BRITON 1438E Push Pad Panic Latch

Panic Latch · Briton · 1 variant

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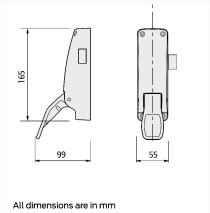
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Product Imagery











Specification Summary

Brand	Briton
Product type	Panic Latch

Product Description

The Briton 1438E Push Pad Panic Latch is a surface-mounted emergency exit device designed to provide reliable single-point latching. Ideal for single doors or the active leaf of double rebated doors, this latch disengages instantly when the pad is pushed, ensuring a swift and safe egress in an emergency.

Certified to BS EN 179, this push pad latch is specifically designed for use in low-occupancy, non-public environments - such as offices, factories, and private flats - where occupants are already familiar with the building's escape routes. It features a site-reversible design, allowing it to be easily adapted for either left or right-handed doors during installation.

The Briton 1438E is supplied complete with a comprehensive fixing pack, a door keep plate suitable for both timber and metal doors, and self-adhesive 'Push to Open' signage. For added security and convenience, it can also be paired with an external rim cylinder or outside access device (OAD) to allow authorised entry from the outside.

Technical Specifications

- **Brand:** Briton
- **Manufacturer Reference:** 1438E
- **Standards:** BS EN 179 (Emergency Exit Devices)
- **Certifications:** CE & UKCA Marked, Certifire Approved (CF5506)
- **Fire Rating:** Tested to EN 1634-1 (up to 2 hours on timber doors)
- **Maximum Door Width:** 1300mm
- **Handing:** Right hand (site reversible)
- **Finish:** Silver Enamelled
- **Durability:** Tested to over 200,000 cycles
- **Weight:** 670g

Key Features

- Single-point rim latching provides fast and effortless emergency egress
- Suitable for single doors and the first opening leaf of double rebated doors
- Site-reversible handing allows for easy on-site adjustment to suit left or right-handed doors
- Fully compliant with BS EN 179 for non-public buildings with trained personnel
- Supplied complete with fixing pack, keep plate, and self-adhesive "Push to Open" signage
- Can be integrated with an outside access device (OAD) for secure external entry

Variant Specifications And Pricing

Image	Part Number	Ex VAT	Inc VAT	Attributes / Specs
	2297	£97.42	£116.90	**Barcode:** 5027968505755 **Brand:** Briton **Finish:** Silver Enamelled **Handed:** Right Hand (Reversible) **Manufacturer Reference:** 1438E **Max Door Width:** 1300mm **Pack Quantity:** 1 **Packaging:** Boxed **Standards:** BS EN 179 **Weight:** 670g

Brand Profile

Briton



Briton is a long-established UK door hardware brand best known for **door controls** and **exit hardware** used in commercial buildings where reliability and fire-safety compliance actually matter. Briton markets itself as having **over 100 years** of history in the sector, with a reputation built on “highly engineered” products designed to survive constant, unglamorous punishment in busy environments.

Today, **Briton is part of Allegion** (the global security group behind multiple access and door hardware brands). In the Allegion portfolio, Briton sits as a specialist name for door control and emergency exit solutions.

What Briton is typically associated with in the trade/spec world:

- **Overhead door closers** (including their long-running “classic” closer heritage)
- **Panic and emergency exit devices** such as push bars and push pads, designed and tested to standards like **EN 1125** (panic) and **EN 179** (emergency exit) depending on application
- A broader ecosystem that now extends into related **locks, cylinders, door furniture and accessories** under the Briton hallmark

Fun bit of heritage trivia that specs people love: sources discussing Briton’s classic door closer lineage note early Briton closers being manufactured by **William Newman & Sons Ltd in Birmingham** in the **1930s**, and that the traditional style still shows up in places like historic properties.