

# POTOMAC hp SERIES°

An Elite Window Series Exclusively From Vytex

# The Weinrub Family: Adam, Magdalena, Andy & Olivia

# A NAME YOU CAN TRUST

In 1988, after years in the industry, Andy Weinrub founded Vytex Windows and set out to make superior windows with the highest-quality materials and manufacturing standards.

More than three decades later, Vytex has grown to one of the largest privately owned window manufacturers in the country and is still going strong as a family-owned-and-operated business. Andy's son, Adam, now serves as president, and the entire family is involved in the day-to-day operations of the company.

At Vytex, we craft custom windows and doors inside our state-of-the-art, 200,000+ square-foot manufacturing facility in the Baltimore-Washington region. We use cutting-edge technology and the industry's finest equipment to manufacture products that are strong and durable enough to withstand the test of time and last for decades in your home. Unlike many manufacturers, at Vytex, we insulate all our glass in an on-site clean room, ensuring exceptionally clean glass that far exceeds industry standards.

Vytex is recognized as one of the top 100 window manufacturers in the country and has been awarded multiple Crystal Achievement Awards – a highly coveted award in the window and door industry. We're proud to be a member of the Fenestration & Glazing Industry Alliance and to maintain an A+ rating with the Better Business Bureau. Additionally, we partner with ENERGY STAR® to manufacture the most energy-efficient windows on the market.

When you choose Vytex for your home, you can be sure you are getting the absolute best products and s available.

# CLEARLY, A CUT ABOVE®

he clean look and contemporary style of the Potomac-hp Series windows dre complemented by innovative performance features and beautiful design options. One of the world's most efficient window systems, Potomac-hp Series windows are manufactured with the highest-grade materials and tested to meet or exceed industry standards. Virtually maintenancefree, Potomac-hp Series windows will maintain their quality and beauty for years to come.











#### **DURABILITY & DEPENDABILITY**

Specially formulated PVC and welded sash and frame offers long-lasting durability.

#### **CLEAN WITH EASE**

Both sashes are designed to tilt inward for accessibility and easy cleaning.

#### SUPERIOR CURB APPEAL

Elegant and sculpted exterior with optional grid detail for superior curbside appeal.

#### MAXIMUM INSULATING CAPABILITIES

Four high-performance Low-E glass options, triple weatherstripping, and our magnetic seal virtually eliminate drafts while our specially formulated VyFoam<sup>TM</sup>, in frame and sash, offers ENERGY STAR<sup>®</sup> rated insulation.

#### ADDED STRENGTH & SECURITY

Our VyCore<sup>TM</sup> composite reinforcement provides added strength and security and is 533 times better than aluminum and 160 times better than steel. This technology will help prevent your window's sash from bowing over time.





## MORTISED SILL DAM WALL

Mortised, double-walled sill dam extends into the jamb for added structural integrity.



#### SILL/SASH INTERLOCK

Interlocking sill/sash provides added structural strength against heavy wind loads. Magnetic freezer weatherstripping and Q-Lon bulb-seal compression provide improved air infiltration.



#### DUALTECH LOW-PROFILE LOCK & KEEPER

Eliminates the need for tilt-sashes and offers a sleek appearance with clean sight lines while still providing unparalleled home security.



#### VYCORE™ REINFORCEMENT

VyCore™ composite reinforcement in the meeting rails adds strength and reduces thermal conductivity. Overall, performing 533x better than aluminum and 160x better than steel.



#### **DURABILITY & DEPENDABILITY**

Specially formulated PVC prevents scratching or denting and welded sash and frame offer long-lasting durability.

#### MAXIMUM INSULATING CAPABILITIES

Three high-performance, Low-E glass options, triple weatherstripping, and our magnetic seal virtually eliminates drafts while our specially formulated VyFoam<sup>TM</sup>, in frame and sash, offers ENERGY STAR® rated insulation.

#### SUPERIOR CURB APPEAL

Elegant and sculpted exterior with optional grid detail for superior curb appeal.



Available in two-lite and three-lite configurations



# TANDEM BRASS ROLLERS

Brass rollers allow for effortless sash operation.



#### EXTERIOR MAINFRAME

Beautiful exterior mainframe adds curbside appeal to your home.



# INTERLOCKING SASHES

Integral interlock keeps windows tightly closed for added security and weatherproofing.



#### **DURABILITY & DEPENDABILITY**

Specially formulated PVC prevents scratching and denting and welded sash and frame offer long-lasting durability.

#### **CLEAN WITH EASE**

Casement windows effortlessly crank open at a 90° angle, allowing for easy cleaning.

#### SUPERIOR CURB APPEAL

Elegant and sculpted exterior with optional grid detail for superior curb appeal.

#### MAXIMUM INSULATING CAPABILITIES

Three high-performance, Low-E glass options, triple bulb-seal weatherstripping, and our magnetic seal, virtually eliminate drafts while our specially formulated VyFoam™ in frame and sash, offers ENERGY STAR® rated insulation.

#### **EASY TO USE SCREENS**

Pressure mounted screens eliminate unsightly clips and can be easily removed.





#### MULTI-POINT LOCKING SYSTEM

Low-profile, single lever, multi-point locking system for secure and easy operation.



## OPERATING HARDWARE

Casement windows have special operating hardware allowing them to open to a 90° angle.



# CASEMENT HANDLES

Streamlined and modern handles reduce interference with window coverings.



#### **DUAL MULLION SYSTEM**

Featuring insulated solid mullions and steel threaded rod mullions for unmatched strength and performance. This design resists warping, sagging, and pulling apart over time. The insulated mullions are 58% lighter, offer higher R-Values, and resist moisture better than traditional mullions, all while maintaining structural integrity.

#### **INSULATED SEAT BOARD**

An insulated seat board is essential for lowering energy costs, preventing cold air transfer, and protecting against condensation and finish failures. All bay and bow windows come standard with a seamlessly integrated 1-1/2" insulated panel attached to the hardwood seat, creating a 2-3/4" sill with an R7 insulating value.

#### MAXIMUM INSULATING CAPABILITIES

Four high-performance glass options, triple weatherstripping, and our magnetic seal virtually eliminate drafts while our specially formulated  $VyFoam^{TM}$ , in frame and sash, offers ENERGY STAR® rated insulation.









# PREMIUM HARDWOOD CONSTRUCTION

Head, seat and jambs feature furniture-grade 1-1/4" hardwood veneer plywood in Red Oak or Birch with painting and staining options available.



# CUSTOM DESIGN OPTIONS

Three interior stain options, 18 exterior paint options, Solid surface seat boards, LED lighting systems, roof options and more.



#### PREMIUM EDGE BANDING

Premium edge banding covers the unfinished plywood edges, allowing for a clean, professional installation with a reveal for interior casing.



#### **DURABILITY & DEPENDABILITY**

Specially formulated PVC prevents scratching or denting, full-height steel reinforced meeting rails provide extra strength and fusion welded sash and frame offer long-lasting durability.

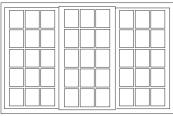
#### MAXIMUM INSULATING CAPABILITIES

Three high-performance, Low-E glass options, Super Spacer® warm edge spacer system and our specially formulated VyFoam™, in frame and sash, offer ENERGY STAR® rated insulation. Multi-chambered insulating frames and weather-stripped interlocks help prevent drafts, leaks, and noise from entering your home.

#### **ADDED SECURITY**

Heavy-duty multi-point locking hardware keeps your home, and family, safer and more secure.





Two or three-panel designs.

#### **INTERIOR COLORS**





# BETWEEN THE GLASS BLINDS

Instantly increase the privacy and beauty of your doors with the easy-to-operate VyView™ blinds. Keeps your blinds free from dust and allergens



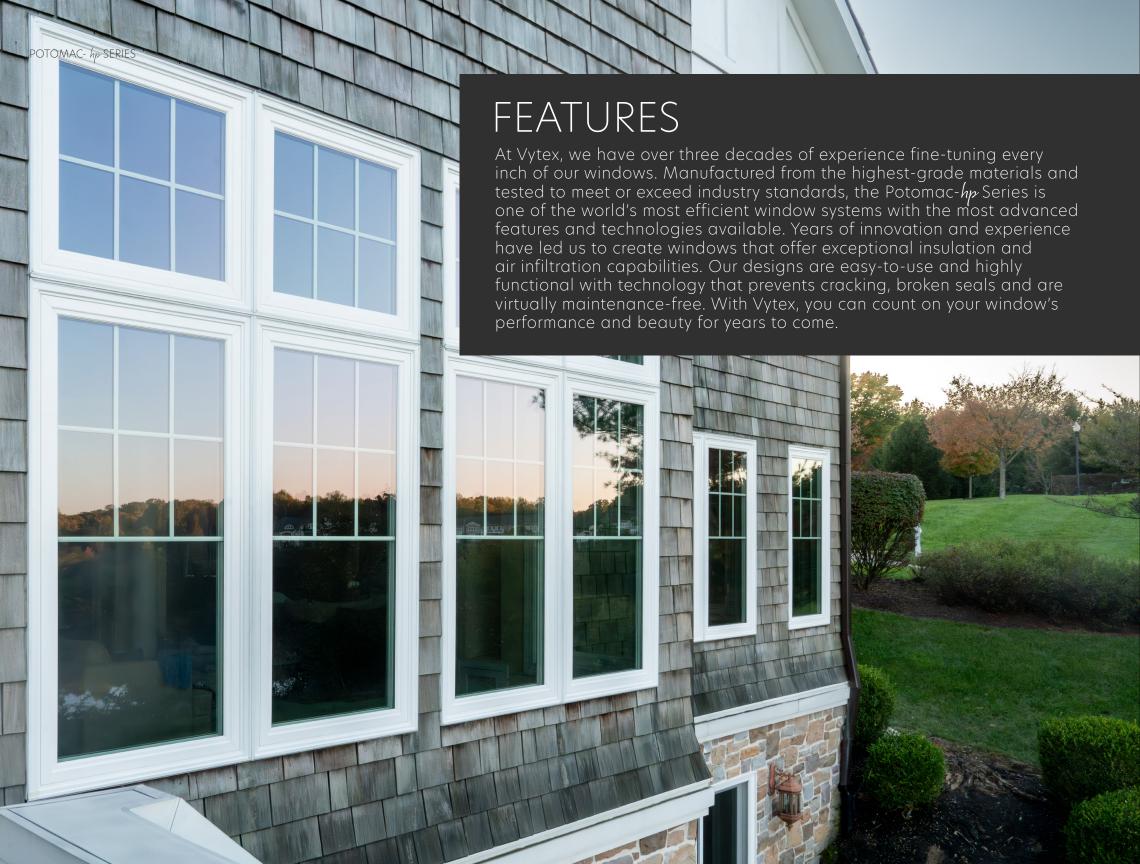
# CUSTOMIZED TO YOUR HOME

Available with designer handles and key locks with 7 finish options. Sixteen VyCoat<sup>TM</sup> exterior colors available. Optional security bar and kick lock.



#### MAXIMUM AIR BARRIER

Quad weather-sealed meeting rails offer eight fin-type weather strips for maximum air barrier.



# TECHNOLOGICALLY ADVANCED GLASS

High-performance, ENERGY STAR® certified windows incorporate double or triple insulating glass, one or more Low-E coatings, an advanced spacer system, and an inert gas between the panes of glass. Low-E is designed to help keep warm air inside during winter weather, and to reflect heat away from your home during summer months. This helps maintain a constant and comfortable temperature in your home and lowers your home energy costs.

#### SPACER COMPARISON

Spacers play an integral role in window performance and can significantly boost the energy efficiency of your windows. Our Super Spacer® system outperforms all the rest, dependably delivering high performance for insulating glass units, including excellent resistance to ozone, weathering, water, and aging while maintaining its flexibility through wide changes in temperature and barometric pressure.



#### VYGUARD™ LAMINATED GLASS

**SAFETY** — The PVB (polyvinyl butyral) interlayer absorbs the energy of a sudden impact and resists penetration, minimizing the risk of injuries and improving home security. Although the glass may break, glass fragments remain firmly bonded to the interlayer, and the glass cannot be fully penetrated.

**SOUND REDUCTION** — VyGuard™ absorbs sound and reduces sound transmission by as much as 30% over a typical insulated glass unit.





**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION** — In the event of a severe storm, VyGuard<sup>TM</sup> helps protect your home from interior damage.



# GLASS FEATURES

The Potomac-hp Series offers four high-performance, energy-saving glass options so you can choose one that works best for your home and climate region. All of our ENERGY STAR® certified glass systems regulate your home's temperature to help keep you cool when it's hot and warm when it's not.



## ENERGY SAVER MAX-hpTM

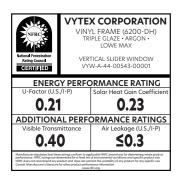
Triple-paned with two panes of high-performance Low-E glass

Argon gas-filled insulated glass unit

VyFoam™ insulated frame and sash

Super Spacer® Warm Edge Spacer System

ENERGY STAR® 7.0 Northern, North-Central, Southern & South-Central Regions



#### ENERGY SAVER R5™

Double-paned with one pane of high-performance Low-E glass and one pane of high-performance 4th surface Low-E glass Argon gas-filled insulated glass unit

> VyFoam™ insulated frame and sash Super Spacer® Warm Edge Spacer System



ENERGY STAR® 7.0 North-Central Region

## TripleSilverLoE-hp™

Double-paned with one pane of high-performance TripleSilverLoE™ glass
Argon gas-filled insulated glass unit
VyFoam™ insulated frame and sash
Super Spacer® Warm Edge Spacer System

ENERGY STAR® 7.0 Southern & South-Central Regions



### ENERGY SAVER R5 w/ TripleSilverLoE™

Double-paned with one pane of high-performance TripleSilverLoE glass and one pane of high-performance 4th surface Low-E glass

Argon gas-filled insulated glass unit

VyFoam™ insulated frame and sash, and window foam wrap

Super Spacer® Warm Edge Spacer System

ENERGY STAR® 7.0 Northern, North-Central, Southern & South-Central Regions



\*All values shown above are for Potomac-hp double-hung windows without grids.

## SUPERIOR INSULATION & DURABILITY

Backed by years of innovation and experience, the Potomac-hp Series offers superior insulation capabilities with the promise of long-lasting durability. We've carefully designed every detail of the window to meet or exceed industry standards and to offer the highest quality performance possible. You can purchase our windows with peace of mind knowing they'll last.

#### 1. R5 VYFOAM™ IN FRAME & SASH

Our R5 foam-filled frame and sash insulation increase thermal efficiency, increases structural integrity, dampens sound, and reduces air infiltration.

#### 2. DOUBLE-WALLED SILL DAM

Tight-mortised cut, double-walled, sill-dam extends inside the jamb, eliminating the need to caulk an open seam.



#### 3. MAGNETIC SEAL

Our freezer-magnetic insert compresses the sash to the frame creating a tighter seal, reducing the possibility of leaking and drafts.



#### 4. BOTTOM SASH INTERLOCK

Our innovative bottom sash interlock ensures a tighter seal helping to reduce drafts and decrease your energy bills. Provides structural strength during heavy wind loads by locking the sash in place.



#### 5. Q-LON COMPRESSION GASKET

Our Q-Lon, memory foam, compression bulb-seal gasket is the most energyefficient weatherstripping currently used in the industry today. It adds barriers and diversions to help prevent water infiltration and drafts.



Our carefully designed slope sill is the optimal angle for water runoff and to prevent air infiltration.

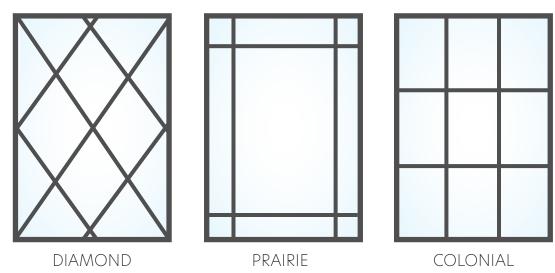
# AIR INFILTRATION COMPARISON

	INDUSTRY STANDARD	TRADITIONAL WOOD RESIDENTIAL DOUBLE HUNG WINDOWS	TRADITIONAL VINYL RESIDENTIAL HIGH-PERFORMANCE, DOUBLE HUNG	POTOMAC- hp SERIES
1 CFM  OF AIR LEAKAGE  PER MINUTE	.30cfm of air leakage per minute	.23CFM  OF AIR LEAKAGE  PER MINUTE	.15CFM  OF AIR LEAKAGE PER MINUTE	.01cfm of air leakage per minute
7.5 GALLONS OF AIR PER MINUTE	2.25 GALLONS OF AIR PER MINUTE	1.725 GALLONS OF AIR PER MINUTE	1.125 GALLONS OF AIR PER MINUTE	.07 GALLONS OF AIR PER MINUTE
DDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDDD	COFFEE CUPS OF AIR PER MINUTE (288 OZ/MIN)	18.4 COFFEE CUPS OF AIR PER MINUTE (220.8 OZ/MIN)	12 COFFEE CUPS OF AIR PER MINUTE (144 OZ/MIN)	.8 COFFEE CUPS OF AIR PER MINUTE (9.4 OZ/MIN)

<sup>\*</sup>References valid as of October 1, 2010 based on our competitors' websites and independent testing. \*\*Industry Standard: The window & door industry adheres to standards set by FGIA® (Fenestration & Glazing Industry Alliance®). Per FGIA, the industry standard for Maximum Allowable Air Infiltration is 0.30 CFM (Cubic feet per minute) during a 25 mph wind. This is the equivalent of 2.25 gallons or 24 coffee cups of air escaping through the window every minute.



# GRID DESIGNS



Additional patterns available upon request

## TIMELESS BEAUTY



FLAT



CONTOUR



SIMULATED DIVIDED LITE



# COLOR OPTIONS

WICKER SANDALWOOD CLAY SANDSTONE AMERICAN BROWN UNIVERSAL BROWN WEDGWOOD BLUE **OLD WORLD BLUE FOREST GREEN** SABLE **BRONZE** TRUE BLACK **CRANBERRY** BURGUNDY

# ELEGANCE THAT LASTS A LIFETIME

#### VYCOAT™ EXTERIOR COATING SYSTEM

The innovative technology of our VyCoat<sup>TM</sup> exterior coating system offers durability and elegance. This long-lasting, environmentally-friendly finish is low-maintenance, easy to clean, and will add enviable curb appeal to any home. Available in 16 standard colors and custom colors upon request.

#### INTERIOR COLOR OPTIONS

Special formula PVC never needs painting, makes cleaning a snap, and prevents scratching and denting.





MEDIUM OAK WOOD GRAIN LAMINATE



CHERRY WOOD GRAIN LAMINATE

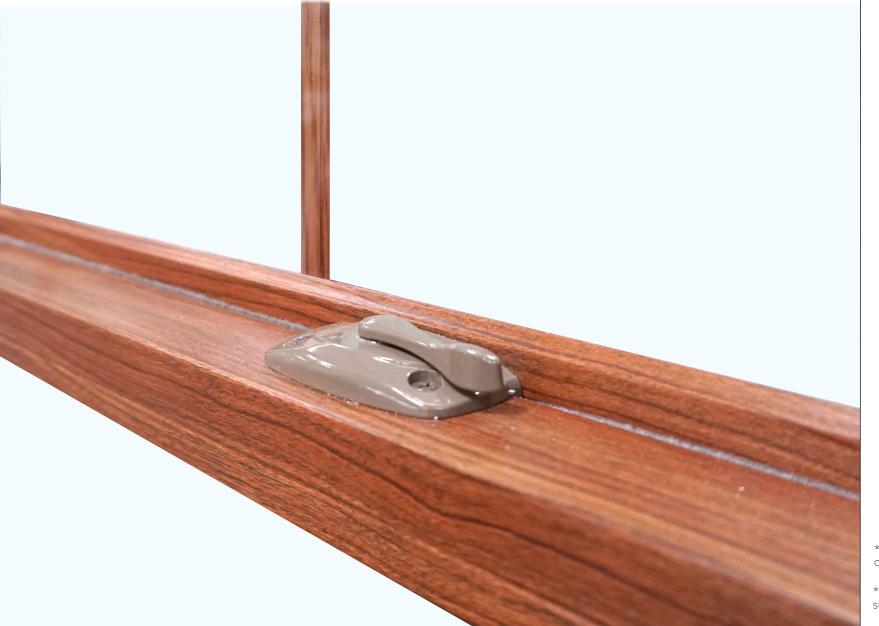


BRAZILIAN CHERRY WOOD GRAIN LAMINATE

<sup>\*</sup>Colors are as true as printing inks allow and may differ from actual product colors. \*\* Only Medium Oak and Brazilian Cherry Wood VyWood™ options available for Signature Series Sliding Patio Doors \*\*\* Black interior option does not have vent stops.

# HARDWARE OPTIONS

The sleek and modern look of our Potomac-hp Series locking hardware is designed to be durable, ergonomic, and easy-to-use. Choose a finish that will compliment your interior style; from white to oil rubbed bronze, we guarantee a rich and timeless appearance.

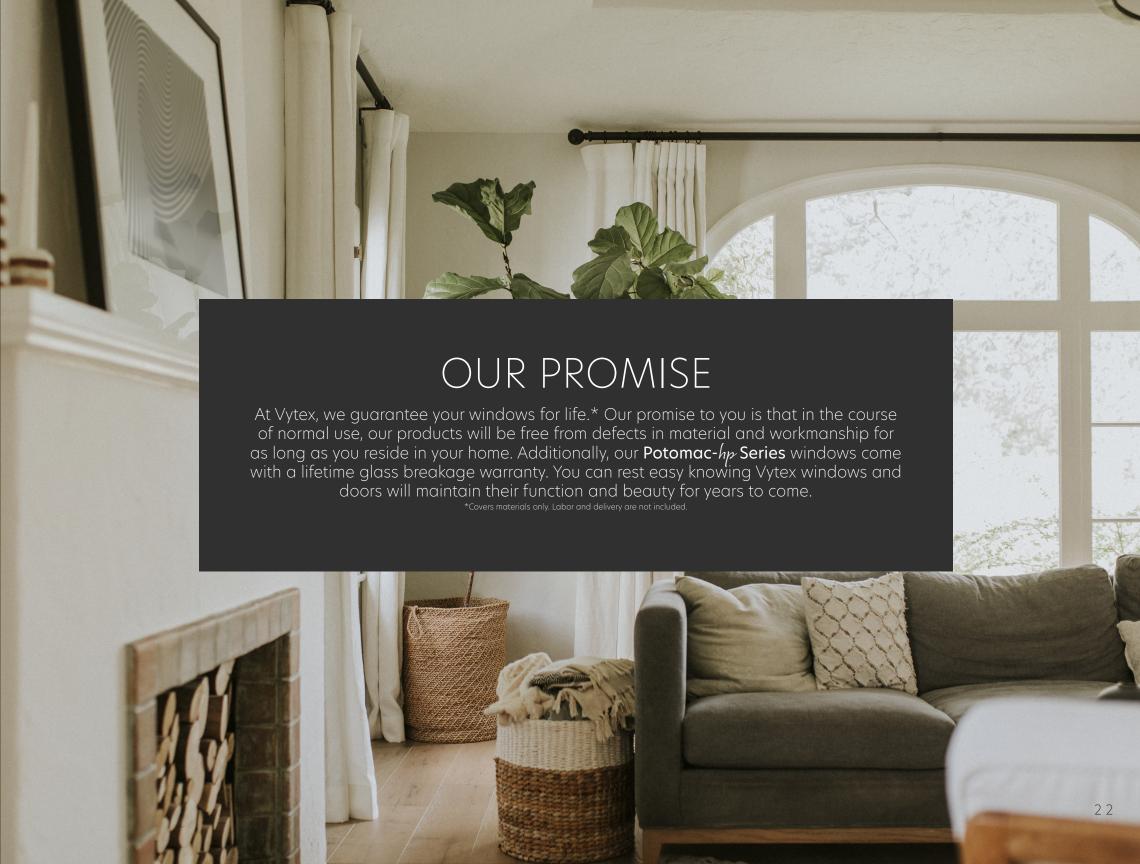


#### FINISHES

WHITE BEIGE TRUE BLACK BROWN **OIL-RUBBED BRONZE** SATIN NICKEL

<sup>\*</sup>Casements hardware is only available in white, oil rubbed bronze, beige, true black and brown.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Color options and appearance of hardware are subject to change.





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