



## Manufacturing and Shop Floor Software

COSS Manufacturing Software delivers the benefits of ten years' experience and input from the shop floor. Our understanding of the realities of manufacturing environments helps us better serve our clients and quickly deliver results. COSS develops integrated manufacturing and ERP solutions for small- to mid-sized job shops, aerospace, tool and mold, and discrete manufacturers.

### Manufacturing and shop floor solutions with a performance-to-price ratio tailored for small- to mid-sized manufacturers . . .

Regardless of size, manufacturers face exacting demands for performance, cost, and delivery. To help you gain a competitive advantage, COSS offers feature-loaded solutions for small- to mid-sized businesses, as well as for manufacturers with more extensive requirements. With three distinct operation scales — COSS Small Business, COSS Manufacturing, and COSS /SQL — we deliver strength and backbone to match your business, while providing the flexibility needed to grow as your business grows.

### Job shop, aerospace, tool and mold, make/engineer-to-order, mixed-mode and discrete manufacturing . . .

COSS pairs its years of experience solving manufacturing concerns with a solid technological foundation based on the newest development tools. COSS continually enhances its solutions in response to customer demands and keeps in step with the rapidly changing manufacturing marketplace. From our roots in the aerospace, tool and mold, and job shop industries, COSS has evolved to meet the changing needs of manufacturers in industries such as printing, furniture, and machine building. Whether it's user-defined calculators, a parametric configurator, or data collection technology, we continually improve our products to deliver workable solutions to manufacturers.

### Full-featured and flexible products to improve internal operations, link to other resources and enhance customer communications . . .

Our wide-ranging array of features includes: estimating and quoting, work order, process planning, job tracking, job costing, advanced shop floor scheduling, data collection, bar coding, time and attendance, machine utilization, human resources, customer service, and preventative maintenance.

As part of the standard package, COSS includes a comprehensive set of tools to assist in your everyday operations. These include user-defined calculators for materials and operations, pictures and graphics linked to jobs and inventory, auto PO generation, a multilingual user interface, and modifiable screen and report captions. In addition, COSS can link to contact management systems, external payroll services, and to many Microsoft products including MS Project and MS Word.

COSS's newest tool set encompasses a parametric configurator, customer relationship management, and a vector graphic viewer and CAD interface.

### Front-to-back integrated manufacturing and ERP solutions . . .

Having company information readily available can speed decision-making and allow companies to react quickly. In this way, integrating data throughout an organization streamlines the company and contributes to successful growth and management. Our development philosophy at COSS centers on strong manufacturing anchored by strong accounting, with smooth links to other resources that provide a front-to-back integrated manufacturing or ERP solution. This approach supports the trend towards more open environments, freeing you from the drawbacks of highly proprietary solutions, yet giving you out-of-the-box flexibility to accommodate your unique requirements.

### Product breadth, depth and stamina on a foundation of leading technology . . .

COSS delivers solutions that solve immediate issues and concerns. At the same time, we provide you with the technological foundation to develop, grow, and stay ahead of changes in data interchange and communication. Because COSS is scalable from COSS Small Business to COSS Manufacturing to COSS/SQL, we can easily accommodate the changing needs of a growing company. Whether it be thin client, Internet or your internal network, data accessibility and flow are key elements of our systems.

### Tailored implementation to deliver payback and return . . .

A network of head office and local support is focused on getting you up and running and earning the payback on your investment as quickly as possible. At COSS, we believe services are as important as software. Our products are developed and refined with input from the shop floor, so we continually improve our software to meet the real demands manufacturers face.