

RAISING THE EXPECTATION FOR INNOVATIVE WOOD CORE AND WOOD PANEL PRODUCTS IN NORTH AMERICA AND GLOBAL MARKETS





ABOUT NEUCOR

NEUCOR IS A GREEN BUSINESS

Neucor is committed to sustainable business practices that acknowledge the finite availability of resources and cost reductions attained through use of renewable post-industrial residuals.

Advanced wood product manufacturing practices promote forest health and reduce wildfire fuel, thereby conserving prime forest environments for multiples uses and water shed protection, as well as supporting GHG sequestration without added cost.

INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY

Neucor's 14 awarded patents span North America and nine countries in Asia and Europe. A manufacturing process patent pending enables pristine operation with regards to emission of hazardous air pollutants (HAPs).

Product performance is similar to traditional medium density fiberboard (MDF) and Particleboard (PB) at 1/3-2/3 the weight, and panel thicknesses ranging from 3/4" to 4".

MANAGEMENT TEAM

The **Neucor** team has more than 35 years experience in the technical and operating aspects of the engineered wood composites industry. The company has collaborative product development relationships with leading companies in the industry as well as centers of academic excellence at Washington State University Composite Materials and Engineering Center and Oregon State University Green Building Materials Laboratory.

MANUFACTURING FACILITY

Neucor's manufacturing facility has two press lines capable of producing 140 million square feet of product annually. The factory comprises 174,000 square feet on 114 acres in central Washington State.





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WHITE SWAN PLANT

neucor™ is produced with pride in a modern manufacturing facility in central Washington State, 25 miles southwest of Yakima. Originally built in 1984, the plant has been expanded and modernized to a current capacity of 140 million square feet per year. Our raw material is locally sourced post-industrial waste from local veneer and sawmill operations, further reducing **Neucor's** impact on the environment.

neucor™ is committed to continuous improvement through utilization of the latest manufacturing technology, choosing high-quality precision equipment, and investment in the knowledge and skills of our people. An unwavering attention to detail throughout the manufacturing process will ensure our customers' expectations are met.

MANUFACTURING PROCESS

neucor™ employs a low fixed cost, lean variable-cost operating methodology to provide a well priced product while being competitive in the marketplace. The production of Neucor cores (neucor™) utilizes wood byproducts as our core raw material. Neucor cores are made of a proprietary blend of wood fibers, sawdust, and formaldehyde free resin (pmdi). This proprietary blend is then pressed in Neucor's patented mold design to create our unique and lightweight cores.

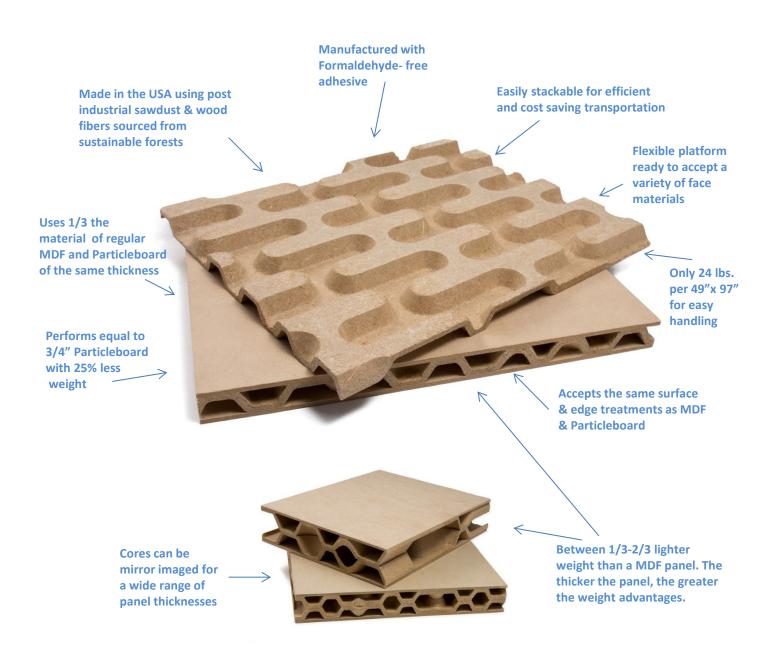


NEUCOR LIGHTWEIGHT PRODUCTS

neucor™ currently manufacturers lightweight MDF cores and panels for use in a multitude of interior applications including store fixtures, contract and residential furniture, walls and partitions, ceiling panels, acoustical panels, shelving, and cabinetry.

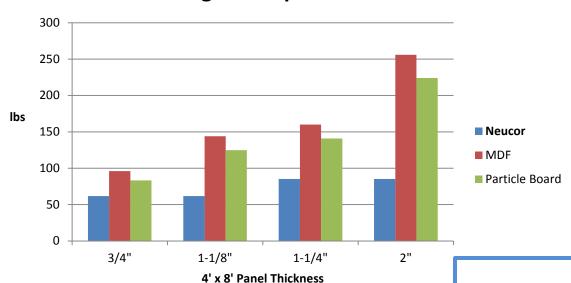
Stacking of **neucor**[™] cores allows for panel thicknesses ranging from ¾" to 4".

neucor[™] cores create panels that are 1/3-2/3 lighter weight than traditional MDF products. Alternate wood or decorative face veneers can be used as well as unfinished MDF faces.

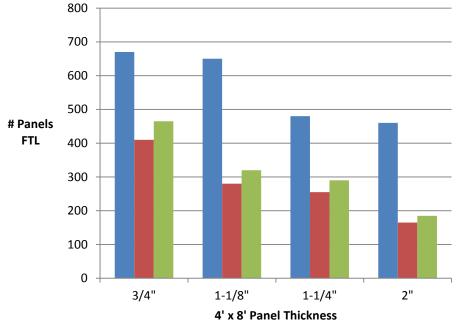


WEIGHT ADVANTAGES

Weight Comparison



Shipping Quantities Comparison



- 3/4" **Neucor** is 35% lighter weight than standard MDF.
- 1-1/8" **Neucor** is 57% lighter weight than standard MDF.
- 1-1/4" **Neucor** is 46% lighter weight than standard MDF.
- 2" Neucor is 66% lighter weight than standard MDF.

■ MDF
■ Particle Board

Neucor

The nesting design of **Neucor** Cores allow for 1716+ sheets of either the 1/2" core or the 7/8" core to be shipped on a FTL.



FEATURED LIGHTWEIGHT PRODUCTS













.500 CORE

• C0500S1 1/2" Core

The .500 Core and .875 Core are both manufactured with a mirror image so the cores can be stacked to produce a wide range of panel thicknesses.

.875 CORE

• C0875S1 7/8" Core

3/4" PANEL

P0750S1
 1/2" Core w/ 1/8" MDF faces

1-1/8" PANEL

P1125S1
 7/8" Core w/ 1/8" MDF faces

1-1/4" PANEL

P1250S2
 (2) 1/2" Cores w/ 1/8"MDF faces

2" PANEL

P20000S2
(2) 7/8" Cores w/ 1/8" MDF faces

ADDITIONAL PRODUCT INFORMATION

Neucor Panels can currently be manufactured in panel thicknesses ranging from 3/4" to 4".

Neucor can be faced with MDF skin thicknesses ranging from 3mm (1/8") to 8mm (5/16").

Neucor can be faced with raw MDF, wood veneers and decorative laminates. **Neucor's** decorative laminates are currently sourced from Colledgewood Inc.

Neucor Panels come in standard sizes of 49"x97" and 48"x96" but can be made as large as 61"x 145".

Neucor Cores and Panels are CARB2 compliant. NAF is available upon request.





PRODUCTS IN DEVELOPMENT



CUT-TO-SIZE

Shelving, tabletops, small panels, and more.



FR CORE & PANEL PRODUCTS

Panels and cores that can be coated or Internally FR-treated during the manufacturing process.



EDGE-BANDED PRODUCTS

A variety of edge-banding treatments can be applied. Currently this is not performed on site.



STRUCTURAL STRANDED PANELS

Performance-rated grades suitable for construction applications.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

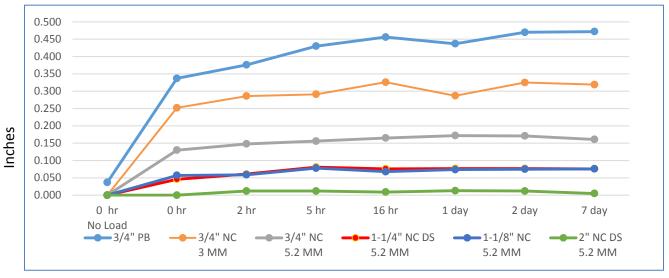
NEUCOR CORES									
NEUCOR CORES are made	with NAF resin NEUCO	NEUCOR CORES are exempt from CARB ATCM 93120							
Standard Width & Length	- 49" X 97" Width	& Length Tolerance ± 1/16"							
Squareness ± 1/8"	Thickness Tolerance ± 0.00	Thickness Swell ≤ 12%	Thickness Swell ≤ 12%						
Available NEUCOR CORES	1/2"	7/8"							
Thickness (in)	0.500"	0.875"							
Weight (lbs)	23.5	23.5							
Flat Crush (psi)	300	150							
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All surface materials used in NEUCOR PANELS are CARB compliant, NAF available on request.

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-	MOE	MOR			Weight	Density
Thickness (in)	(psi)	(psi)		Flat Crush	(lbs)	(lbs/ft ³)
3/4	350,000	2,100		300	62.2	30.1
1	350,000	2,100		300	100.3	36.5
1 1/8	350,000	2,100		150	62.2	20.1
1 1/4	350,000	2,100		150	86.2	25
1 1/2	350,000	2,100		300	124.3	30.1
2	350,000	2,100		150	86.2	15.7
3	350,000	2,100		150	129.2	15.7

DEFLECTION DATA



Panel Thickness

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