



**NATIONALS**

Specialists in  
PVC-U Building Products

# Welcome to GAP Nationals

GAP is a leading manufacturer, stockist and distributor of low maintenance PVC-U building products to customers the length and breadth of the UK. Established in 1993, GAP has carved out an enviable reputation for supplying the highest quality products backed up with unparalleled levels of customer service.



“Vertically integrated business specialising in PVC-U building products.”

## GAP Nationals

GAP Nationals is a dedicated department solely created to provide a 'specialist service' to new build and social housing providers across the country.

Based at our Head Office, the experienced department offers one point of contact for each customer, who is also backed up by support services including schedulers and estimators.

Our brands are widely respected in their market for offering high quality PVC-U building products, including roofline, rainwater, cladding, windows and composite doors.





# Culture and Ethos

From 'Survey to Site', we endeavour to provide high quality, cost effective projects, delivered on schedule by maintaining our customer driven ethos of creating successful partnerships. Our customer focused culture enables us to be an innovative and responsive partner throughout the duration of your project.



“A company culture which is based around our customers satisfaction.”

# Company History

GAP has been successfully supplying the commercial market across the UK, including both the new build and the refurbishment market.

- Extensive depot network providing national coverage
- Dedicated Nationals department
- 600,000 sq ft of production and warehousing facilities
- 500 group employees
- 1st and only manufacturer of BBA approved recycled rooflines
- Owner of key brands including Homeline, Rockdoor, Homeframe and Cosmopolitan



# Vertically Integrated Business

GAP has invested substantial time and resources over the years towards creating a vertically integrated business specialising in low maintenance PVC-U building products. This capability ensures we can meet the demands across a wide portfolio of customers from large to small, and deliver exceptional customer service and efficiencies.



“Vertically integrated manufacturing, stock holding and distribution capability.”

# Responsible Manufacturing

Whilst being one of the fastest growing companies in the construction sector, we are also one of the most environmentally friendly. Through our continual investment in people, resources and processes we're able to manufacture the most environmentally friendly PVC-U building products available. (For more information please see pg 16).



# National Coverage

Our extensive depot network provides customers a national coverage, but also the added benefit of a localised service. Each of our depots operates an efficient distribution service via a fleet of GPS tracked vehicles.



“The fastest growing independent network of local PVC-U stockists in the UK.”

## Depot Network

From Aberdeen to Wickford, GAP operates an extensive network of depots that carry a wide range of PVC-U building products. All our depots benefit from a unique overnight restocking service from our central distribution warehouse, to ensure customers have what they need, when they need it.

## Delivery Fleet

To keep both new build and refurbishment sites working on-time and to budget, we operate an efficient and extensive delivery network across the UK. Our environmentally friendly fuel efficient vehicles use the latest technology to limit the impact on the environment.

# Tried and Trusted

For over 20 years GAP has successfully served, and continues to serve, some of the biggest names in the UK construction with all their PVC-U building product requirements.



“Tried and trusted by some of the biggest housebuilders, social housing providers and builders merchants in the UK.”

## New Build and Refurbishment

Having served thousands of new build and refurbishment sites in recent years we have been able to tailor our product offering and support packages to best meet the needs of our customers. GAP now offers an unrivalled service based upon product quality, service and distribution capability.

## Distributors

GAP Nationals support many national and regional volume distributors of PVC-U building products across the UK. Distributors benefit from our wide and varied BBA approved product range, delivery network and customer service. Additionally promotional marketing support is available to promote our product ranges.



# Homeline Building Products: Manufacturing

Homeline is GAPs manufacturing division, and one of the largest cellular extruders in the UK with 120,000 sq ft of state of the art manufacturing and stock holding facilities. Consistently and reliably, Homeline has been supplying thousands of national, regional and local new build and refurbishment projects with high quality PVC-U roofline materials such as fascias, soffits and gutters since its establishment.



“120,000 sq. ft. environmentally friendly manufacturing plant located in South Wales.”

## Quality Materials

Homeline offers a wide range of BBA and BSI approved low maintenance PVC-U rooflines extensively used across the industry. All products are made from Calcium Zinc meaning they are Lead and Tin free.

## Environmentally Friendly

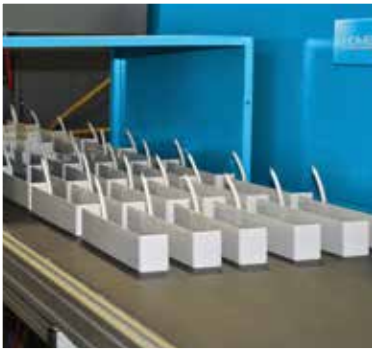
As an environmentally responsible manufacturer, Homeline is committed to keeping our carbon footprint to a minimum. Homeline is also the manufacturer of the UKs only BBA approved recycled roofline (explained in more detail on pg 16/17).





# Homeline Building Products: Customer Support

Homeline and GAP as the manufacturer and stockist, operate as a seamless partnership ensuring that customers large and small receive the best quality PVC-U rooflines available, in whatever quantity and timescales required.



“BBA approved PVC-U rooflines which carry comprehensive and honest guarantees.”

## Choosing Homeline

When you choose Homeline products you'll enjoy the reassurance and experience provided by our team of sales support, schedulers and technical support every step of the way.

## Specification Support

We can offer every level of support to customers, from ensuring Homeline is specified for your refurbishment or new build project, to full site call-offs and deliveries.





# Homeline Building Products: Recycled Rooflines

Homeline is proud to introduce 'Core', a range of environmentally friendly BBA approved recycled fascias and soffits (an industry 1st) which meets and exceeds the most stringent recycling criteria for sustainable developments. 'Core' not only looks the same once installed, it's easy to fit, fully guaranteed and carries full BBA certification.



“Industrys 1st BBA approved recycled roofline from Homeline Building Products.”

## Industrys 1st Recycled Roofline

The name Core is derived from the process that Homeline uses to make the recycled roofline range. The inner core of the product is produced using recycled PVC-U, but importantly the outer skin (the bit you see) uses virgin PVC-U which encapsulates the core to provide a perfect finish.

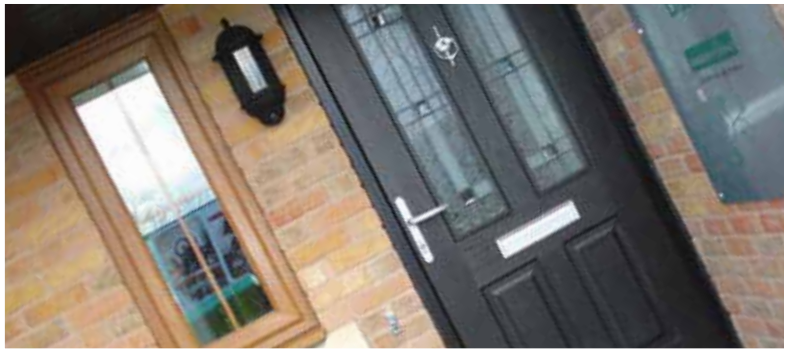
So, whether you're a house builder, housing association, or specifier, using Core will demonstrate you are committed to using top quality recycled materials on your development, from one of the most forward thinking and environmentally friendly roofline manufacturers.



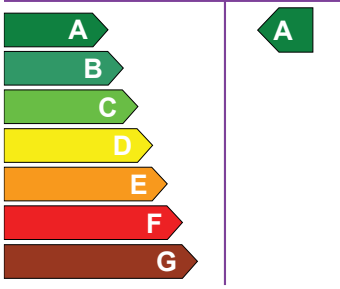


# Rockdoor Composite Doors

Rockdoor, also part of GAP, is the UK's leading composite door manufacturer, offering a comprehensive range of tried and tested doors suitable for a variety of applications and budgets across the house building and social housing sectors. Rockdoor is unique in being able to offer security, low maintenance and thermal efficiency as standard.



## Energy Rating



“Rockdoor offers composite door solutions to both new build and social housing providers.”

## Contract Management Service

Rockdoor offers a unique service that is designed to meet the individual needs of customers, whether they are client or contractor specific.

## Proven Track Record

Since 1996, Rockdoor have set the standards for composite door development and regularly work with customers installing thousands of door sets per year.

Rockdoor holds many industry accreditations including PAS 23/24, Secured by Design, ISO9001 and ISO 14001.





# Rockdoor Fire Doors

Rockdoor design and manufacture bespoke 30 minute accredited Fire doors (FD30's) in a pre-hung fire door set, helping house builders, local authorities and contractors to meet current building regulations.



“Rockdoor Fire doors provide a perfect solution to house builders, local authorities and contractors.”

## Bespoke 30 Minute Fire Doors

Attributes for which Rockdoor is famous including strength and security are present in the 30 minute Fire door, with each door being hand finished to ensure every one meets and exceeds the relevant certification and quality requirements as determined by building regulations across the UK.

## Styles and Choices

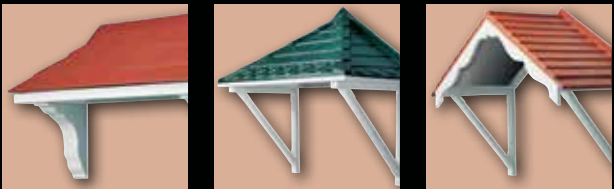
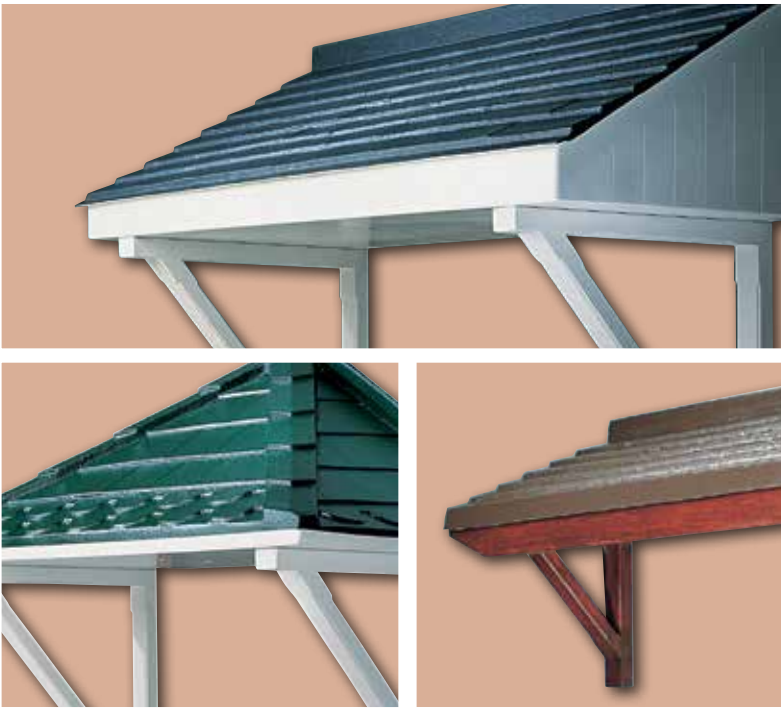
Rockdoor 30 minute Fire doors are available in 4 different styles, offering both glazed and unglazed doors. Each door features a detailed woodgrain embossed effect to give the appearance of a timber door, whilst benefiting from all the maintenance free elements of PVC-U.





# GRP Canopies

Over-door canopies are a practical way to add style and value to any housing stock refurbishment. We offer a wide range of over-door canopies to provide a dry and welcoming entrance for your residents.



“GRP door canopies and all surrounds in a wide selection of colours.”

## Made Using GRP

Over-door canopies are manufactured in GRP (glass reinforced plastic) which make them tough and durable. They are also quick and easy to clean.

## Key Features

- Cheap solution to transform door entrances
- They are built to last
- All over-door canopies carry a 5 year guarantee
- Maintenance free
- Will not rot or fade, twist or warp
- Available in several colours and styles
- Manufactured using GRP
- Wide selection of sizes available





# Weatherboard (EWI)

Weatherboard provides a beautiful facade for both new build and refurbishment projects thanks to a visual appearance which is similar to timber. Weatherboard (or EWI as known) can be used as a complete rainscreen solution, or to add a touch of class as a feature wall. In addition to aesthetics, weatherboard boasts excellent thermal efficiency properties.



“Capable of achieving an A+ rating as defined in the BRE Green Guide to Specification.”

## Increased Thermal Efficiency

EWI is a high-benefit, low-cost method of providing thermal insulation to external walls for both refurb (overclad) and new build projects. EWI is also easy to install and means no loss of space to the inside of a property.

## Huge Range of Colours

EWI is available in 23 different colour choices and also 4 wood effects, ensuring that whatever your project requirements there is a colour to match. (Bespoke colour options are also available by speaking to one of our team members).



# Even More Products from GAP

GAP stock a huge range of ancillary items which are used in the installation of the products we manufacture. Whether it's plastic headed pins and nails used to fit our Homeline fascias and soffits you need, or the extensive selection of silicone sealants and PVC-U frame cleaners that you're after, GAP provides every kind of additional product you could possibly want to complete a perfect installation.



“GAP stock a huge range of products used in the installation of all PVC-U building products.”

## Accreditations and Guarantees

We place great emphasis towards producing the highest quality PVC-U building products available. All products we manufacture, stock or distribute carry comprehensive guarantees, whilst also being recognised by industry accreditations such as the BBA, BSI and ISO.

## Quality Standards

Throughout GAP, we adhere to a strict policy of continuous improvement designed to keep us at the cutting edge of the PVC-U market.

## Further Information

For more specific advice and information relating to GAPs accreditations and guarantees please speak to your dedicated GAP Nationals contact.



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