

Deglazing & Glazing CompositWood® Fixed Sash Casement Window

TOOLS NEEDED: 2” putty knife, 1/2” wood chisel. caulking gun, high grade glazing silicone, protective eye wear, Kevlar gloves for handling glass, arm guards.



Fig.1



Fig.2



Fig.3

A. To deglaze the CompositWood fixed casement you must carefully remove the glazing bead with a chisel or putty knife as shown in fig. 1 thru 3.

B. With the glazing bead removed you now need to use the putty knife to cut through the glazing tape that seals the glass to the frame of the fixed sash.

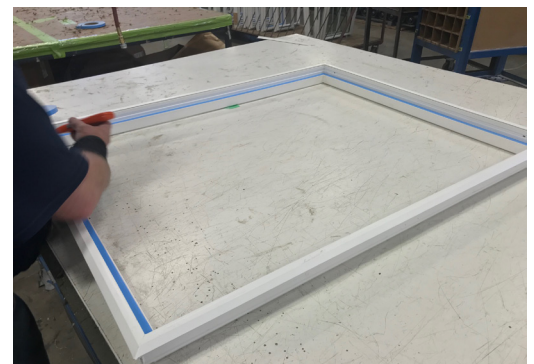


C. The best technique for cutting through the glazing tape is by pushing the blade between the glass and frame of the sash and pushing it away from you from corner to corner all the way around the sash. You will feel the glass actually release when the blade is all the way through the tape.

D. With the failed glass carefully removed, use the 1/2” chisel to scrape out the remaining tape on the glazing bed of the frame of the sash. Use denatured alcohol to remove as much of the old tape and silicone in preparation to applying the new glazing tape.



E. With the new glazing tape applied continuously around the sash apply a high grade silicone at each corner of the glazing tape to assure a complete continuous seal against any water or air leakage. Be sure the original rubber shims are still intact around the edge of the new insulated glass pack.



F. You may now reinstall the original glazing beads around the perimeter of the sash.