

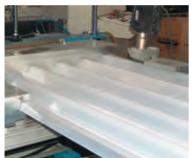
PATENTED SELFCARRYING
GLAZING SYSTEM
IN POLYCARBONATE















AKRAPLASTSistemi S.p.A.

is a reference in the field of translucent systems, sheets and panels for the building branch, specially regarding polycarbonate products.

Constant attention in the choice of raw materials, commitment in development and improvement of the products as well as technical and commercial support to the customers, are the base of the Company's philosophy.

For 30 years AKRAPLAST Sistemi has been operating all over Europe and on many extra-European markets, offering technologies, products and services wich brought the Company to success.

A Transparent World







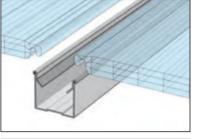
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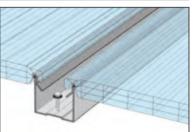
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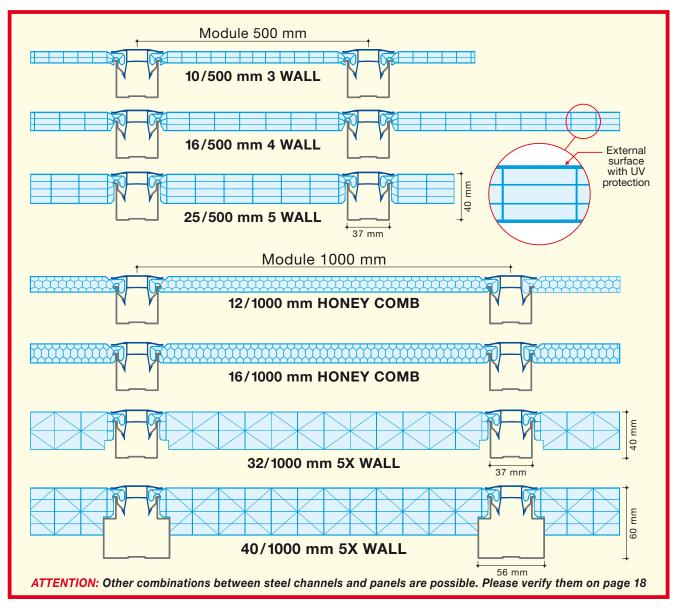
THE COMPLETE SOLUTION FOR GLAZING ROOFS AND WALLS

The patented **SUN MODUL**® system is the result of a long experience in the field of translucent glazing of roofs and walls, as well as domed skylights.

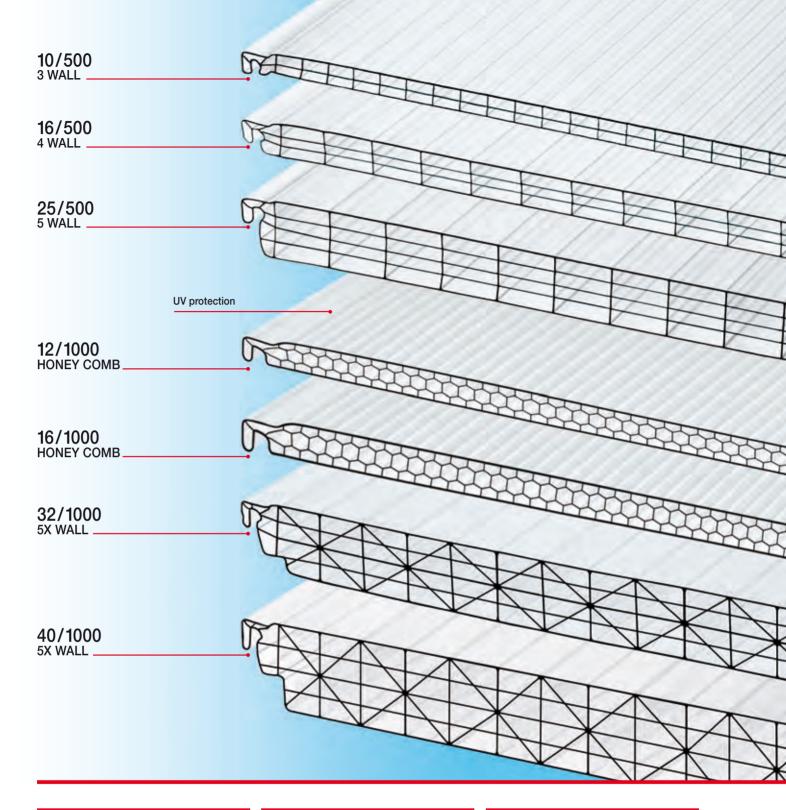
- The **SUN MODUL**® system combines high wind and snow loading capability, water tightness and stability of jointing, with lightness, easy assembly and the external appearance of a continuous surface. These properties make the system particularly well suited to glazing roofs and walls in industrial and commercial buildings and any other high specification applications.
- The special multi-wall polycarbonate panels are hooked onto steel channels and firmly locked with special polycarbonate clip profiles, conferring excellent characteristics to the system for the creation of translucent surfaces of any kind in modern building.
- Extruded from high-grade polycarbonate, the glazing panels provide good light transmission and thermal insulation and are practically unbreakable. With an advanced UV resistant surface coating, weather resistance and long life span are guaranteed.
- The PC clip profiles are produced with the same technical characteristics as the panels.
- The galvanized and plastic coated steel channels are designed to provide very high rigidity. Consequently, the system can be used for wide, unsupported spans.
- The system is completed by a full range of aluminium profiles for frames, seals, opening windows and other accessories for every kind of application.



PANELS - STEEL CHANNELS - CLIP PROFILES



TECHNICAL DATA	module 500 mm (± 2)			m	Unit			
Panel thickness (nominal)	10	16	25	12	16	32	40	mm
Number of walls	3	4	5	[4]	[4]	5X	5X	
Thermal transmittance [U]	2,68	2,04	1,55	2,20	1,99	1,27	1,13	W/m²K
Light transmittance: TRANSPARENT OPAL-WHITE	~ 73 ~ 63	~ 66 ~ 57	~ 61 ~ 51	~ 64 ~ 48	~ 60 ~ 43	~ 60 ~ 45	~ 55 ~ 40	% %
Total weight of the system with STANDARD steel channel with MAXI steel channel	4,3 -	4,7 5,9	5,1 6,3	3,2	3,8 4,4	4,5 5,1	5,4 6,0	kg/m² kg/m²
Minimum bending radius with STANDARD steel channel with MAXI steel channel	2000	3500 6000	5500 6000	2000	3000 -		- -	mm mm
Thermal expansion	0,065						mm/m K	
Temperature range	-40/+120					°C		
Fire classification EN 13501-1	B s1 d0 no dripping							



STANDARD STEEL CHANNEL galvanized



MAXI STEEL CHANNEL galvanized

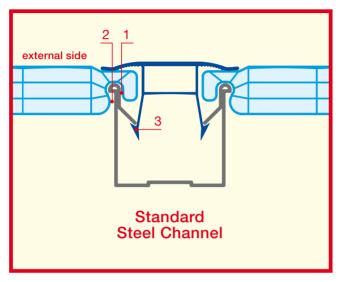


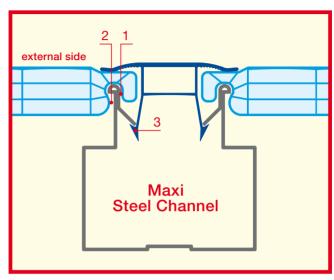
CLIP PROFILE IN PC UV protected



ANCHORAGE

SUN MODUL guarantees stable and safe anchorage of the panels.





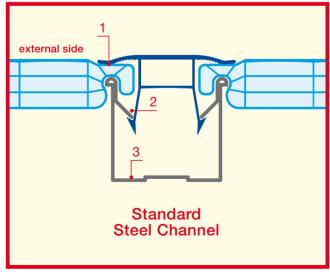
- 1 side anchorage
- 2 front anchorage
- 3 clip profile anchorage

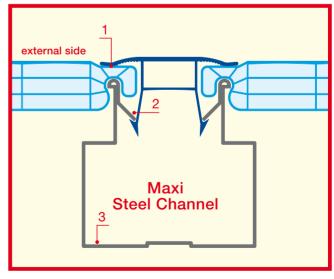
The anchorage of the polycarbonate *panels* is achieved by locking the polycarbonate *clip profile* into the *steel channel*.

The unique shape of the panels and the special profile of the steel channels keep the panels in position against compressive or depressive forces. They remain in place against distributed load (wind and snow) and concentrated (impact) load.

WATER TIGHTNESS

Sun Modul guarantees excellent water tightness.





- 1 pressure point
- 2 primary draining
- 3 ultimate draining

The Polycarbonate *panels* are locked in place in the *steel channels* by the polycarbonate *clip profile*, so the panels are not perforated by fixings thus preventing infiltration of dust and moisture.

Eventually penetrated microelements can flow outside by the primary draining.

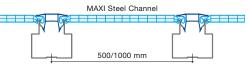
The particular shape of the *steel channel* guarantees secondary draining of infiltrations and condensates, without interfering with fixing screws.



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ACCEPTABLE SPANS



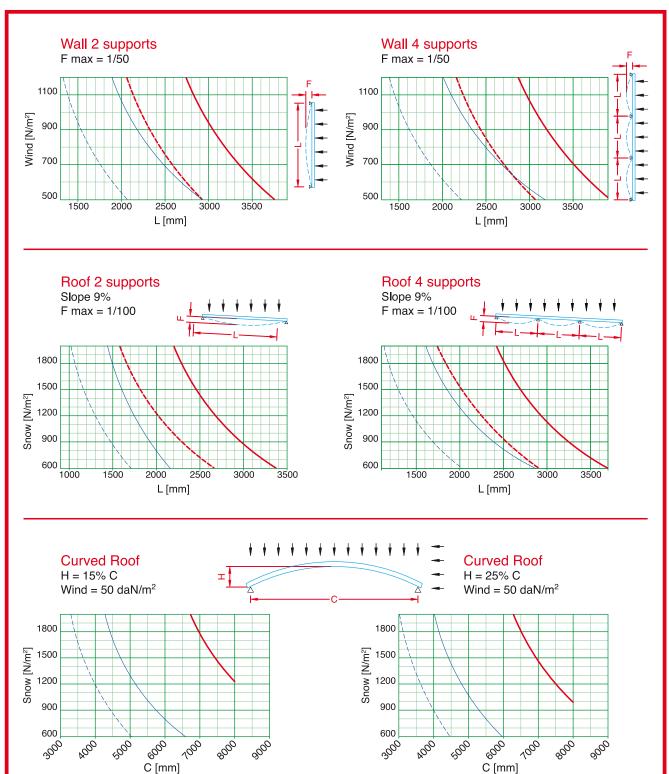


STANDARD Steel Channel

Module 500 mm _____ Module 1000 mm _ _

MAXI Steel Channel

Module 500 mm ____ Module 1000 mm _ _ _ _



NOTE: The span values indicated are referred to the conditions specified in each graph. For span evaluations under different conditions please ask for a special verification.

WALL / NORTHLIGHT

For vertical and inclined applications the **SUN MODUL**® system is ideal for the creation of aesthetically pleasing walls and northlights with excellent thermal insulation. The system is particularly suitable for big translucent external and internal surfaces in commercial and industrial buildings, as well as in sport sites.

Due to the different possibilities to combine the 2 panel modules in the various thicknesses and the 2 types of steel channel, the best solutions regarding wind loads and thermal insulation are obtained.

The components of the system are supplied on size for the customer's purpose in full height; there is no interruption in the surface. The fact that no fixings perforate the panel guarantees free thermal expansion.

The system is completed by a full range of aluminium profiles for framing and fixing; on size produced window frames, to be opened manually or with motor, are perfectly integrated in the surface, as they are cladded with the same elements as the wall. (See list on pages 15 and 16).



- A SUN MODUL® panel in UV protected polycarbonate
- (B) Steel channel
- (C) Clip profile in UV protected polycarbonate
- D) Framing profile in aluminium
- (E) PE-Inlay
- F Gasket
- (G) Aluminium window



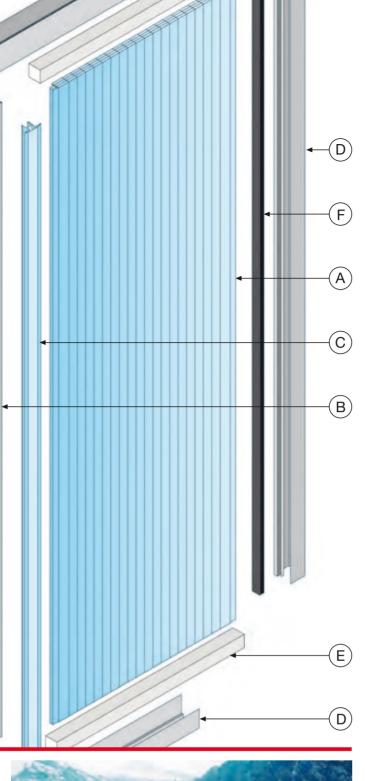


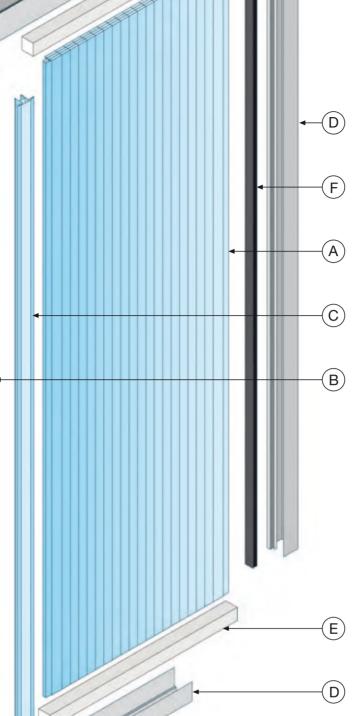






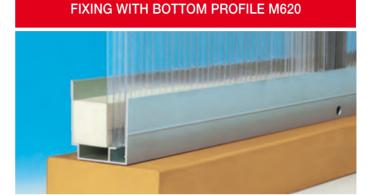








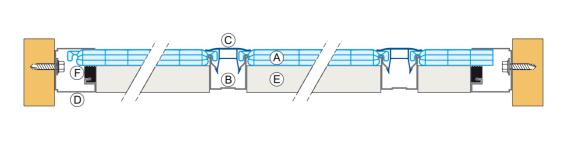












ROOFLIGHTS / NORTHLIGHTS

Due to the excellent water tightness of the patented locking system, high resistance to loads and low overall weight, the **SUN MODUL®** system is particularly well suited to low-pitch roofing applications, as well as traditional northlights.

A wide range of options regarding thermal insulation and load resistance can be obtained by combining various thicknesses of glazing panels and the two standard steel channel profiles.

System components are supplied to length, to minimise joints in the length of the rooflights. The length of individual components is limited only by transport.

The system is completed by a full range of options including manually or electrically operated window frames for ventilation. (See list on pages 15 and 16).

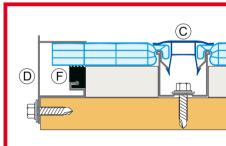
- (A) UV protected polycarbonate glazing panel
- (B) Steel channel
- (C) UV protected polycarbonate clip profile
- (D) Aluminium frame profile
- (E) PE-Inlay
- (F) Seal
- (G) Aluminium window











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CURVED & BARREL VAULT ROOFLIGHT

SUN MODUL® offers excellent advantages in its curved glazing applications. The curved steel channels and patented locking system provide extremely high load resistance, excellent water tightness and stability, with very low overall weight.

A range of system components is available, providing the capability to construct self-supporting roofs with free spans up to approximately 8m, depending on the radius to curve.

System components are supplied to required length, to minimise joints in the length of the rooflight. The length of individual components is limited only by transport. The system is completed by a full range of options including manually and electrically operated window frames for ventilation. (See list on pages 15 and 16).

- (A) UV protected polycarbonate glazing panel
- B Steel channel (radius on request)
- (C) UV protected polycarbonate clip profile
- (D) Aluminium frame profile
- (E) PE-Inlay
- (F) Seal
- Aluminium window
- Front section panel



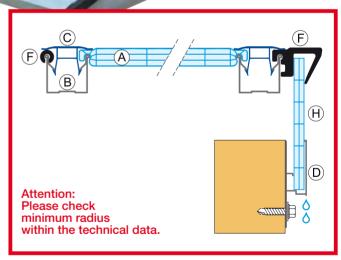




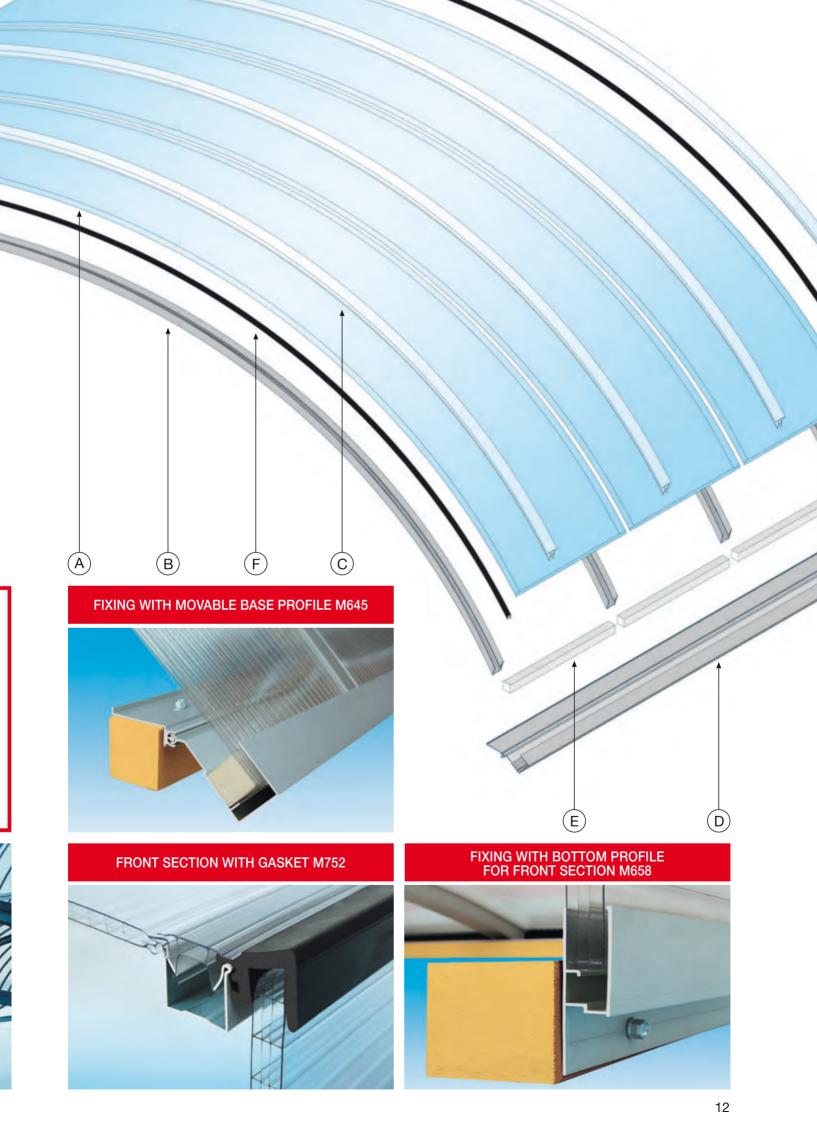












IN COMPOSITE PANEL ROOFS

A special gasket in EPDM for the lateral connection with sandwich panels and profiled elements (straight or curved) has been developed for the ${\bf SUN\ MODUL}^{\circledast}.$

In low pitch roof applications, long skylights, without interruption can be obtained (limited only by transport). No fixings through the panels are needed, so thermal expansion without problem is possible. Furthermore, high thermal insulation can be obtained.

In case of applications in domed roofs, the high load resistance given by the bent steel channels allow the construction of selfcarrying skylights with big free spans and of rooflights that bear high snow loads.

- A SUN MODUL® Panel in UV protected polycarbonate
- B Steel channel
- C Clip profile in UV protected polycarbonate
- (D) Fixing profile in aluminium
- F Gasket in EPDM
- (G) Sandwich panel (not supplied by Akraplast)

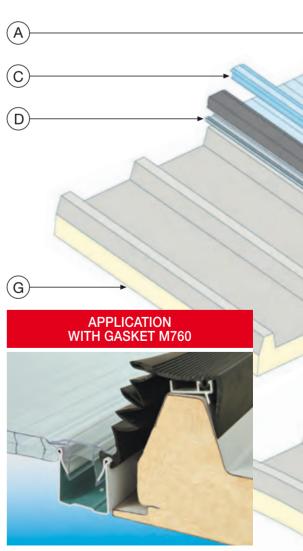


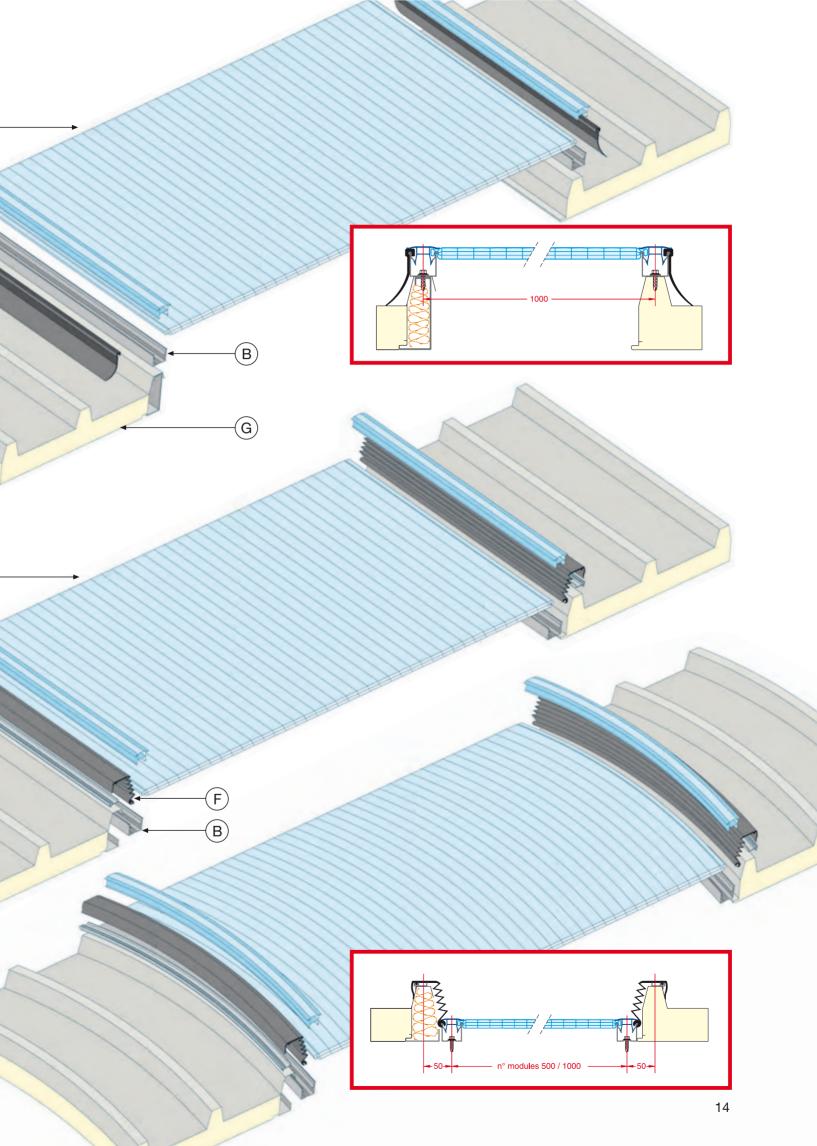










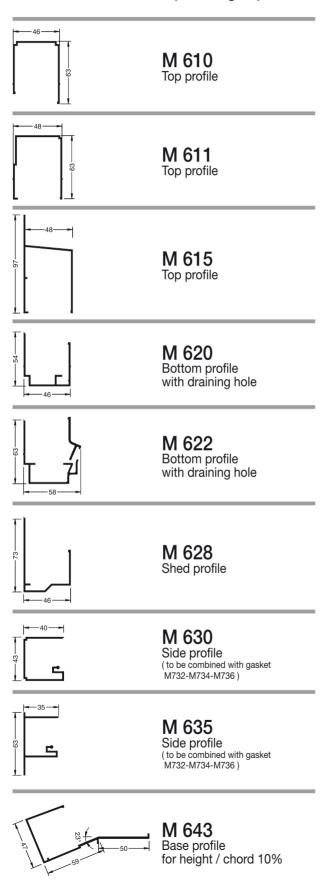


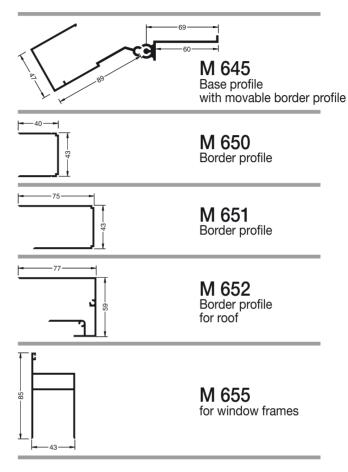




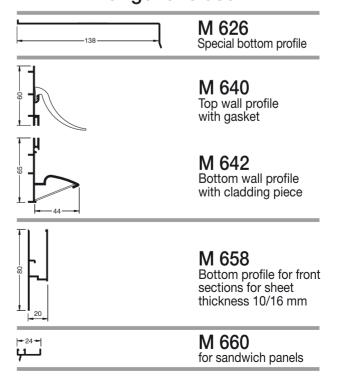
FRAMING PROFILES for Standard Steel Channel

in anodised aluminium (6 m lengths)





FRAMING PROFILES for generic use

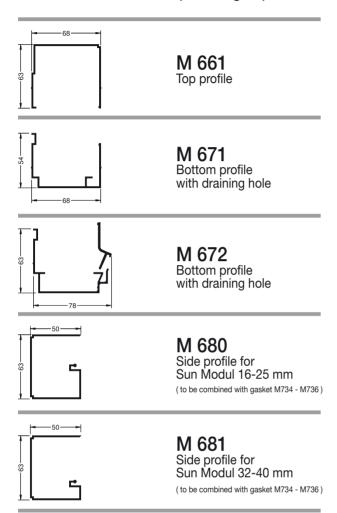






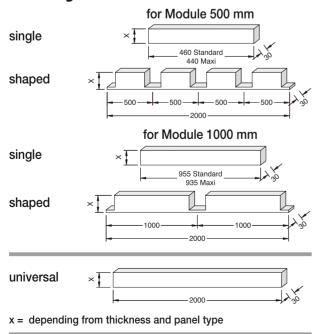
FRAMING PROFILES for Maxi Steel Channel

in anodised aluminium (6 m lengths)

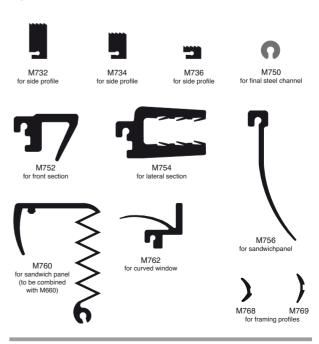


M 685 Side profile for Sun Modul 16-25 mm (to be combined with gasket M734 - M736) M 686 Side profile for Sun Modul 32-40 mm (to be combined with gasket M734 - M736) M 691 Border profile M 695 for window frames

Inlays in PE



Gaskets in EPDM







WARRANTY and CERTIFICATES

10-YEARS WARRANTY _____

SUN MODUL® panels and clip profiles are protected against UV rays on the external side. In Europe they are covered by **10 YEAR WARRANTY** from the date of purchase against yellowing and weather damages (hail. etc.).

For Non-European Countries the warranty may have a different duration.

For further details, please ask for the Warranty Certificate.

CERTIFICATES _

A series of tests have been carried out on the **SUN MODUL®** system, in order to confirm it's most significant properties.

The below listed tests and certificates are available; further detailed information about the elements / combinations, on which the tests have been carried out, may be supplied on request.

TYPE of TEST / CERTIFICATE

DURABILITY

Evolution during time of light transmission and impact strength

TIGHTNESS

- Air tightness
- Water tightness

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

- Resistance to compressive and depressive loads
- Resistance of fixings to tearing and deformation

THERMAL PROPERTIES

• Coefficient of thermal conductivity U = W/m²K

SOLAR PROPERTIES

- Energy transmission
- Light transmission and reflection

ACOUSTIC PROPERTIES

· Coefficient of acoustic insulation

FIRE CLASSIFICATION

- Italy: Class 1
- France: Class M2
- Germany: Class B1
- Switzerland: Class 4.1
- Great Britain: Class 1
- Slovenia: Class 1
- · Poland: not flame spreading

LICENCES OF THE SYSTEM

- France: Avis Technique
- Poland: Aprobata Techniczna
- Romania: Agrement Tehnic
- Czech Republic: Certifikát
- Slovakia: Technické osvedceňie

CERTIFYING AUTHORITY or INSTITUTE

CSTB (France) - n° ED/02-0010

CTBA (France) - n° 02/PC/PHY/210 CTBA (France) - n° 02/PC/PHY/210

Istituto Giordano (Italy) - n° 174369 ETANCO (France) - n° 30712; 30713

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CSI (Italy) n° 31/DC/ACU/04 - 58/DC/ACU/04

Ministero dell'Interno - Direz. gen. protezione civile SME (SNPE) - n° 11880-04

MPA BAU (Hannover) - n° P ND504-488 EMPA (Dübendorf) - n° 172 518/1

Warrington Fire Research Centre - n°116935

ZAG (Lubjana) - n° P 604/99-530-1 ITB (Warszawa) - n° 845/02/ES

CSTB: Avis Technique n° 2/03-1061 ITB (Warszawa) - n° AT-15-5631/2002

A.T. ROM-2000 SA (Bucaresti) - n° 020-02/101-2001

CSI (Praha) - n° C-00-0449/Z

TSUS (Bratislava) - n° C7.1/01/0343/0/004



SPECIFICATION TEXT

Wall / Roof / Northlight / Curved roof (1) constructed with SUN MODUL® selfcarrying modular system of Akraplast Sistemi, in total thickness (2), including: UV protected multi-wall polycarbonate panels, modular width (3), no. of walls (3), thermal insulation (3), colour (4); U shaped channels in galvanized steel with plasticized external surface colour (5), for hooking of the panels with frontal locking system; clip profile in UV protected polycarbonate for stable anchorage of the panels on the steel channels; profiles for framing of the perimeter in natural anodised aluminium; PE inlays, gaskets and any other components necessary to complete the system.

1) = alternatively: kind of application

2) = alternatively: 40 mm (Standard) - 60 mm (Maxi)

3) = alternatively: see TECHNICAL DATA (page 3) and PANELS TO USE (page 18)

4) = alternatively: **neutral - opaline** - (other colours on request)

5) = alternatively: colour grey - colour white

PANELS TO USE depending on required snow and wind loads		10/500 3 walls	16/500 4 walls	25/500 5 walls	12/1000 honey comb	16/1000 honey comb	32/1000 5X walls	40/1000 5X walls
for Wall / Northlight	with Standard Steel Channel	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	with Maxi Steel Channel	-	•	•	-	•	•	•
for Flat Roof	with Standard Steel Channel	•	•	•	-	•	•	•
	with Maxi Steel Channel	•	•	•	-	•	•	•
for Curved Roof	with Standard Steel Channel	•	•	•	•	•	-	-
	with Maxi Steel Channel	-	•	•	-	-	-	-

admitted

- not admitted

TECHNICAL HANDBOOK

A TECHNICAL HANDBOOK (also on CD) which can be supplied on request, is available with detailed technical information and examples about the following topics:

- PROPERTIES of the SYSTEM
- ELEMENTS of the SYSTEM
- APPLICATIONS
- ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

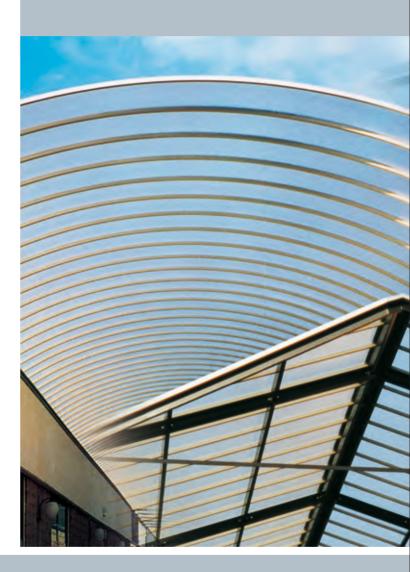
The use of the handbook is recommended for architects for design of projects incorporating the SUN MODUL® system and for roofing contractors.



RESPONSIBILITY CLAUSE

The values and recommendations given are to the best of our knowledge, true and accurate. Since the conditions under which the products may be used are beyond our control, recommendations are made without guarantee. These indications do not exempt the customer from ensuring that the materials selected meet their requirements and the laws and regulations in force.

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