



# Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> Self-cleaning and Solar Control Glass Range

Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> Blue Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> Bronze Pilkington **Activ SunShade**<sup>™</sup> Blue Pilkington **Activ SunShade**<sup>™</sup> Neutral



## Pilkington **Activ**™ Glass Range

Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> the world's first self-cleaning glass, has been specifically designed for conservatories, conservatory roof replacements and large glazed areas.

The first stage of the cleaning process is "photocatalytic". In this stage the coating reacts with daylight to break down organic dirt.

The second stage is "hydrophilic". Here, instead of forming droplets, rainwater hits the glass and spreads evenly, running off in a "sheet" and taking the loosened dirt with it, also drying quickly without leaving streaks.

Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> Clear is the original self-cleaning glass used extensively in the UK for over 15 years with a coating that lasts the lifetime of the glass. It is the ideal option for areas where only self-cleaning glass is required.

Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> is now also available with a range of solar control options, ideal for use in conservatories and orangeries, helping to keep internal temperatures cooler and creating a more comfortable environment that can be used all year round.

- Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> Blue and Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> Bronze; combine self-cleaning and medium solar control properties
- Pilkington Activ SunShade<sup>™</sup> Neutral and Pilkington Activ SunShade<sup>™</sup> Blue; combine self-cleaning properties with superior performance solar-control properties<sup>\*</sup>

For optimum self-cleaning and thermal performance, combine glass from the Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> range with a low-e glass from the Pilkington **K Glass**<sup>™</sup> range in an Insulating Glass Unit (IGU). For outstanding thermal performance Pilkington **Optitherm**<sup>™</sup> S1 Plus, provides a U<sub>a</sub> value of 1.0 W/m<sup>2</sup>K.

### Where to use Pilkington Activ™

- Windows and doors
- Conservatories and orangeries
- Glass roofs
- Replacement conservatory roofs

\* Superior solar control is achieved through an additional offline coating on the inner surface of the outside pane (surface 2).



### **Range summary**

- Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> Clear the original self-cleaning glass
- Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> Blue and Bronze offer excellent aesthetics combining self-cleaning and solar-control properties
- Pilkington Activ SunShade<sup>™</sup> Neutral\* and Blue combine self-cleaning and high performance solar control properties
- Combine Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> with low-e glass such as Pilkington K Glass<sup>™</sup>, Pilkington K Glass<sup>™</sup> S or Pilkington Optitherm<sup>™</sup> S1 Plus in an IGU for the ultimate performance in conservatory roof and vertical glazing
- The Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> range can be used in conjunction with a host of other Pilkington products to achieve a variety of benefits such as: privacy, noise control and safety and security
- Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> coating last the lifetime of the glass

\* The neutral coating on Pilkington **Activ SunShade**<sup>™</sup> Neutral gives a slightly grey appearance which helps reduce transmission of light and heat from the sun.

- Easy to stock, handle and process.
- Available in 4 mm and 6 mm in annealed and toughened forms.



#### Note: Pilkington Activ SunShade" is a dual coated glass and should be made into an IGU with Pilkington Activ" on the outside pane (surface 1) and Pilkington SunShade" on (surface 2) of the outside pane.

The table below gives a simple comparison between standard double glazing, polycarbonate, and high performance Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> conservatory options.

Product	Light Transmittance	Solar Heat Rejection	Colour	U <sub>g</sub> value [W/m²K]	Self-Cleaning Properties
Uncoated double glazing 4 mm / 12 mm air / 4 mm	0.82	21%	Clear	2.8	Ν
25 mm polycarbonate	0.68	45%	Clear	1.75	Ν
Double Insulating Glass Unit construction (with 4 mm Pilkington Optitherm" S1 Plus inner pane 16 mm 90% argon filled cavity)					
Pilkington Activ SunShade <sup>™</sup> Blue	0.18	83%	Blue	1.0	Y
Pilkington Activ SunShade <sup>™</sup> Neutral	0.37	71%	Neutral*	1.0	Y
Pilkington Activ™ Blue	0.42	67%	Blue	1.0	Y
Pilkington Activ <sup>™</sup> Bronze	0.43	68%	Bronze	1.0	Y
Pilkington <b>Activ</b> <sup>™</sup> Clear	0.62	N/A	Clear	1.0	Y

Pilkington Activ SunShade" is a combination of the Pilkington Activ" online coating on surface 1 with an additional offline coating on surface 2, which provides superior solar control.

The Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> range must always be processed, installed and maintained in accordance with our specialist Handling and Processing instructions for Pilkington **Activ**<sup>™</sup> (available on our website).

For more information on the Pilkington Activ<sup>™</sup> range please visit www.pilkington.co.uk/activ

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