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We're very proud of where we have come from.

Emplas has grown from a start-up business trading from a garage lock-up to become one of the UK's largest fabricators.

And we are proud of where we are going.





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Company History

1979

FEBRUARY

Kevin Johnson & business partner Tony Foster start selling aluminium double glazed windows & doors to homeowners, making their own glass sealed units in Tony's garage & first-floor bedroom.



JULY & NOVEMBER

The partners rented a small industrial unit in Wellingborough before they moved to a larger unit in Burton Latimer, Northhants, later that year.



1980

JULY

First Factory: Kevin & Tony purchased a factory in Finedon & manufactured uPVC double glazed windows & doors. One of a few manufacturers who internally glaze windows.





1990

Kevin was presented with the Promotional Campaign of the Year at the Glassex Awards



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2006

Emplas acquired Acorn Aluminium Ltd & could now offer uPVC windows, doors as well as commercial aluminium double



2011

Ecostar Double Glazing Pty Ltd starts trading in Melbourne.

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10-STAR DOUBLE GLAZING

Our Values



Improving Britain's Homes



To become the UK's supplier of choice to the trade installer, new build and social housing markets



To manufacture the most complete range of high quality windows and doors, backed by the best customer service and support, for the trade installer, new build and social housing markets.

Development commences on the £2.2 million investment of the UK factory. £1.4 million is invested in machinery



2018

Rapid growth saw Ecostar relocate to a new head office, installation depot & customer service centre.



Finalist in the G18 Fabricator of the Year Awards

Launched F82 Aluminium Bi-Fold Door to our trade customers



las moved into its current site in gborough, x3 times larger than the previous location



Emplas win the G14 Customer Care Initiative of the Year & the G15 Fabricator of the Year Awards.

























Our Process

Transform Your Business

(IT Infrastructure, Business Visibility & Efficiency)



Bar Code Technology:

Measuring customer experience from the receipt of their first order up to delivery.



Production Scheduling:

Collate data regarding production cycle to enable customised individual requirements.



Measurability:

Understand & measure how we deliver what the customer needs.

Predicting Problems

Before they impact on customers



Stages:

Through barcode technology, we can model delivery critical 'manufacturing stage gates' for the product to pass through by a certain time.



Flagging Problems Early:

Our custom-built systems automatically trigger alerts of rare potential problems, thereby saving you time and money.



Maximising Efficiency & Time:

The same technology underpins customer order tracking, dispatch & delivery, with everything scanned on & off lorries, allowing orders to be delivered on-time-in-full.



Improving Our Systems:

This allows us to improve our operation. Elements of each order are checked before loading the lorry & then re-scanned on & off the lorry.



Sending Only Completed Orders:

This reduces the chance of shipping incomplete orders. The truck won't leave until everything is accounted for.

Automatic Reordering



Scanned Deliveries:

All products are scanned off.



Automatic Delivery Notes:

System issues a customer delivery note & audit, providing clear audit trails.



Future Developments:

Piloting functionality for products damaged in transit to be re-scanned for priority factory remakes to cut delays and improve service.



Customer Support



Our customers are supported by our dedicated specialists & their customer service point of contacts.

We offer a comprehensive customer sales & marketing support programme proven in a retail environment.

Barcode Scanning & Inspection



We offer 24/7 online ordering & real-time order tracking, right up to the point of delivery.

The product is quality checked & scanned at each station to ensure the component parts are going where they should.

Schirmer Machining



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Profile is brought into the factory & scanned by the Schirmer machine for twisting & bowing intolerances .

The Schirmer checks the right profile has been loaded & can cut a 6m bar length into a fully prepped frame within seconds.

Rotox Welder



Once our profile is cut, routed & reinforced, frames are welded using industry-leading welding & cutting technology.

The high-tech seamless weld technology offers a beautiful finish on all reverse butt welds.

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Emplas' expertise lies in t of windows and doors to specificati

Using state-of-the-art so capacity to manufacture two s

Door Line

Our composite doors meet & exceed current UK Building Regulations for weather tightness & thermal efficiency.

The dedicated composite door CNC routing line routes & preps to 0.1mm tolerances to achieve these standards.



In-house Paint Spraying

Our own in-house spray painting facility offers colour-matching to a full spectrum of RAL finishes.

This allows you to give your customers complete design flexibility to choose the right product for their home.



Quality Control

Every frame is inspected multiple times before final checks in quality control & dispatch.

Following final checks, we apply a tape of your choice which can even include your own brand.



Dispatch

Full visibility of frames throughout the factory gives us the ability to react and solve any potential problems earlier.

We photograph every ancillary product box to ensure products arrive on time, so you can plan installations with confidence.



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ftware, we have a weekly up to 3,200 frames across hifts.









uPVC Windows

Emplas is a proud fabricator of Profile 22. We manufacture our windows using the Optima system, which comes in several different styles. Your customers can get the perfect fit for their home.

These windows combine exceptional flexibility with advanced security & thermal performance. Your customers can match these windows in with the décor of their homes thanks to the range of foiled and coloured finishes.





Optima BY PROFILE 22 SYSTEMS

Colour

Options



Windows Technical Overview

- 1 Slim Sightlines
- 2 Chamfered or Sculptured Frame Options
- 3 Steel Reinforcement Options
- Deeper Drainage Channels
- 5 10mm Cover for Weather Tightness

- Hardware Fixing Points
- Secure Internal Glazing
- 8 Double & Triple Glazing Options
- 9 Multi-Point Locking
- 10 Exceeds Current Building Standards

Available in Heritage Flush, Optima Chamfered & Optima Sculptured profiles, with styles including:



















uPVC Residential **Doors**

The Optima uPVC Residential Door comes in a variety of designs and complementary glazing options. This door has a reinforced core & 'Type A' fire resistant and thermally efficient expanded polystyrene insulation.

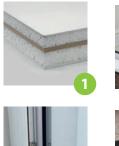
Your customers will sleep peacefully with anti-pick, anti-bump and anti-drill door locking cylinder options & Secured by Design features.

uPVC Residential Doors Technical Overview

- Reinforced Fire Resistant & Thermally Efficient Core
- Contemporary or Traditional Designs
- **Energy Efficient Frame**
- Multi-Point Locking
- Secured by Design Hardware Options
- Kubu Smart Technology as Standard

- 7 High Performance Gaskets
- 8 Decorative Glazing Options
- 9 uPVC or Aluminium Threshold Options
- 10 Range of Colours & Woodgrain Finishes
- 11 Exceeds Current Building Regulations
- 12 Optional Dog Bolts















uPVC French Doors

We use the Optima system for our French Doors, available with chamfered and fully sculptured options.

This door comes with Recycled Composite Material (RCM) or Full Steel Reinforcement options and is available in 6 stock and 22 premium colours*, fitting in perfectly with your customer's homes.

*see page 11

French Doors Technical Overview

- 1 Chamfered & Sculptured Options
- 2 Thermally Efficient Outer Frame
- 3 Steel Reinforcement Options
- 4 Improved Drainage Channels
- 5 Weatherseals & Optional Dog Bolt Upgrade

- 6 Improved Screw Retention & Security
- 7 Secure Internal Glazing
- 8 Double & Triple Glazing Options
- 9 Multi-Point Locking
- 10 Kubu Smart Technology as Standard







Offer your customers a market-leading profile with the PatioMaster patio door.

This sliding door fits perfectly into every home, available in two, three or four panes.

Patio Doors Technical Overview

- 1 Slim 86mm outer frame
- 2 Smooth glide lightweight mechanism
- 3 Security Head Rail
- 4 White, woodgrain & colour finishes
- 5 Low threshold system (optional)
- 6 6-Point Locking System

- 7 PAS 24:2012 Handle System
- 8 Multi-chamber Sash
- 9 Lowline Gasket
- 10 28mm Glazing as Standard
- 11 Weather seals
- 12 Secured by Design Options







Colours

Your customers can select from 6 stock and 22 premium colours*, fitting in perfectly with your customer's homes.

Foil finishes are permanently industrially bonded to the profiles so won't peel, flake or fade.

*see page 11 for paint finished options

Handles

We use the market-leading Hoppe handles, offering your customer's a 10-year assurance of a scratch-resistant finish.

Available in white, chrome, gold, black and satin.

Patio Doors Pane Options

2 PANE OPTION



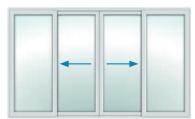
3 PANE OPTION



3 PANE OPTION



4 PANE OPTION











Composite Doors

Setting the Standard for Door Security

Our doors have been independently tested against the following type of assault:









Anti-Bump

Anti-Pick

Composite Doors Technical Overview

- Timber Look Without the Hassle
- Low U-Value Decorative Glazing
- Reinforced GRP Skin
- Secured by Design Security Hardware
- 3 Thermally Efficient Polyurethane Core
- Low threshold Options
- 8 Standard, 38 Premium & any RAL colour 10
 - Variety of Door Furniture
- Stability from the Elements
- High Spec Hinges
- Kubu Smart Technology as Standard
- *Optional specially selected product configurations only





ODL Cassettes



Our composite door incorporates the leading TriSYS 3-piece glazing system from ODL Europe as standard.

As this is a dry glazed system, the outer frame and inner cassette are screwed together, holding the door into place and snap on the inner frame.

Should the glass in your door fail, a simple replacement involves:



1 Take the cover off

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- 3 Put new glass in
- 2 Unscrew
- 4 Put back on the door

Colour Options

8 Standard Colours





38 Premium Colours







What Does the Kubu App do?



It lets you see the status of your door (locked/unlocked)



From any place in the world.



At anytime, day or night.



On all the doors in your home.



On all the homes that you look after.



Get notifications with every turn of the key.



You can schedule notifications when you want.



It shows the history of your doors.



You can share your door with family and friends.



Its perimeter feature helps to prevent you from leaving your home unlocked.



F82 Bi-Folding Doors

Offer your customers the best aluminium bi-fold door on the market with the ALUK Luminia F82 Bi-Fold Door.

This door sets new standards for design & performance, offering exceptional sightlines & an advanced performance.

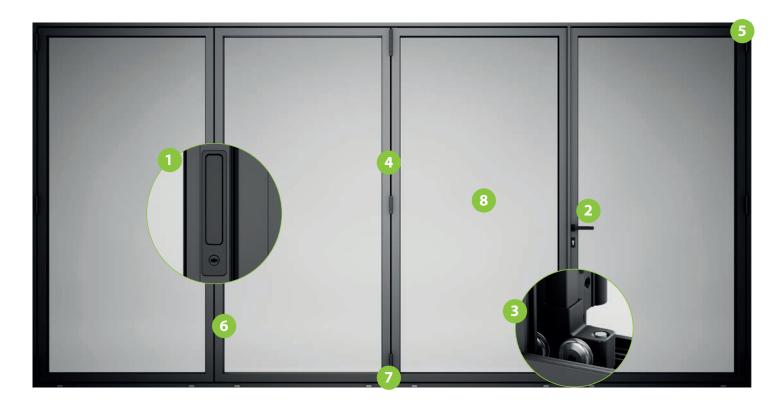
Available in two to seven panels, this door delivers an industrybest U-Value of 1.4 with a 28mm double glazed unit, making your customer's homes warmer.

The reduced sightlines of 97 and 122mm (see page 21) allows for a stunning wall of glass, giving panoramic views of your customer's garden.

The pop-out flush handle creates a sleek aesthetic.







Design Features



Unique flush pop-out handle for ease of operation, removing the need for additional unsightly handles



Both frame and cill sightlines of 97mm



Unique traffic door handle



122mm Slimline interlock



Heavy duty compact rollers as standard



Low threshold



Anti-finger trap system, using gaskets, to prevent fingers getting trapped when the doors are closing



Larger glazing area

F82 Colours

We offer these doors in both single and dual colour options, with 3 stock colours, 2 dual colours and non-stocked RAL colours available.

We offer handles in white, silver and black.



1013M	1015M	7044M	9001M
7034M	1019M	6021M	7032M
3005M	9010M	6003M	7021M







Emplas Virtual Assistant

EVA

We offer our trade customers the very best support in the form of EVA, our Emplas Virtual Assistant.

This retail support package is unlike any other, drawing on our own experience through our retail business, T&K Home Improvements.

EVA offers real-time order tracking from initial placement, through the factory and right up to the point of delivery.

Trade customers can view the status of their orders and deliveries, whilst also being able to generate quotes and place orders, anywhere at any time.















Your Messages





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Marketing Support Available







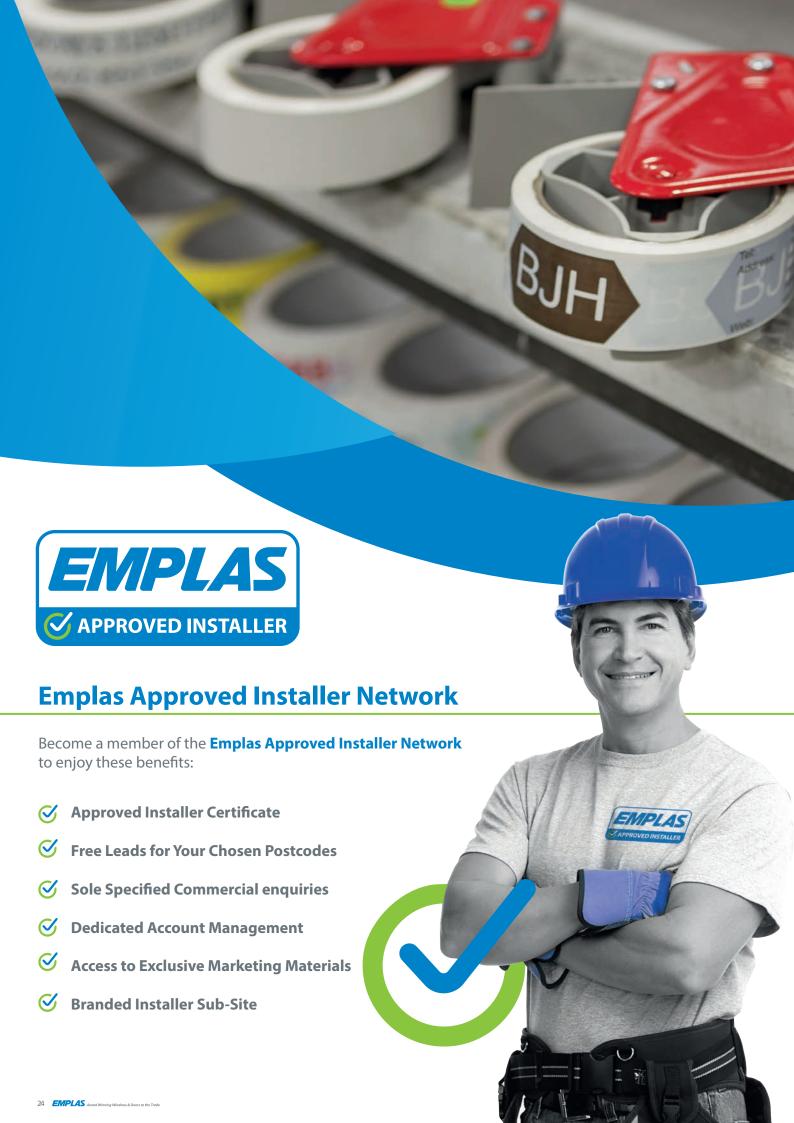


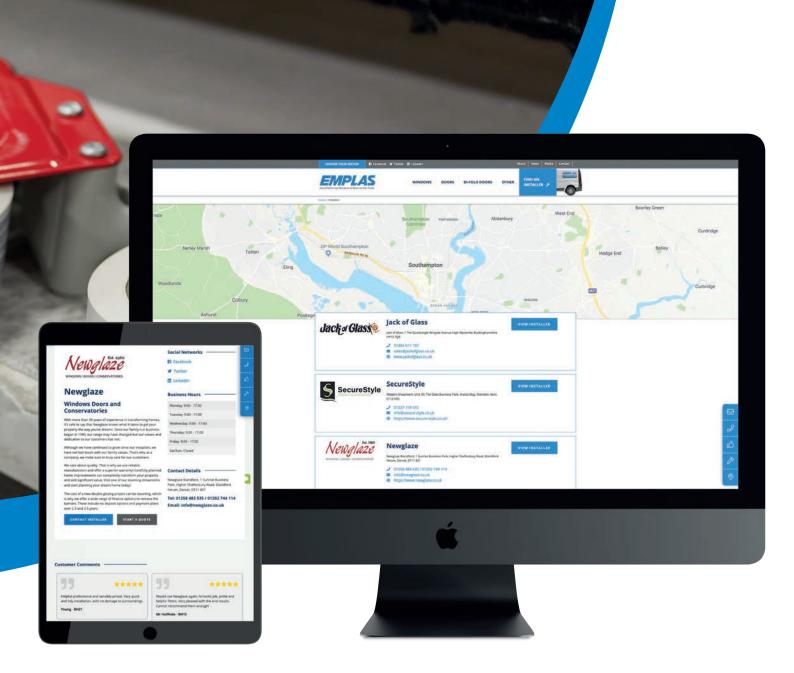














Marketing Support



EV/A

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Website **Installer Listing**

Let Your Customers Find You.

Features

- Branded Company Subsite
- Specific Location Lead-Generation
- Contact Form Linked to Installer
- Unique Copy
- Gallery
- Lead Dashboard

Lead Generation

Features

- Consumer Leads
- Leads Sent in Real Time
- ✓ Instantaneous Dissemination
- Automatic Email Response
- Real Time Reporting



VR Tours

Bring Your Brand to Life.

Features

- 360 Degree Photography
- Multiple Points of View
- Suitable for All Devices
- Bespoke Information Points
- Add Videos & Photos



Quoting Engines

Gain More Customers for Your Business.

Features

- Built-in CRM
- Real Time Reporting
- Large Product Range
- Flexible Pricing
- ✓ Full Quote Details
- Live Lead Notifications

Videos

Exclusive Marketing & Technical Videos with Your Own Branding.

- ✓ Factory Video
- Profile 22
- Composite Doors
- ✓ F82

Photography

Showcase Your Products & Captivate Your Customers.

Features

- Professional Photographer
- Suited for Marketing Purposes
- ✓ Showcase Full Product Range
- Lifestyle Approach
- ✓ Suitable for Digital & Print

Showroom Support

Features

- ✓ POS
- Product Samples

Bespoke Marketing Materials

Features

- Installer Accreditations
- Installer Certificates
- Branded Brochures
- Branded Tape



Brochures

Showcase Your Products & Captivate Your Customers.

Features

- Branded Product Brochures
- Technical Guides
- Mobile Friendly
- Easy to Download
- *⊙* User-Friendly



Features

- Online Hub
- Download all Pdfs
- ✓ Online Quoting Engine
- Branded Installer Subsite





Award Winning Windows & Doors to the Trade

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