

Forced Entry Bullet Resistant Assembly

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. What is a forced entry test?

A. A Forced Entry test and certification was developed to provide guidance in the specification of commercial security hollow metal doors and frames where protection from vandalism, forced entry, theft, and firearms attack is of concern. As such, it is typically combined with a Ballistic test and certification (FEBR).

Q. What is the ASSA ABLOY Forced Entry Bullet Resistant Assembly certified to?

A. The ASSA ABLOY Forced Entry Bullet Resistant Assembly is capable of resisting 15 minutes of forced entry assault and defeating multiple impacts of 7.62mm NATO and 5.56mm projectiles as defined by applicable U.S. government standards.

Q. Is there a governing specification that this meets?

A. Yes, it meets the HMMA 862-03 classification 1, 2, and 3 (15 minute Forced entry portion) and meets the requirements of UL752 level 8 bullet resistance.

Q. Does this meet any GSA requirements?

A. Yes, the FEBR door and frame meet State Department Standard SD-STD-1.01, Rev. G.

Q. Is this assembly tested with GSA witness?

A. No, it is a non-witnessed assembly tested by an independent third party certified test lab.

Q. Does the FEBR assembly have to be sold as an assembly or can it be sold as components?

A. FEBR certification requires the doors, frames, and hardware to be sold as an assembly.

Q. Does this assembly require special hardware?

A. Yes, our assembly was tested with specific GSA listed forced entry 3 point latching exit device from Securitech and custom Pemko continuous hinge.

Q. Is hardware supplied and factory installed by ASSA ABLOY with the package?

A. Yes, for ease of installation and functionality all hardware will be preinstalled on this opening.

Q. What sizes or configurations are available?

A. The current assembly is a 3'0" x 7'0" opening but more testing will be done for more sizes and configurations.

Q. Are these available with a fire rating?

A. No, but the assembly will be fire tested in the future.

Q. Are these available as seated or unseated, or both?

A. Our assembly has been tested in the seated position only.

Q. Is there a warranty available for this product?

A. Yes, a one year warranty is available for this product. Please see our website for more details.

Q. What are the best applications for this new door assembly?

A. You would see this product be used on any facility that does not require Department of State witnessing.

Q. What is the difference between School Guard Glass and Security Film?

A: School Guard Glass™ is a laminate with glass on both sides that is designed to withstand forced entry for 4+ minutes, even after bullets go through. Security film is an externally applied plastic that was designed for blast purposes to keep glass from becoming shrapnel, it does not last more than five seconds in a forced entry attack.

Q. How do you clean School Guard Glass?

A: Use a water and soap solution with a squeegee or soft towel.

Q. Does School Guard Glass look different than standard Tempered or Annealed Glass?

A: No, they look the same. Both School Guard Glass™ and standard glass are 98% optically clear.

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