste-reducing ideas in 1924. That same year, company president Fred Andersen planted 1,000 northern white pine seedlings near our headquarters in Bayport, Minnesota. This century-long commitment to reuse, recycle and reclaim materials is just one reason Andersen is recognized among builders as the number one “green” brand of windows and doors in the nation.¹



Andersen was the first window, door and skylight manufacturer with Green Seal certified products.



Over the past several years, Andersen has won a number of ENERGY STAR awards, including Manufacturer Ally of the Year and the National Window Partner of the Year.



Andersen products are rated, certified and labeled to the National Fenestration Rating Council (NFRC) program standards.



Andersen has received Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) Chain of Custody certification. This coveted certification is awarded to companies that meet stringent standards for traceability in their wood supply chain. © 1996 Forest Stewardship Council A.C. SCS-COC-001337



Andersen is a charter member of the U.S. Green Building Council and strong supporter of its LEED® (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Green Building Rating System.™



Andersen windows and doors were tested and certified to meet the Scientific Certification Systems (SCS) Indoor Advantage™ Gold program criteria for building materials that meet North America's highest standard for indoor air quality.

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1- McGraw-Hill Construction Green Home Builder Survey, 2008.

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