

# RCBC Update

NFRC Spring Meeting – March 2017



# RCBC Agenda

- Grid Research / Add-on
- 3-pt Trendline
- Implementation of Methodology
- Other Ballot Comments



# GRID RESEARCH - ADD-ON



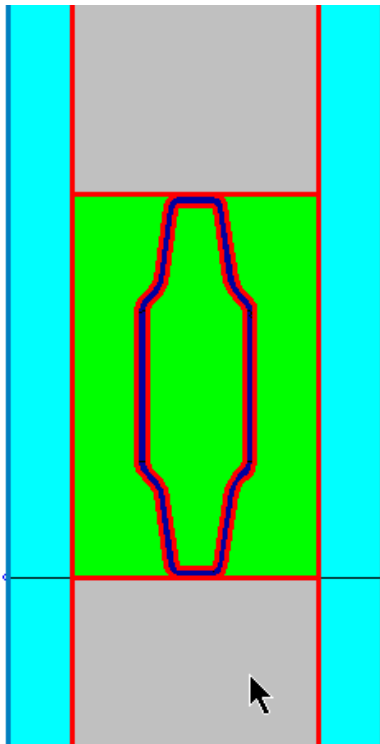
# Grid Research

- 5.5mm x 18mm contour aluminum divider
- Started with 3.00mm gap reduced 0.12mm
- Glazing configurations:
  - softcoat<sup>2</sup> / hardcoat<sup>2</sup> / clear
  - DG Air, and DG 95% Arg,
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  - Total 312 data points

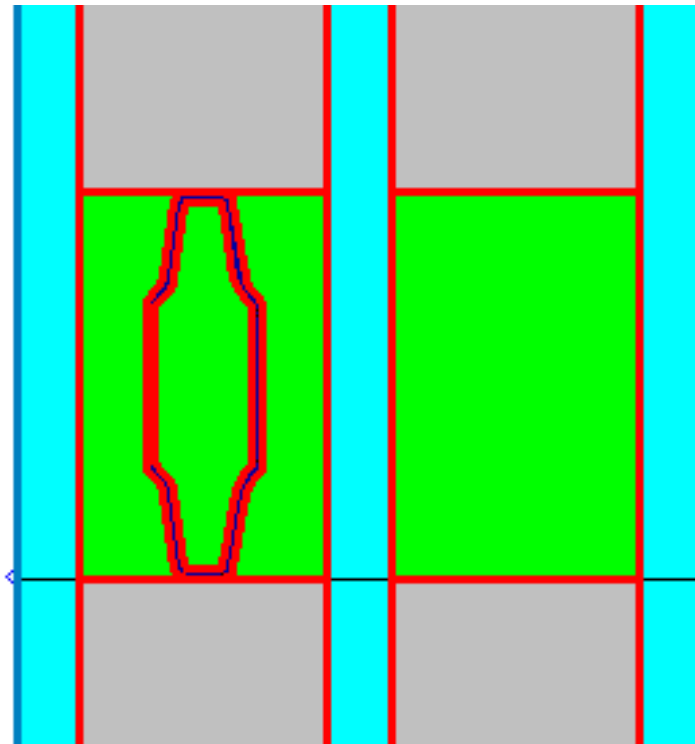


# Therm Files

## Dual Glazed



## Triple Glazed

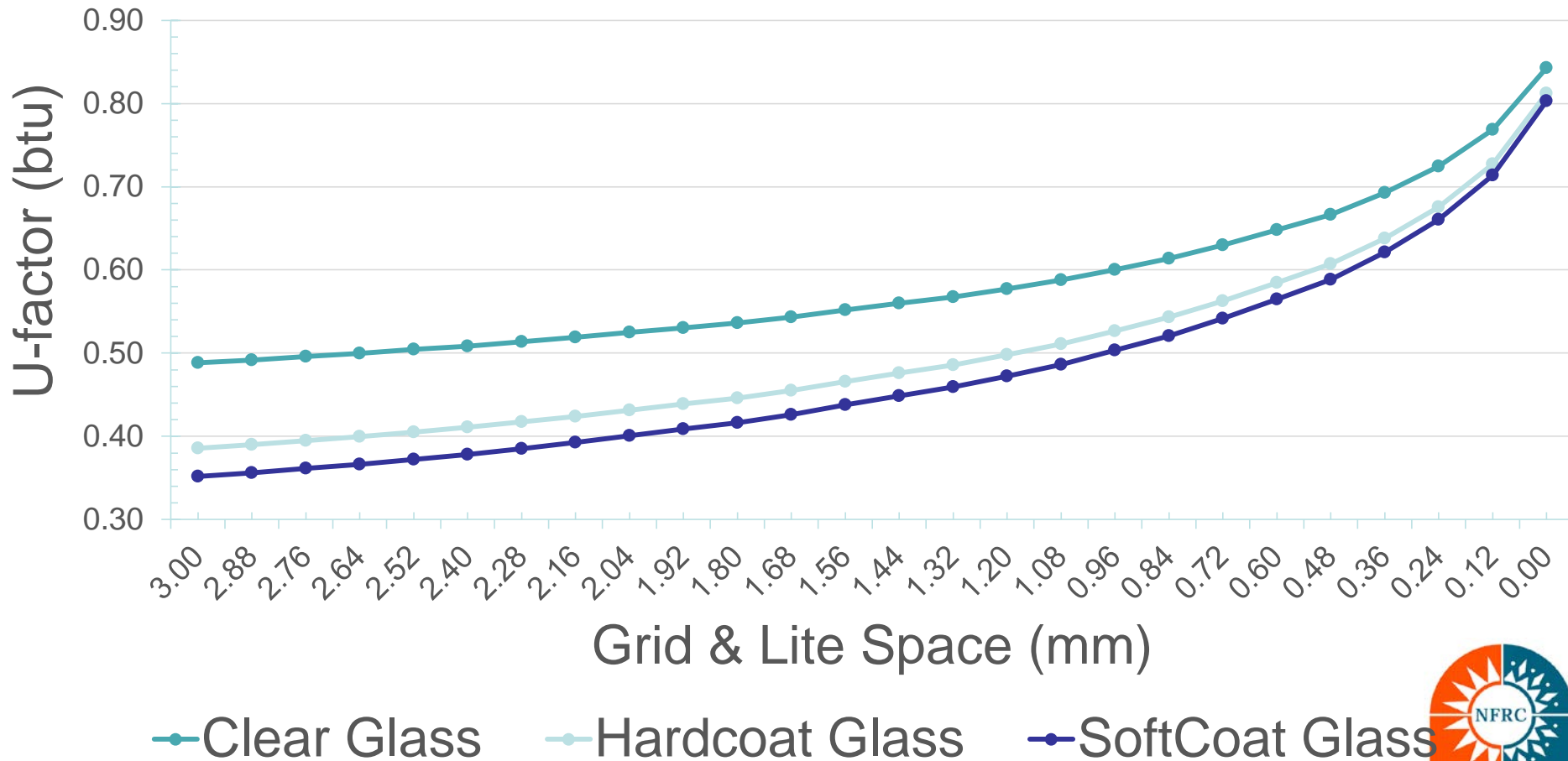


# Frame vs. Div-Edge / Surface Gap

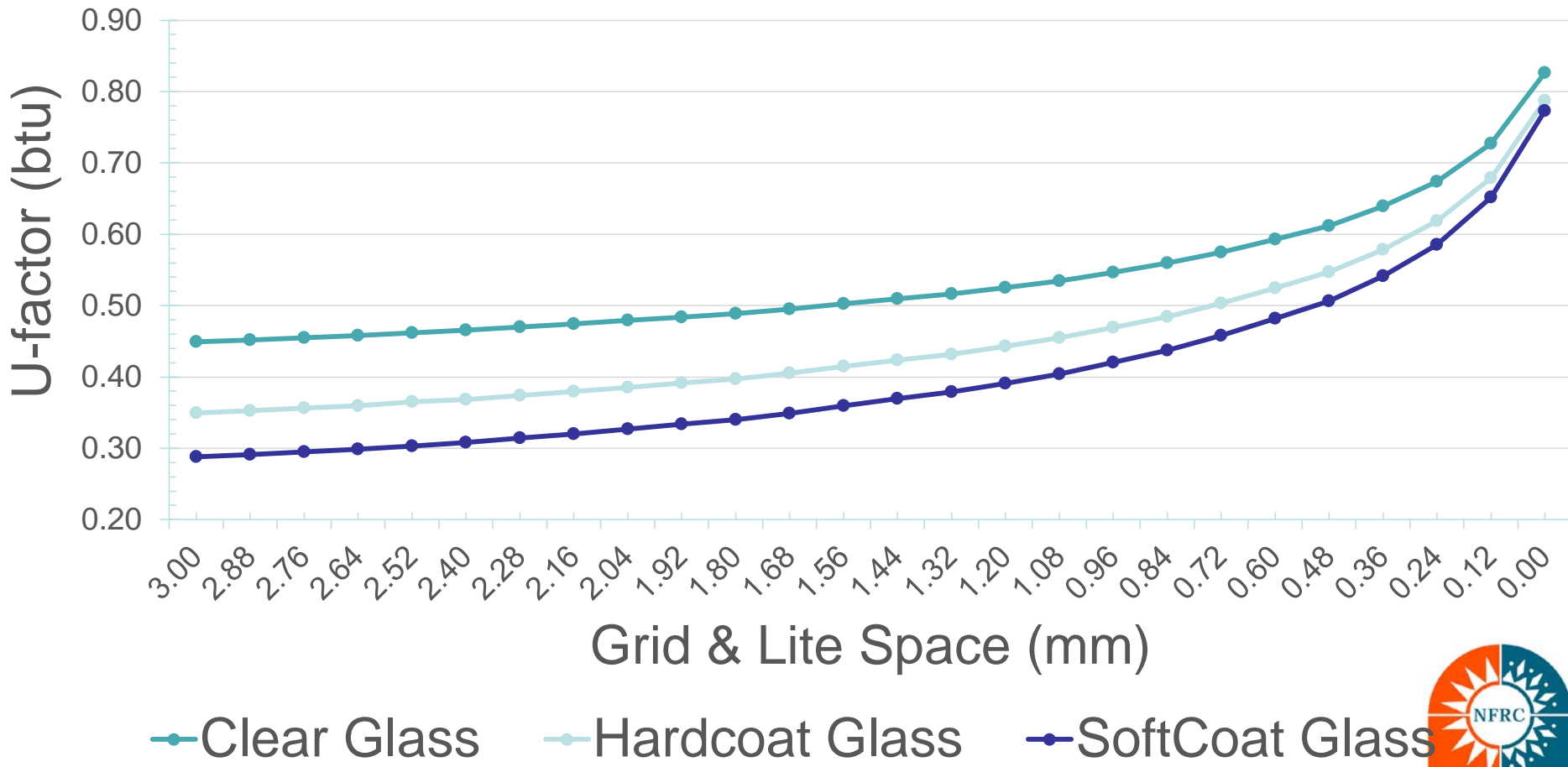
## **GRID RESEARCH**



# DG Air – Frame vs. Gap

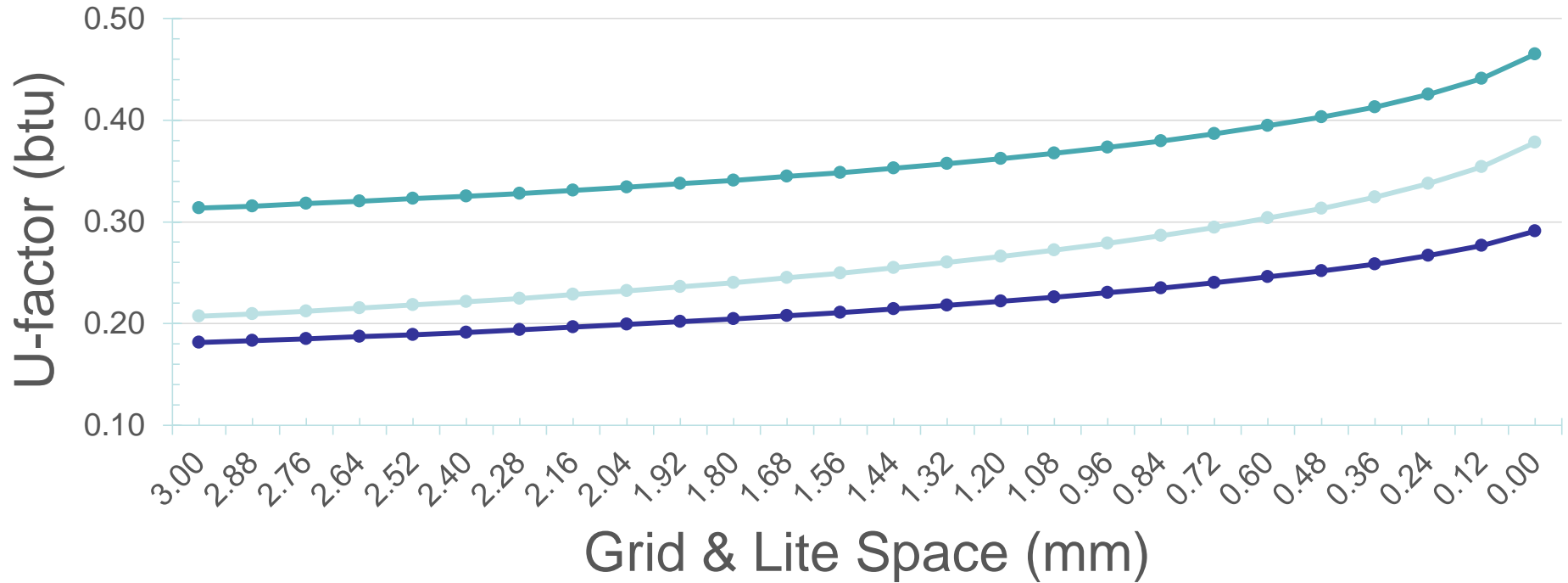


# DG Argon – Frame vs. Gap





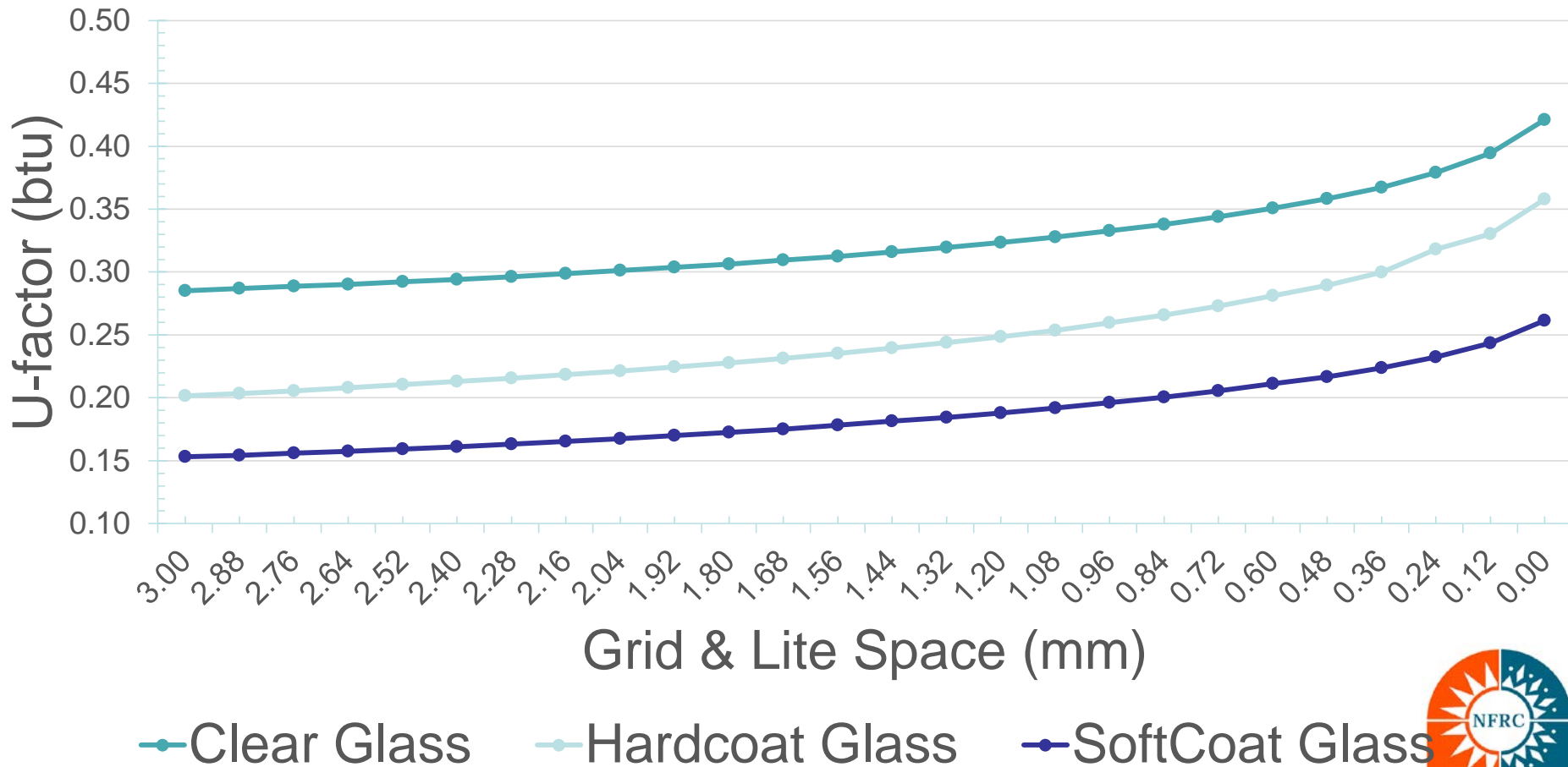
# TG Air – Frame vs. Gap



—●— Clear Glass    
 —●— Hardcoat Glass    
 —●— SoftCoat Glass



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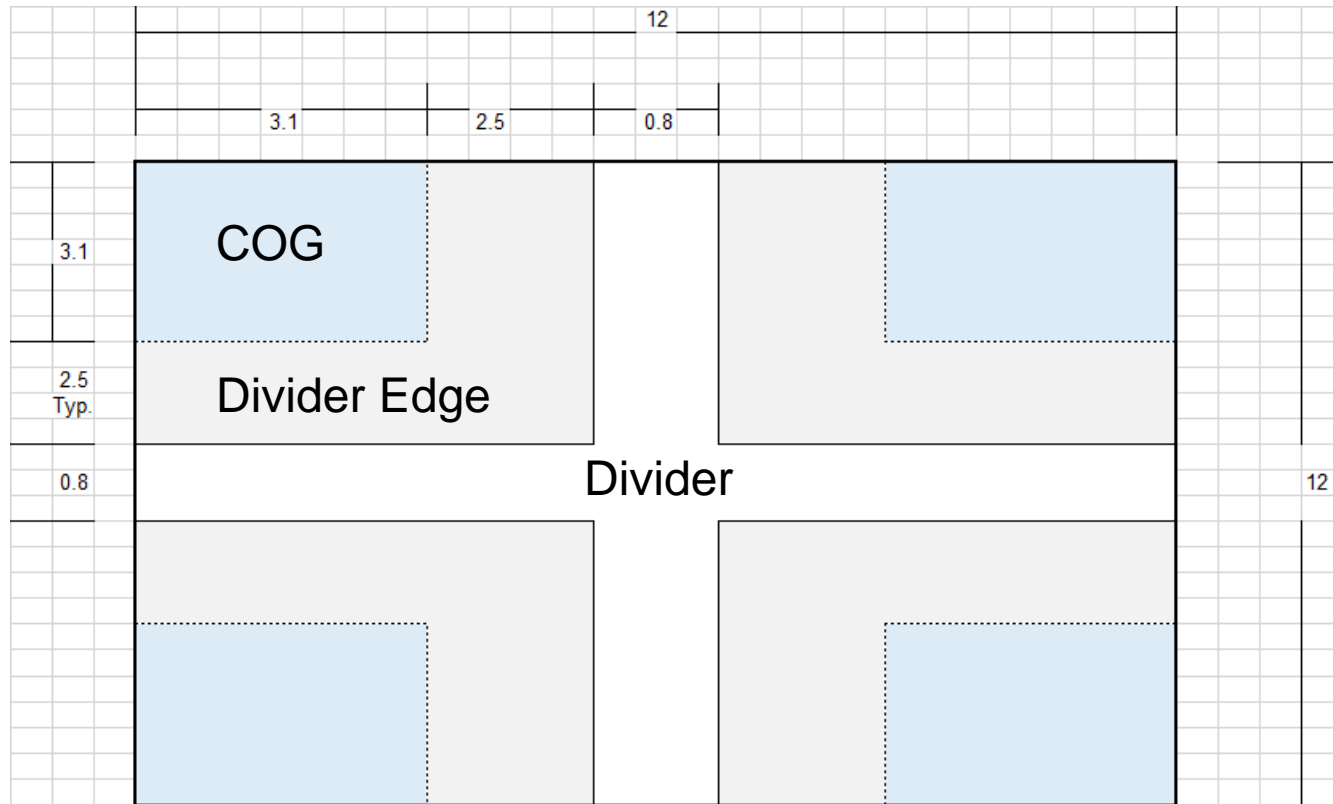


# Area Weight Divider vs. COG

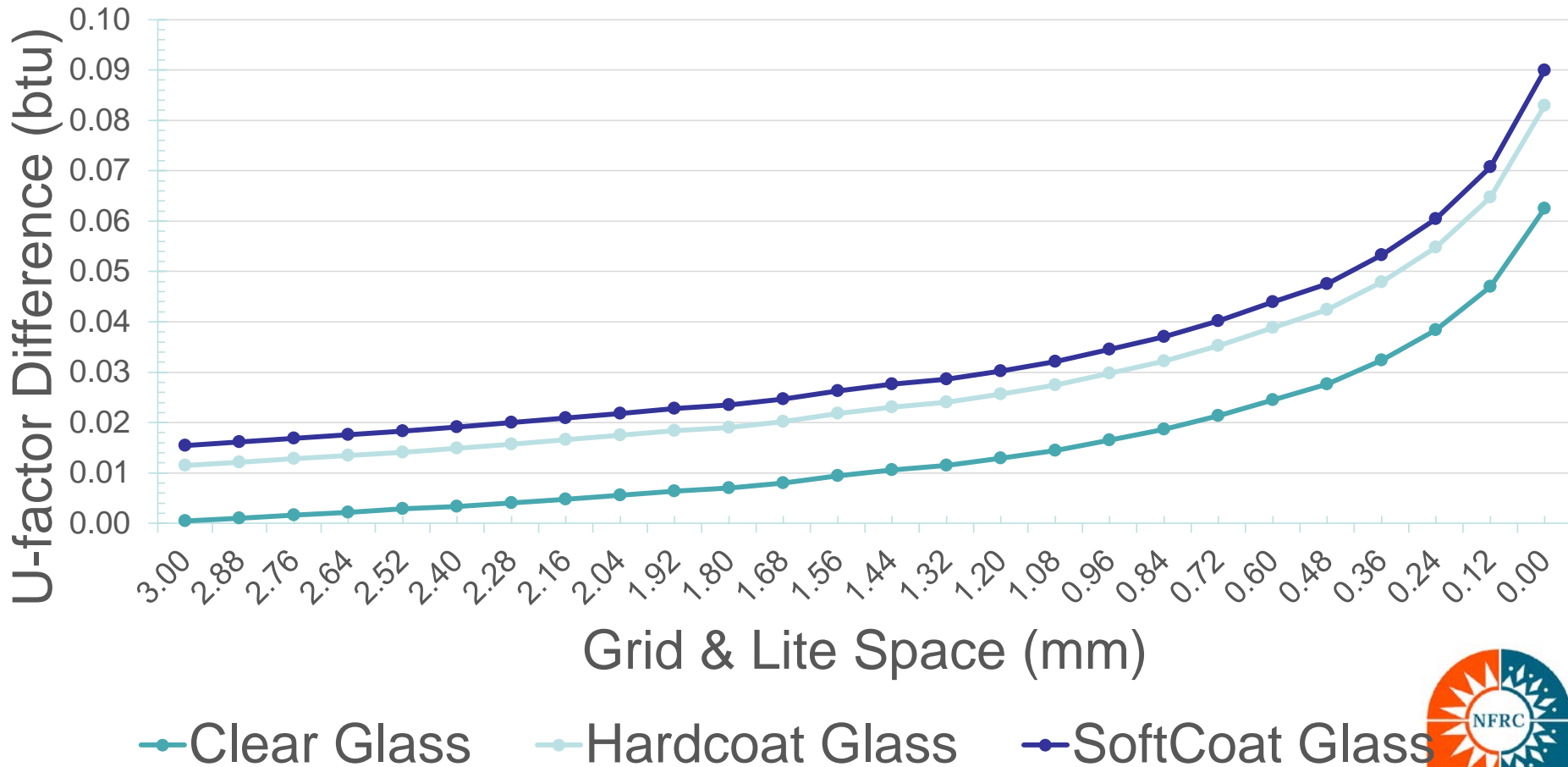
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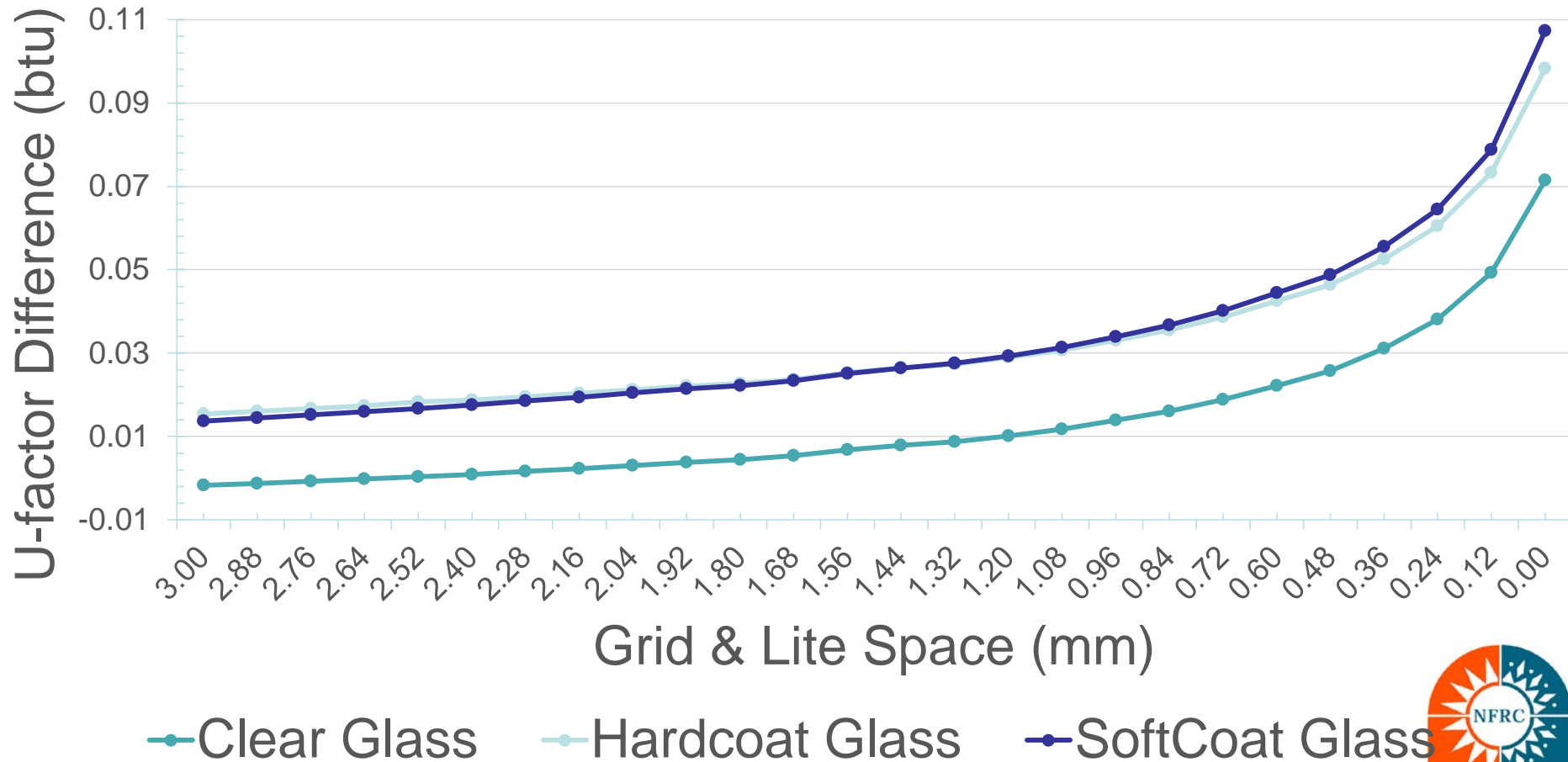
# Area Weight Pattern



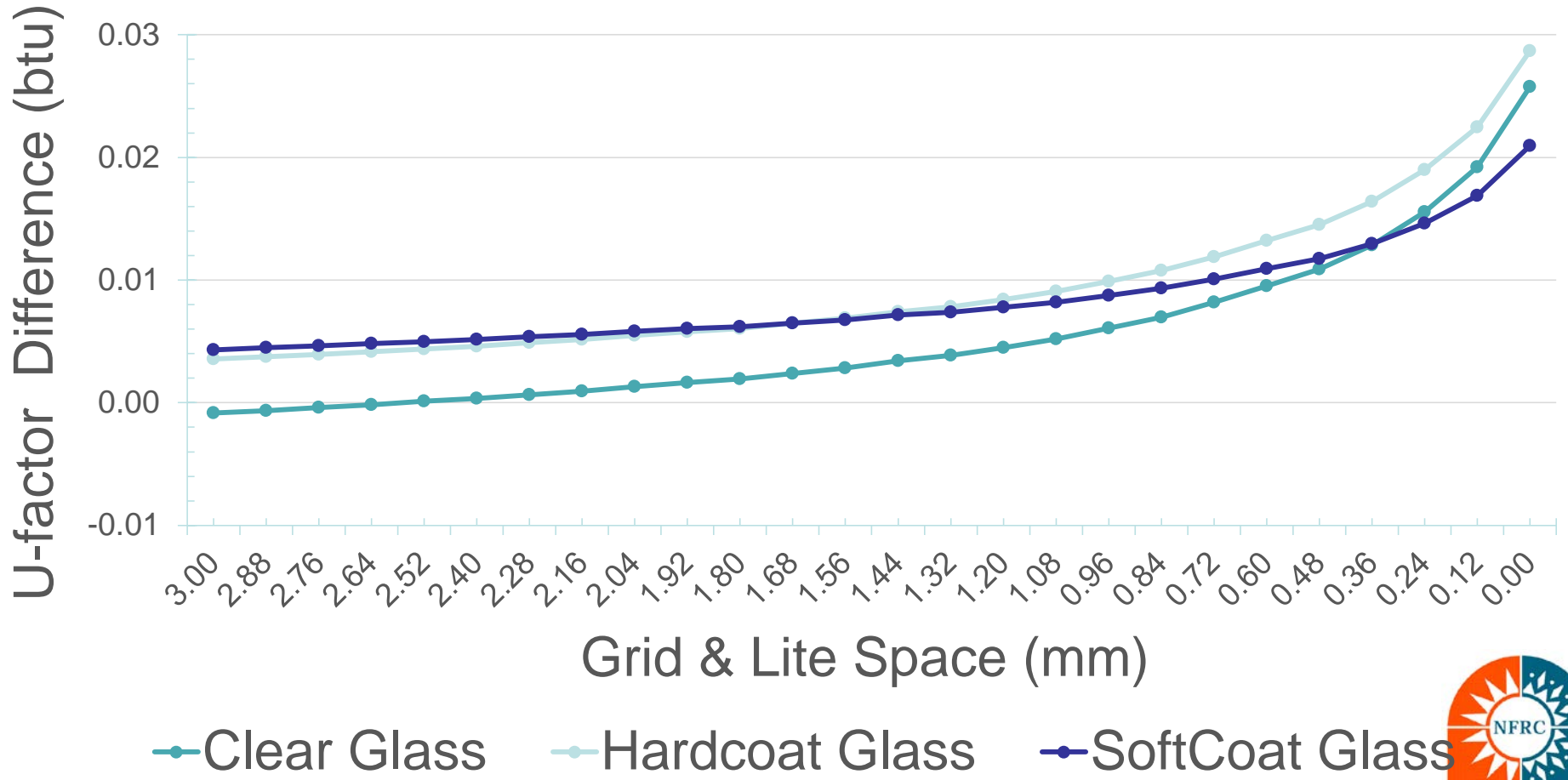
# DG Air – AW vs. COG



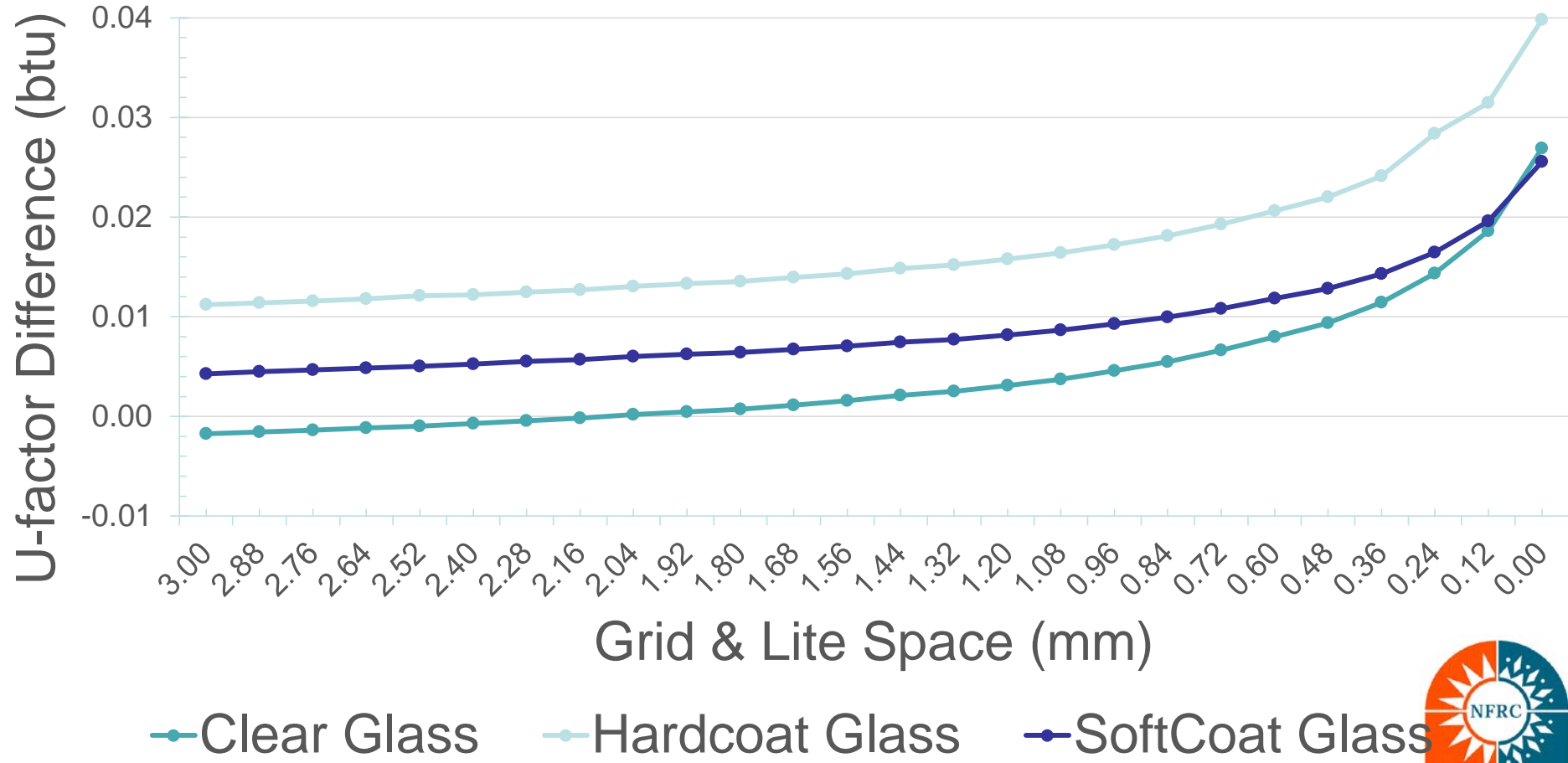
# DG Argon – AW vs. COG



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# TG Argon – AW vs. COG





# Develop Add-on Ranges

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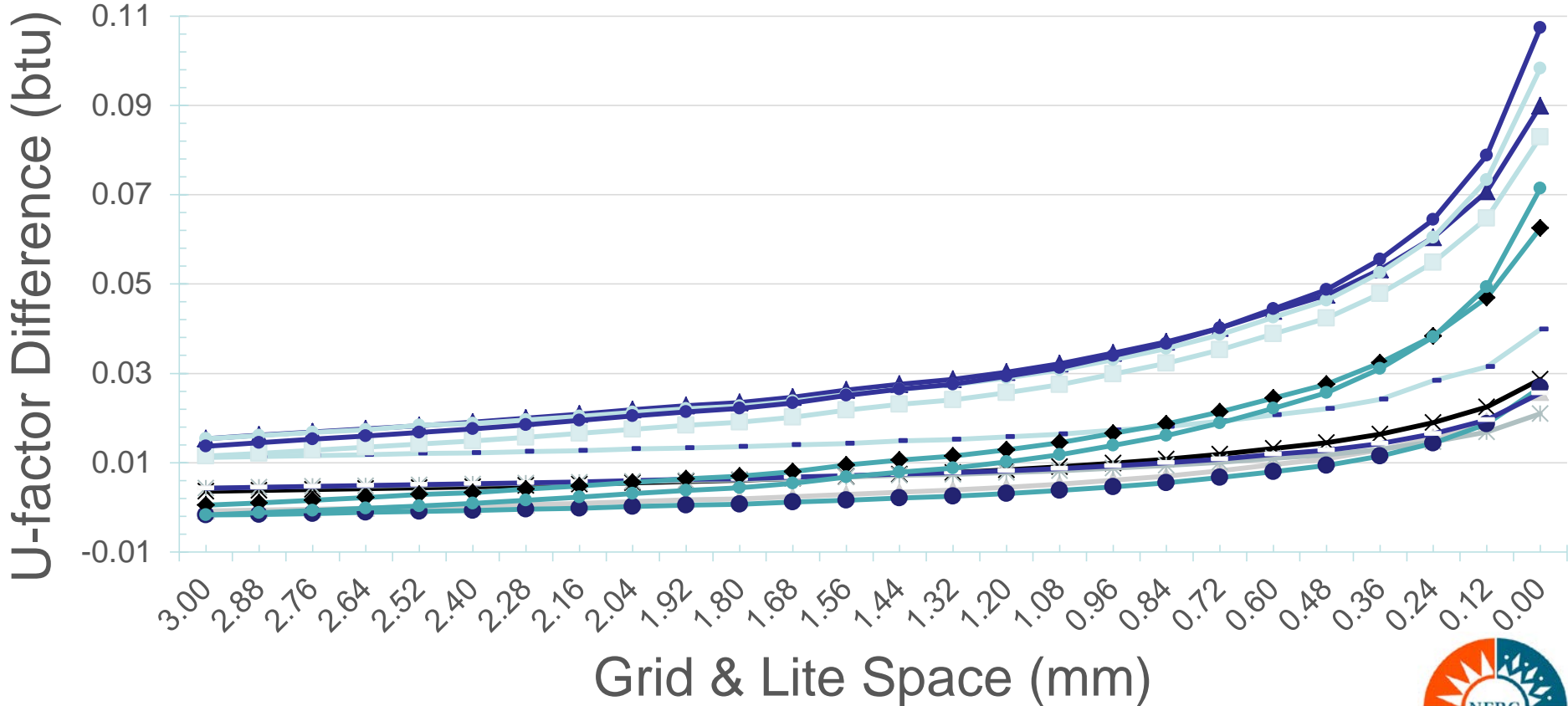


# Develop Add-on Ranges

- Separate DG and TG
- Separate Clear and Low-e
- Separate Softcoat and Hardcoat (TG only)
- Add-on is COG



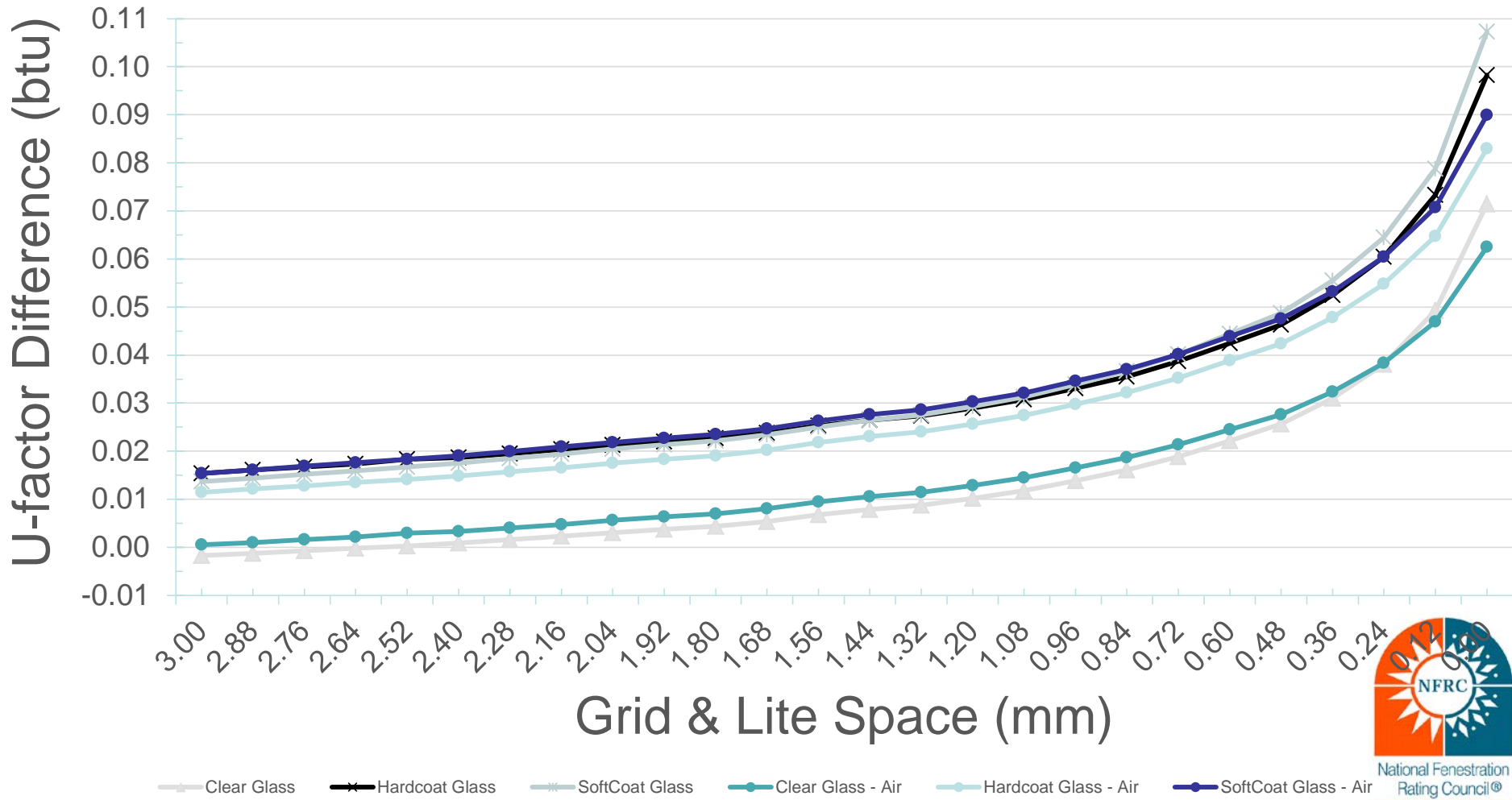
# All AW vs COG



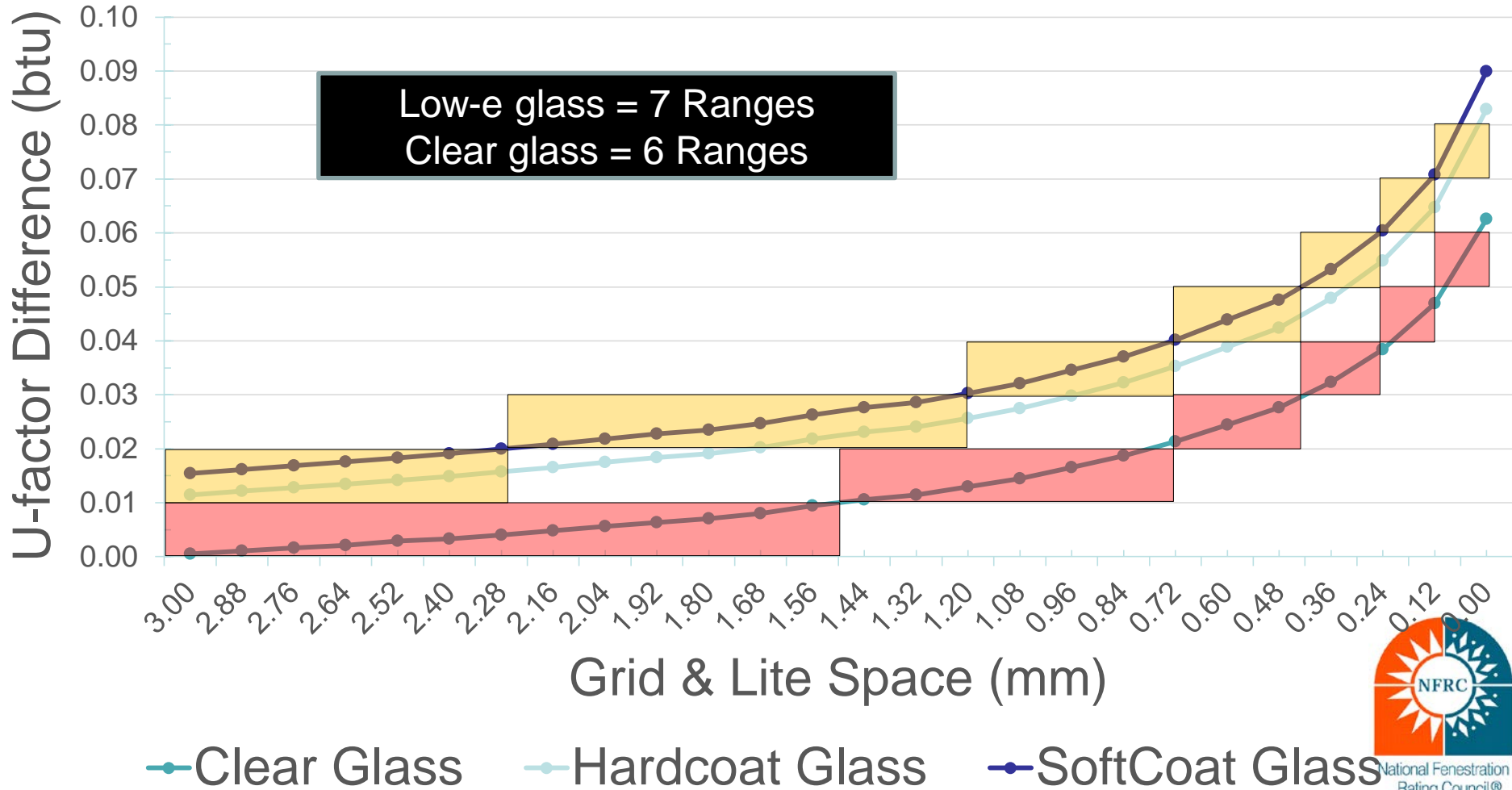
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- DG SoftCoat Glass



# DG Options – AW vs. COG



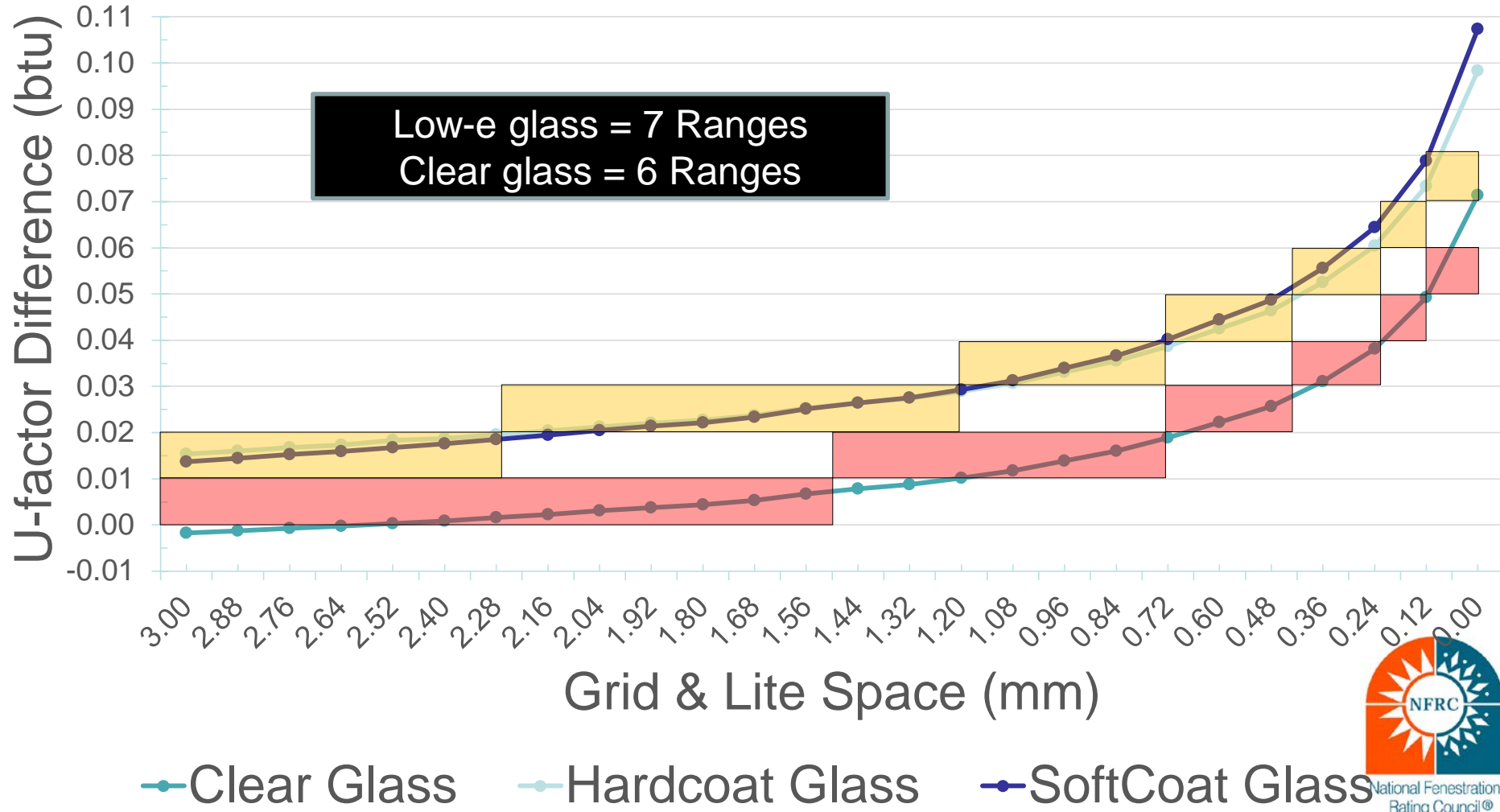
# DG Air Options – AW vs COG



# DG Air Ranges

| COG Add-on | Clear           | Low-E           |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 0.01       | 2.99mm – 1.50mm | n/a             |
| 0.02       | 1.49mm – 0.72mm | 2.99mm – 2.28mm |
| 0.03       | 0.71mm – 0.42mm | 2.27mm – 1.20mm |
| 0.04       | 0.41mm – 0.24mm | 1.19mm – 0.72mm |
| 0.05       | 0.23mm – 0.12mm | 0.71mm – 0.42mm |
| 0.06       | 0.11mm – 0.00mm | 0.41mm – 0.24mm |
| 0.07       | n/a             | 0.23mm – 0.12mm |
| 0.08       | n/a             | 0.11mm – 0.00mm |

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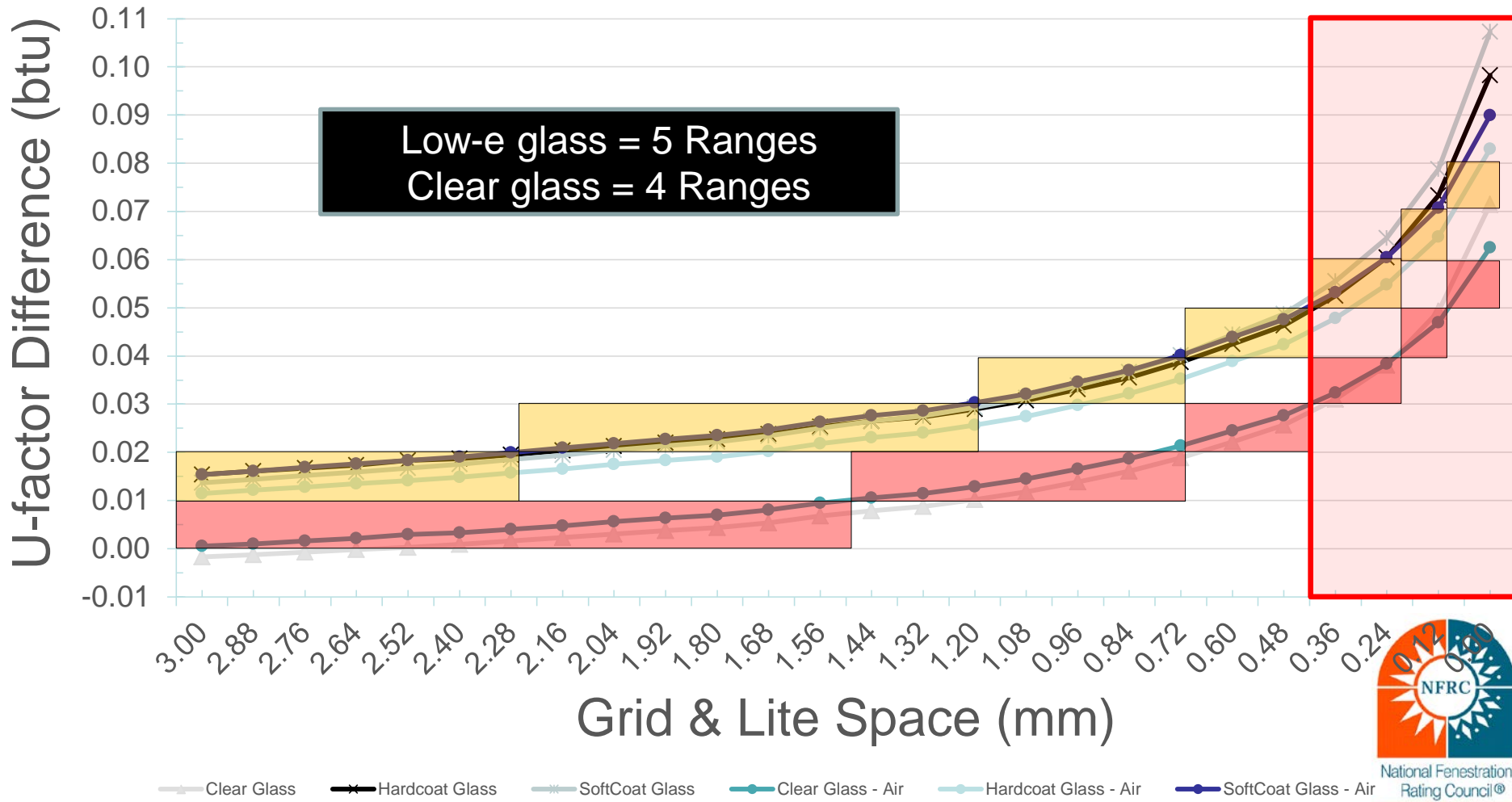


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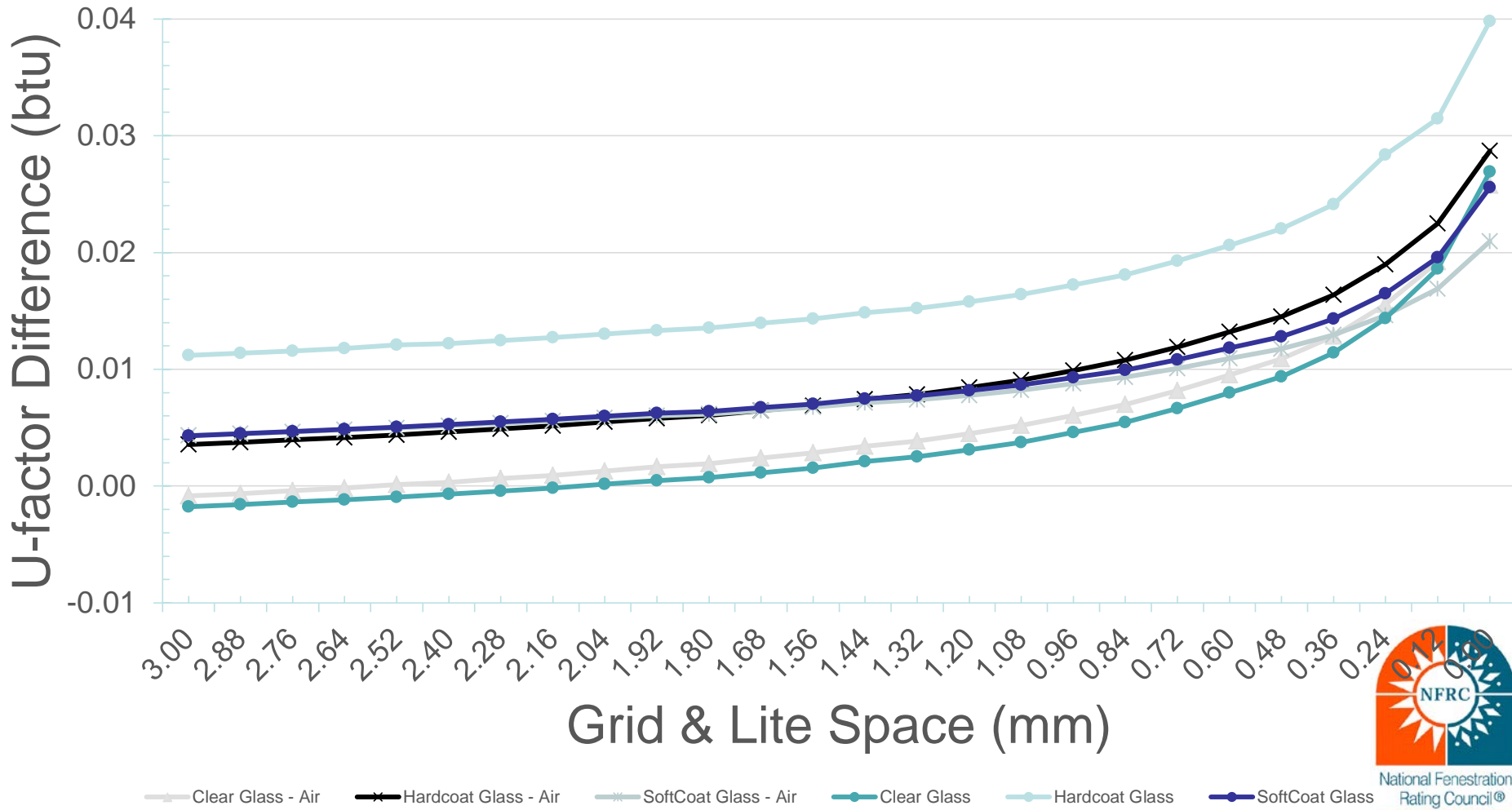
# DG Options – Graph Add-on



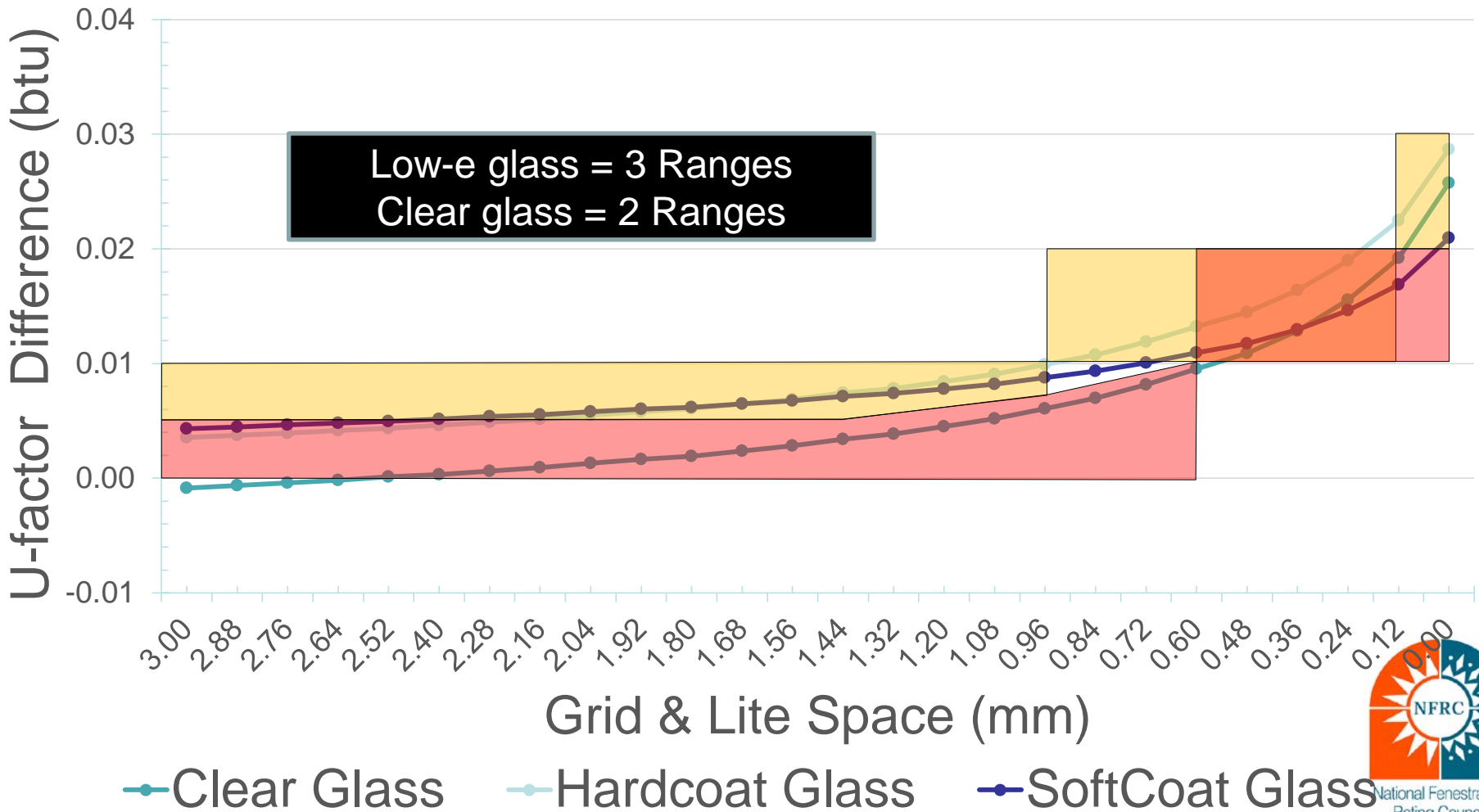
# DG Add-ons

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# TG Options – AW vs. COG



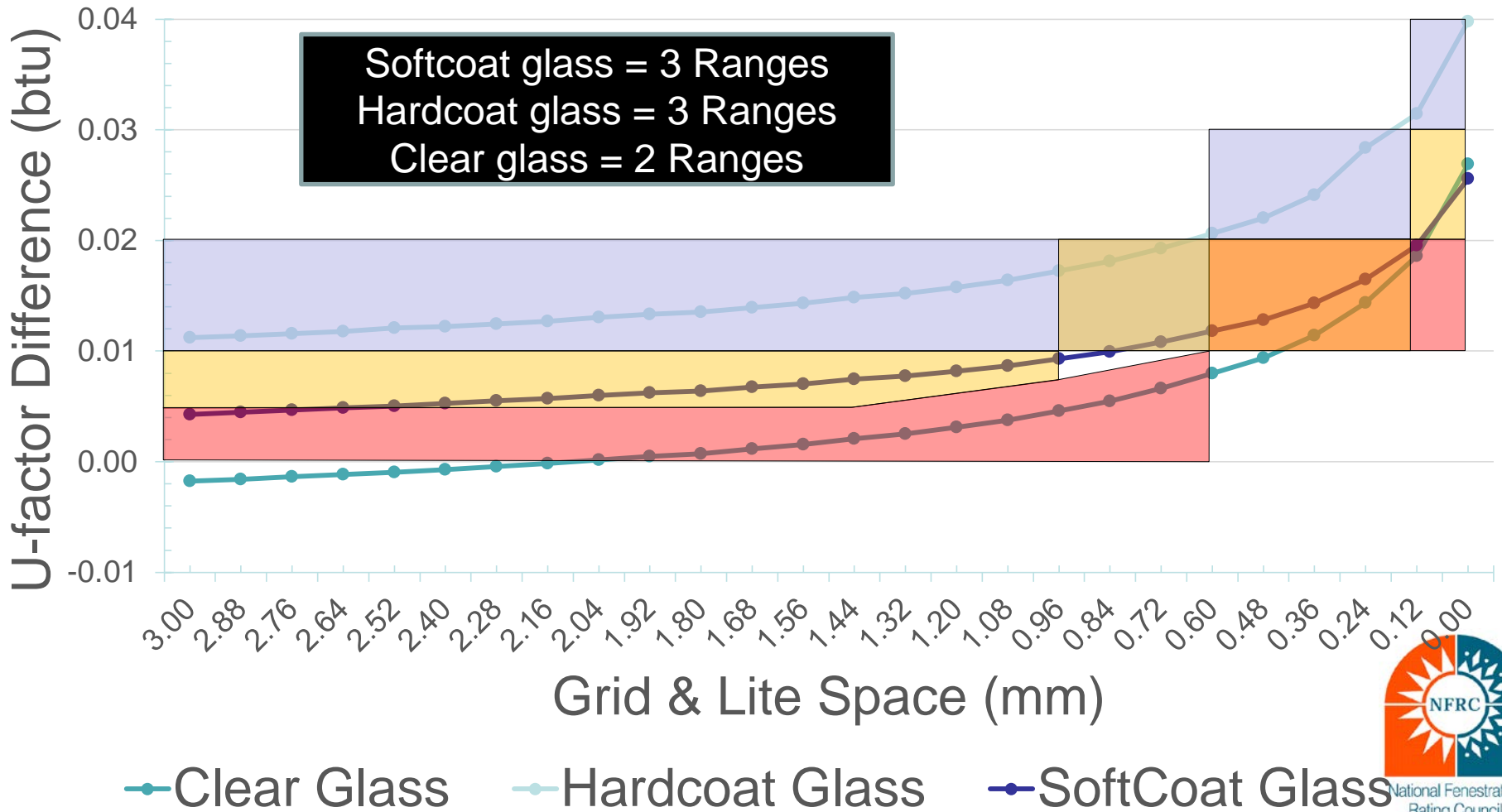
# TG Air Options – AW vs. COG



# TG Air Ranges

| COG Add-on | Clear           | Low-E           |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 0.01       | 2.99mm – 0.60mm | 2.99mm – 0.96mm |
| 0.02       | 0.59mm – 0.00mm | 0.95mm – 0.12mm |
| 0.03       | n/a             | 0.11mm – 0.00mm |
| 0.04       | n/a             | n/a             |

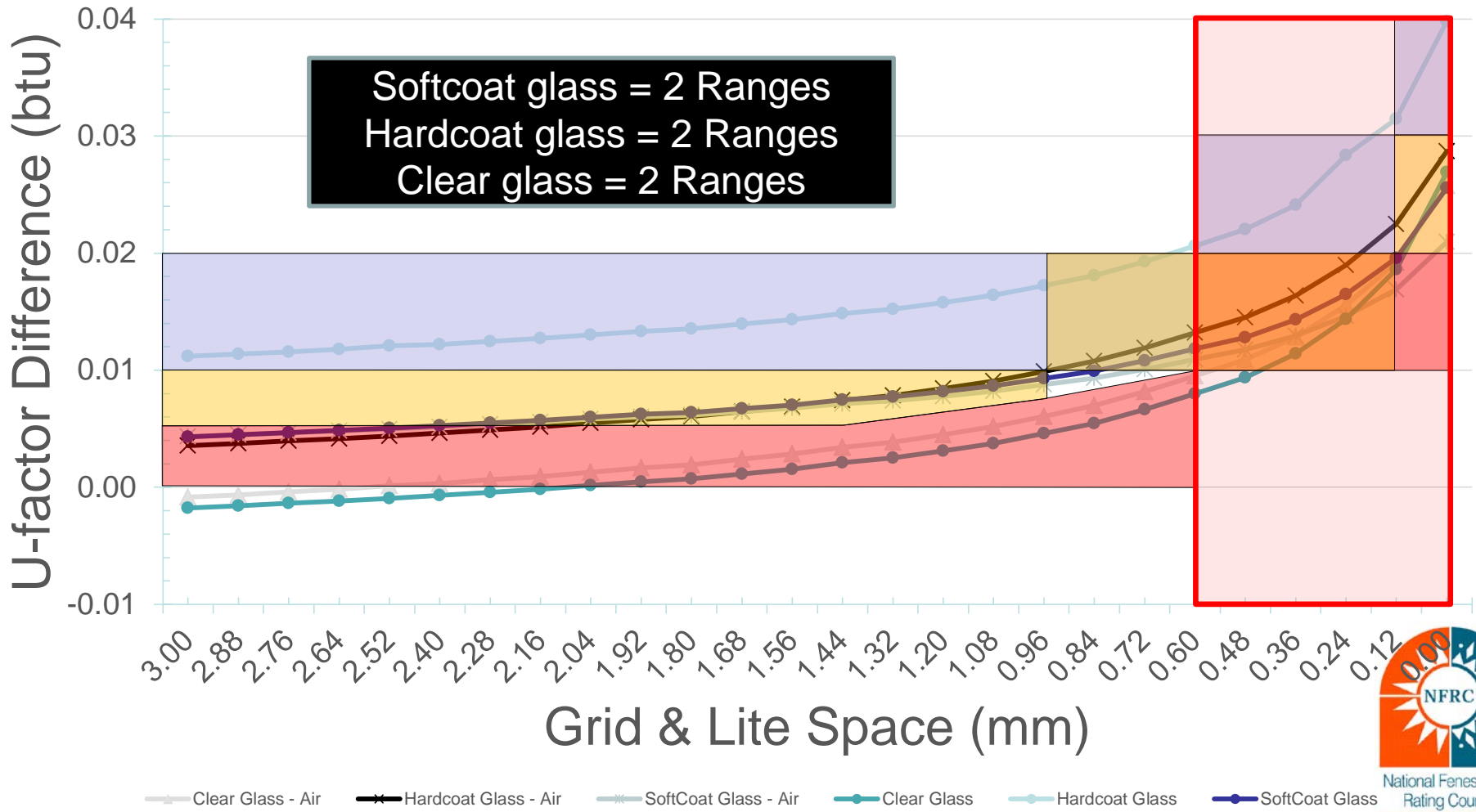
# TG Argon Options – AW vs. COG



# TG Argon Ranges

| COG Add-on | Clear           | Softcoat Low-E  | Hardcoat Low-E  |
|------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 0.01       | 2.99mm – 0.60mm | 2.99mm – 0.96mm | n/a             |
| 0.02       | 0.59mm – 0.00mm | 0.95mm – 0.12mm | 2.99mm – 0.60mm |
| 0.03       | n/a             | 0.11mm – 0.00mm | 0.59mm – 0.12mm |
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# TG Options – Graph Add-on





# TG Add-ons

| <b>COG Add-on</b> | <b>Clear</b>    | <b>Softcoat Low-E</b> | <b>Hardcoat Low-E</b> |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 0.01              | 2.99mm – 0.60mm | 2.99mm – 0.96mm       | n/a                   |
| 0.02              | 0.59mm – 0.00mm | 0.95mm – 0.00mm       | 2.99mm – 0.60mm       |
| 0.03              | n/a             | n/a                   | 0.59mm – 0.00mm       |

Captures the product line's characteristics  
**COG ADD-ON**



# Future Work

- Depends on today's discussion
- Add add-on language and ballot



# 3 POINT TRENDLINE



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- Reduce trendline error
- Visible confirmation
- $R^2$  value to determine TL acceptance
- Data results are favorable



# Balloted language

- [Quanex language](#) from 2016-10 ballot

# Future Work

- Depends on today's discussion
- Revise language and ballot



# IMPLEMENTATION OF METHODOLOGY





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- Negatives to make methodology optional



# OTHER BALLOT NEGATIVES



# Other Ballot Negatives

- Grid add-on optional
- Single simulation methodology
- Grammatical / document references
- Additional options – 15% criteria



# Thank You

## Questions

