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The Alternative to Timber

The KAT Flush Casement Window Series is a range of elegant windows and doors that feature the characteristics and charm of period timber windows.

Considerable care has been taken to capture the charm and elegance of timber, even down to the tactile woodgrain finish, but combine this with the advanced low maintenance qualities associated with modern day uPVC products.

This versatile collection includes a number of options from the fundamental choice of sash style through to your choice of finish from the subtle colour palette. The result of this is a range that will suit a multitude of property styles and this will be evident as you browse though the brochure.

Choice of three sash options

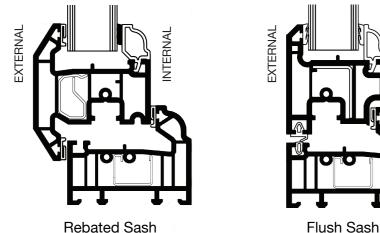
In order to cater for a diverse range of property styles, KAT offers you the choice of three sash options.

All three options utilise the same thermally efficient chambered outer frame and all provide a beautiful white woodgrain ovolo sculptured finish on the inside.

Equally, all options include dummy sashes on any fixed windows, providing a balanced appearance and equal sight lines between your chosen configuration of fixed and opening windows. All options are also available in the same range of colours and with the same optional finishing touches such as Georgian bar detailing and your choice of elegant furniture.

This however is where the similarities end and the clear distinction between the three sash options becomes apparent. Whilst the rebated sash lips over the outer frame giving a picture frame effect, the flush sash remains in line with the outer frame offering a slimmer appearance. You then have the option of full mechanical, offering scribed and milled butt joints to the outer frame and sash for the truly authentic timber look.

Browsing through, you will find many photos to inspire you and help you to decide on the right choice for your home.

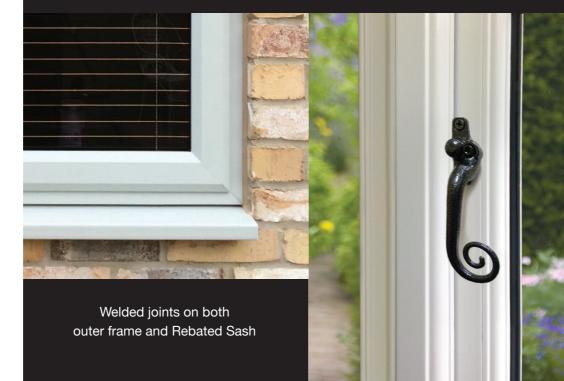


Rebated Sash



Rebated Sash

Showing bevelled putty lines externally offering the picture frame effect and an elegant White Woodgrain ovolo sculptured finish inside.





Flush Sash

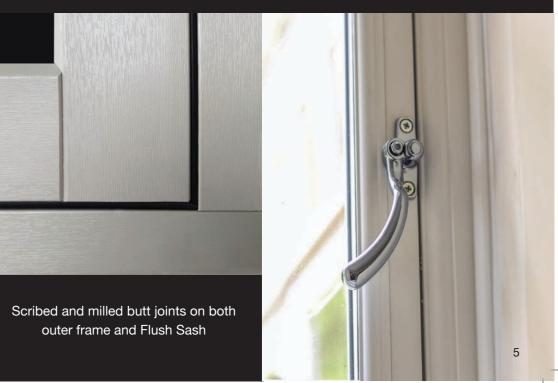
Showing optional bevelled putty line Georgian Bars. The Flush Sash remains in line with the outer frame externally. White Woodgrain ovolo sculptured finish inside.





Flush Sash and Mechanical Timber Joint

Engineered using traditional joinery techniques with scribed and milled butt joints providing the ultimate timber effect window. White Woodgrain sculptured finish inside.





Colour Palette

In previous years it was a given that new windows would always be replaced with like-for-like, which in most cases meant white uPVC.

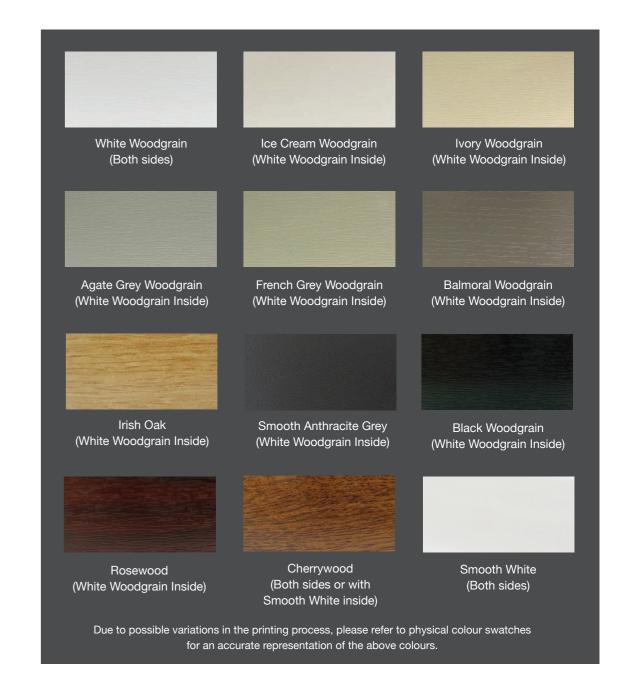
But in recent years there has been a colour revolution and whilst white uPVC is still going strong, today there is a myriad of other options available from dark anthracite greys, through to beautiful and elegant creams, all the way through to soft greys and greens.

Regardless of your property style and age the KAT Series allows you to make a statement with colour on the outside but still maintain a fresh but subtle white woodgrain finish on the inside. French Grey or Agate Grey might work to enhance your property from the outside, but white is incredibly versatile as an interior colour and works well with just about any colour scheme, which will inevitably change over time.

Consider the character of your property – some properties in the UK will be bound by listed building rules that prohibit certain decisions around a property's exterior appearance – while this is unlikely to be the case in many instances, it's always wise to consider the age and style of your property before you make your final decision.

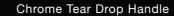
There are many properties in the UK that would really benefit from the use of these alternative shades to enhance their period features – so don't be afraid to explore this option.

Likewise, if your mid-50s semi is crying out for a style statement, you might want to consider a smooth anthracite grey – against a traditional British brick, the grey is incredibly pleasing on the eye and can deliver an instant wow to any property.

















Security

The very latest security features have been engineered to fit all styles of KAT Windows, to ensure your safety and security is never compromised.

With the simple turn of a handle, every window is secured by a multi-point locking system, securing points on all four sides of the opening sash, giving you complete reassurance and peace of mind.

For your safety, fire escape/easy clean hinges are fitted as standard to all side-opening windows. These will open to a full 90⁰ to give you an alternative means of fire escape (dependent on window size).

Easy to operate top and bottom thumb catches enable the window sash to slide to the easy clean position allowing practical cleaning of external glass from the inside.

The window will automatically realign upon closing.

KAT offers you a choice of three handle designs; Tear Drop, Monkey Tail or Push Button Locking Handles. All three designs are available in multiple finish options so you are able to choose the perfect handle to complement your window style and other existing interior furniture.



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Chrome



White

Gold



Black





Graphite

A lovely example of KAT Flush Casement Windows with the rebated sash option installed in a Lincolnshire property.

The home owners chose Agate Grey which looks spectacular alongside the stone and roof tile colours.

sources.

KAT Flush Casement Window Series Rebated Sash The KAT Flush Casement Window Series is designed to offer an innovative, low maintenance yet high performance alternative to traditional timber joinery.

A crucial design aspect that helps to create the timber look is the use of 'dummy sashes' where no opening window is required.

An example of this is pictured below where the two outer sashes are designed to open out but the middle sash does not. A 'dummy sash' is used in the middle to give the impression of an opening sash and consequently keep the appearance identical to the two outer opening sashes.

The use of 'dummy sashes' is standard across the KAT Flush Casement Window Series and ensures a balanced design with equal sight lines throughout.



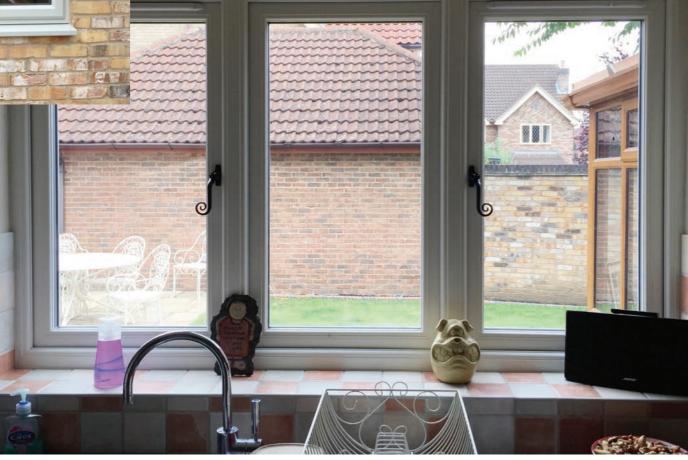






Here we see another great illustration of 'dummy sashes' from both outside and inside perspective. As you can see by the positioning of the ornate Monkey Tail handles, the two outer sashes are both opening windows with the centre sash fixed.

This installation also shows how KAT Flush Casement Windows provide a subtle splash of colour outside (in this case Agate Grey) but always maintaining a neutral fresh White Woodgrain finish on the inside.







For a cottage style appearance, the KAT Flush Casement Rebated window, finished in one of the available subtle woodgrain colours such as Ice Cream or French Grey will add charm and character to a property.



Optional Georgian Bars will enhance the character further and provide a strong sense of period identity, particularly important if you are replacing 'like for like' and trying to emulate the traditional timber joinery that you are replacing.

KAT Flush Casement Window Series Flush Sash

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Close up showing the subtle exterior Ice Cream Woodgrain finish as well as the clean bevelled lines and how the sash sits perfectly flush within the window frame.

Neutral and fresh White Woodgrain internal finish, showing the ornate sculptured detail around the frame and Georgian bar layout.

well as those surrounding it.

Elegance and simplicity with KAT Flush Sash

Here we have a beautiful example of the KAT Flush Casement Window, installed in a four bedroom detached property in a Nottinghamshire conservation village.

The property is less than 20 years old but has been designed to be in keeping with the style of the sixteenth century manor house in whose original driveway the house has been built.

The owners knew they needed to replace the original windows and wanted to give their house the wow factor but were also mindful of the need to be sympathetic to the style of the older properties surrounding them in the village. That's when they started looking at woodgrain effects and were introduced to the Heritage Collection.

They opted for a flush casement style in Ice Cream woodgrain on the outside face to create the impression of wooden windows. As with all Heritage woodgrain windows, the inside face is kept to a neutral White Woodgrain finish for a bright and spacious feel and to complement neutral décor.

To the front, the owners chose to have two horizontal Georgian bars to add character to the property and to reflect the traditional styles of many of the houses in the village. To the rear they wanted an uninterrupted view of the garden, so decided not to have Georgian bars on those windows.













Versatility

Because of the varied colour palette and range of design options, KAT Flush Casement Windows are equally well placed in a period country cottage to a modern housing development.











Equal Sightlines

With its symmetrical frontage, this property perfectly highlights the aesthetic benefit of using dummy sashes in non-opening windows.

By using dummy sashes, all of the windows share the same appearance as the opening sashes, therefore creating symmetry and continuous lines throughout that we refer to as equal sightlines.

Elegant handles complete the simple but stylish look.









Two great examples here of how KAT Flush Casement Windows can either completely transform and modernise a property or conversely be used to recreate period timber windows in a more durable, energy efficient and lower maintenance material.



This beautiful property is located in the heart of an idyllic National Park. The owners chose to replace their previous timber windows with Rosewood KAT Flush Sash windows, also with the added benefit of triple glazing, vastly improving the windows energy efficiency.





Benefits far beyond aesthetics

On many properties, windows can make up a vast proportion of the surface area. It's only natural therefore they can have a big impact on the level of maintenance required over time.

As a purpose designed uPVC alternative to timber, the KAT Flush Casement Window Series has been engineered to provide the aesthetics of timber but with the thermal performance, security and durability offered by the latest uPVC windows and doors.



The above two photos show Heritage flush windows in both vertical and horizontal opening styles, both with dummy sashes in the fixed windows to maintain balanced sightlines. For the ultimate timber look window, you have the option of choosing the KAT Flush Casement with mechanical timber joints. These widows look, feel and are made just like their timber counterparts.

Scribed and milled butt joints to both the inside and outside of the outer frame and sash make it difficult to distinguish these from timber windows.















KAT uPVC Residential Door Series

The KAT uPVC Residential Door Series includes a range of 25 versatile uPVC door styles, thoughtfully designed to emulate the aesthetic character of timber doors but with the added security benefits and low maintenance qualities that modern day living demands.

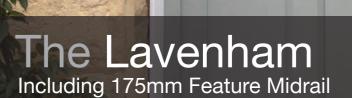
You have the choice from a range of 11 standard finish options or alternatively doors can be spray painted to any RAL colour of your choice.

The diverse range of available door styles from classic to contemporary combined with the broad colour palette available makes it easy for you to create the perfect entrance to your home.

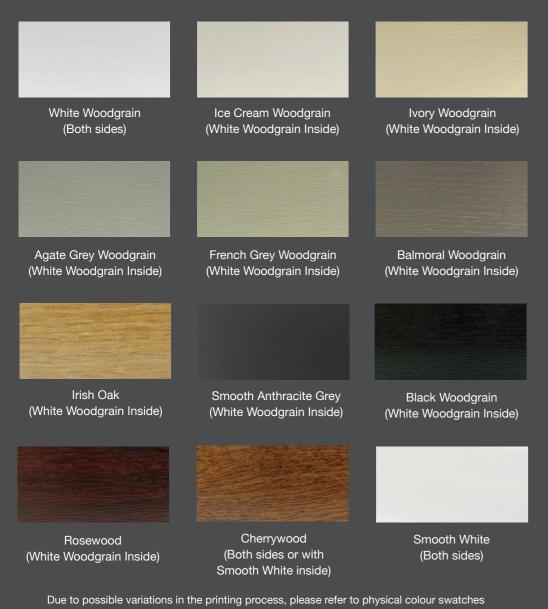
Optional 175mm Deep Feature Midrail

A number of styles in the KAT uPVC Residential Door Series have been designed to closely emulate traditional timber doors and are therefore suited to include the 175mm Featured Midrail option.

Deeper in proportion, this option is more in keeping with the appearance of typical timber door designs.



Choose from 12 door finish options...



for an accurate representation of the above colours.

...or select to have your door spray painted in any colour of your choice

If you would like a colour that is not within our range of woodgrain foils, we can arrange to have your door spray painted in the colour of your choice.

Specialist coatings combined with proven application methods, provide a finish that is tough, durable and protected against all weather conditions.







Assington Style in Agate Grey

Stable door in Agate Grey

Hadleigh Style in Smooth Anthracite

Ixworth 2 Style in Smooth White



Georgian bars can also be added to French doors in order to follow the design through when Georgian bars are featured in other windows and doors throughout the property.

French Doors

If you have selected a colour from our range for your windows or perhaps your front or back door, it is quite possible you will want to match these with a set of French doors.

The KAT French Door Series makes it easy for you to do this with the same available finish options on French doors as there are for windows and entrance doors.





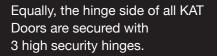
Security

Ultimate security for KAT Doors is provided by their own unique multipoint lock system.

Each door is fitted with a robust 12/14 point lock (dependent on door height) that includes a series of roller cams, hook locks, dead locks, shoot bolts and centre latch.

To prevent cylinder manipulation, a 3 star high security cylinder is fitted, in keeping with British Standard requirements.



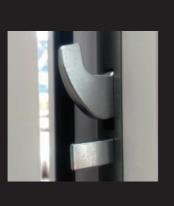


For your convenience, all doors are supplied with 5 keys as standard.





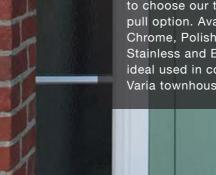
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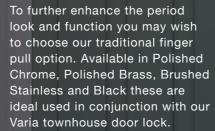
















Furniture

Our elegant door handles are available in White, Black, Chrome or Brass, all with letter plates to suit. Your selection will often be influenced by your chosen door style and the colour/finish of your door.



Great design is all about the detail. Our specialist range of door knockers, pull knobs and spy holes will provide the finishing touches and all important kerb appeal. The range is available in both chrome or brass finish and will enhance and complement your door design and colour.



Umbrella

Knob



Dome

Knob



Doctors

Knocker

6 standard lette plate finish options; White, Black, Gold, Chrome, Satin Silver and Smokey Chrome.



Optional straight door handle in Graphite finish with matching letter plate.





Straight or Swan Neck Antique

Urn and Slimline Urn Knockers available in White, Black, Chrome and Brass (available with Spyhole)

For a more contemporary look you also have the option of our Graphite architectural door handle, letter plate and knocker.



Glazing

Often entrance door design is dictated by the need for extra light, or the desire to retain the original period design.

Our door range not only gives you a terrific choice of colours and designs but the flexibility of our glazing options allow you to either 'go create' a new look or stay classic and authentic.

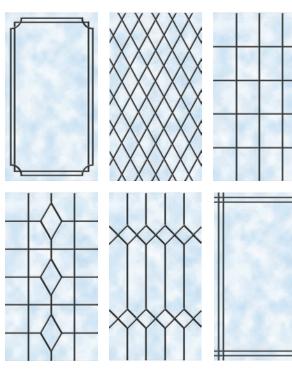
The options are simply vast and include plain glass, obscured, coloured, etched glass, leaded and bevelled designs. All of these include a multitude of variations so you are sure to find something to suit the style of your door and property.



SD3G bevelled glass and lead combination



SD14G elegant clean lines achieved with an etched glass design



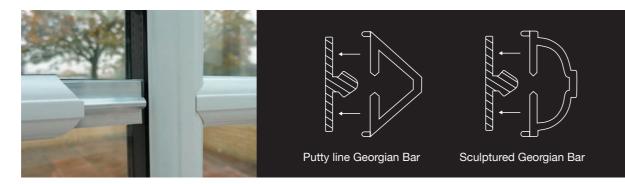
Lead patterns can really help to accentuate period features.

Georgian Bar Design

Our authentic Georgian Bar design will instantly create the period look.

Because the bars are fixed to full length aluminium backing strips, there is no risk of the bars warping or bending.



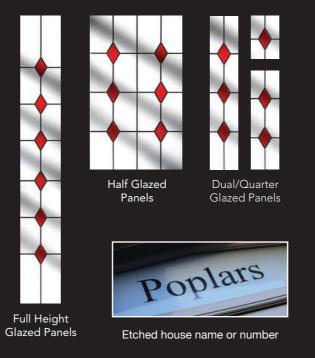


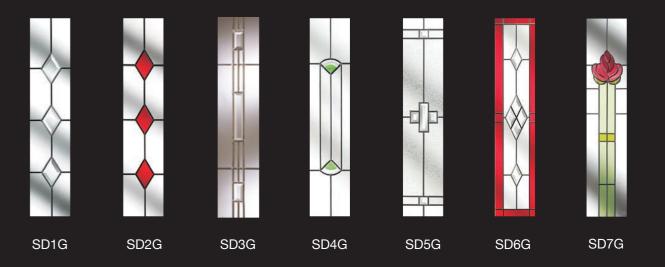
Decorative Glazing

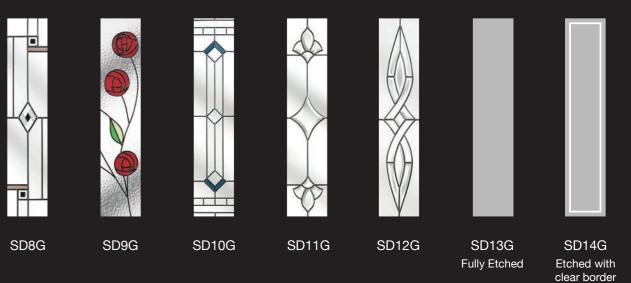
Coloured and bevelled glass designs can offer a traditional appearance, whilst more simplistic etched glass designs give a contemporary look.

The dimensions of these glass patterns can be adapted to suit the style of your chosen door with half, dual, and full height glazed panels.

You may wish to personalise your home further by having your house number etched or bevelled within the design.







The above designs are for guidance only, please speak to your consultant for advice on the full range of options.

Style Selector



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Cornard



Melford



Sudbury

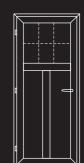




Nayland



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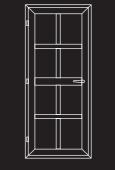






Lavenham





Cavendish



Bures





Hartest

Colne

Polstead

The designs shown in the style selector are there to guide you and demonstrate the versatile range of options available.

Brett

Alternatively, you may choose to sit down with your consultant and create a bespoke design that is unique to you and your property.



Hadleigh



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