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| Glazing type | | *U-value* [W/m2K] | |
| *out* | *in* |
| *Clear+clear* |  | 0.42–0.61 | 169–192 |
| *Clear+low-e* |  | 0.23–0.52 | 133–157 |
| *Clear+tinted* | *grey* | 0.49–0.60 | 74–152 |
|  | *bronze* | 0.49–0.60 | 76–152 |
|  | *blue* | 0.49–0.58 | 120–154 |
| *Clear+coated* | *silver* | 0.39–0.48 | 36–59 |
|  | *blue* | 0.42–0.46 | 58–73 |
|  | *copper* | 0.29–0.30 | 44 |

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