

**ENHANCE YOUR DESIGN  
WITH COMMERCIAL GRADE  
COUNTERTOPS FROM VT**



**Fine Laminate  
Countertops**





Apartment Complex Laundry Area  
Tempo - Grass, Formica

# EXCEPTIONAL AESTHETICS AND PERFORMANCE

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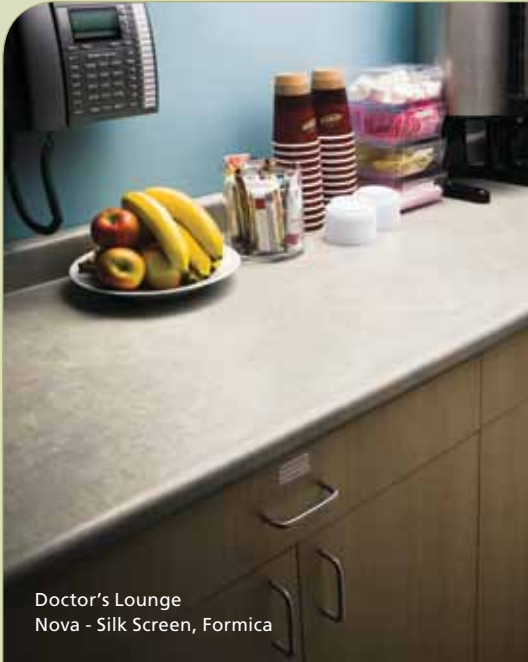
When your commercial project calls for countertops or surface space, VT commercial grade countertops can accommodate any design. You may need the look of solid surface or stone. You may need to complement a color scheme. You may simply need to fulfill a desired aesthetic that you couldn't attain with solid surface. Whatever it is you need when it comes to countertops, VT Industries has a solution.

# VT INDUSTRIES — WE'RE NOT JUST FOR DOORS

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You know VT Industries as a manufacturer of the finest architectural wood doors available. However, you may not have realized that we're America's number one manufacturer of postformed laminate countertops.

VT Industries has made countertops since 1956 and has grown into an international company that provides countertops to the best kitchen and bath dealers and fabricators across North America. Our countertops are produced at seven manufacturing complexes with more than 1 million square feet of automated production space — which means we can process and deliver your order faster than any manufacturer, ensuring on-time project completion.



Doctor's Lounge  
Nova - Silk Screen, Formica



School Cafeteria  
Tempo - Saffron Tigris, Wilsonart

## BUILDING A BETTER COUNTERTOP

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Postformed countertops are prefabricated and formed as a single piece from the backsplash to the front edge. We wrap the laminate around the core material to provide a seamless surface, which provides numerous benefits for your commercial projects:

- Helps avoid the collection of dirt and grime, since there are no seams.
- No polishing or resealing necessary, as with stone.
- Easily installed in both new and existing projects.
- With thousands of laminates and several edge profiles, the design possibilities are virtually endless.
- Laminates are available as both chemical-resistant and high wear.
- Available with or without backsplash for numerous design possibilities.
- Allows builders to create custom pieces that complement postformed pieces.

## QUALITY TO THE CORE

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VT is committed to using only the best manufacturing technology and production materials, and the craftsmanship of every countertop is impeccable. We use 45-lb. industrial particleboard as the standard, meeting all government specifications, and approved by ANSI.

Our PVA glue line provides the strongest possible bond between the particleboard and the laminate. Other substrate materials are also available to meet additional specifications and project needs.

We also use a phenolic backer with .020" minimum thickness. This acts as a board stabilizer to prevent warping and cupping, and acts as a barrier to moisture absorption.

### Substrate Materials

All VT commercial-grade countertops come standard with .75" industrial particleboard, but are available with several other substrates:

- Plywood
- MDF
- Moisture-Resistant MDF
- Skyblend™ to assist with achieving environmental certifications
- Moisture-resistant particleboard

## PROTECT YOUR DESIGN AND THE ENVIRONMENT

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Our EQcountertops contribute towards a building's LEED certification and help promote an environmentally conscious workplace. EQcountertops are made with:

- **SkyBlend™ Recycled Wood Fiber Cores.** EQcountertops are made of 100% pre-consumer recycled SkyBlend™ core material. Certified by Scientific Certification Systems (SCS), SkyBlend uses no added urea formaldehyde. They're also tinted blue for easy identification on jobsites. And they're as durable as any non-recycled core countertop.
- **GREENGUARD-Certified Laminates.** Not only do EQcountertops provide high-quality, durable surfaces, they're GREENGUARD-certified as well, which means significantly diminished harmful emissions. We proudly use GREENGUARD-certified laminates from all major brands — Formica®, Nevamar® and Wilsonart®.
- **Water-Based Adhesives.** Our adhesives are just as strong as any other on the market, but they're biodegradable and eliminate Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs), which helps improve indoor air quality.



Hospital Patient Bathroom  
Futura - Carrara Envision, Formica

# THE PROFILE OF CRAFTSMANSHIP

The continuous nose profile is perhaps one of the most distinctive features of VT postformed laminate countertops. The lack of a front edge seam is what gives our countertops their solid surface or stone appearance. And with numerous unique edge profiles, you have your choice of how to design your project with precisely the right countertops.

## FUTURA Double Radius Edge



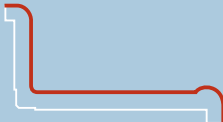
## NOVA 180° Wrap Edge



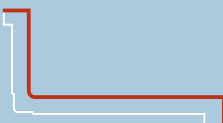
## TEMPO Waterfall Edge



## CAPRICE No Drip Edge



## CLASSIC Square Edge



## CONTEMPORARY PROFILES

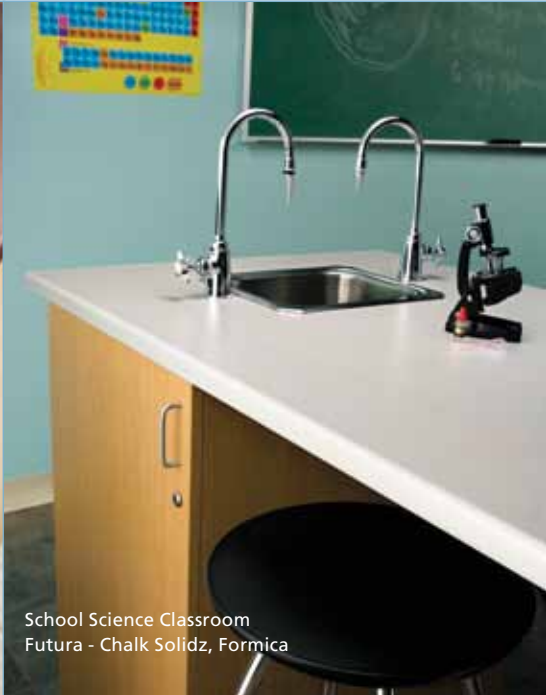
FUTURA, NOVA, TEMPO AND CAPRICE: These edge profiles give you classic lines in your design that complement almost any interior. Although perfect for any commercial interior, they work very well within educational and healthcare facilities and office, retail and church applications.

## ORIGINAL PROFILE

CLASSIC: Sometimes your design may call for the original look of a laminate countertop. On those occasions, we also offer the Classic square edge.



Nurse's Station  
Nova - Heather Legacy, Wilsonart



School Science Classroom  
Futura - Chalk Solidz, Formica

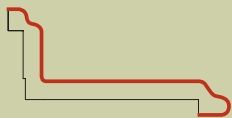


School Art Classroom  
Caprice - Barcoo Brush, Wilsonart

## PREMIUM PROFILES

VALENCIA, BARCELONA AND GENEVA: Raise the level of any hospitality, multi-family or assisted living project's design with this group of profiles. These incredibly detailed edge profiles are easily "mistaken" for true stone or granite when coupled with a deep-sheen, light-reflecting laminate. These profiles are manufactured by VT Industries with patents pending.

**VALENCIA**  
Full Wrap Edge



**BARCELONA**  
Contemporary Ogee



**GENEVA**  
Modern Drop Ogee



## YOU CAN NEVER KNOW ENOUGH

Keeping up with all of the advancements and trends in architecture is a job in itself. VT Industries understands this and offers continuing education courses to help keep you on the leading edge. These courses also qualify for American Institute of Architects (AIA) credits.



Hotel Breakfast Bar  
Barcelona - Deepstar Glaze, Wilsonart



Hotel Guest Bathroom  
Valencia - Realcrete, Formica





Hotel Guest Reception Desk  
Valencia - Sedona Trail, Wilsonart



## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

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The beauty of VT's postformed laminate countertops is more than skin deep, although what you see plays a big part. You can choose from thousands of laminates from the industry's major manufacturers, which means you'll undoubtedly find the patterns and textures to match and complete your project. Those laminates can perfectly replicate the aesthetics of more costly countertops, including:

- Granite
- Marble
- Polished Stone
- Cast Concrete
- Bronze
- Copper
- Brushed Aluminum
- Hardwoods
- Bamboo

## THE ONLY THING THAT RIVAL'S OUR COUNTERTOPS IS OUR SERVICE

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VT Industries is renowned for our extraordinary customer service across the architectural product industry. We deliver products on time and to specification, as well as provide support during all phases of your project. When you do business with VT, you can expect:

- The best lead times of any manufacturer in the industry.
- Fast, accurate order entry with *VTonline*®, our online ordering system.
- Centralized customer service from highly trained professionals.
- Unmatched order accuracy.
- Trained sales professionals for before, during and after the sale service.



At VT, we rely on our PRO Team network of highly skilled fabricators to make sure that VT countertops are fabricated and installed properly. Together, we ensure a consistently high-quality product experience. For information on our network of PRO Team professional countertop fabricators, please call us at 1.888.287.8356 or go to our Web site at [www.vtindustries.com/countertops/ProTeam.aspx](http://www.vtindustries.com/countertops/ProTeam.aspx).

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