



*Beauty & energy savings
at your doorway*



Save up to \$1500

with Stimulus Energy Tax Credit

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Quality by
Design

A wide selection of RSL products meet energy efficient requirements.



What is Low-E?

Low-E glass has an invisible metallic coating that blocks heat flow. Demonstrated to save energy, Low-E glass reduces solar heat gain in the summer — saving on air conditioning, and reduces heat loss in the winter — saving on heating bills. The Federal government recognizes the value of energy products and has provided Energy Tax Credits to encourage you to install them in your home. RSL makes energy efficient Blinds Between Glass (BBG), Grills Between Glass (GBG), clear and decorative doorglass.



What is U-Value and SHGC?

There are 2 ways energy efficiency is measured.

U-Value is a measurement of how much heat is escaping from your home. The lower the number — the better. A lower number means that less heat is being lost - and more heat is kept inside. Lower U-Value numbers are more important if you live in colder climates.

SHGC stands for 'Solar Heat Gain Coefficient'. It is a measurement of how much solar radiation enters your home. Again, a lower number is better, meaning less solar heat is allowed to enter the home. Lower SHGC numbers are more important in warmer climates.

How does the new Federal Energy Tax Credit work?

When you file your federal income tax, you can deduct up to \$1500 of the doorglass purchase under the 25c - Non-Business Energy Property Tax Credit.

The tax credit requirements include exterior doors and windows that:

- are being used to improve an existing home,
- must be installed in the taxpayer's primary residence,
- are installed and being used between January 1, 2009 and December 31, 2010, and
- have NFRC certified U-Value and SHGC ratings that do not exceed .30.

How do you claim your Tax Credit?

1. Purchase and install your RSL doorglass.
2. Keep your receipts. RSL will provide a manufacturer's certificate if requested.
3. Use IRS form 5695, which should be available early 2010.
4. Homeowners are not required to submit manufacturer's certificates with tax returns.
5. This credit is not a rebate. Please consult a tax advisor for more details.

RSL energy efficient products that meet the .30/.30 tax credit requirements

	1/2" Clear	1/2" Low-E	3/4" Low-E	GBG Low-E	BBG Clear	Decorative Liquid Crystal	Decorative Liquid Crystal Low-E	Decorative Coming	Decorative Coming Low-E	Hurricane Impact	Hurricane Impact Low-E	
Half Light	.28	.26	.22	.27	.24	.25		.23		.25		U-Factor
Half Light	.20	.17	.10	.15				.16		.17		SHGC
3/4 Light	.30	.27	.23	.28	.26	.27		.24		.27		U-Factor
3/4 Light	.24	.21	.13	.18				.19		.21		SHGC
Full Light	—	.25	.26	—	.30	—		—		—		U-Factor
Full Light	—	.27	.16	—		—		—		—		SHGC

* These ratings were determined by Architectural Testing using NFRC & AAMA standards with fixed specifications.

* U-Factor defines the amount of heat loss; SHGC defines the amount of heat that enters a home's interior.

* See www.RSLinc.com/marketing/energy for a complete listing of doorglass options used as a component in steel and fiberglass doors

* Contact RSL or your local distributor for a signed copy of our Manufacturer's Certification Statement for energy efficiency tax credits



RSL glass can be used in doors to meet Energy Star® criteria.

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