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Comfort, security, energy efficiency and design: Schüco Living

Weißenfels/Nuremberg. Schüco Liv**Ing** is a new PVC-U window and door system which sets new standards in terms of comfort, security, energy efficiency and design. With a basic depth of 82 mm and U values to passive house level, this system has all the features that are necessary for the construction of pioneering energy-saving windows and doors. New gasket technology offers effective protection against draughts, moisture and noise – throughout the lifetime of the window. "Made in Germany" quality and burglar resistance to resistance class RC 2 are further reasons to choose Schüco Liv**Ing** windows and doors.

Whether it is a family home, apartment building, newbuild or modernisation – Schüco Liv**Ing** has a wide variety of possible uses. In addition to windows, window doors and balcony doors, tilt/slide doors, side entrance doors and entrance doors can also be created. All types of windows – including arched-head windows – can be constructed with this system and combined with design features and sash bars.

### **Energy efficiency and security**

Schüco Liv**Ing** has a basic depth of 82 mm. The 7-chamber construction can be supplied with two or three drainage levels depending on the client's requirements. This means that even passive houses can be constructed without resource-intensive additional measures – triple glazing and functional glazing up to a thickness of 52 mm can easily be accommodated. Schüco Liv**Ing** also offers tailored fittings options for security

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technology: windows and doors can be constructed to meet resistance classes up to RC 2 as required.

### **Comfort and design**

Together with its development partner Semperit, Schüco has created a gasket for this new PVC-U system which provides highly effective sealing - even in the often problematic corner areas of building components. For the residents of the building, this means a greater feeling of well-being and long-term protection from draughts, moisture and noise. Furthermore, there is also an unlimited choice of colours. The exclusive Schüco AutomotiveFinish surface finish technology endows Schüco LivIng windows and doors with brilliant metallic designs, which are otherwise only to be found in the automotive industry. The Schüco range of foils with a selection of over 160 single colours and woodgrain finishes as well as aluminium cover caps (availability expected from the end of the third guarter of 2016), which cover all RAL and anodised colour shades, offer a variety of options to suit every taste. In keeping with the trend for different shades of grey in façade design, Schuco Living is also available in grey PVC-U. This ensures an harmonious appearance, particularly when the window is open.

### Schüco - System solutions for windows, doors and façades

Together with its worldwide network of partners, architects, specifiers and investors, Schüco creates sustainable building envelopes that focus on people and their needs in harmony with nature and technology. Metal and PVC-U window, door and façade solutions from Schüco meet the highest requirements in terms of design, comfort and security. At the same time, CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are reduced through energy efficiency, thereby conserving natural resources. The company delivers tailored products for newbuilds and renovations, designed to meet individual user needs in all climate zones. Everyone involved is supported with a comprehensive range of services at every stage of the construction process. With 4800 employees and 12,000 partner companies, Schüco is active in more than 80 countries and achieved a turnover of 1.425 billion euros in 2014. For more information, visit www.schueco.com



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Schüco LivIng: New generation of PVC-U systems for efficient fabrication.



Schüco LivIng: Centre gasket version with three drainage levels.



Schüco LivIng: Version with grey base component.