

2008 CORPORATE PROFILE

With a heritage in the building products industry that dates back to 1968, CMI manufactures and markets three diverse, yet complementary product lines for the residential, commercial and industrial markets:

- CraftMaster[®] Interior Doors;
- MiraTEC® Treated Exterior Composite Trim; and
- Extira® Treated Exterior Panels.

The company's manufacturing network includes a state-of-the-art facility located in Towanda, Pa., which produces all three product lines, as well as door-manufacturing facilities in Christiansburg, Va., Ozark, Ala., and Garland, Texas.

In December 2007, CMI entered into a joint venture partnership with Yawei and TaFu, makers of particleboard, door facings and related products, located in Dunhua, Jilin Province, PRC, and made an equity investment in Jilin Fudun Timber Company Ltd., one of the largest and most respected timber and wood products companies in China. The move expands CMI's manufacturing network and is aimed at helping the company grow its international molded interior door business, particularly in Asia, India and the Middle East, while better positioning CMI for the domestic new construction market recovery.

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Brand Overviews



The family of CraftMaster Interior Doors is recognized worldwide as a leading brand of raised-panel molded doors, offering a complete line of profiles to upgrade, complement and brighten any architectural style. From smooth or textured wood grain surfaces to

a variety of pre-stained colors, CraftMaster interior doors can be found in homes, office buildings, hospitality facilities and other venues throughout the world.

The CraftMaster raised-panel interior door line includes the original and authentic six-panel $Colonist^{@}$; four-panel, square-top $Coventry^{@}$; four-panel, eyebrow-top $Carmelle^{@}$; three-panel $Clermont^{@}$; two-panel, curved top $Classique^{@}/Cremona^{@}$; two-panel, square top $Carrara^{@}$; the two-panel, true arch top $Caiman^{@}$; and the two-panel, square-top plank $Corvado^{@}$.

In 2008, CraftMaster introduced **Crossmore** $^{\text{TM}}$ – a truly authentic, flat-panel door that is beautiful and elegant, yet highly affordable and durable. Using its advanced molded door technology, CMI created Crossmore as the industry's only molded door that precisely replicates flat-panel



Crossmore 6'8"

design elements of traditional Craftsman architecture and Mission-style furniture. The smooth-surface, three-panel layout was inspired by trends in today's kitchen and bath cabinetry, which reflect growing preference for clean, straight lines. Beginning in spring 2008, Crossmore doors will be available in standard 6'8" and 7'0" heights and in passage widths from 1'6" to 3'0" in solid core construction.

To meet the growing demand for pre-finished building materials, the Colonist, Classique and Carmelle profiles are available in Pre-Finished White, and the textured Colonist design is also available in four Pre-Stained colors.

Passage and bifold finished doors are available in widths from 1'0" to 3'0" (bifold widths from 1'6" to 6'0") and in 1-3/8" and 1-3/4" thicknesses. Door heights include standard 6'8", as well as 7'0" and 8'0" tall doors in hollow, semi-solid or solid core construction.

The **CraftMaster Cellini Series** combines a special raised-panel molding affixed to a smooth surfaced, molded door, evoking the fine craftsmanship of a custom wood door at a better value. The Cellini Series is available in the modern, two-panel, square top Carrara; the two-panel, arch top Caiman; and the two-panel, square top plank Corvado design.

CMI also offers the **CraftMaster Reflections Series**, which features a textured, raised-panel design on one side and a mirror on the other. Unlike other mirrored door designs, the Reflections Series is offered in a wide range of panel designs – from two to six panels – adding sophistication to any bathroom, bedroom or closet.

CraftMaster Interior Doors are manufactured by CMI from molded, high-density fiberboard to resist shrinking, cracking and joint separation, and they are available primed and ready to paint. Through the CMI manufacturing network, the company produces and distributes a broad range of finished door products, including molded interior doors and wood doors, throughout the United States. Additionally, CMI works closely with the finest independent door manufacturers worldwide to produce finished doors that provide the decorative appeal of sculpted doors, without the cost and maintenance of solid wood.

CraftMaster wood doors are available in various wood species and styles, including passage, bifold, French, louver and more. CraftMaster molded doors are covered by a five-year limited warranty and CraftMaster wood doors receive a two-year warranty.

CraftMaster doors are sold worldwide, including several profiles that are available exclusively in international markets: Morning Sun (two-panel, round top), Classique Serrana and Rodia (pre-stained versions of the two-panel, curved top Classique), Hakuju (one panel) and Caspian (three-panel). These profiles are available in textured surfaces and metric sizes.



The preferred choice among home builders and remodelers, MiraTEC Treated Exterior Composite Trim features a wood grain texture on one side and a contemporary, smooth finish on the other. As an engineered wood composite trim, MiraTEC serves as a functional, economical alternative to PVC, fiber cement,

wood, oriented strand board (OSB) and hardboard.

MiraTEC looks and handles like wood, and offers the durability and long-term performance benefits of PVC, yet costs half as much as PVC trim and one-third less than most fiber cement. With its reversible design, excellent machinability, and unique combination of functionality and beauty, MiraTEC offers great design possibilities for decorative trim, gables, dentil trim, corner posts, porch trim, roofline fascia, window and door trim, and similar architectural components. It provides the perfect accent to any exterior cladding – fiber cement, vinyl, brick, OSB, hardboard, wood or stucco.

MiraTEC is produced using CMI's patented and proprietary TEC[™] manufacturing process. This sealed press, steam-injected process creates a trim board that is one solid piece. During manufacturing, wood fibers and other ingredients are bonded under heat and pressure, combined with phenolic resins for moisture resistance, and treated with zinc borate, an EPA-registered wood preservative, for added protection against rot and termite damage.



MiraTEC has no knots or voids like wood, so it eliminates waste. Plus, unlike PVC, MiraTEC accepts paint beautifully and is not prone to thermal expansion.

Compared to fiber cement trim, MiraTEC is available in longer boards (16' vs. 10' or 12'), and in 4/4 and 5/4 thicknesses, and a variety of widths from 2" to 16", making MiraTEC trim the broadest trim product line in the industry. Plus, fiber cement is harder to cut and nail, requires special installation tools, and absorbs over five times more water than MiraTEC (based on ASTM 24-hour soak test).

Factory-primed on four sides with a mildew-resistant primer, trim boards can be machined to create striking, elegant and creative designs that add curb appeal to any home. Plus, MiraTEC is backed by a 30-year warranty that covers hail damage, delamination, decomposition due to fungal growth, splitting and cracking, and buckling, as well as damage from termites. No fiber cement, OSB or hardboard trim product available offers this level of protection.

Many CMI distributors also offer **MiraTEC Prefinished Trim**, which is ready for installation to save builders and architects time and money. Availability varies by region throughout the U.S.

MiraTEC trim has garnered national attention as the primary exterior trim product specified for three construction projects on two episodes of ABC-TV's popular reality series *Extreme Makeover: Home Edition*. In 2006, CMI and Weyerhaeuser donated nearly 400 pieces of MiraTEC to help build a new dream home for a family of five in eastern Sioux Falls, S.D. For the 2007 season premiere held in Kalihi, Oahu, more than 900 pieces of MiraTEC were donated on behalf of a woman who, as a former single mother on welfare, dedicated much her life (and her own home) to supporting the native Hawaiian community. MiraTEC was installed on a 3,500-square-foot, plantation-style home as well as a new 4,500-square-foot community center – the largest structure built in the show's history at that time.



Extira is an exterior grade, treated wood composite panel that provides a combination of moisture, rot and termite resistance not possible with MDF, plywood and wood. It offers high performance with low maintenance in a wide range of non-structural, paint-grade applications. Extira machines well,

allowing those who work with it to easily sandblast, rout, carve, laser engrave, prime, paint and adhere other materials to it.

Extira has quickly gained acceptance as an excellent material for architectural millwork. Typical applications include fluting, rosettes, dentil mouldings, shutters, brick mould, column wraps, pilasters and exterior trim. It is used for door and window parts; garage doors; outdoor signs; playground equipment; subflooring; marine, landscape and nursery applications; and a host of other specialty and decorative needs. Extira also excels in high-moisture interior applications, such as areas around dishwashers and sinks. Today, home builders, remodelers and architects are among those who value its long-term exterior performance, durability and low maintenance.

Extira is composed primarily of wood and is manufactured using hardwood chips – often the byproducts of sawmilling operations. The composite panels are manufactured by CMI with its TEC sealed press, steaminjection manufacturing technology, as opposed to the open press technique used to create hardboard and MDF.

Unlike MDF, Extira panels are ideal for exterior applications, because they resist moisture, rot and termites. Compared to wood, Extira features higher yields, board consistency, more stable pricing and wide availability. It is gentle to the environment and essentially formaldehyde-free.

Extira is available in 1/2", 5/8", 3/4", 1" and 1-1/4" thicknesses, and comes in three, unprimed panel dimensions of 4'x 8', 4'x 16' and 2'x 16'. Extira is backed by a five-year warranty.

Extira Exterior Panels

Customers

CMI's residential and commercial building products are sold through distributors, dealers and retailers around the world. The CraftMaster brand is part of the national molded door standard in China and is sold throughout Europe, the United Kingdom, Russia and the Pacific Rim.

Environmental Manufacturing Process

At the heart of all CMI products is a commitment to an environmentally responsible manufacturing process. No old growth timber is harvested to make CraftMaster, MiraTEC or Extira products, and CMI's wood source comes from a variety of sources, all within a 200-mile radius of CMI's manufacturing facility in Towanda, Pa.

Types of wood sources to make CMI products include field chips, sawmill chips and whole tree logs. Whole tree logs have no commercial timber value and are detrimental to the overall vitality of the forest. Sawmill chips are byproducts from sawmilling operations. Field chips are the residuals from field chipping operations of tree tops and scrap wood. Left unused this wood would simply rot or be sent to landfills. Instead, it is broken down into fibers, and then exposed to intense heat and pressure as they are converted into engineered wood products.

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