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**THE HOME OF
THE INSULATED
COMPOSITE DOOR**

OPEN THE DOOR WITH DISTINCTION...

At first, the number of different doors on the market can be bewildering. Where do you start? How can you be sure you're making the right choice? It's simple. You need to think about what you need from a door then look at how it measures up against what's out there.

Then again, you could simply choose a GRP composite door from Distinction Doors. Why? Because against every criteria, a Distinction Premium GRP composite door more than makes the grade.

A Distinction Premium GRP composite door has been designed to be both beautiful and practical.

We have a variety of distinctive door ranges and decorative glass ranges. Both are available in a wealth of colours so you can design a door that makes a perfectly personal statement about you and your home. You'll also find lots of little design touches that set our door apart from others on the market and make your home stand out from your neighbours'.

When it comes to practicality, a Distinction Premium GRP composite door more than measures up too. It meets and exceeds all the UK's security standards for domestic doors. And it offers exceptional protection from the elements, something that's reflected in the fact that it's the most thermally efficient door you can buy, helping you to reduce your heating bills and your carbon footprint.

Finally, you can be sure you've chosen a reputable supplier. Distinction Doors was the first company to bring GRP composite doors to the UK market and we remain the market leader today thanks to the quality of the door we supply. It gives you peace of mind that you're choosing wisely.

Read on to find out more about what a Distinction Premium GRP composite door has to offer – and start to decide which door you'll choose.

Open the door to Distinction Doors.

START DESIGNING YOUR NEW DOOR WITH THE DOOR DESIGNER FEATURE AT distinctiondoors.co.uk



*Door colour: Gold Oak with Scotia glazing

BEAUTIFUL

Your door needs to look good, it's as simple as that. Everything about our doors, from the style and the colour to the decorative glass, has been designed to help you create a distinctively beautiful look for your home.

Start choosing your new door from page 8.



PRACTICAL

While your door's looks may be the first thing you and your visitors see, it's the practicality that really matters. Our doors offer unparalleled security and weatherproofing and are the most thermally efficient doors you can buy. They are also exceptionally easy to maintain.

Find more about how your new door will make your home warmer, safer and quieter on pages 4 to 7.

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WHY CHOOSE A DISTINCTION GRP COMPOSITE DOOR?

Distinction Doors is the UK's market leader in GRP composite doors for a reason: our door is the best you can buy. Read on to find out what a Distinction Premium GRP composite door will bring to your home and then turn the page to find out why it will save you more money on your heating bills than any other door on the market.

STUNNING AESTHETICS

The woodgrain finish on a Distinction Premium GRP composite door was developed from oak tree grain, creating a beautifully authentic appearance. Unlike lesser doors, you'll find the same woodgrain effect and moulding design on the slim glazing cassette too, giving a seamless, elegant finish and impressive kerb appeal.

UNPARALLELED SECURITY

A Distinction Premium GRP composite door offers ultimate security thanks to its rigid polymer subframe, high density CFC-free polyurethane foam core, high impact resistant GRP skin and high quality multi-point locks. This is reflected in its PAS 24 2012 Enhanced Security accreditation and Secured by Design endorsement, the official UK Police initiative supporting 'designing out crime'. You might also like to know tests show that a Distinction Premium GRP composite door cannot be forced within a reasonable time frame, even with the aid of a police-issue battering ram.

EXCEPTIONAL DURABILITY

A Distinction Premium GRP composite door's high impact resistant glass reinforced polyester (GRP) skin will maintain its pristine appearance in the face of everyday knocks and scratches and beyond. This durability is reflected in the comprehensive manufacturer's structural and surface warranties that come with every Distinction Premium GRP composite door.

EXCELLENT WEATHERPROOFING

A Distinction Premium GRP composite door has water resistant polymer composite rails that protect its core. This means it won't suffer from water absorption which can lead to skin delamination and cause functional problems that lesser products have. Your door will keep the weather at bay and stay looking good for longer.

SUPERB SOUND INSULATION

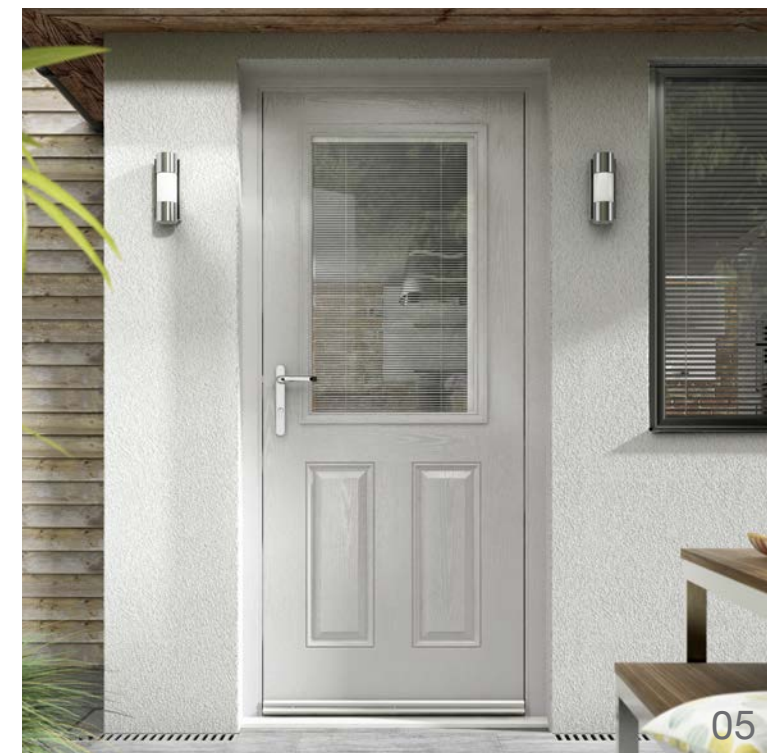
A Distinction Premium GRP composite door has a weighted noise reduction of 31 decibels. It means you can be sure your new door will keep outside noise to a minimum, helping to make your home the haven you want it to be.

BEAUTIFULLY LOW MAINTENANCE

Everything about a Distinction GRP composite door is designed to be easy to maintain, including the triple glazed insulated glass unit which encapsulates the delicate decorative glazing and making it easy to keep clean.



KEEPING WARMTH IN...
AND DRAUGHTS AND
BREEZES OUT!

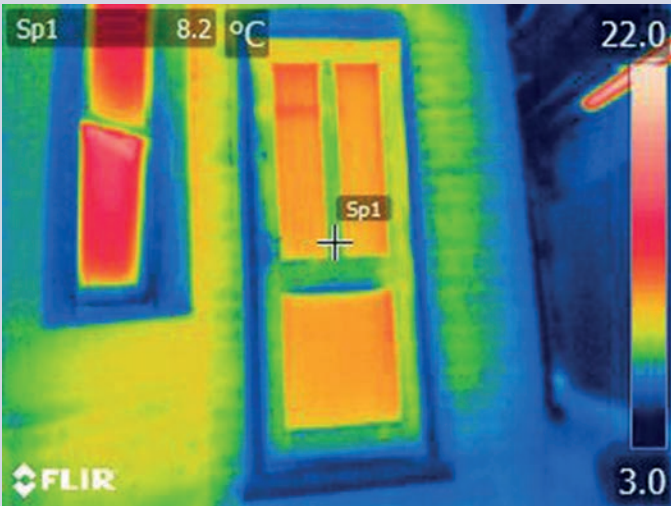


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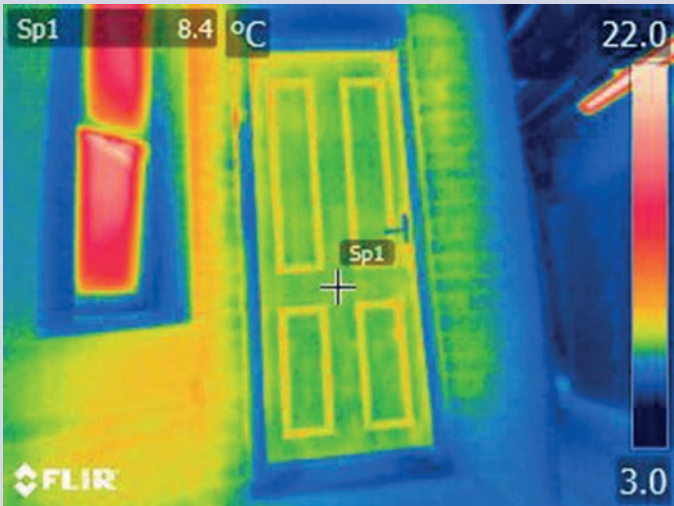
A Distinction Premium GRP composite door is more energy efficient than a traditional timber door or a solid timber core composite door – fact!

These days, we all worry about how much energy our homes use. The rising cost of our energy bills and our impact on the environment mean we want to keep our consumption to a minimum. One of the best ways to do this is to choose thermally efficient products that keep warmth in and cold out, saving money and emissions.

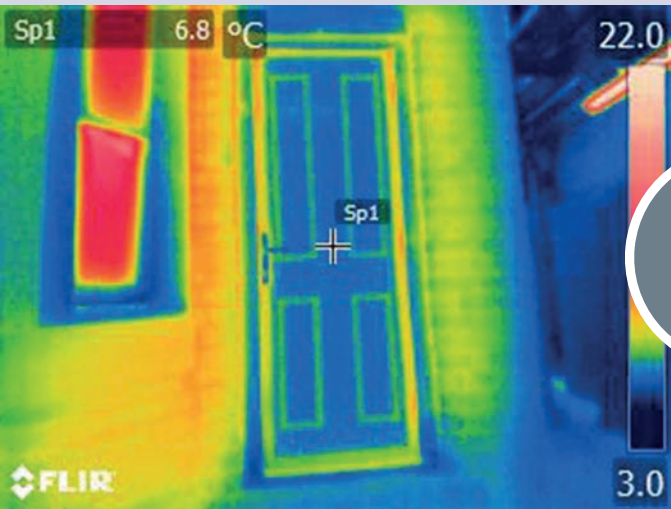
When it comes to thermally efficient doors, a Distinction Premium GRP composite door is the best choice you can make.



Traditional timber panelled door



Solid timber core composite door



Distinction Premium GRP composite door

THE **BEST**
CHOICE
YOU CAN
MAKE

The photos show the thermal efficiency of each of the doors we tested. The darker the blue, the less heat is being lost. Reds and greens – the predominant colours on the timber door – indicate high heat loss.

The alphabetical, colour coded scale follows the same grading system as that found in white goods with 'A' representing the most energy efficient.

Look out for the efficiency code scale

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Independent tests have proved that a Distinction Premium GRP composite door is:

19% more thermally efficient than a 48mm solid timber core composite door

17% more thermally efficient than a 44mm traditional timber panelled door

The doors were tested at the University of Salford's Energy House. This is a typical Salford 1919 terraced house and its construction represents 21% of the UK's current housing stock. The house has been reconstructed in a fully environmentally controllable chamber, in which climatic conditions can be maintained, varied, repeated and patterns monitored. For the test, the inside temperature of the Energy House was 25°C with an exterior temperature of 5°C.






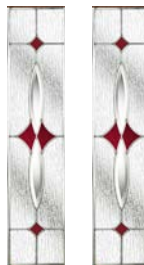
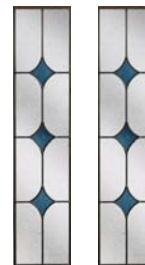
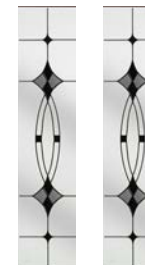

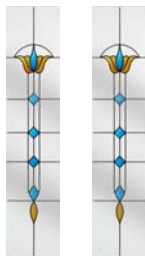

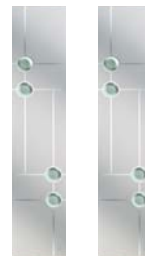


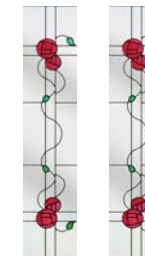

ESTEEM

Our Esteem range offers understated style and is ideal if you want your door to make a statement of quiet confidence. Choose the standard Esteem option for perfect simplicity or, if you want to add a twist, choose from the Eyebrow or Arch options.

Other door styles available...



GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE

 <p>Kara – clear glass with Brass or Zinc Caming</p>	 <p>Kara – coloured glass with Zinc Caming</p>	 <p>Scotia – clear glass with Zinc and Brass Caming</p>	 <p>Scotia – coloured glass with Zinc Caming</p>	 <p>Java – coloured glass with Zinc and Patina Caming</p>	 <p>Laptev – with resin cames</p>	 <p>Coral – with Zinc Caming</p>
 <p>Celebes – with resin cames</p>	 <p>Timor – with clear glass bevels</p>	 <p>Timor – with coloured glass bevels</p>	 <p>Flores – clear glass with Brass or Zinc Caming</p>	 <p>Sulu – with crystal resin bevels</p>	 <p>Tasman – with resin cames</p>	 <p>Marmara – with fused tiles</p>

*Image: Esteem in Black with Red Laptev glazing. Note: All decorative insulated glass units offer varying degrees of obscurity/privacy.



ECLAT

The Eclat door is a classic choice that offers a little bit more. The pleasing combination of glass shapes lets you make your front door a focal point for the eye, making a beautifully welcoming statement.

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TO CHOOSE
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Timor – with clear glass bevels	Timor – with coloured glass bevels	Andaman – clear glass with Brass or Zinc Caming	Flores – clear glass with Brass or Zinc Caming	Sulu – with crystal resin bevels	Tasman – with resin cames	Marmara – with fused tiles	

*Image: Eclat in Midnight with Sulu glazing



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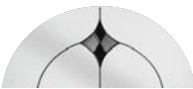







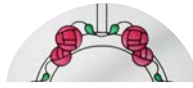

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ECLAT ARCH

When your door needs to offer privacy, the Eclat Arch is the perfect choice.
The decorative glass arch adds pleasing interest without revealing what's beyond.

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– clear glass with Brass
or Zinc Caming</p> |  <p>Kara
– coloured glass
with Zinc Caming</p> |  <p>Scotia
– clear glass with Zinc
and Brass Caming</p> |  <p>Scotia
– coloured glass
with Zinc Caming</p> |  <p>Java
– coloured glass with Zinc
and Patina Caming</p> |
|  <p>Laptev
– with resin cames</p> |  <p>Coral
– with Zinc Caming</p> |  <p>Celebes
– with resin cames</p> |  <p>Timor
– with clear glass bevels</p> |  <p>Timor
– with coloured glass bevels</p> |
|  <p>Andaman
– clear glass with Brass
or Zinc Caming</p> |  <p>Flores
– clear glass with Brass
or Zinc Caming</p> |  <p>Sulu
– with crystal resin bevels</p> |  <p>Tasman
– with resin cames</p> |  <p>Marmara
– with fused tiles</p> |

**Image: Eclat Arch in Sky Blue with Blue Java glazing*



CLASSICAL HALF GLAZED

This traditional six-panelled design has an attractive glass design that flows between the panels, creating a sophisticated and stylish appearance while still allowing the light to flood in.

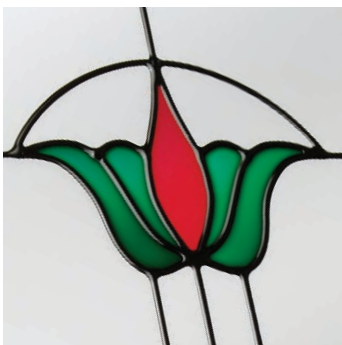
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*Image: Classical Half Glazed in Sweet Pea with Celebes Red and Green glazing



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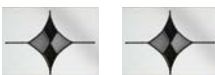

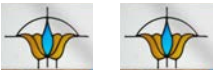





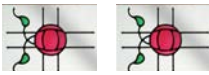
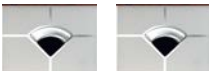
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CLASSICAL

The Classical design is perfect when you want your door to have decorative glazing but also want to maintain your privacy. The crisp clean lines create a classic, elegant look.

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**Image: Classical in Duck Egg with Kara Grey glazing*



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ELEGANCE ARCH

The scale of the beautiful glazed pane of the Elegance Arch design provides a wonderfully dramatic focal point that welcomes visitors to your home as well as letting light flood in.

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GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE

*Image: Elegance Arch in White with Java Grey glazing

RENOWN

The traditional tongue & grooved plank appearance of the Renown design lets you bring countryside heritage into your home without having to compromise on the security and thermal efficiency that a Distinction Premium GRP composite door offers.

GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE



Andaman
– clear glass



Flores
– clear glass



Kara
– clear glass



Scotia
– clear glass

} Each glass pattern comes with a choice of Brass or Zinc Caming



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**Door colour: Black with Andaman glazing*

RENOWN DIAMOND

Like its sister design, the Renown, the Renown Diamond offers traditional country style, but with an additional twist: an intriguing diamond-shaped glazing panel that makes your home a little bit different.

GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE



Flores
– clear glass



Kara
– clear glass



Scotia
– clear glass



Andaman
– clear glass

} Each glass pattern comes with a choice of Brass or Zinc Caming



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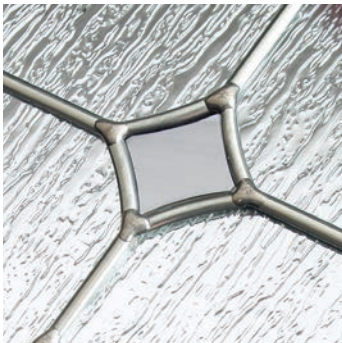
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**Door colour: Lead with Andaman glazing*



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RENOWN TOP

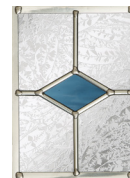
Like wearing a single piece of beautiful jewellery, the Renown Top has a small decorative glazing panel that makes a big statement. It welcomes visitors with delicate visual interest and brings a gleam of light into your home.

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GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE



Kara
– clear glass with Brass
or Zinc Caming



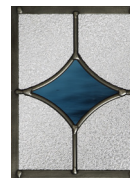
Kara
– coloured glass with Zinc
Caming



Scotia
– clear glass with Zinc
and Brass Caming



Scotia
– coloured glass
with Zinc Caming



Java
– coloured glass with Zinc
and Patina Caming



Laptey
– with resin cames



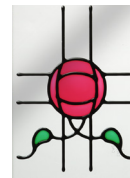
Coral
– with Zinc Caming



Timor
– with clear
glass bevels



Timor
– with coloured
glass bevels



Tasman
– with resin cames



Marmara
– with fused tiles

*Image: Renown Top in Lead with Scotia glazing



FLEXIBLE
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STABLE DOORS

The Stable door is the ideal solution for a back door, yet is the perfect choice for a front door too. You can open the top to bring light into your home while still keeping children in – or animals out!

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Apart from the very different look of a Stable door, the opening upper leaf can provide both sight and ventilation, while keeping the lower leaf closed to prevent children or animals leaving the home.

On a pleasant summer's day, one can well imagine the pleasure of looking out of the door and smelling the air while leaning on the rail of the lower leaf, and just passing the time...bliss!

The Stable door we offer is not, as so often is the case, a Renown door that has been cut to form the upper and lower portions of the Stable door. This is the genuine article: constructed specifically with a mid-rail so that when cut through, it forms two leafs. Each leaf is completely surrounded by a rigid subframe providing stability and security, as well as weather protection.

The hardware that is used has been tested thoroughly for suitability of purpose, such that the locks, rack bolt (that joins the two halves), and rebate forming extrusions and rain deflectors, have been specifically designed.

A variety of colours are available as are glazing options. Something different and a bit special....and worth thinking about.



**Image: Stable door in Chartwell with Flores glazing*

ELEGANCE

Our Elegance design is equally popular as a front door and a back door. It maximises the light that floods into your home, while its classically simple lines are perfect when you want understated perfection.



MINI-BLIND OPTION ALSO AVAILABLE – SEE PAGE 44 FOR MORE INFO

GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE



Kara
– clear glass



Scotia
– clear glass



Flores
– clear glass



Sulu
– clear glass

} Kara, Scotia and Flores come with a choice of Brass or Zinc Caming



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**Door colour: Gunmetal with Kara glazing*

PRESTIGE

The elegantly proportioned and beautiful panel moulding on the Prestige design ensures that your eye is drawn to the single, perfectly proportioned glazing panel in the centre of the door.

GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE



Flores
– clear glass



Kara
– clear glass



Scotia
– clear glass



Andaman
– clear glass

} Each glass pattern comes with a choice of Brass or Zinc Caming



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**Door colour: White with Andaman glazing*

EMINENCE

An Eminence door offers a beautifully flowing design. The unusual oval glazing panel gives your home exceptional kerb appeal and makes a stunning welcoming statement for visitors.

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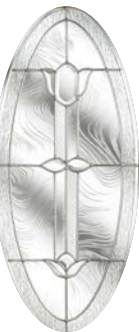


Andaman
– clear glass

Scotia
– clear glass

Kara
– clear glass

Sulu
– clear glass



Flores
– clear glass

} Andaman, Scotia, Kara and Flores come with a choice of Brass or Zinc Caming



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**Door colour: Rose Wood with Flores glazing*

VOGUE

The Vogue design is as at home in a contemporary setting as in a traditional one. The intricate panel moulding offers exceptional visual interest, while the glazing panel is a beautiful highlight.

GLASS PATTERNS AVAILABLE



Flores
– clear glass

Kara
– clear glass

Scotia
– clear glass

Sulu
– clear glass

Andaman
– clear glass

} Andaman, Scotia, Kara and Flores come with a choice of Brass or Zinc Caming



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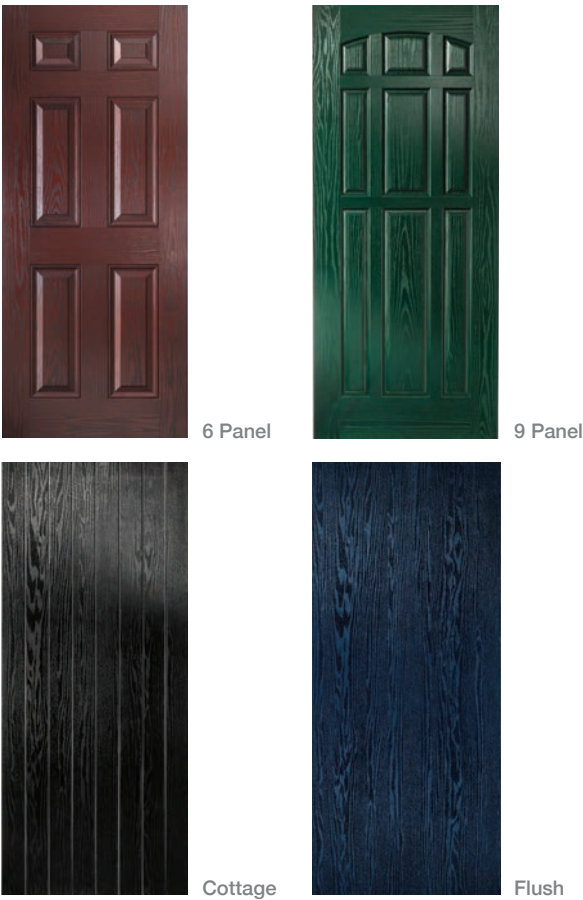
**Door colour: Charcoal with Andaman glazing*

SOLID DOORS

Far from being the safe choice, a solid door is the ultimate expression of confidence. With no decorative glazing to draw the eye, you can focus instead on the stunning moulding and beautiful woodgrain.



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FIRE DOORS

Our fire doors are packed with a wealth of fire safety features and tested to current standards to give you peace of mind that your home and loved ones are protected from the dangers of fire. Available in versions designed to withstand fire for up to 30 minutes or up to 60 minutes, they also offer all the beauty and style you'd expect from a Distinction Premium GRP composite door.



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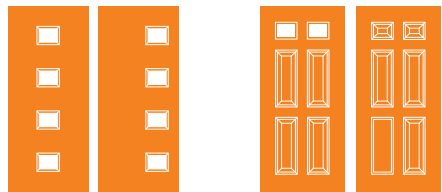


6 Panel Classical Classical half glazed Eclat Arch Elegance 4 Panel Esteem



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FD60



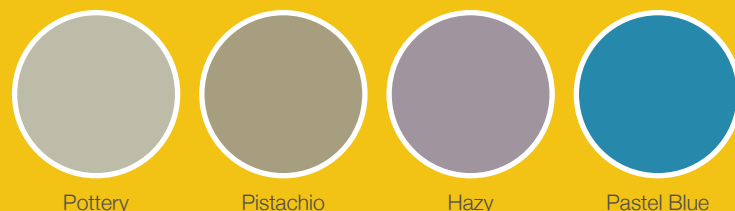
C17C C17R/L Classical 6 Panel

NEW

70MM DOORS

Our **NEW** 70mm doors offer all the same great benefits as our Premium doors but also have better thermal efficiency – in fact they are 25% more thermally efficient than our Premium doors. They are specifically designed to be more friendly when installing to current PVC-u frames and this thicker door has improved noise reduction.

Elite 70mm doors are available in any of our bespoke colours. Our suggestions for a truly beautiful door are Pottery, Pistachio, Hazy and Pastel Blue.



See page 40 for our full colour range!



DOORS STYLES AVAILABLE



Esteem
– Kara glazing



Eclat
– Kara glazing



Eclat Arch
– Scotia glazing



Classic Half Glazed
– Scotia glazing



Classical
– Andaman glazing



Elegance Arch
– Andaman glazing



Elegance
– Flores glazing



NEW
Linea
glass design
available
Exclusive to our
Elite 70mm door

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*Door colour: White Elite 70mm door with Linea glazing



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FRENCH DOORS AND BI-FOLD DOORS

By choosing a French door or bi-fold door from Distinction Doors, you'll create a beautifully seamless finish with the other doors in your home. They let you fill your home with beautiful light while also benefiting from the elegant woodgrain appearance and unparalleled security that all our GRP composite doors have to offer.

Available in white, gold oak, rose wood or any of our bespoke colours.





CONTEMPORARY DOORS

Our contemporary door range offers dramatically positioned glazing panes for a stunningly sophisticated finish. They make a bold choice, offering an ideal combination of designer style and low maintenance, thermally efficient practicality.

You can choose from a variety of different designs. Each one provides a perfect contrast between the beautifully authentic oak grained finish and the elegantly positioned glazing panes which provide a focus for the eyes – all you need to do is choose the one that’s right for your home.

Available in the standard colours of white, black, blue, green, red, gold oak and rose wood, you can also select from any of the colours in our range (you can see them all on pages 40 and 41). Combined with your choice of glazing design, the result is a wonderfully stylish statement that sets the tone for the rest of your home.



 **Esprit CO4L**
– with Emin glass



Esprit CO4R
– with Rayner glass



 **Esprit CO6L**
– with Java glass



Esprit CO6C
– with Java glass

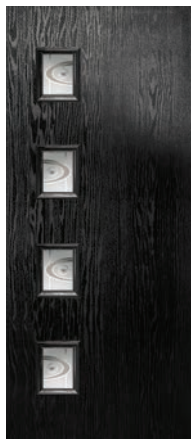


Esprit CO6R
– with Java glass

**Image: Esprit CO9R Mandarin with Matisse glazing*



C Esprit C08
– with Scotia glass



A Esprit C09L
– with Picasso glass



Esprit C09C
– with Timor glass



Esprit C09R
– with Matisse glass



Any style door with the
colour of your choice...



A Esprit C17L
– with Picasso glass



Esprit C17C
– with Timor glass



Esprit C17R
– with Matisse glass



A Esprit C07L
– with Dali glass



Esprit C07R
– with Warhol glass



C Esprit C16L
– with Scotia glass



Esprit C16C
– with Andaman glass



Esprit C16R
– with Kara glass



C Esprit C12L



Esprit C12C



Esprit C12R

The designed versatility of our contemporary doors is reflected in the choice of glazing.

To complete a modernist statement, our Picasso, Matisse, Warhol, Dali, Rayner and Emin decorative glass units are perfect choices.

If you want a softer, more traditional look, our Java, Scotia, Timor, Andaman and Kara panels offer what you need.

Whichever combination you choose, if you're looking for a door that says something different, a contemporary door has the perfectly refined answer.



*Image: Esprit C12L Gold Oak with textured, frosted glass



*Image: Esprit C07L Charcoal Satin with Warhol glazing

COLOUR RANGES

Open the door to colour

Once you've chosen the style of your door, it's time to choose the colour. As you browsed through the door styles, you will have seen the standard colours that each range is available in. But that's only the beginning! We also offer a huge range of other colours to help you create your perfect door.

standard colours



White



Black

Red

Blue

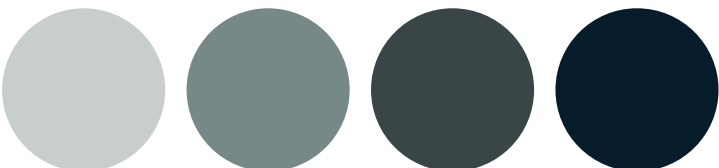


Green

Gold Oak

Rose Wood

bespoke colours



Platinum

Lead

Granite

Gunmetal

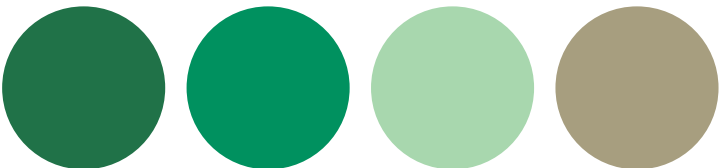


Charcoal

Soft Cream

Pottery

Nut Brown

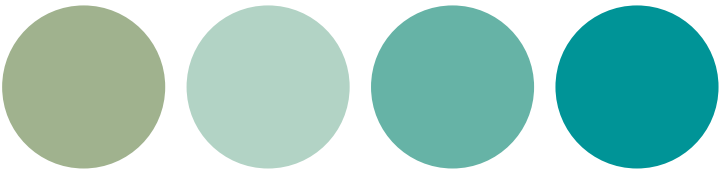


Pear

Fern Green

Sweet Pea

Pistachio

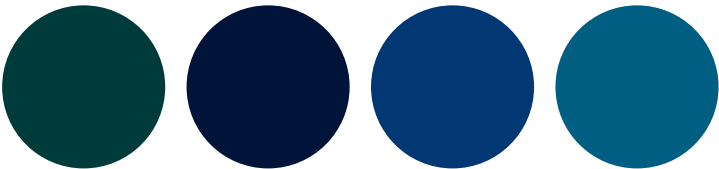


Chartwell

Duck Egg

Coastal Blue

Sea Green



Peacock

Midnight

Ultramarine Blue

Teal

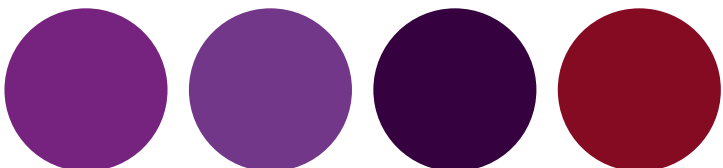


Sky Blue

Dusk

Pastel Blue

Hazy

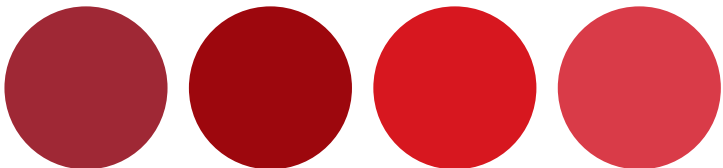


Passion Flower

Foxglove

Aubergine

Claret



Deep Cerise

Scarlet

Light House

Rhubarb



Salsa Red

Mandarin

Turmeric

Buttercup

All doors come as standard with a satin finish



GLAZING OPTIONS

Your choice of decorative glazing panel is the perfect finishing touch and a beautiful focal point.

As you've browsed through our door styles, you will have seen which glazing panels complement which doors.

We offer a range of 12 different designs, covering everything from the traditional to the contemporary. Each design comes in a selection of colours designed to perfectly complement our door colours and create a stylish finish. All have slim sightlines to maximise light transmission and their frame uses the same moulding design and woodgrain effect as the rest of the door for a sophisticated and seamless finish. All but one of the ranges are triple glazed, so the delicate decorative panel is encapsulated between two clear panes. Not only does this strengthen the panel, it also protects it from dust, making it exceptionally easy to clean.

CHOOSE YOUR GLASS...



ANDAMAN – Decorative triple glazing featuring clear bevels, various textured backing glass and brass or zinc coming



CELEBES – Decorative triple glazing featuring coloured resins and satin backing glass



CORAL – Decorative triple glazing featuring clear bevels, colour glass panels, textured backing glass and zinc coming



LAPTEV – Decorative triple glazing featuring coloured resins and satin finish backing glass



MARMARA – Decorative triple glazing featuring fused glass tiles on etch-effect glass



SCOTIA – Decorative triple glazing featuring clear bevels and textured glass with brass or zinc coming. Optional coloured glass available with zinc coming only



SULU – Decorative double glazing featuring multi-faceted resin bevels



TASMAN – Decorative triple glazing featuring coloured resins and satin backing glass



TIMOR – Decorative triple glazing featuring coloured bevels on etch-effect glass



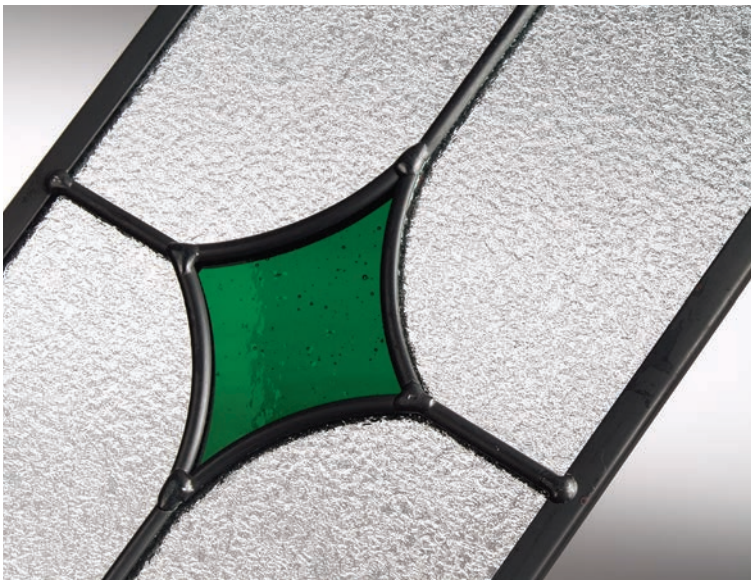
FLORES – Decorative triple glazing featuring clear bevels, various textured backing glass and brass or zinc coming



JAVA – Decorative triple glazing featuring coloured glass, a stippled effect backing glass and patina zinc coming



KARA – Decorative triple glazing featuring clear bevels and textured glass with brass or zinc coming. Optional coloured glass available with zinc coming only



ENCLOSED MINI-BLINDS

An enclosed mini-blind is the perfect solution for controlling light and UV levels in your home – or simply giving you more privacy.

The mini-blind is enclosed within two panes of glass in an aluminium frame that will never need painting. It is controlled using a metallic tab rather than the traditional cord, so it is completely safe for children. And because the blind and the mechanism are totally enclosed, both are completely protected from damage and dust, making them easy to maintain.



SIDELIGHTS

When you need more than just a door

Many doors also have side panels that extend the decorative glazing over a wider area and make a stunning design statement. Our Esteem, Esteem Arch, Esteem Eyebrow and Classical Half Glaze doors also have matching side panels available, allowing you to upgrade that perfect design statement. The side panels offer all the benefits of our GRP composite doors and mean you can create a complete and completely beautiful entrance.



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Construction

Every Distinction GRP composite door is manufactured to the highest of standards to ensure it is strong, durable and secure. We have sold over two million doors to date, evidence of the quality and exacting specification we demand.

The door has a perimeter sub-frame of a solid, water-resistant polymer material, which is reinforced with Laminated Veneered Lumber (LVL). A thermoset GRP skin is bonded to this sub-frame and the core of the door is then filled with high density, 100% CFC-free polyurethane foam. Finally, water resistant polymer composite rails protect the core from damage or water absorption.

The door's core is what makes it so thermally efficient and so good at reducing sound. In fact, as you can see from the images on page 6, it is the most thermally efficient door on the market, increasing your home's energy efficiency and saving you money on your energy bills.

The high impact resistant thermoset GRP skin not only keeps your door looking good, it will not expand and contract laterally so your door will not crack or delaminate. All standard solid colours are pre-pigmented and beautifully finished with a satin top coat, our wood grains are all individually hand stained to reflect a timber door. All other bespoke colours are over sprayed using the latest technology available, applying a durable paint that provides a stunning finish.

Technical figures

A Distinction GRP composite door has a wealth of facts and figures that prove its quality. The door:

- achieves BS 6375-1 for weather tightness, air, wind and water
- achieves PAS 24 security standard, a prerequisite for achieving Secured by Design status

- reduces outdoor noise by an average of 31dB
- achieves Global Warming Potential (GWP) score of less than 5
- achieves Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP) score of zero
- meets UK Building Regulations U value requirements of 1.6 W/M²K

In other words, everything about a Distinction GRP composite door has been designed to enhance your home for years to come.

Care and maintenance

Your Distinction GRP composite door has been designed to be easy to maintain. To keep your door clean, prolong the life of the surface finish and protect your warranty, we recommend you wash it regularly using warm soapy water (washing up liquid is ideal) and a soft, lint-free cloth. If you live in a coastal area, in a heavily industrialised area or near a main road, you may need to clean your door more frequently.

It is important that you DO NOT use any of the following on your door:

- abrasive cleaners or scouring pads
- any type of bleach or solvent (e.g. white spirit, methylated spirit, cellulose thinners, acetone or nail varnish remover)
- any type of adhesives or tack for providing temporary protection or fixing of seasonal or other decorations etc
- high pressure or steam cleaners.

