

# Sealing of Top and Bottom Rails Not Required

Forte™ Opening Solutions no longer requires end rails to be sealed from the factory for Interior Flush and Interior Stile and Rail doors. This is due to technological improvements in the component materials that are used in our doors. The wood composite materials being used today make our doors more dimensionally stable than historical door construction practices or materials used previously.

Forte Opening Solutions will not seal end rails on Interior Flush and Interior Stile and Rail doors in our standard production processes. This includes doors using SCL and Hardwood top and bottom rails. The doors are engineered with improved composite materials to maintain industry standard requirements for warp and telegraphing within the specified temperature and humidity conditions per WDMA I.S.1A and Forte Opening Solutions' warranty. Sealing end rails is an option available upon request of the customer.

It is the responsibility of the design professional to engineer the space in which fine woodwork and other building materials to be installed with humidity controls required to maintain the optimum temperature and relative humidity per industry and warranty requirements.

Forte Opening Solutions is continually involved in the product testing and development of wood door. Please call your Sales and Service Representative at 1-877-332-4484 for details on specific applications.