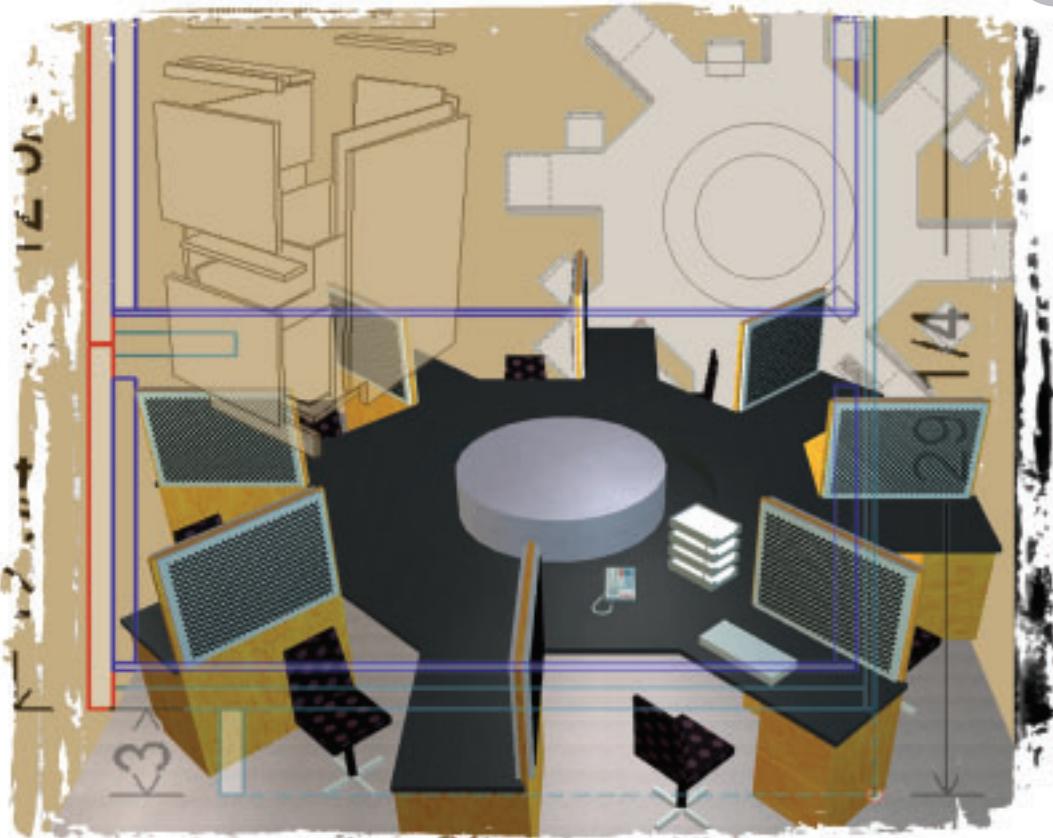
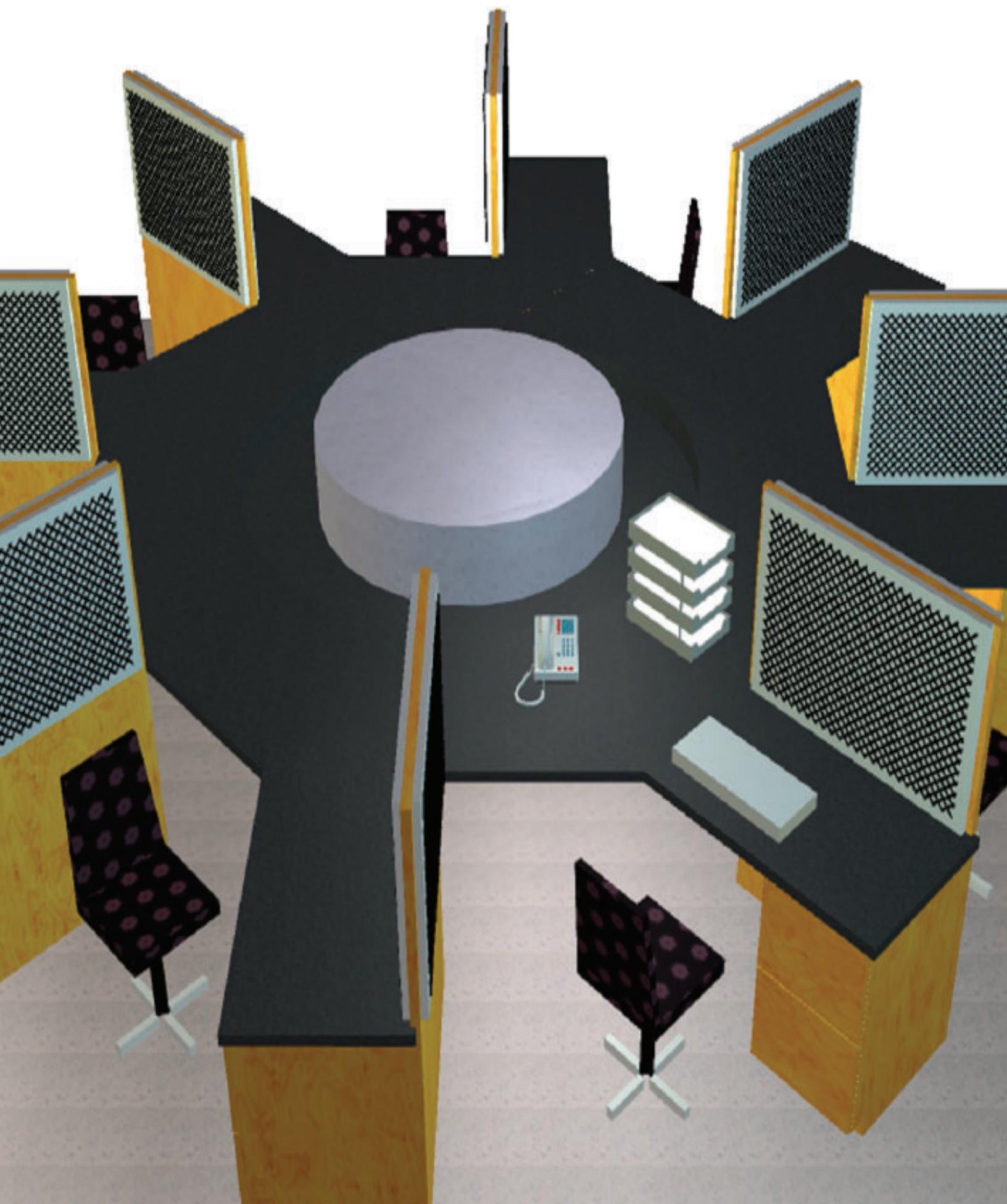


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OUR PURPOSE

Thank you for your interest in Planit. From our commitment to deliver state of the art software to our dedication to Customer Care, we understand it is not about us, but how we can help you to satisfy your customer's demands and for you to be more profitable in your business.

Partnering with Planit means expanding possibilities through our consultative network. We have a range of products developed to seamlessly integrate into the way you do business, not just one product that you have to work around. Partnering with Planit means having options and choices — not by demand — but by design. The power to choose gives you the power to excel.

With that in mind, we are proud to provide the finest design-to-manufacturing software for cabinet manufacturers on the market today:

CABNETWARE

Cabnetware offers three levels of software to meet your cabinet and woodworking design and manufacturing needs. Software that is both easy to learn and that will grow with you as your business needs increase. You are not limited to the power of a single software solution, but can easily move to a new level of design and manufacturing functionality as your business grows. As you move from one Cabnetware product to another, your job information comes along with it. Enjoy the added functionality of your enhanced software, but continue your work without having to re-enter your data and jobs.

As an added bonus for those shops automating their business with CNC machinery, all Cabnetware products are fully integrated with the Planit NC Center, providing a complete Screen-to-Machine™ solution.

Choose success. Choose Planit.

CASE PLANNER

Cabinetware's Case Planner is a simple-to-use, entry-level room and cabinet design-to-manufacturing software package for custom residential cabinetry. It is the ideal solution for the smaller custom cabinet manufacturer interested in seeing the benefits of automating their business. Case Planner offers the essential tools required by the cabinet manufacturer to create clear professional drawings, proposals, and contracts for the customer, as well as shop drawings, material requirements, cutlists, and assembly sheets for the shop floor.



Complete Room Viewing

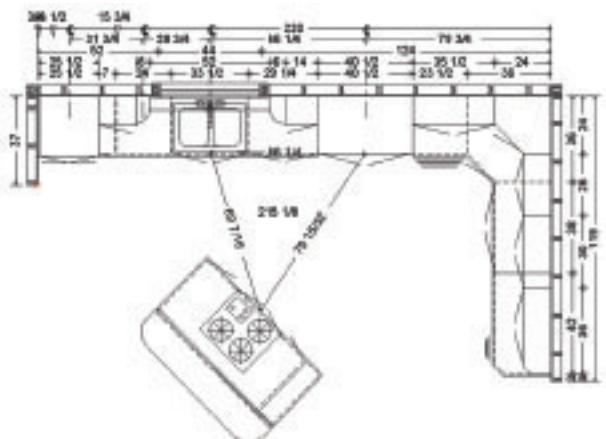
Floor plan, elevation, and perspective views can be generated from the customer's field measurements and requests. Various appliances, passage doors, windows, moldings, and wallpapers can be created and displayed. Selecting cabinet doors, drawer and paneling details, and colors, is also easily accomplished.

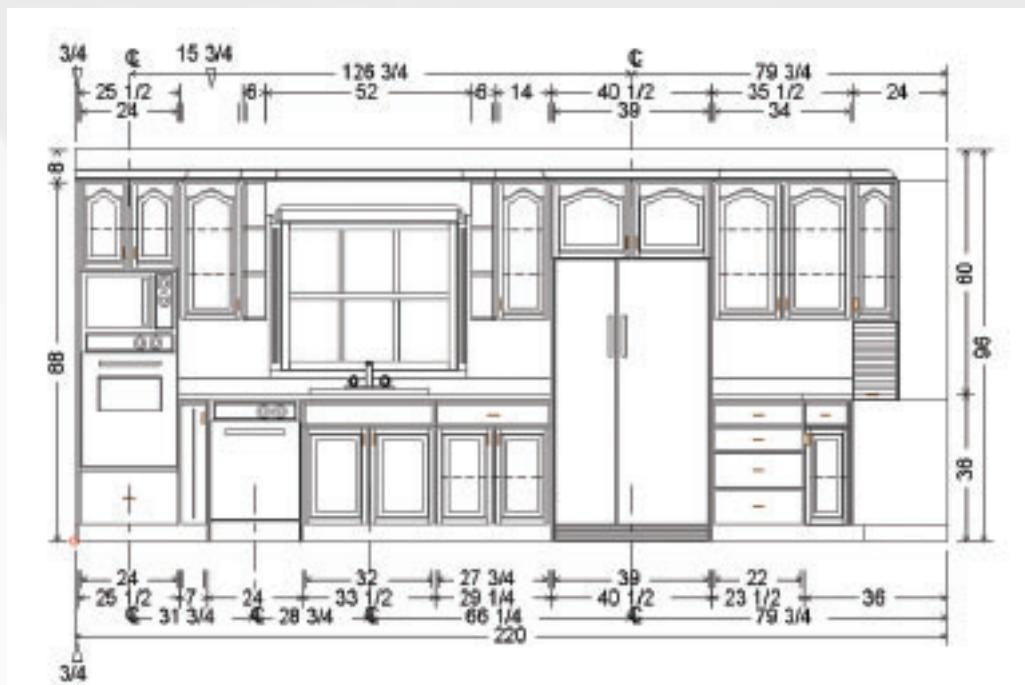
Designs Made Easy

Every aspect of cabinet design is done and modified using a simple point-and-click of the mouse; from overall cabinet and part sizes, section opening sizes and configurations. Radius or clipped corners, all size aspects as well as section configurations are quick and easy. Door, drawer and all shelving arrangements are easily modified. Decorations such as rosettes and fluting, as well as shaped valances, can be assigned. All changes are instantly reflected in the parts list, and labor and material reports.

Automatic Drawings

Comprehensive countertop drawings are created automatically during the design of a room. Tools are provided for modifying, adding, or deleting tops. Easily add sink cutouts, joints, splashes, and edge types. Changing any item immediately updates the associated pricing and graphics.



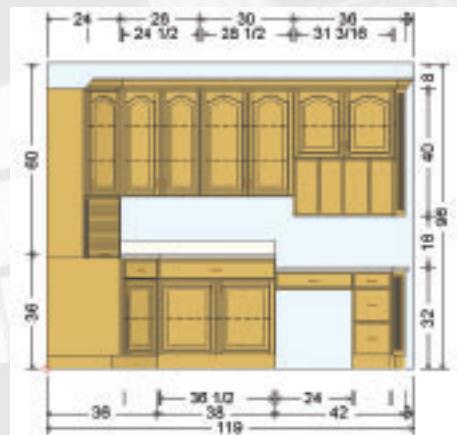


Multiple Windows

Multiple windows can be displayed and any modifications made in one window immediately update the other windows. For example, changing the size or shape of a base cabinet is immediately viewable on the countertop and perspective views.

Quick Job Pricing and Parts List

Quickly and easily create dimensioned shop drawings, detailed cutting lists for all components, cost proposals, contracts, and material and hardware lists for your clients. Custom cabinets can be selected from a list and priced or produced without having to do a complete room design. All modifications can be accomplished in a full graphical view. This saves time when needing to build just a few cabinets or when presented with a list from a client.



Software That Grows Your Business

As you realize the benefits of the software by closing more sales through professional presentations, along with improvements in your manufacturing processes, your design requirements will naturally increase. When this occurs, upgrade to Cabnetware's more robust Detailer or Cabnetworks solution. No need to start over - the setup and output files can be easily transferred to the Detailer and Cabnetworks programs, as well as to the Panel Optimizer, Wood Wizard, and NC Center for even more capabilities.

DETAILER

Cabinetware's Detailer is a full-featured room and cabinet design-to-production software package for custom or stock residential and commercial cabinetry. It is an ideal solution for the small to large cabinet manufacturer needing more features and capability from their software tools to communicate clearly with both the customer and the shop floor. Add molding, flutings, rosettes, corbels, turnings, and hundreds of other 3D objects to enhance your cabinet presentation. Choose from thousands of brand name textures to make the customer's dream come to life in a photo-quality display, right before their eyes. When integrated with the Planit NC Center, Detailer automatically generates all the construction information necessary to drive all your CNC machinery.

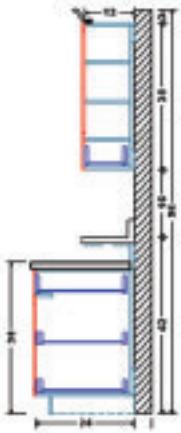
Design Made Powerful

Powerful software tools, plus over twenty years of customer suggested refinements make Detailer one of the easiest cabinet design programs to learn and use. Cabinets can be generated and modified quickly without the need of predefined cabinet libraries or even having to draw a cabinet line-by-line, as with a typical CAD program. Designs can be easily modified to the clients' specifications. Every aspect of a cabinet is changeable, using point-and-click modifications; from overall cabinet and part sizes, section opening sizes, configurations, counter top, and platform toe kicks.



Photo Quality Rendering

Choose from thousands of supplied wood grain finishes, counter tops, flooring, wallpaper, and many other brand name materials to create the customer's dream. Scan and import the customer's material selections and apply them to the room components. Position and adjust your lighting and create a multiple view presentation to aid the client's overall visualization.



Detailed Cross Section

Select any opening for a detailed vertical cross-section that can be further enhanced with text notes, dimensioning, and other details available with easy-to-use CAD features.

Multi-View Arrangement

Use the 'Snapshot' feature to collect, organize, and display all the various views. Floor plans, elevations, cross-sections, 3D-perspectives, birds eye views, and molding and door details can be positioned and independently scaled on single or multiple pages. Add a title block and print out high-quality 'blueprint' style drawings.

Instant Update Capabilities

Decorative items such as fluting, rosettes, shaped valances, and wainscot paneling are easily accommodated. All design changes instantly update the material cost and cutting lists as well as the estimating reports. Tools are also provided to allow for the creation of virtually any style of cabinet door and drawer construction. Generate detailed sales and shop drawings, as well as other manufacturing information automatically from the room and cabinet design. Create and maintain a catalog or library of complete cabinet units.



Custom Counter Tops and Moldings

Detailer generates countertop layouts based on your cabinet design. Tops can be further enhanced with curves, cutouts, miters, and various edge treatments. Assign crown moldings, as well as chair railing and base moldings. All views and costs are updated as you design.

Advanced Printing Capabilities

Print detailed floor plans, elevations, cross sections, toe kick layouts, counter tops, shop drawings, perspectives, true-to-life renderings, and multi-draw blue-print type drawings in minutes. Print proposals, contracts, change orders, bid reports, job costing reports, material and hardware lists, cutlists, assembly lists, part labels, installation reports, and many other custom manufacturing reports.

CABNETWORKS

Cabinetware's Cabnetworks is a top-of-the-line offering for those demanding the design and CAD capability necessary for the architectural woodworking market. It is an ideal solution for the small to large high-end residential cabinetry and commercial casework manufacturer needing full control over their design and casework construction, right down to individual part shaping and joint manipulation between parts. Cabnetworks allows you to fully automate and integrate the design through production processes, saving time, eliminating costly mistakes, and increase productivity. When integrated with the Planit NC Center, Cabnetworks automatically generates all the construction information necessary to drive all your CNC machinery.

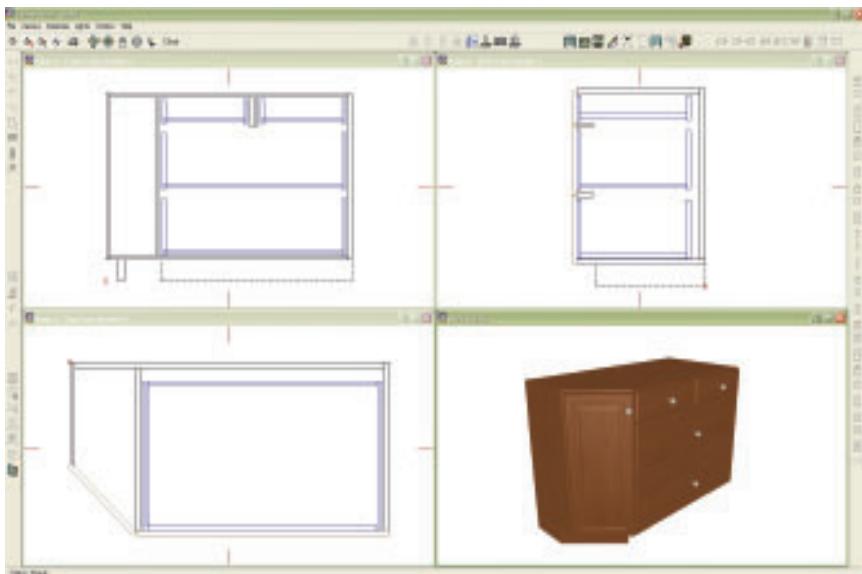
Design Made Profitable

From photo realistic rendering to highly detailed shop drawings, Cabnetworks offers the tools needed to profitably present and produce any job for contractors, governmental agencies, and architects. Every aspect of your casework is changeable using point-and-click modifications; from overall cabinet and part sizes, section opening sizes and configurations, right down to the adding or shaping of individual parts. Even add custom casework and room moldings and architectural elements to your design.



Multi Draw

Any or all views can be compiled into a fully scalable 'blueprint' type set of drawings. When using the interactive 'live' view to change the room design, the multi-draw views are instantly updated. Use the DXF import/export feature to further enhance the capabilities of Cabnetworks.



Multiple Cross -Section

Slice a cabinet from the top, front, or side, and see the joints between parts and even change the construction if desired. Use the auto dimensioning tool and other CAD features to fully detail the drawings for architects, contractors, or homeowners. Add or delete parts and examine the 'exploded' cabinet view. Parts can be shaped or reoriented so nearly any practical cabinet configuration can be visualized.

Enhanced Modification Capabilities

In addition to the layout and design features found in Cabnetware's other products, enhanced capabilities create user-defined details and manipulate the shape of individual cabinet components. Curved fronts, ends, and angled sides and backs of cabinets can be accomplished with the click of a mouse and a few keystrokes. All modifications and detail work instantly update the manufacturing cutting list, as well as the cost estimate. Cabnetworks generates detailed architectural drawings and manufacturing information automatically from the room and cabinet design.



As an added bonus for those shops automating their business with CNC equipment, Cabnetware is fully integrated with the Planit NC Center, providing a complete Screen-to-Machine™ solution. (see Screen-to-Machine page)

CABNETWARE ADD-ONS

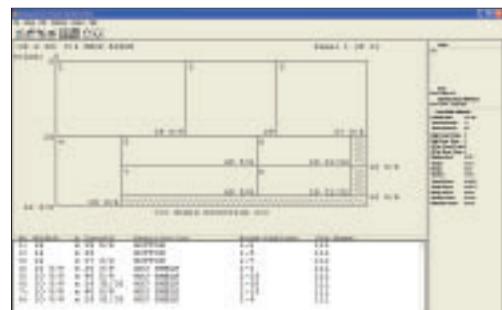
Wood Wizard™

Fully compatible with Cabnetworks, Wood Wizard enables you to create custom components using simulated woodworking tools and then import those parts into your design. Use virtual tools such as a saw, router, drill, lathe, etc. to mill three-dimensional custom parts on-screen. This presentation tool is the perfect add-on module for any user designing high-end custom projects such as custom objects, decorative components, or fluted columns.



Panel Optimizer

The Panel Optimizer is an excellent tool for saving time and material in your operation. It quickly optimizes all the parts from the job, graphically displays the panels and materials on-screen and even batches jobs before sending them to the shop floor. This helps eliminate time spent at the saw determining the best cutting layout while minimizing the amount of wasted material.



Jobsite Companion

Woodworkers looking for an easy-to-use software tool that will speed up their Design to Manufacturing process—beginning with field measurements, through design, manufacturing, and then on to the installation—should consider the advantages of Planit's **Jobsite Companion**. Jobsite Companion is for cabinetmakers looking for every opportunity to become more efficient gathering job related data. It allows information to be gathered in a digital format at the source, eliminating costly translation mistakes later.

Jobsite Companion is a software tool that runs on Windows Mobile™ compatible devices enabling the cabinetmaker out in the field to input room and cabinet dimensions, take notes, mark electrical locations, and attach digital photographs. Once back in the shop, the information can be fed directly into their Cabinet Vision or Cabnetware design and CNC manufacturing programs.

SCREEN-to-MACHINE™ TECHNOLOGY

Planit NC Center

Planit NC Center is a core product that is fully integrated with Cabinet Vision and Cabnetware. Geometry and machining data from Cabinet Vision and Cabnetware is automatically generated for virtually any CNC machine on the market. The NC Center solution is capable of nesting, optimization, and able to generate machine ready G-code for saws, point-to-point machines, as well as CNC routers.

Planit NC Center Benefits

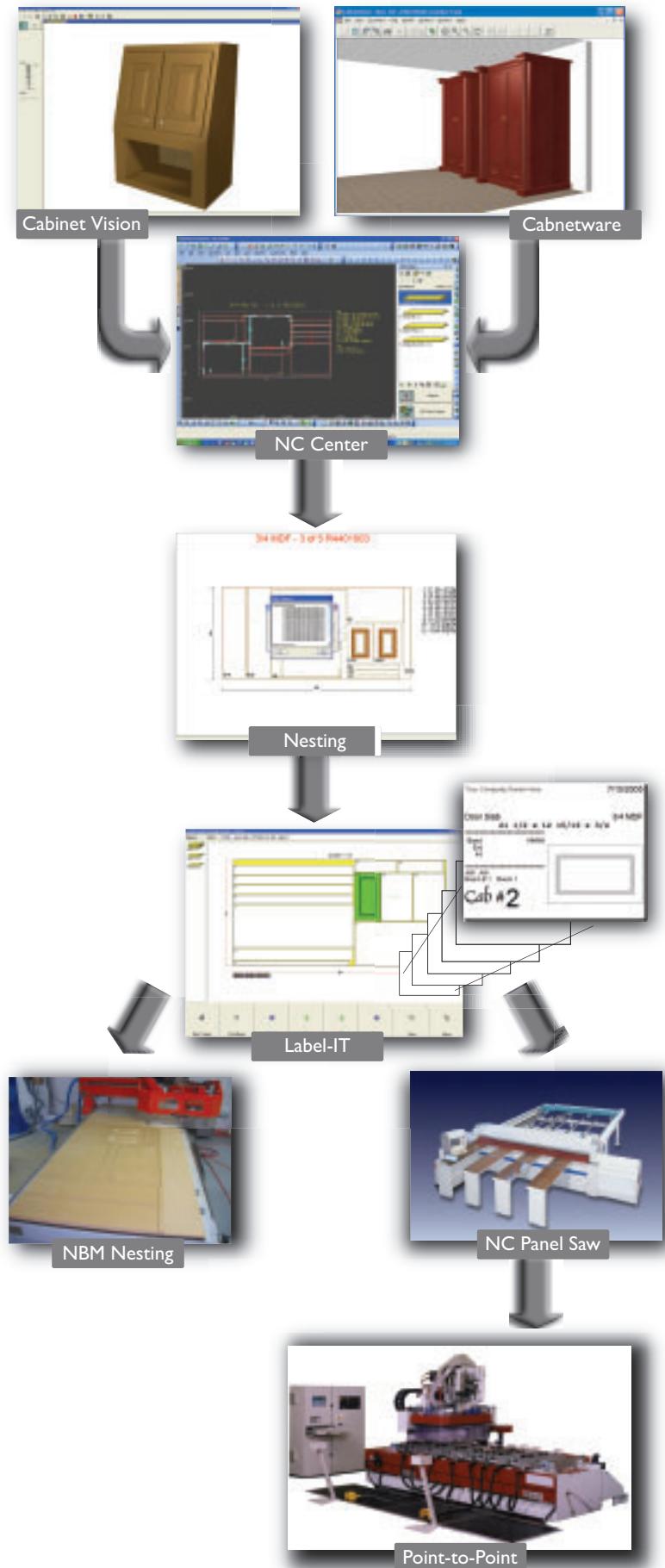
Planit offers the industry's only fully integrated software solution for Screen-to-Machine™. Our technology generates the machine ready code for customer products as they are designed. This intelligent joinery saves enormous machine "programming" time when compared to older manual systems. Planit's Convergence Technology™ feature allows for sorting of parts per machine and per batch. This feature enables control over which parts are released to a particular machine and on what time sequence.

Nested Based Manufacturing

Nested Based Manufacturing ("NBM") is a manufacturing process that allows shops to improve production time, quality and material yield. The real benefits of NBM are that these improvements can be done with one machine and one software product. Whether a shop is building complete custom products or producing batches or irregular shaped parts, NBM offers significant production advantages: One machine and one machine operator can process irregular shaped parts, MDF cabinet doors, parts with holes and dadoes, and other vertical operations all in one cycle. Planit offers outstanding small part handling for nested based manufacturing allowing maximum material usage. Planit's "onion skin and return onion skin" technology for small parts provides maximum vacuum hold-down, while maintaining superior edge finish.

Work Cell Manufacturing

NC Center outputs detailed part information to NC Panel Saws and Point-to-Point machinery. NC Center can generate accurate drawings, panel optimization, bar-coded parts, labels and layered DXF files for seamless CNC integration.



CUSTOMER CARE

Training

Planit products are very user-friendly, employing intuitive menu options with the most commonly-used features grouped together. Most of Planit's products are developed for learnability and usability, employing intuitive menu options with the most commonly-used features grouped together. To achieve the desired productivity gains you'll want to learn how to use our products to their fullest. That's why we offer several training options, designed to fit your schedule. Planit's training and educational seminar course offerings are kept up-to-date on the Planit web site at www.planit.com.

Planit Classroom Training

Planit has classroom training facilities located regionally. Basic and Advanced training courses are offered on consecutive days, to minimize the amount of time spent out of your shop.



Planit On-site Training

Planit provides on-site training to customers at the time of installation/integration of the software, as well as when a customer has a specialized training need. Custom one-on-one on-site training programs are available for those customers with proprietary or unique applications.

Planit Online Training

Online training is available to clients with high-speed internet connections and can be tailored to meet specific needs. Typically these sessions are 1 to 2 hours in length.

Planit Regional Training

Regional one to four day training programs are offered throughout the country to minimize the travel distance for customers. These classes are typically held in hotel meeting rooms and will require the student to bring their computer to the class.

Planit Productivity Tour Seminars

These one day seminars focus on specific areas of a Planit product and offer recommendations on how to receive greater productivity from the technology already in hand. Participants in these seminars are encouraged to share with each other the "tips & techniques" they have developed to improve their business.

Planit Educational Partners

Planit has a number of educational facilities that are certified to train students on the use of Planit products. These schools include high schools, tech schools, colleges and universities. Contact a Planit Customer Service Representative for information on a facility in your area.

Support

Sometimes you'll have a question or issue that our training classes didn't address. Regardless, Planit offers a variety of product support options for our customers.

Customer Service is of key importance to Planit. This is why every customer receives a Planit Solutions-Customer Service Policies manual from Planit. This manual outlines all the service offerings from Planit, so every customer knows what to expect from Planit and how to access these important services.

Planit Internet Forum Support-eSupport*

Planit offers an internet-base support service called eSupport. On the eSupport forum, customers can ask questions and receive answers from other customers and Planit Technical Service Personnel. eSupport also is the location to download the latest builds of software, utilities, and macros written by customers and Planit technicians. For many customers, eSupport forum is a destination site they visit everyday to learn, share and connect with others in the woodworking industry.



Planit Telephone Support*

The Planit Support department is easily reached through our toll free number, where you'll get your questions answered. Available 8-7 Eastern, telephone support provides customers with one-to-one contact with trained product service personnel.

Planit Email and Fax Support*

Email or fax your question to Planit and our team will develop a timely response.

Planit On-site Support

Sometimes the situation is so unique that an on-site visit is needed. Planit works with customers to define the situation, establish the outcomes and arranges for the right Planit personnel to visit.

*These and other service and support offerings may be an extra cost item. Many of these support offerings are included in annual maintenance and/or support subscriptions. Contact a Customer Service Representative for additional information.

COMPANY HISTORY

Planit is a global company specializing in the development and distribution of software to the woodworking and metalworking industries.

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Planit Ready Partner

Planit Ready is an industry partnership program, certifying that Planit Solutions' products have been successfully installed and tested for compatibility with machine vendor products within the wood and metal working industries. Customers can take comfort in knowing that Planit Ready products can be seamlessly integrated for use in their shops in a quick and efficient manner.



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Planit Industry Partner

Planit Industry Partner is a partnership program developed to build and promote cost-effective and comprehensive product and/or services solutions to the woodworking market. Customers can take comfort in knowing that Planit Partners are working cooperatively to deliver software and other technology solutions to improve the productivity and profitability of our mutual customers.

CONTACTING US

This brochure is our invitation for you to contact us. We will be happy to help you with any further questions you may have, or give you a custom online demonstration of our products. Planit is committed to the ongoing success of our clients, and we will work with you to determine the best software and service package for your business. Partner with Planit, and let us put the power of our experience to work for you.



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