

# How to install guide

Installation Instructions for Prowler Proof hinge window security screen – in swing

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Note: All references are taken from outside view looking in.



# 1. Before you start

Fastener recommendations

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- Prowler Proof security screens are not supplied with fixing screws.
- Use the below fasteners when fixing into aluminium. Wurth brand fasteners are available for ordering from Prowler Proof.
- Check the correct length fastener is used so it does not fix into an exposed or area of importance.
- For fasteners being fixed into other materials, the installer must select and use fasteners appropriate to the material.

Fixing material	Fastener type	Diameter (mm)	Length (mm)	Driver Bit.
Aluminium	AW10 Zebra Pias Pan Head	3.5	9.5	AW10 Purple
	AW10 Zebra Pias Pan Head	3.5	25	AW10 Purple
	AW20 Zebra Pias Pan Head	4.2	13	AW20 Orange
	AW20 Zebra Pias Pan Head	4.2	16	AW20 Orange
	AW20 Zebra Pias Pan Head	4.2	25	AW20 Orange
	AW20 Zebra Pias Pan Head	4.2	32	AW20 Orange
	AW20 Zebra Pias Pan Head	4.8	22	AW25 Green

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Tools checklist

### TOOLS REQUIRED TO INSTALL THE HINGE WINDOW INCLUDE:



Installation fasteners to suit



Drill and bit



Drills to suit installation fasteners



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Phillips head





Marker pen



4mm allen



Closed cell foam

Parts checklist

#### CONTENTS LIST:

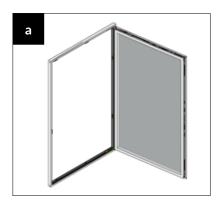
- Prowler Proof Hinge Window In Swing a.
- Installation Fasteners
- Accessories as required



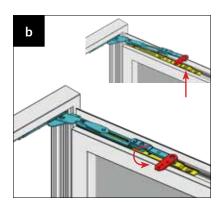
## 2.1 Initial check

Remove all items from packaging and complete visual check.

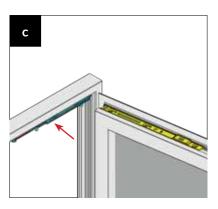
### 2.2 Disassemble sash from frame



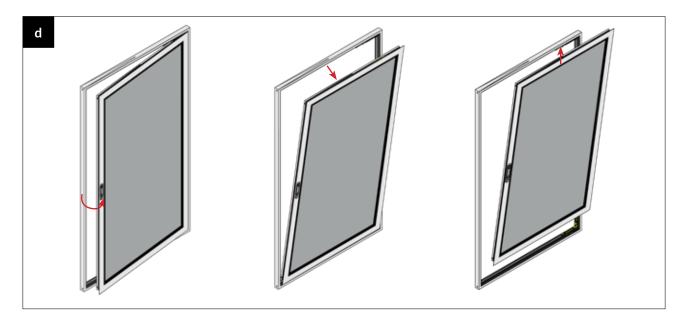
Open sash to gain access to top hinge.



At top hinge, turn locking tab 90° then push upward to release and disengage sash hinge.



Close top hinge back into frame, so it's out of the way.

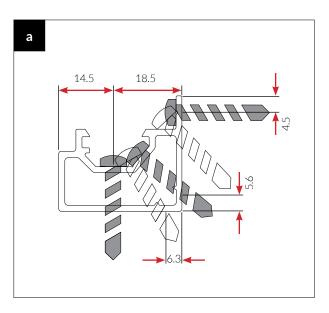


Close screen sash to approx.  $15^{\circ}$ , tilt sash away from frame by  $10^{\circ}$  and lift off bottom hinge.



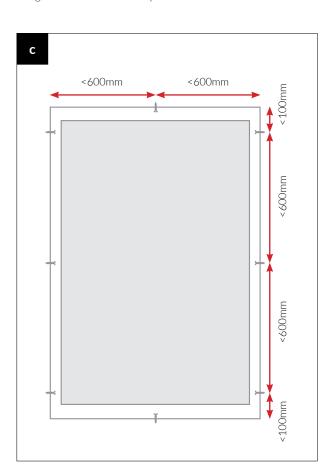
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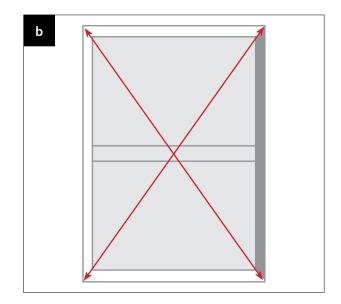
### Install frame



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Select the fastener position that best suits a secure installation using one of the five available positions.





Place frame into position. Check for gaps and squareness.

Check access to the glass window handles or operating hardware, allow for clearance.

Fasten frame in position using recommended fasteners, less than 600 mm (<) centres and 100 mm from the top and bottom of the frame on both sides.

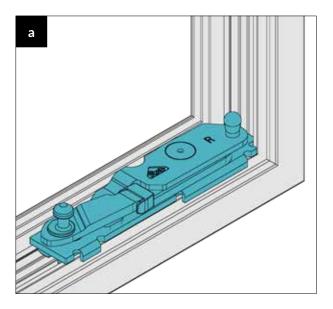
Fasten extrusion accessories, no greater than  $300\,\mathrm{mm}$  centres and  $50\,\mathrm{mm}$  from each end.

If gaps are present, a double sided foam tape or appropriate silicone can be used to close gaps.

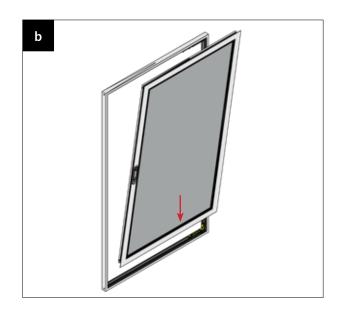


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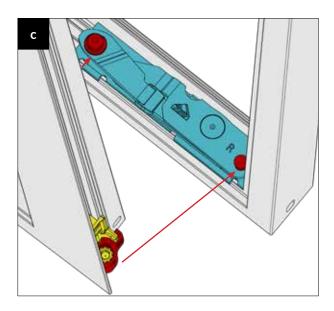
Install sash



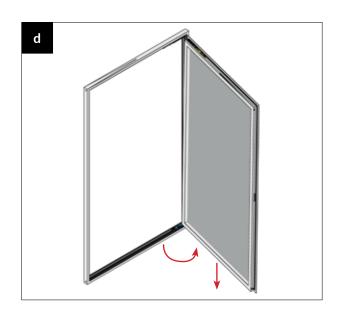
Fully close bottom hinge.



Align sash along frame and lower onto hinge.



Ensure frame hinge pins enter sash hinge holes.

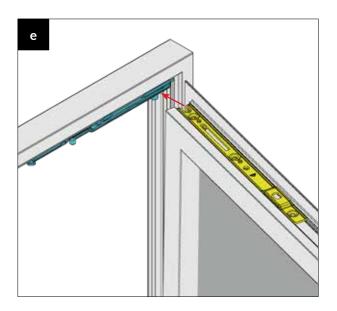


Open sash and tilt slightly down.

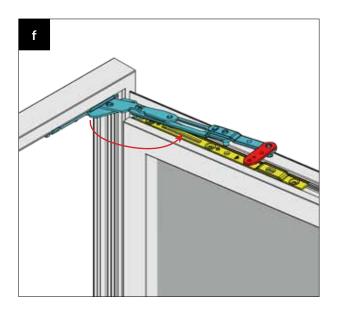


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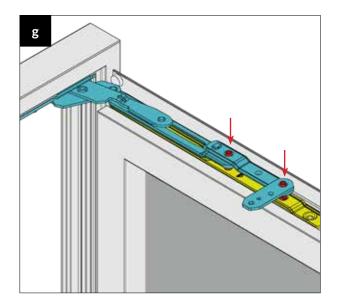
Install sash ... continued



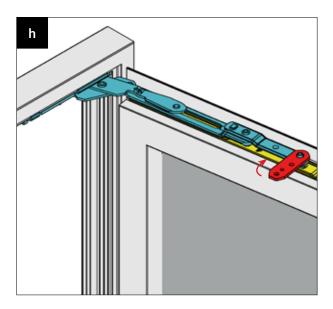
Push the sash in at the top so the top hinge slot fits onto the frame's hinge pin.



Open the frame top hinge.



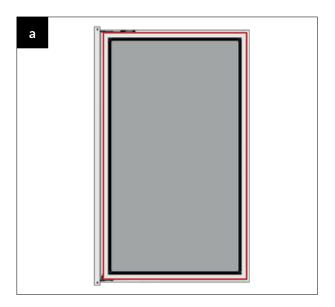
Align the pins and locking lug into the sash top hinge holes and press down.



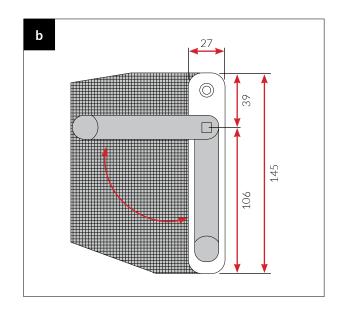
Turn the locking tab back over itself (90°). Ensure the detent in the locking tab sits into the hole of the hinge to make secure.



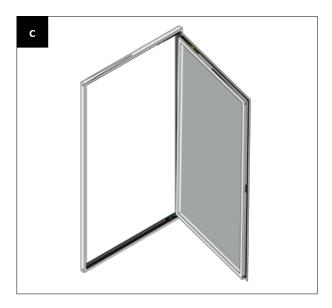
## 2.5 Operation check



Close sash slowly, checking gaps are even around sash and frame.



Lift and turn handle to open and close. Ensure operation is smooth and handle sits flat in its recess.



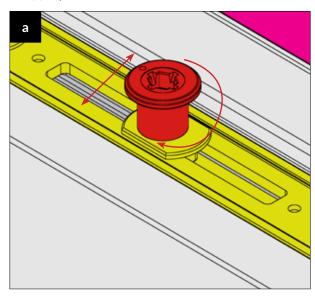
Operate sash to the fully open position slowly, checking smooth operation. Adjust if necessary, see adjustment over page.



### 2.6

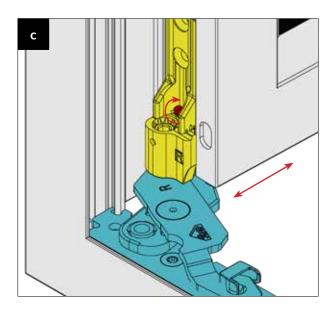
### Adjustment

It is highly unlikely you will need to adjust the hinge window at the point of installation, but if you do, you can adjust the hardware in four (4) ways.



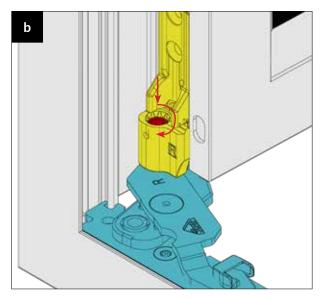
### Sash compression adjustment = +/0.8mm

Using a 4mm Allen key turn the locking cams to adjust compression of the sash to the frame.



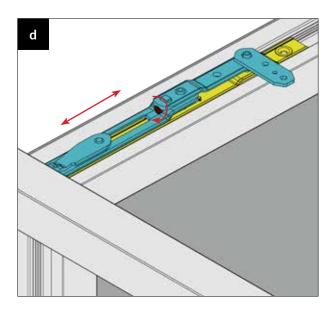
### Sash bottom horizontal adjustment = 4.0mm

Using a 4mm Allen key turn the horizontal screw in the bottom hinge to adjust the screen horizontally.



### Sash vertical adjustment = 4.0mm

Using a 4mm Allen key turn the screw in the bottom hinge to adjust the sash vertically.



### Sash top horizontal adjustment = 5.0mm

Using a 4mm Allen key turn the horizontal screw in the top hinge to adjust the screen horizontally.

# 3. Trouble shooting

The screen's sash does not sit flat against the screen frame	Adjust the locking cam closest to the area that is protruding, see 2.6 adjustment.		
The sash hits the frame once it's been fixed to the window	See section 2.6 Adjustment and adjust the sash accordingly.		
The hardware is hard to operate	Slightly loosen hardware fixing screws and/or apply a white hardware grease or spray CRC 3-36® Multi-Purpose Lubricant & Corrosion Inhibitor between sliding hardware parts.		
The screen is being fitted in an extremely corrosive environment	Give the hardware a spray of CRC 3-36® Multi-Purpose Lubricant & Corrosion Inhibitor and advise the customer to clean regularly to minimise corrosive effects.		
The locking cams on the sash hit the strikers	See section 2.6 Adjustment and adjust the sash accordingly.		

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