

News Release



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iLevel® Stellar™ Software Helps Building Material Dealers and Fabricators Optimize Material Cutting and Handling

Building material dealers and framing component fabricators working with iLevel by Weyerhaeuser now have a better way to control and manage their material cutting operations, with iLevel® Stellar™ fabrication software. The proprietary software converts data from structural framing design software packages into electronic instructions that guide computer-controlled saws.

Benefits include the ability to batch jobs, creating more efficient production runs and making efficient use of dropped material, which can be added back to inventory or automatically cut into blocking panels, and the flexibility to control material labeling. Stellar software also produces paper instructions for crews to load and stack the saw output for improved material processing. The result is optimized loading, cutting and off-loading for greater speed and more efficient use of materials in inventory, helping save time and money.

Stellar software is part of the iLevel NextPhase® Site Solutions family of products, software and services, designed to help optimize materials for roofs, walls and floors, as well as expedite the building process of structural frames. By fully integrating with iLevel's suite of design software, including iLevel Javelin®, Forte™, TJ-Xpert® and TJ-PanelMate®, Stellar software allows users to quickly and easily import design data into their saws.

Stellar software is the next generation of iLevel's TJ-OptiFab[®] fabrication software, which has been used by iLevel dealers and fabricators across North America to provide precision end trim cut packs and panelized components for rapid job site installation and minimized waste within their cutting activities. To learn more, visit www.iLevel.com or call 1-888-iLevel8 (888-453-8358).

About iLevel[®] by Weyerhaeuser

iLevel is Weyerhaeuser's integrated residential framing business resulting in a seamless, unified solution for residential builders through dealers – offering a coordinated network of support for all structural framing materials. By combining Weyerhaeuser's high-quality products and services from well-known brands like Trus Joist and Structurwood, with its distribution and technology capabilities, iLevel efficiently supplies customers with all the necessary components for building the residential structural frame, and solving builder and customer needs around that frame.

About Weyerhaeuser

Weyerhaeuser Company, one of the world's largest forest products companies, was incorporated in 1900. In 2007, sales were \$16.3 billion. It has offices or operations in 13 countries, with customers worldwide. Weyerhaeuser is principally engaged in the growing and harvesting of timber; the manufacture, distribution and sale of forest products; and real estate construction, development and related activities. Additional information about Weyerhaeuser's businesses, products and practices is available at <http://www.weyerhaeuser.com>.

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