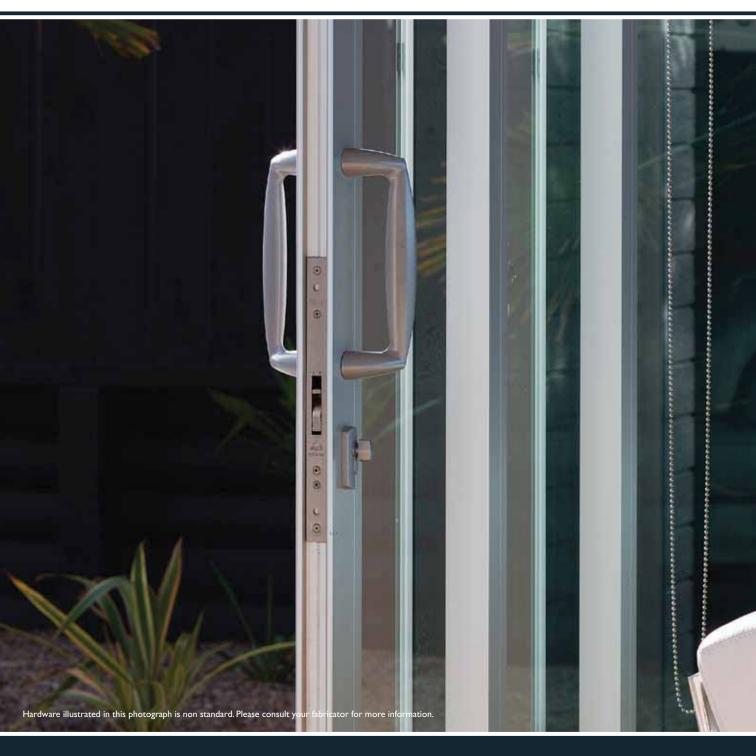
### HARDWARE SOLUTIONS

ANDO™, ICON™ & MIRO™ HARDWARE FOR ALUMINIUM WINDOWS & DOORS







### HARDWARE - THE DEFINING FEATURE OF WINDOWS AND DOORS

Hardware is one of the defining features of windows and doors. The form and function of handles and latches provide a tactile experience that can considerably enhance the appearance and functionality of your windows and doors.

In developing the ANDO™, MIRO™ and ICON™ ranges, we have aimed to achieve three unique and stylish suites of hardware, giving you three distinct and contemporary selections for your windows and doors.

Consistent styling within each range was of paramount concern. Smooth, sleek lines for ANDO $^{TM}$ ', square contemporary styling for ICON $^{TM}$ , and elegant design curves for MIRO $^{TM}$ .

The consistent visual styling will add elegance to your project.

### THREE UNIQUE, STYLISH RANGES

Each of our hardware ranges is uniquely styled to offer you a variety of options for your windows and doors. Select from the smooth, sleek lines of ANDO", square contemporary styling of ICON", and elegant curves of MIRO".







ANDO\*\*
Form follows feeling

Developed to complement the modern design and clean lines of the Designer Series, the ANDO™ range brings a fresh and sleek look to residential windows and doors. Available across the range of window and door applications and in a wide variety of finishes, ANDO™ hardware offers a family appearance providing consistency throughout your project.



ICON™ Strength and integrity

The ICON™ hardware range is a fully integrated range of 316-grade stainless steel hardware for aluminium windows and doors.

The range offers superior weathering performance and outstanding durability making it suitable for all environments. Developed for use with our high performance window systems, ICON™ incorporates a square-edge, rectilinear look which complements the lines of Designer Series or Architectural Series windows and doors.



#### MIRO™ Contemporary style

The MIRO™ range of window and door hardware is a blend of contemporary design and function. It offers a unified look from window to door.

The smooth, ergonomic MIRO™ shapes offer good aesthetics as well as a comfortable hand grip. Secure and convenient locking features have been included.

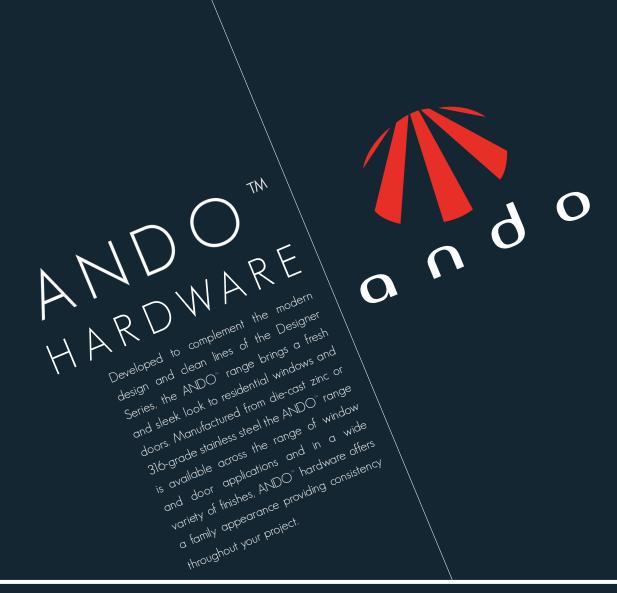
Manufactured from die-cast zinc and available in a range of contemporary powder coat finishes to match or contrast your aluminium joinery.



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### ANDOT TWIN POINT SLIDING DOOR LOCK

This powerful square form handle surface mounts to the door. The handle incorporates a twin actuated locking mechanism with dual 316-grade stainless steel locking tongues. The external pull handle is manufactured from powder coat finished Stainless Steel to deliver excellent corrosion resistance and durability.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 541 Residential Sliding Door

Series 542 Residential Sliding Door

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 471 Apartment Sliding Door

Series 702 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door

Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 210mm Width: 105mm Depth: 44mm



## ANDO\*\* SLIMLINE SLIDING DOOR LOCK

The ANDO™ slimline sliding door lock incorporates a twin actuated locking mechanism with dual 316-grade stainless steel locking tongues. There is no lever or D-pull to protrude over the glass, ensuring clean lines and sleek appearance. The external pull handle is manufactured from powder coat finished Stainless Steel to deliver excellent corrosion resistance.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 541 Residential Sliding Door

Series 542 Residential Sliding Door

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 471 Apartment Sliding Door

Series 702 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door

Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 210mm Width: 30mm Depth: 38mm



## ANDO\*\* SINGLE POINT SLIDING DOOR LOCK

Maintaining the form and style of the ANDO™ range, this single point sliding door lock is ideal for residential applications. The handle surface mounts to the door and offers an integrated single point locking mechanism. The external pull handle is manufactured from powder coat finished Stainless Steel to deliver excellent corrosion resistance and durability.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 541 Residential Sliding Door

Series 542 Residential Sliding Door

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 471 Apartment Sliding Door



#### DIMENSIONS

Height: 210mm Width: 100mm Depth: 40mm



# ANDO\*\* SLIDING DOOR HANDLE

This elegant D'Pull handle is designed to offer a sleek contemporary alternative to surface mounted sliding door locks. Used in conjunction with a mortice lock the ANDO $^{\text{TM}}$  Sliding door handle delivers a secure, functional and elegant solution. The handle is manufactured from 316-grade Stainless Steel and offered in a natural or powder coat finish.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 73 I ThermalHEART™ Sliding Door

Series 702 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door

Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 236mm Width: 66.5mm Depth: 50.5mm



Available in 316-grade Stainless Steel or Powder coat finish



### ANDO™ BI-FOLD OPERATOR

This swivel operator throws locking stainless steel bolts into the frame at the top and bottom of the panel. Optional key-locking (separately installed) is available. Available in 316-grade stainless steel or die-cast zinc with powder coated finish.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 546 Designer Bi-fold Window

Series 548 Designer Bi-fold Door

Series 730 ThermalHEART™ Bi-fold Door

Series 410 FoldMASTER™ Bi-fold Door

Series 411 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door

Series 412 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door



DIMENSIONS (operator)

Height: 143mm Width: 27mm Depth: 15mm



# ANDO TO LOCKING LEVER HANDLE

A clean, compact lever handle with options for single or multi-point locking. Turning the key activates locking rods at the top and bottom of the door. Available in 316-grade stainless steel or powder coat finish.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

- Series 549 Residential Entry Door
- Series 548 Designer Bi-fold Door
- Series 548 Designer Hinged Door
- Series 729 ThermalHEART™ Hinged Door
- Series 730 ThermalHEART™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 410 FoldMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 411 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 412 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 650 Architectural Hinged Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 215mm Width: 125mm Depth: 55mm



# ANDO TO CHAINWINDER

The ANDO $^{\text{TM}}$  manual chainwinder is designed to suit awning window systems. Incorporating a corrosion resistant Polesium $^{\text{TM}}$  body and adjustable 316-grade stainless steel chain, the ANDO $^{\text{TM}}$  manual chainwider is ideal for use in exposed locations.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH









Series 456 Commercial Awning Window

Series 466 Architectural Awning Window



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 50mm Width: 280mm Depth: 50mm



### ANDO\*\* SLIDING WINDOW LOCK

A compact streamlined window lock with retractable handle for a neat, flush finish. Press button to expose handle for window operation, push handle into body to lock and conceal handle. Simple elegant aesthetics make this lock ideal for architectural and designer sliding windows where a minimalist style is desired. Available in powder coated finish.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 601 Designer Sliding Window

Series 602 Designer Sliding Window

Series 461 Apartment Sliding Window

Series 462 Architectural Sliding Window



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 195mm Width: 28mm

Depth: 7mm (handle retracted)



## ANDO DOUBLE HUNG WINDOW LOCK

A simple stylish window lock for use with double-hung windows. Chrome detail on the latch is consistent with other hardware items from the ANDO $^{TM}$  range and gives an elegant air to this simple design. Turn the latch to lock and unlock. Available in a range of powder coat finishes to complement your joinery.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 514 Residential Doube-Hung Window

Series 613 Designer Double-Hung Window

Series 453 Commercial Double-Hung Window

Series 463 Architectural Double-Hung Window



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 30mm Width: 115mm Depth: 30mm



ICONARE HARDWARE The  $ICON^{-}$  hardware range is a fully integrated range of 316-grade stoinless steel hardware for aluminium windows and doors. The range offers superior weathering performance and outstanding durability making it suitable for all environments. Developed for use with our high performance window systems, CON incorporates a square-edge, rectilinear look which complements the lines of Designer and Architectural Series windows and doors.



### ICON<sup>™</sup> TWIN POINT SLIDING DOOR LOCK

Designed to compliment the ICON $^{\text{TM}}$  range this surface mounted lock is ideal for use in residential applications. The Stainless Steel handle incorporates a twin actuated locking mechanism with dual 316-grade stainless steel locking tongues. Available in 316-grade Stainless Steel only.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 541 Residential Sliding Door

Series 542 Residential Sliding Door

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 471 Apartment Sliding Door

Series 702 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door

Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



Internal Handle with removable snib DIMENSIONS

Height: 240mm Width: 98mm Depth: 38mm



Optional External Handle DIMENSIONS

Height: 240mm Width: 33mm Depth: 32mm

Only available in 316-grade Stainless Steel



### ICON™ SLIDING DOOR FLUSH PULL

This is an alternative to a sliding door handle and offers a more understated look. Internal corners of the pull are rounded to soften the aesthetics. A mortice lock with hook bolt is fixed separately and is activated by key or interior turn knob in a rectangular base. Available in 316-grade stainless steel only.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 731 ThermalHEART™ Sliding Door

Series 702 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door

Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 230mm Width: 45mm

Depth: 2mm protrusion from extrusion face

15mm recess



# ICON \*\* SLIDING DOOR HANDLE

This powerful square-form handle offers a firm, comfortable grip and is ideal for larger sliding panels. It is fixed to the door on both the interior and exterior. A mortice lock with hook bolt is fixed separately and is activated by key or internal turn snib in a rectangular base plate. Available in 316-grade stainless steel only.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH







Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 325mm Width: 60mm Depth: 45mm



# ICON\*\* BI-FOLD OPERATOR

This swivel operator throws locking stainless steel bolts into the frame at the top and bottom of the door or window panel. The square corners of the handle are combined with radiused top and bottom surfaces to soften the aesthetics. Optional key-locking (separately installed) is available. Available in 316-grade stainless steel only.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 546 Designer Bi-fold Window

Series 548 Designer Bi-fold Door

Series 730 ThermalHEART™ Bi-fold Door

Series 410 FoldMASTER™ Bi-fold Door

Series 411 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door

Series 412 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door



DIMENSIONS (operator)

Height: 170mm Width: 25mm Depth: 20mm



### ICON™ IEVER HANDLE

A clean, compact lever handle with four point locking as standard. The grip has a gently radiused front face and a curved back for a comfortable hand hold. Used in conjunction with lever compression locking, a lifting movement of the handle activates locking rods at the top and bottom of the door. Available in 316-grade stainless steel only.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

- Series 549 Residential Entry Door
- Series 548 Designer Bi-fold Door
- Series 548 Designer Hinged Door
- Series 729 ThermalHEART™ Hinged Door
- Series 730 ThermalHEART™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 410 FoldMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 411 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 412 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 650 Architectural Hinged Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 210mm Width: 123mm Depth: 44mm



### ICON<sup>™</sup> CASEMENT LATCH

The ICON™ Casement Latch is designed to suit residential awning and casement windows. Manufactured from 316-grade stainless steel, this fastener incorporates square-edged and radiused styling in a bold aesthetic statement. A grey nylon wedge is incorporated.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH







Series 726 ThermalHEART™ Awning/Casement Window

Series 456 Commercial Awning Window

Series 466 Architectural Awning/Casement Window



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 38mm Width: 130mm Depth: 21mm



Wire MIRONARE The  $MRO^{-}$  range of window and door hardware is a blend of contemporary design and function. It offers a unified look from window to door. The smooth. ergonomic MIRO shapes offer good aesthetics as well as a comfortable hand grip. Secure and convenient locking features have been included. Manufactured from die-cast zinc and are available in a range of contemporary powder coat finishes to match or contrast your aluminium joinery.



# MIRO\*\* SINGLE POINT SLIDING DOOR LOCK

Gentle curves and ergonomic design, this single point sliding door lock is ideal for residential applications. The handle surface mounts to the door and offers an integrated single point locking mechanism. The external pull handle is manufactured from powder coat finished Stainless Steel to deliver excellent corrosion resistance.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 541 Residential Sliding Door

Series 542 Residential Sliding Door

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 471 Apartment Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 210mm Width: 110mm Depth: 40mm



## MIRO™ BI-FOLD OPERATOR

The MIRO  $^{\text{TM}}$  Bi-fold operator activates locking rods in the top and bottom of the door or window panel, offering security, convenience and style. A key-locking version is also available.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 546 Designer Bi-fold Window

Series 548 Designer Bi-fold Door

Series 730 ThermalHEART™ Bi-fold Door

Series 410 FoldMASTER™ Bi-fold Door

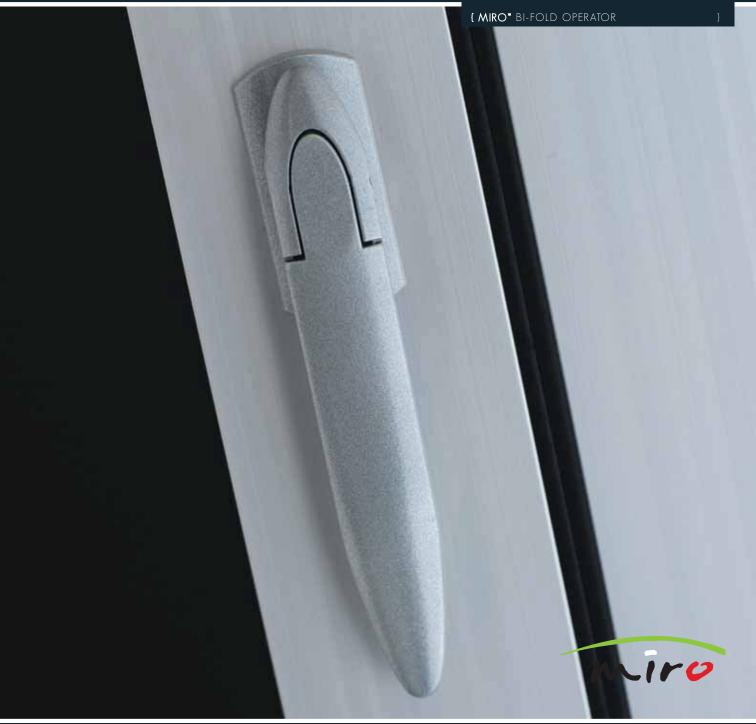
Series 41 I ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door

Series 412 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door



#### DIMENSIONS (operator)

Height: 158mm Width: 30mm Depth: 16mm



## MIRO™ SLIDING DOOR HANDLE

The MIRO $^{\rm IM}$  sliding door 'D' handle is ideal for residential sliding door applications. This handle is typically used in conjunction with a separate key lock or a snib latch in high traffic areas.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

Series 618 MAGNUM™ Sliding Door

Series 731 ThermalHEART™ Sliding Door

Series 702 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door

Series 704 SlideMASTER™ Sliding Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 168mm Width: 55mm Depth: 43mm



## MIRO™ LEVER HANDLE

With a sleek, comfortable grip common to all MIRO $^{\text{TM}}$  hardware, the lever door lock is available in several locking options, including keyed both sides or with interior snib. Used in conjunction with lever compression locking, an upward handle movement activates four-point locking.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH

- Series 549 Residential Entry Door
- Series 548 Designer Bi-fold Door
- Series 548 Designer Hinged Door
- Series 729 ThermalHEART™ Hinged Door
- Series 730 ThermalHEART™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 410 FoldMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 411 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 412 ViewMASTER™ Bi-fold Door
- Series 650 Architectural Hinged Door



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 211mm Width: 130mm Depth: 70mm



# MIRO\*\* CASEMENT LATCH

The MIRO™ Casement Latch combines a sure hand grip with clean lines. The PVC closing wedge is matched to the handle colour. This handle is suitable for residential awning and casement window suites.

#### SUITABLE FOR USE WITH





Series 616 MAGNUM™ Awning/Casement Window

Series 726 ThermalHEART™ Awning/Casement Window

Series 456 Commercial Awning Window

Series 466 Architectural Awning/Casement Window



#### **DIMENSIONS**

Height: 35mm Width: 125mm Depth: 44mm



## HARDWARE COMPATIBILITY

ICON $^{TM}$ , ANDO $^{TM}$  and MIRO $^{TM}$  hardware is compatible with most Vantage and Elevate Architectural Series systems, to simplify your selection process the table below indicates the compatibility of hardware with each Vantage or Elevate system.

	Residential Series						Designer Series							Thermal HEART™				
	514	516	517	541	542	546	548	549	601/2	613	616	618	726	729	730	731		
	D/hung	Awning	Awning	Sliding	Sliding	Bi-fold	Bi-fold	Hinged	Sliding	D/hung	Awning	Sliding	Awning	Hinged	Bi-fold	Sliding		
ANDO™																		
Single Point Sliding Door Lock				<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>							<b>A</b>						
Twin Point Sliding Door Lock				<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>							<b>A</b>						
Slimline Sliding Door Lock				<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>							<b>A</b>						
Sliding Door Handle (with mortice lock).												<b>A</b>				<b>A</b>		
Bi-fold Operator						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>			
Locking Lever Handle (2-point)							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Locking Lever Handle (4-point)							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Sliding Window Lock									<b>A</b>									
Chainwinder		<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>					
Doule Hung Window Lock	<b>A</b>									<b>A</b>								
MIRO™																		
Single Point Sliding Door Lock				<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>							<b>A</b>						
Sliding Door D-pull (with mortice lock).												<b>A</b>				<b>A</b>		
Bi-fold Operator						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>			
Lever Handle (2-point)							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Lever Handle (4-point)							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Lever Handle (with lever compression lock)							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Wedgeless Window Fastener/Cam Handle		<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>					
ICON™																		
Twin Point Sliding Door Lock				<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>							<b>A</b>						
D-pull with ISEO Lock												<b>A</b>				<b>A</b>		
Flush Pull (with mortice lock)												<b>A</b>				<b>A</b>		
Bi-fold Actuator						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>			
2-Point Hinged Door Lock							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Multi-point (4) Hinged Door Lock							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Lever Compression Hinged Door Lock							<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>						<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Wedgeless Window Fastener/Cam Handle		<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>								<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>					

	Commercial Series							Architectural Series									
	50/52 Hinged	452	453 D/hung	456 Awning	46 I Sliding	47 I Sliding	462 Sliding	463 D/hung	466 Awning	467	410	411 Bi-fold	412 Bi-fold	650 Hinged	702 Sliding	704 Sliding	
		Sliding															
ANDO™																	
Single Point Sliding Door Lock						<b>A</b>											
Twin Point Sliding Door Lock						<b>A</b>									<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	
Slimline Sliding Door Lock						<b>A</b>											
Sliding Door Handle (with mortice lock).															<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	
Bi-fold Operator											<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>				
Locking Lever Handle (2-point)	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Locking Lever Handle (4-point)	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Sliding Window Lock					<b>A</b>		<b>A</b>										
Chainwinder				<b>A</b>					<b>A</b>								
Double Hung Window Lock			<b>A</b>					<b>A</b>									
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Bi-fold Operator											<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>				
Lever Handle (2-point)	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Lever Handle (4-point)	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Lever Handle (with lever compression lock)	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Wedgeless Window Fastener/Cam Handle				<b>A</b>					<b>A</b>								
ICON <sup>TM</sup>																	
Twin Point Sliding Door Lock						<b>A</b>									<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	
D-pull (with mortice lock)															<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	
Flush Pull (with mortice lock)															<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	
Bi-fold Actuator											<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>				
2-Point Hinged Door Lock	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Multi-point (4) Hinged Door Lock	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Lever Compression Hinged Door Lock	<b>A</b>										<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>A</b>			
Wedgeless Window Fastener / Cam Handle				<b>A</b>					_								









# CHOOSE YOUR HARDWARE **COLOUR**

Choosing a colour for your window and door systems requires careful thought. All Vantage and Elevate windows and doors are made to order so you have complete freedom to choose the perfect finish for your project.

An added advantage is being able to select colour matched hardware for your windows and doors.

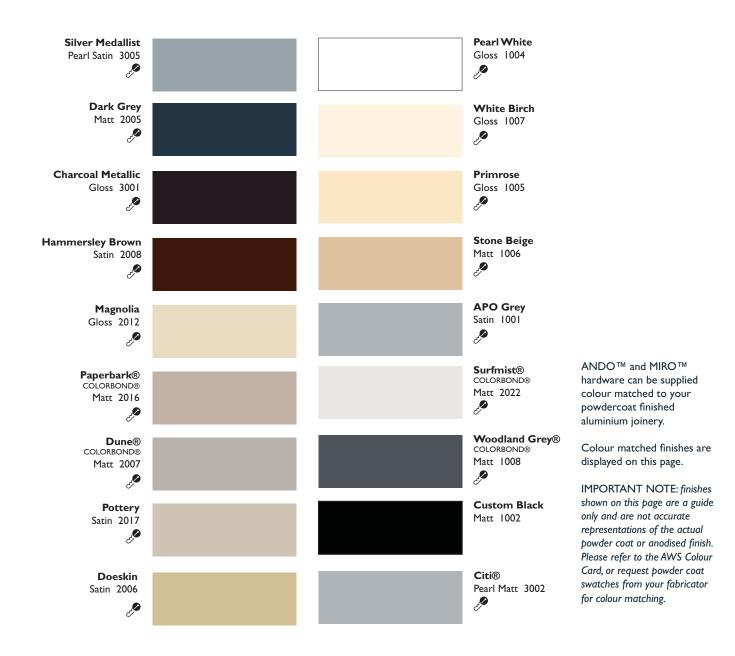
MIRO™ and ANDO™ hardware can be colour matched to your aluminium joinery. Choose from one of our hardware colours and your hardware will match your joinery, giving you a stylish finish for your project.

ICON™ and some ANDO™ hardware is available in 316-grade stainless steel. This is the ideal, upmarket finish for your project. Stainless steel hardware has superior weathering performance and provides an excellent solution where it is not possible to achieve a colour matched hardware and joinery combination.

Stainless steel hardware looks fabulous on anodised joinery for a sleek architectural finish.



When using an AWS Colour Card you will notice a small key symbol beside some colour swatches. This symbol denotes the availability of colour matched hardware in the finish.





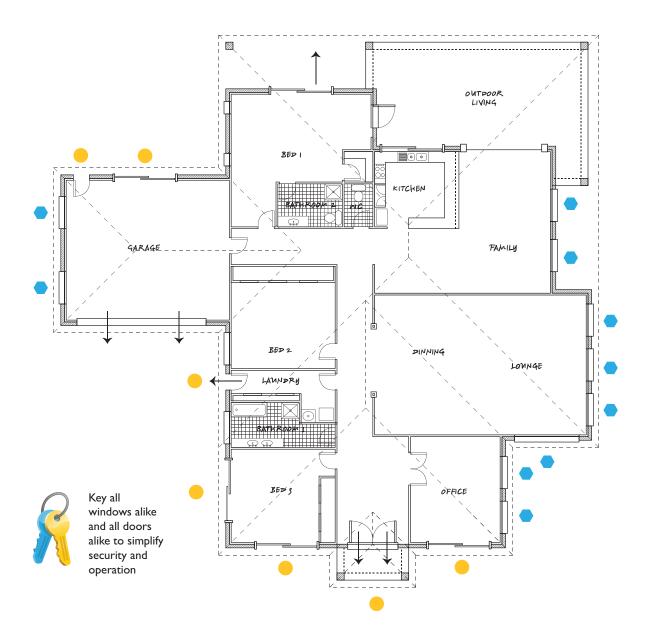
## ONE KEY SOLUTION

Project security can be complex - reducing the number of key combinations for a project can simplify this and improve operability for end users.

The AWS range of window and door hardware is designed to ease the complexity of home security. A range of keying options are available.

Depending upon the products and hardware specified, it is possible to achieve a single key solution for your project.

In almost all instances, AWS window locks can be keyed alike, as can AWS door locks. This means one key to operate all windows within your project and one key to operate all doors. This simplified approach brings security and peace of mind to end users.





## hardware Care & Maintenance

#### **CARING FOR STAINLESS STEEL HARDWARE**

Stainless steel is generally low in maintenance, although some is required to maximise corrosion resistance and removal of surface contamination. Proper care and maintenance will ensure your ICON<sup>TM</sup> or ANDO<sup>TM</sup> stainless steel hardware achieves maximum corrosion resistance and maintains its lustre and appearance indefinitely.

One of the advantages of stainless steel hardware is that any "tea staining" or discolouration can be easily removed and generally the product will return to its 'new' state with appropriate cleaning.

- Most discolouration can be removed with a mildly abrasive cleaner (Ajax, Jif, Brasso, etc.)
- Heavier corrosion can be removed using a Scotch-Brite™ pad or stainless steel scourer
- Do not use steel wool this may leave residues of steel which will rust, causing surface discolouration
- After cleaning, the product should be rinsed free of all cleaning product residue with clean water. Stainless steel may
  develop discolouration brought about by environmental and installation conditions. Environments with exposure to the
  following substances should be avoided:
  - Chlorine based (bleach) products and cleaners
  - · Hydrochloric acid (commonly used for tile and concrete cleaning)
  - Cement dust
  - Soap concentrates
  - Water with high iron content (generally bore water)

NOTE: Stainless steel is a living metal, so light surface discolouration is likely to occur in the first few weeks after installation as the metal stabilises with the environment. Do not be alarmed, this is quite normal but does require cleaning immediately to prevent permanent damage.

#### CARING FOR POWDER COAT FINISHED HARDWARE

Hardware that is supplied with a powder coat finish and should be cleaned on a regular basis.

Atmospheric deposits, especially in coastal areas, can cause damage to the coating surface and should be cleaned every three months. In severe marine environments cleaning should ideally take place monthly, especially for exterior-mounted hardware such as door handles.

Cleaning should be undertaken with a dilute solution of a mild detergent in warm water. A soft brush or rag should be used. There should be no use of abrasive aids.

After cleaning, the coating should be wiped down with fresh water.



















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