

PAINTED KITCHENS TRENDING TO MATTE FINISH

The current market trends are pushing the kitchen industry to produce more kitchens with a Flat or Matte sheen. These finishes provide a smooth, subtle finish that camouflages imperfections and gives a warmer, more inviting look than its glossier, sharper counterpart. Matte finishes are gaining popularity as a modern, yet cozy, kitchen finish.



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Join us on Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, and YouTube where you can get a sneak peek of new products, custom products (some of which are very unique), any product or production updates, and other information. In addition to the sneak peeks, you will soon have access to videos that show you who we are and what we do. We are going to create educational videos, as well, that can assist you with some of your questions whether they are live Q&A sessions with an employee, pre-recorded frequently asked Q&As, or general how-to videos. If you want a tour but can't find the time to come for a visit, no problem - soon you will have access to tour videos, as well. We are really excited for what lies ahead and we hope you will be just as excited when you see what we have in store for you.



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FULL-LENGTH FINGER PULL

Everything old becomes new again, as we have rediscovered the demand for a full-length Finger Pull. This option is available on both styles and rails. Our standard option on the pull will have it run the entire length of framing. However, you can request the pull stops 2" from each edge.

WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW

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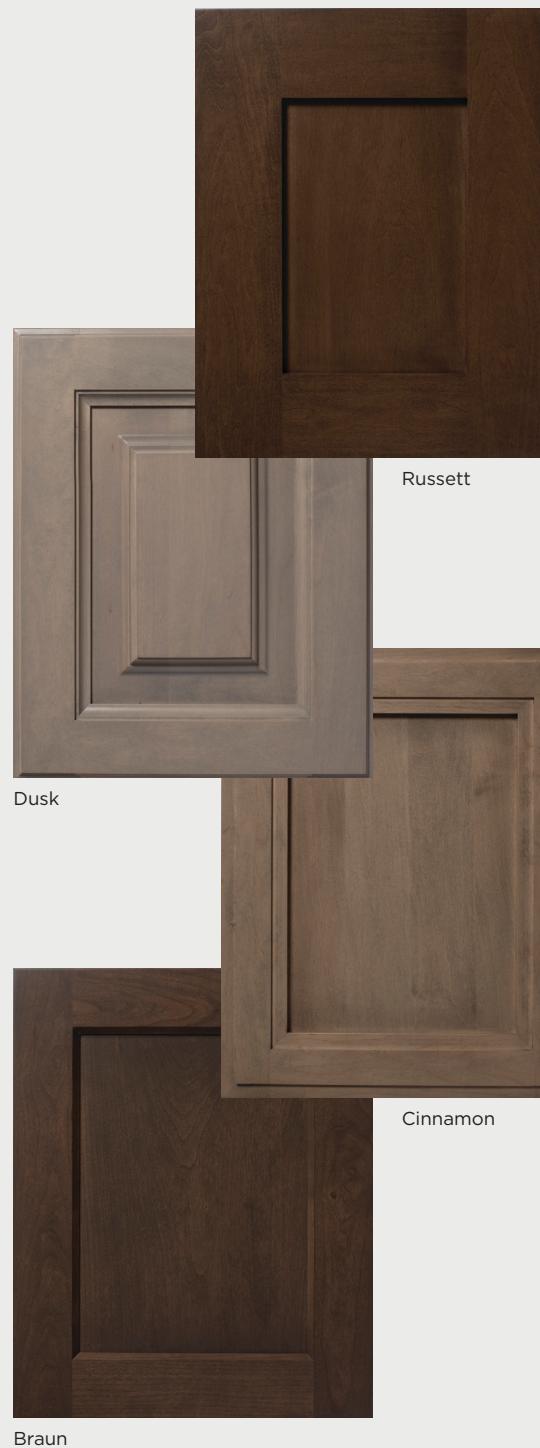
E208 REVIVED AND REJUVENATED

As the market continues to demand clean, contemporary lines, we have rejuvenated our solid wood .05MM edge banded door and drawer offerings. Our revived offerings allow us to produce a high-quality edge banded product at a very competitive price. Please contact your sales member or CSR for more details on our new price structure.



WARM STAIN COLOR PALETTES ARE MAKING A COMEBACK.

As the market continues to look for an alternative to the white paint that is dominating our industry, we find a lot of designers specifying more warm stain colors. Our new stain offerings were developed in response to the demand for stain colors being used in this resurging market.



TEAM SPOTLIGHT

GET TO KNOW THE TEAM BEHIND MERIDIAN PRODUCTS



My name is **Stacy Kurtz** and I have been employed at Meridian Products for the past 27 years.

Prior to applying at Meridian, I was in college pursuing an associate's degree in early childhood education. However,

a family health emergency developed and I decided to leave school after one year and come home. I needed a job and saw an ad that Meridian was hiring — even though the only experience I had was working a temporary summer job in 1993 at another woodworking shop in the area. Meridian hired me in May of 1994 and I started out in the assembly area. I continued to work in the shop for 13 years learning different jobs within the company such as a frame chopper in the framing department, a finishing coordinator — organizing orders that needed to get finished, as well as roles in the specials department in the applied molding area and in the inspection area.

In 2007, I decided to leave the production aspect of the company and started to work in the office as the Order/Change Coordinator. For 9-1/2 years, I compiled the daily orders and distributed them to the shop as well as finalizing order changes. In October of 2016, I transferred to the order entry department. I worked there until June of 2018 and decided I wanted to go back into the shop. Currently, I am back in the framing department as a frame chopper.

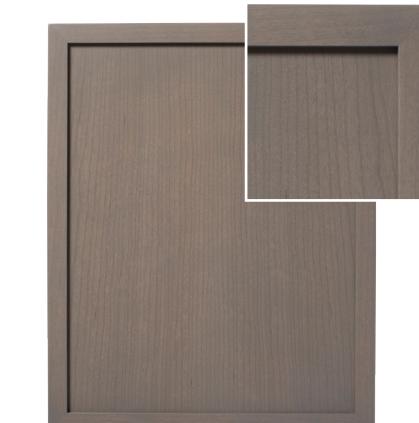
I've learned many things over the years in both the production side and the office side of our company and am thankful and appreciative that Meridian Products has allowed me to do so.

ELEGANT MOLDING DESIGNS

As the market for cleaner, softer lines expands, we are proud to offer our new Slab 400 Series applied molding doors and drawers. All doors and drawers are designed standard with vertical grain. Horizontal graining is an option.



Slab M400
Cherry with Onyx Stain



Slab M405
Cherry with Fog Stain



Slab M410
Cherry with Nutmeg Stain



Slab M415
Hard Maple with Clear Top Coat



Slab M420
Hard Maple with Clear Top Coat & Burnt Umber Glaze



Slab M425
Hard Maple with SCM Paint 2715



Slab M430
Rift Cut White Oak with Nutmeg Stain

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