

What's the difference between CE/UKCA marking and a BSI Kitemark™?

CE marking on a product is mandatory. It proves that it meets minimum legal requirements, which allow it to be placed legally on the market in any European member state.

The UKCA (UK Conformity Assessment) mark is the new UK product marking that has come into force for certain products, including windows and doors, that are placed on the market in Great Britain (England, Wales and Scotland). It covers most products that previously required the CE marking. Although UKCA marking came into force on 1 January 2021, organizations have until 31 December 2022 to obtain a new certificate to support their UKCA marking. For products placed on the market in Great Britain after the end of 2022, CE marking for windows and doors will not be recognized. This means it's important for manufacturers to act now to remain compliant. As an approved body for UKCA marking BSI can provide this service, so contact us to find out more.

It's important to note that UKCA marking is not recognized in the EU market, so products that are placed on the market in the EU must still have the CE marking affixed.

Achieving a BSI Kitemark for a product or service is voluntary. It is a quality mark, unique to BSI, recognized by consumers and businesses alike. It proves that the product or service for a company has been independently assessed against strict criteria to make sure it meets agreed quality standards over and above the CE marking safety characteristics

The BSI Kitemark™ for safety, quality and reliability.

Choose a BSI Kitemark and you'll have reassurance that your products will continue to be tested over time to make sure they continually to meet high quality standards.

Use your BSI Kitemark to help you:

Make your products stand out from the competition

Tender for new business growth opportunities

Get your products to market more effectively

Give your products credibility

Enhance your reputation

Give your customers and the end user confidence

Apply to Secured by Design

You'll be confident that your quality management system is robust, plus you'll have annual test reports on performance.

And with the BSI Kitemark stamp of approval, your clients can also use take advantage of the brand as a differentiator and mark of quality to their customers.

For extra reassurance, products or services with a BSI Kitemark are tested against a wider range of characteristics over and above those identified for CE marking. These additional characteristics are:

Weather tightness

Operating forces for PVC-U

Durability

Security

For extra peace of mind, we also:

Undertake sample testing annually

Look for evidence that factory production controls are managed correctly

Assess the system house or fabricator against the requirements of a quality management system such as ISO 9001.

This means that a BSI Kitemarked product or service has had to meet far more stringent criteria which cover not only safety but quality too.

CE/UKCA 標誌和 BSI Kitemark™ 有何不同？

產品上的 CE 標誌是強制性的。它證明它符合最低法律要求，使其可以在任何歐洲成員國合法投放市場。

UKCA（英國合格評定）標誌是新的英國產品標誌，已對在英國（英格蘭、威爾斯和蘇格蘭）市場上銷售的某些產品（包括門窗）生效。它涵蓋了以前需要 CE 標誌的大多數產品。儘管 UKCA 標誌於 2021 年 1 月 1 日生效，但組織必須在 2022 年 12 月 31 日之前獲得新證書來支持其 UKCA 標誌。對於 2022 年底後投放到英國市場的產品，門窗的 CE 標誌將不會被認可。這意味著製造商必須立即採取行動以保持合規性。作為 UKCA 標記的認可機構，BSI 可以提供此項服務，因此請聯絡我們以了解更多資訊。

需要注意的是，UKCA 標誌在歐盟市場上不被認可，因此投放到歐盟市場的產品仍必須加貼 CE 標誌。

產品或服務獲得 BSI 風箏標誌是自願的。它是 BSI 獨有的品質標誌，受到消費者和企業的認可。它證明公司的產品或服務已經根據嚴格的標準進行了獨立評估，以確保其符合商定的品質標準，且超出了 CE 標誌的安全特性

BSI Kitemark™ 代表安全、品質和可靠性。

選擇 BSI 風箏標誌，您可以放心，您的產品將繼續接受長期測試，以確保它們持續符合高品質標準。

使用 BSI 風箏標誌可以幫助您：

讓您的產品在競爭中脫穎而出

招標新業務成長機會

讓您的產品更有效地推向市場

賦予您的產品可信度

提高您的聲譽

給您的客戶和最終用戶信心

申請安全設計

您將確信您的品質管理系統是健全的，而且您還將獲得年度性能測試報告。

憑藉 BSI Kitemark 批准印章，您的客戶還可以利用該品牌作為其客戶的差異化優勢和品質標誌。

為了讓您更放心，帶有 BSI Kitemark 的產品或服務會針對 CE 標誌之外的更廣泛的特性進行測試。這些附加特徵是：