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	06	Black	1595	909	S-6-1	SE101	Х	1005-9	2416	7003TX	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х		
	11	White	D428/1573	949/7197	S-7-36	SW806	Х	1401-9/1463-9	2002/2022	7001TX	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х		Х
	16	Almond	D30	920	S-2-85	ST655	Х	2514TL/1543-9	2114	7002TX	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	20	Folkstone Grey	1077/	7010		144701	v	50000/57470	0700/4105	01107/05077		v	V	V	V	V	v	V
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	381	Cherry Blossom		T449				57341	4985	1134								
	420	Summer Flame		ArboriteT420				56643	4101	2642/1196								
	421	Candlelight		ArboriteT421				57048	4102	2462/2164								
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	705	Tuscan Teak Grigio	16030					58722TL	5953	1289T								
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	718	Cafe Primavera						58882TL	3144	CM10673								
	797	Mossy Oak Breakup						- 300321L	0140	CM10074								
	797	Diamond Plate	16031					86107TW	6286	7567T								
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	14	Antique White	1572	932	S-7-5	SW803		1578TL/4522TL	2115	7113T	Х		Х		Х	Х		
	17	Light Beige																
	21	Champagne	1531(2)	925	S-2-3	ST613		2542TL	2122/2121	7062T								
	22	London Grey	D92	961	S-6-12	SG213	Х	1060-9/1059TL	2425	7071TX		х				Х		Х
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	328	Woodlawn Cherry				W144		7937TL	4624/3777	8667T		Х				Х	Х	
ESP	333	Brentwood Cherry		5904		WC421		57335TL	4570	2635T								
	340	Napa Cherry				W685		58791TL	5016	1402T/1116T			Х	Х		Х		
	448	Cognac Cherry		ArboriteT448				57345	4984	1133								
	554	Copper Polaris						9644TL	6151									
	555	Grey Polaris						9637TL	6024	1144T		Х						

Our intent is to illustrate the best identified matching references at time of publication. Roseburg recommends contacting various component manufacturers for current availability and minimums. Roseburg recommends comparing actual samples of TFM, HPL, RTF and edge banding.

• = Five Piece Door

For additional and updated information, please see: www.Roseburg.com

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Roseburg provides a broad selection of core options including: UltraBlend particleboard, Synergite and other MDFs. For green projects we meet your needs with our hybrid SkyBlend[™] particleboard and MDF cores. All of our green cores have no urea formaldehyde added in the manufacturing process. Our engineered core options give you the dimensional stability and surface quality you can rely on every day.



Roseburg Synergite

Medium Density Fiberboard (MDF) and other MDFs make for a very smooth, consistent panel. This is a great substrate for applications when routing and shaping are required.



UltraBlend particleboard

is a multi-layered substrate, produced using a blend of softwoods. The combination of sanding to extremely smooth, tight and grainless surfaces on both sides, with a controlled distribution pattern of particles in the core, results in a perfect, dimensionally stable panel.

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Core

LEED CATEGORY/CREDIT	INTENT	REQUIREMENTS POSSIBLE POINT			
Materials and Resources MR Credit 4.1 Recycled Content: 10% (post+ 1/2 pre-consumer)	Increases the use of products that incorporate recycled content material	Sum of recycled content constitutes at least 10% of materials in the project	1 point		
Materials and Resources MR Credit 4.2 Recycled Content: 20% (post+ 1/2 pre-consumer)	Increases the use of products that incorporate recycled content material	Sum of recycled content constitutes at least 20% of materials in the project	1 point (in addition to MR credit 4.1)		
Indoor Environmental Quality EQ Credit 4.4: Low-Emitting Materials	Improves indoor air quality	Wood products used shall contain no added urea- formaldehyde resins	1 point		
Materials and Resources MR 5.1 Regional Materials: 10% Extracted, Processed & Manufactured Regionally	Increases the use of materials that are extracted and manufactured within the project region	A min. of 10% of the combined value of building materi- als or products must be extracted, harvested, or recovered, as well as manufactured within 500 miles of the project	1 point		
Materials and Resources MR 5.2 Regional Materials: 20% Extracted, Processed & Manufactured Regionally	Increases the use of materials that are extracted and manufactured within the project region	A min. of 20% of the combined value of building materi- als or products must be extracted, harvested, or recovered, as well as manufactured within 500 miles of the project	1 point (in addition to MR credit 5.1)		
Materials and Resources MR Credit 7.0: Certified Wood FSC - Forest Stewardship Council NOTE: FSC Certified SkyBlend only	Encourage environmentally responsible forest management	Use a minimum of 50% wood based materials and products, which are certified in accordance with the Forest Stewardship Council's (FSC) Principles and Criteria, for wood building components	1 point		



Roseburg SkyBlend[™] core panels are manufactured with SkyBlend[™] particleboard or MDF and contain no added urea formaldehyde.

- Particleboard Core
- EPP certified 100% pre-consumer recycled wood fiber Particleboard and MDF
- FSC SkyBlend Particleboard available when specified
- No urea formaldehyde added during the manufacturing process •
- Particleboard readily identifiable by its blue-tinted core •
- Will contribute to achieving LEED credits 0

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Roseburg Duramine®

Decorative Melamine

Product Description

Roseburg Duramine[®] Decorative Melamine panels consist of melamine, resin saturated decorative papers, thermally fused under heat and pressure to a substrate of Roseburg UltraBlend particleboard, Synergite or other MDF (medium

density fiberboard). The thermally fused melamine (TFM) process permanently bonds the paper and the board therefore, there is NO GLUE LINE to delaminate.

Duramine[®] Benefits

Duramine® decorative panels have the decorative paper already permanently bonded to the substrate. There is:

No delamination or "peel back."
 No glue or pressing equipment required.
 No solvent emission from drying glue.
 No disposal of hazardous chemicals.
 Panel Face
 Fifty-five solid, pattern and woodgrain designs are available in the Duramine[®]
 National Design Collection as well as hundreds of others from Coveright, Dynea, Formica, Wilsonart and other custom sources.
 No labor required to lay up high pressure laminates.
 Less expense than HPL.
 Less downgrade through fabrication.
 Duramine[®] panel faces are manufactured to meet or exceed NEMA LD 3-2005-VGL minimum requirements with the exceptions noted in the Surface Properties chart below.

Panel Backs

Duramine[®] panels are available with decorative faces, two sides or with a white or brown melamine saturated balancing backer sheet. A glueable backer is avail-

able for panels which will subsequently be laminated with high pressure laminate or other materials.

Surface Properties

Tests for Resistance to:	Test Description	Roseburg Solid Colors	Duramine® Wood Grains	NEMA LD3-2005 VGL Minimum Performance Standard
Wear	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to maintain its design or color when subjected to prolonged abrasive wear	400 cycles	125 cycles	400 cycles
Scuff	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to maintain its original appearance when subjected to prolonged scraping or scuffing	No effect	No effect	No effect
Stain	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to resist any discoloration or marring by prolonged contact with 15 common house-hold substances	No effect - 1-11, 15 Moderate - 12-14	No effect - 1-11, 15 Moderate - 12-14	No effect - 1-10 Moderate - 11-15
Cleanability	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaidsurface to be cleaned after prolonged contact with 15 common household substrates.	No effect Surface cleaned in 10 or fewer strokes	No effect Surface cleaned in 10 or fewer strokes	Surface cleaned in 20 or fewer strokes
Light	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to retain its color after prolonged exposure to a light source having a frequency range approximating sunlight	Slight	Slight	Slight
High Temperature	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to maintain its color and surface texture when a hot pot of 180° C (356° F) is placed on it for 20 minutes	Slight	Slight	Slight
Radiant Heat	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to resist any damage when subjected to a radiant-heat source under controlled laboratory conditions	No effect after 60 seconds	No effect after 60 seconds	No effect after 80 seconds
Boiling Water	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to maintain its color and surface texture when subjected to boiling water for a period of 20 minutes	Slight to no effect	Slight to no effect	No effect
Impact	A measure of the ability of a decorative overlaid surface to resist fracture due to the impact of a 1/2 pound steel ball dropped from a measured height	15" without fracture	15" without fracture	15" without fracture

LIMITATIONS: Roseburg Duramine[®] is recommended for interior vertical and low abuse horizontal applications. For any questions or additional information regarding your particular application, please contact Roseburg at 800-245-1115.

Panel Texture

Duramine® panels are available in five textures as follows:

- "S" Texture features a low gloss, suede/matte appearance available from Dillard, OR, Missoula, MT and Oxford, MS.
- "Z" Texture features a medium gloss appearance with less aggressive stipple than "S"– available from Dillard, OR and Missoula, MT.
- "F" Texture features a low gloss, flat furniture appearance available from Oxford, MS.

Panel Sizes

• 4' and 5' wide by 6' to 12' long • 1/4" to 1-1/8" Thick

• Note: Most all sizes listed above are available from most presses. Please ask your Roseburg representative for additional information including other available sizes and thicknesses.

Panel Core

Duramine[®] panels are available on UltraBlend and SkyBlend particleboard, Synergite and other MDF cores.

Applications

RESIDENTIAL • Kitchen & Bath Cabinets • Home Office Furniture	Ready-To-Assemble FurnitureCloset & Garage Organizations Systems	• Entertainment Centers
COMMERCIAL • Store Fixtures and Displays	Office Furniture & Partitions	Computer Furniture
INSTITUTIONAL • Hotel and Motel Furniture • Wall Coverings & Partitions	 Restaurant Furniture Educational, Hospital and Medical Casev 	• Educational Furniture vork

Fabrication Standards

Cabinets constructed with Duramine[®] Melamine panels will conform to the relevant sections of standards set by the Woodwork Institute (WI) and American Woodwork

Institute (AWI) Standards for exposed and semi-exposed surfaces as well as the Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturers Association (KCMA) (ANSI A 161.1-1990).

How To Specify

Product: <u>Roseburg Duramine® Decorative Melamine Panels</u>									
Color name: (Example) <i>Hard Rock Maple</i> Color Ref. #: (E	xample) <u>55</u>								
Texture: (Example) <u>"S"</u>									
Substrate type: (Example) <u>UltraBlend™ particleboard</u> , SkyBlend™ particleboard,	, Synergite or standard Medium Density Fiberboard (MDF)								
Width: (Example) <u>49</u> "Length: (Example) <u>97</u> "Thickness: (Exa	mple) <u>3/4"</u>								
"See 3 Part Guide Spec" at http://teamrfpco.com/products/SkyBlend_PB_CSI_3_Part_Specificiations_Guide_AR.pdf									
Handling									
PACKAGING	the bundle tag that ties into all manufacturing and process control records. This								
Cover Sheet —Each bundle has a heavyweight cardboard cover sheet to provide protection during material handling and transportation.	provides complete traceability back to all raw materials used to produce that bundle.								
 Dunnage Sheet—Bottom Board—Each bundle has a protective bottom board to prevent damage from forklifts and to provide additional support for thin panels to prevent sag between stickers. Bundle Ticket Information—Each bundle is identified by a discrete number on 	Each bundle tag also clearly identifies the top and bottom paper codes, substrat type, panel dimensions, and any customer-requested P.O. or part numbers.								
Storage									
 To achieve the best performance from your panels, always follow these material handling and storage practices: Never store Duramine[®] panels outside or in close proximity to doors. Make sure Duramine[®] panels are stored in a horizontal position, off the floor, and on a sufficient number of evenly spaced stringers/stickers of equal thickness. This gives a uniform distribution of weight, making handling easier and preventing warping. The chart at right shows how Duramine[®] is packaged and shipped from our facility. Roseburg recommends Duramine[®] be stored in the following manner: 	 Limit any stack to a height of five (5) bundles. Never put bundles of different sizes in the same stack (ie, 5' x 8' on top of 5' x 9'). Runners should always be in alignment. Protect unfinished edges from contact with water to prevent swelling of the substrate. Optimum temperatures for storage are between 60° and 90°F (16° and 32°C) with a relative humidity of 40 to 60 percent. Never store panels outdoors. Allow panels to acclimate in these conditions for 48 to 72 hours before fabrication. Contaminants can create problems for the finish of your panels. To help prevent the impact of contaminants, isolate storage areas from production lines. 								

- "H" Texture features a medium gloss light-soft texture available from Oxford, MS.
- "L" Texture features a lower gloss, light-soft texture available from Oxford, MS.

Cleaning, Care, And Maintenance

Duramine[®] panels can be cleaned after fabrication with mineral spirits or contact adhesive solvent. However, the continued use of solvent cleaners is not recommended.

Drilling, Machining, and Cutting

Drilling - Duramine panels should be drilled with carbide-tipped bits. As with saw blades, there are specific bit designs for your application. Each bit is different in configuration and your needs can be determined by a tooling professional.

A special through boring bit should be used for that particular application. A backing board should also be used for through boring to limit chip out on the exit side of the panel.

Machining With A Saw - Because the substrate is surfaced with decorative material before fabrication, the sawing process is critical to avoid chipping or burning. Fabricators can encounter a chipping problem, especially when converting their operation from the use of solid wood or high pressure laminate to melamine panels. Therefore, diamond or carbide-tipped tools should be used and should always be kept sharp. Dull tools not only cause chipping but burning problems as well.

Heat buildup is a major cause of tool wear and poor-quality cutting. Geometry, size, and turning speed of the saw blade, as well as the speed of feeding, are all important to minimize heat build-up.

Heat build-up is also minimized by:

- Good tool design.
- Scheduled tool changes.
- Effective cooling during operation.
- An efficient dust-removal system.

Duramine[®] can be cut with many different types and configurations of saw blades. The correct setup for your equipment can be established by both the manufacturer of your equipment and your tooling supplier. Listed below are some of the basic blades that are used for cutting composite boards with thermally fused melamine. All modern panel cutting equipment with scoring units are engineered with specific cutting tool designs actually made for the application of sizing Duramine panels into a finished size.

Typical main blade configurations used with scoring are



CNC Routing

For the nested, through cuts, the use of solid carbide 1/2" two or three flute compression bit between 10,000 and 18,000 RPMs perform better than replaceable insert bits. The feed rate is determined by the chip loading. Your tool manufacturer is a good resource for helping to determine feed rate vs. chip loading. For best results with nested cuts, cut each piece out individually. This will minimize chip out associated with the up-cut portion of the compression bit as it enters the panel. Cut travel should be counter clockwise for right hand machines.

The use of a ramp in program will help prevent bits from over heating. The ramp in program allows the bit to start cutting at a shallow depth increasing in depth until desired depth is reached. This helps minimize the hea, t build common with plunge routing.

For the dado cuts a two or three flute down spiral bit will produce clean edges. Depending on bit diameter, multiple passes may be needed to achieve the desired dado width. Using a narrower bit with multiple passes can save time in tool changes and allows for faster cuts due to smaller diameter bits. The same is true of the compression bits.

Never use acidic or alkaline cleaners, abrasive cleaners, or bleach. Duramine[®] panels should be cleaned with mild soap and warm water or a mild household cleaner like "Formula 409[®]."

Carbide Or Diamond: These two saw blade tips are the only recommended products for cutting Duramine. Diamond typically offers much longer tool life than carbide.

Scoring: There are two different types of scoring saws that are used to prevent chip out on the bottom panels: conical and split. Scoring saws, as with the main cutting blade, are designed for specific equipment types and your end-product requirements. The best source to determine which type is correct for you is your tooling and equipment professional.

Important Suggestions For A Clean Cut

- 1. Use carbide-or diamond-tipped tools.
- 2. Use a scoring blade.
- 3. Use clean, well-aligned, and correctly-sharpened tools.
- 4. Make sure the main blade and scoring saw are perfectly aligned.
- 5. Make sure the collars are well-adjusted and clean.
- 6. Make sure the panel is held firmly in place—avoid vibrations.
- 7. Avoid a projection of the blade that is too high— a blade projection of about 12 mm or 1/2 inch is sufficient.
- 8. Handle cutting tools with the utmost care. Damaged tools will not give the best results and could be dangerous to use.
- 9. Replace cutting tools regularly to minimize chipping.
- Consult with your supplier of cutting equipment and tools for answers to questions regarding the speed of cutting and feed, as well as cutting angle.
- 11. Ensure proper dust collections.
- 12. Ensure the blade and/or slide carriage is kept clean and travels smoothly.

See our Cutting Troubleshooting Guide on the next page.



For hole boring, use brad point bits.

With CNC routers, the work piece needs to be securely fastened to prevent movement or work piece vibration. Adequate vacuum should be applied to prevent piece movement or vibration.

Woodweb.com is a useful source of information for the CNC user.

http://www.woodweb.com/knowledge_base/Feed_rates_and_spindle_speeds.html The short answer is chip load. RPM x #flutes x chip load = feed rate. RPM depends on material, tool diameter, and tool geometry. #flutes depends on material, tool and material thickness. Chip load depends on tool geometry, desired finish, material, and sometimes, available power. Higher RPMs means more heat. Higher chip load means better heat sink effects. Higher chip loads may degrade finish, but too low a chip load leads to burning and short tool life.

Fastening Systems

Screws

The screw fastening systems designed especially for particleboard are the strongest. These fasteners have straight shanks with a smaller root diameter and wider-spaced threads than wood screws. Remember:

- Always predrill a pilot hole before inserting screws.
- The diameter of the pilot hole should be 85 to 90 percent of the diameter of the screw root diameter.
- Avoid overtightening.
- The screw holding increases more with length than with the root diameter.

Troubleshooting

Cutting and drilling problems: causes and possible remedies

RTA Fittings

Some systems, using threaded steel or nylon inserts, are designed for repeated screwing and unscrewing to provide ready-to-assemble (RTA) capability for case goods, store fixtures, furniture, and cabinetry products.

Edge Treatments

- Duramine[®] panels can be edged with a wide variety of edge treatments including: • PVC or ABS.
 - · Polyester or melamine for straight edge or soft-forming applications. • Veneer.
 - Solid wood.
 - High-pressure laminates (HPL). · Plastic and metal T-moldings.

Problem	Possible Cause	Possible Remedy				
Edge chipping and burning	Saw blade type/design	A blade with a hollow, ground-tooth face burning with a negative rake or an alternate face and top bevel design will achieve best results on most standard saws (single blade) when cutting without a scoring blade.				
	Machining of "hot" panels	Allow stacks to come to ambient temperature.				
	Dull tooling	Check tooling setup, geometry of tooling, and machine feeding speed. Also check to make sure that tooling type is correct for material to be cut.				
	Alignment of saw blades	Saw blade should be perfectly parallel to the direction of the cut. In most operations, it should be vertical to the panel surface.				
	Trueness of blade rotation	Make sure blade is not warped or damaged in any way. Check for dirt or dust be- tween blade and blade clamps.				
	Cutting depth	Set the blade depth so that it comes through the panel by about 1/2 tooth to provide a low-approach angle and greater shearing action as the teeth enter the panel. Adjust to minimum chipping and maintain sawdust removal rate.				
	Feed rate of saw	Check for appropriate blade diameter and design, number of teeth, and arbor RPM.				
	Vibration of panel	Panel must be held solidly by clamping device or hold-down feed rolls. Blade dampers are recommended to reduce blade vibration. Throat plate must be tight to the blade.				
Warpage	Stack stringer/stickers are different thicknesses	Keep stringer thickness uniform.				
full-size panels	Panel stacks do not have stringer locations uniformly placed	Position stack stringers uniformly from panel bundle to panel bundle. Using an appropriate technique, expose both panel surfaces to the same humidity.				
	Dissimilar humidity exposure between the faces of a panel in a stack					
	Bundles not stacked evenly on top of one another	Reposition bundles.				
	Panels stored on edge	Store flat with 3-6 evenly-spaced stringers, depending on panel length.				
Dimensional tolerance stability	Cutting hot board	Allow panels to condition to ambient temperature and humidity.				
(camber banana cut, oil-canning)	Camber occurring	Replace tooling and reduce infeed speed. Cut narrower pieces from center of panels, wider pieces toward panel edges. Adjust the guide rail to be parallel with the saw blade.				
	Saw blade pinches	Precondition panels. Adjust guide rail and push guide.				
Fastening	Pilot hole too large	Drill pilot hole 90-100% of shank diameter.				
problems	Incorrect fastener type	Avoid standard wood screws, increase flange to diameter ratio.				
	Incorrect application of screw	Change fastener type.				
Panel split	Screws too close to edge	Redesign 75 mm from corner if in edge; 25 mm from corner if in face. Do not use "fac- tory edge" 1/2" trim all around.				