

Enhancing Precision and Reliability: API's Partnership with Panels Plus

Labor Savings • Process Improvement • Enhanced Precision
Seamless Integration • Reliable Performance

ABOUT THE CLIENT

Industry:
Manufactured
Construction Materials

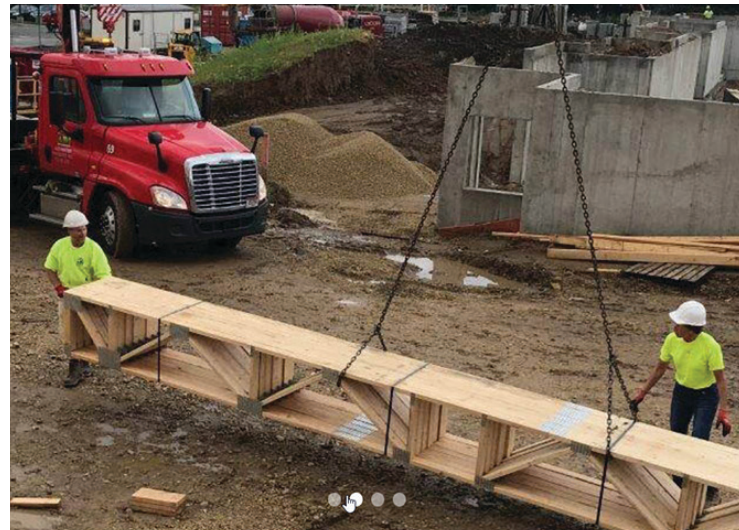
Location:
Marshfield, WI

Founded in 1964, Automated Products Inc. (API) manufactures floor, wall and roof trusses; wall panels (including tall walls); floor panels; and engineered wood products (EWP), LP's, and LVL for the residential and commercial construction industries.

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THEIR CHALLENGE:

API already had an existing wall panel line, however they were not satisfied with its overall performance and were looking to upgrade their equipment. When Sean Kelly, the Owner of Automated Products Inc., encountered Panels Plus equipment at the Building Component Manufacturers Conference (BCMC), he recognized the potential for significant enhancement in his operations.





OUR SOLUTION:

API purchased a Panels Plus semi-automated Sheathing Station at BCMC tradeshow to replace part of their current production line, and shortly thereafter, purchased more Panels Plus equipment. The upgrade to Panels Plus surpassed their previous equipment in terms of performance and immediately stood out due to its high-quality design and construction. The API team found user-friendliness and ease of operation to be the biggest advantages of the Panels Plus equipment. The Panels Plus equipment not only simplified the team's wall panel construction, but also elevated the precision and squareness of the panels, ensuring seamless integration with API's overall workflow.

THE RESULTS:

The shift towards Panels Plus equipment has been a transformative one. Sean Kelly and his team have integrated **four full lines** of Panels Plus equipment, further demonstrating the importance Panels Plus has played in API's goal of producing outstanding construction components. They have recently placed an order for two Platinum Series Automated Sheathing Stations to further upgrade their facilities. Sean Kelly sums up the experience with conviction, **"In my opinion it's the best equipment out there, and everything I have is Panels Plus equipment. It's very good, extremely reliable and nothing ever breaks. It's tested every day -and passes the test,"** says Kelly.

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"The previous nailing bridges we had weren't nearly as good as Panels Plus's and were harder to work with. Our new Panels Plus semi-automatic nailing bridges save labor. The equipment is the right height, which makes the work easy, and the rollers are very good and easily adjustable."

Sean Kelly, Owner
Automated Products Inc.