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AMERICAN WOODMARK[®] CABINETRY EXPANDS DESIGN POSSIBILITIES WITH NEW DECORATIVE HARDWARE

WINCHESTER, Va. (August 2008) - A well-fit suit is an essential element of fashion design, just as cabinets are a fundamental component of kitchen and bath design. However, no home or outfit is complete without beautiful accessories that express an individual's unique personality and style. Knowing the importance of personal expression in design, American Woodmark[®] cabinetry, sold exclusively at The Home Depot, has expanded its hardware collection to include an even larger selection of fashionable, top-quality hardware to complement any design style. Traditional or contemporary, simple or intricate, American Woodmark makes it easy for any homeowner to beautify and accessorize the kitchen or bath.

As a leader in cabinetry design, American Woodmark has added several new options to accent today's design trends. Such additions include new Satin Nickel Knobs in eclipse and pyramid shapes, and Black Parquet Knobs for a modern touch that complements the ever-popular stainless steel appliances.



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Several existing and new styles are also available in Antique Cream, Venetian Bronze and Rubbed Bronze to accompany stylish kitchen products such as oil rubbed bronze faucets and appliances.

"The right hardware adds the perfect finishing touch to the overall look of a room," says Connie Edwards, CKD, CBD and director of design for American Woodmark. "American Woodmark offers a wide selection of hardware to coordinate a variety of styles. Twist pulls and rustic finishes, such as Satin Nickel and Oiled Bronze, are a modern interpretation of the traditional look, while Oak Leaf Pulls and Knobs feature organic, floral shapes for a more rustic look."

About American Woodmark Cabinetry

American Woodmark cabinetry, a product of American Woodmark Corporation, is available exclusively at The Home Depot. Door styles are manufactured from the most popular species of American hardwoods, including Oak, Hickory, Maple and Cherry. Select products are also available in White Thermo Foil. Each collection showcases a wide selection of door styles and finishes, and can be personalized with an extensive choice of moldings and accessories. American Woodmark cabinetry features the Company's 15-step finishing process and includes standard Dovetail Hardwood Drawers with the Full Access Hidden Glides[®] Drawer System for quality craftsmanship and design. In recognition of their commitment to design excellence, American Woodmark cabinetry was awarded the 2008 Gold ADEX for the StorageSystems program. All American Woodmark products have received certification by the Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturers Association (KCMA) Environmental Stewardship Program.

American Woodmark Corporation manufactures and distributes kitchen cabinets and vanities for the remodeling and new home construction markets. Its products are sold on a national basis directly to home centers, major builders and through a network of independent distributors. The Company presently operates fourteen manufacturing facilities and nine service centers across the country. American Woodmark shares are traded on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol "AMWD." To find out more about American Woodmark Corporation and American Woodmark cabinetry, visit www.americanwoodmark.com and www.woodmark-homedepot.com.

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