

Window Junctions

Architecture

The three junctions around every opening, and what has to be continuous at each.

Head, jamb and cill. Each has one thing that usually goes wrong.

Junction	Risk	Fix
Head	Water tracks in	Cavity tray and weeps
Jamb	Cold reveal	Insulated cavity closer
Cill	Water sits, wicks	Throat, drip, upstand
All three	Air leakage	Sealed to the air barrier
All three	Cold surface	Insulation overlaps frame

Educational reference. Overlap the insulation onto the window frame. A frame set outside the insulation line is a cold bridge.