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Environmental transparency

Solar Gard has made available the results of its environmental product declaration (EPD) in the UK, which substantiates that Solar Gard architectural solar control window films have a net positive environmental impact.

An EPD is a complete assessment of the environmental impact of a product. By disclosing the complete cradle-to-grave environmental impact of more than 30 architectural solar control window films, Solar Gard said this proves its commitment to transparency, providing consumers and the building sector with the information they need to make environmentally responsible decisions.

“Solar Gard’s is the largest EPD ever completed,” said Julien LaFond, principal of Altanova, the organisation that reviewed Solar Gard’s EPD data. “Their Use Phase (within the Life Cycle Analysis) the broadest number of geographies and building types, and they studied more products than any other manufacturer to date.”

Solar Gard’s EPD is now recorded with two leading EPD registrars, The Green Standard, focused on products made in the US, and The International EPD System in Europe.

Solar Gard’s architectural solar control window films help buildings consume up to 30 percent less energy for cooling by stabilising interior temperatures and transforming standard glass into high performance windows. In doing so, Solar Gard helps reduce a building’s carbon footprint.

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