

NichiProducts[™]

Better Technology Better Products							
NichiBoard™	Our superior technology produces fiber cement siding products that have better product characteristics. A lifetime warranty More durable, stronger, easier to handle and install, and more authentic texture with cleaner, crisper edges NichiProducts™ are simply better.						
NichiShake™	NichiProducts have a deeper more authentic texture. During the manufacturing process Nichiha applies the cedar texture with heat and over one-million pounds of pressure, unlike some competitive products where the texture is rolled on. ¹						
NichiPanel™	NichiProducts have crisper, cleaner edges. NichiProducts are cured (dried) during two high-heat processes, assuring that the boards are hardened and strengthened to exacting standards. Many fiber cement products are cut wet, giving an edge that is soft and yielding. ¹						
NichiTrim™	NichiProducts have a zero smoke and flame spread on surface burning; the boards are classified as						
NichiSoffit™	noncombustible. ¹ NichiProducts are backed by a lifetime limited warranty [*] , the boards will not crack, rot or delaminate; are resistant to fungus and termite infestation and withstand extreme weather conditions. ¹						

*NichiSoffit[™], NichiTrim[™] are backed by a 25-year limited warranty; NichiBoard[™], NichiPanel[™], NichiShake[™] and Sierra Premium[™] are backed by a lifetime warranty. See manufacturer's warranty for terms, conditions and limitations.

Better Technology... For Green Building

NichiProducts[™] differ in several ways than other fiber cement products in the market today. Beginning with the raw materials, NichiProducts **consist of over 50% post-consumer recycled materials.**¹

NichiProducts contain over 50% fly ash, a post-consumer waste material generated at coal-burning, electric generating facilities; and by doing so, **Nichiha annually diverts over 66,000 tons of fly ash from ending up in landfills.**¹

Using fly ash also improves our products performance characteristics; allowing for a **stronger more durable exterior cladding** that is easier to handle and install.¹

Pulp is also a material used in the composition of NichiProducts. Nichiha uses **3,000 tons annually of post-consumer newspaper waste that would normally end up in landfills.**¹

The Nichiha manufacturing facility in Macon, GA, includes an on-site water treatment plant. This facility not only **recycles 95% of the water used in the manufacturing process,** it treats the 5% water discharged back into the system.

Using local material resources (90% of our materials are less than 200 miles from our facility), reduces the environmental impact and carbon emissions of long-haul transportation.¹

¹ Exceptions - NichiTrimTM and Sierra PremiumTM.





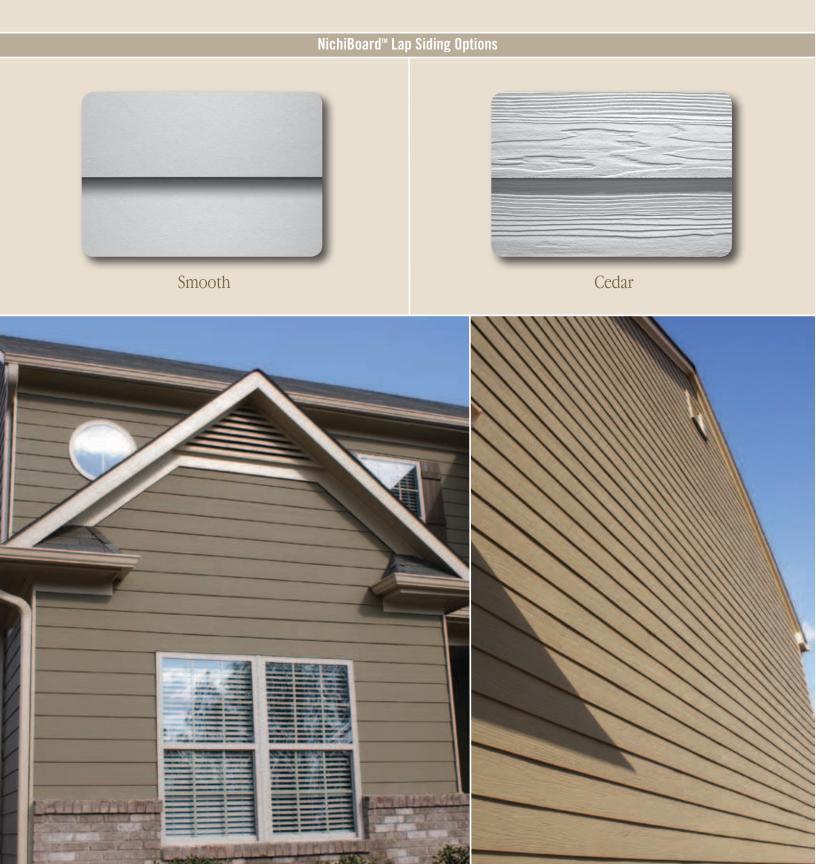
Quality Assurance Enjoy a Lifetime Limited Warranty* Sustainable Stewardship

At Nichiha our mission for over 50 years has been to utilize the natural resources entrusted to us with the utmost environmental diligence and which maximizes recyclability, all in an effort to **reduce our world wide impact** on the environment; while maintaining the highest product performance standards. **This is the world wide environmental vision for Nichiha.** We not only embrace this vision but continually seek ways to improve our processes that will further reduce our impact on the environment. The responsible and respectful stewardship of our natural resources has always been and will always continue to be at the forefront of our corporate objectives.

ber Cement At Its Best

NichiBoard[™]

The traditional beauty and character of smooth and cedar textured lap siding is as popular today as it was in earlier times. The choice of smooth or subtle cedar wood grain texture and the variety of lap widths makes NichiBoard[™] the ideal choice for low-maintenance, high-profile curb appeal. Available in six widths and twelve foot length boards, NichiBoard is easy to handle and install.





Product Specifications								
Profile	5-1/4"	6-1/4"	7-1/4"	8-1/4"	9-1/4"	12"		
Width (in.)	5-1/4	6-1/4	7-1/4	8-1/4	9-1/4	12		
Length (ft.)	12	12	12	12	12	12		
Thickness (nom. in.)	5/16	5/16	5/16	5/16	5/16	5/16		
Weight (Ibs. per panel)	12.1	14.5	16.8	19	21.4	27.8		
Weight (Ibs. per sq. ft.)	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2		
Coverage (sq. ft. per panel)	5-1/4	6-1/4	7-1/4	8-1/4	9-1/4	12		
Exposed Coverage (sq. ft. per panel)	4	5	6	7	8	10-3/4		
Packaging (pieces per pallet)	360	308	252	230	210	152		

Sierra Premium[™] Shake

Sierra Premium[™] Shake panels are the builder's and home owners choice for low-maintenance premium siding. The full 1/2" thick panel provides a deeper shadow line, and combined with the deep cedar grooves of the panel, radiates the warmth and charm of real cedar shake. Able to withstand 150 m.p.h. sustainable winds,¹ Sierra Premium[™] Shake panels are also perfect for coastal areas and regions with high winds.

Backed by a lifetime limited warranty^{*}, Sierra PremiumTM Shake panels allow for less breakage during installation due to the 1/2^T thickness of the panel. In addition the panels are factory primed and factory sealed on six sides providing a premium siding option you can be assured to last a lifetime.







Sierra Premium[™] Smooth

A bolder shadow line distinguishes Sierra PremiumTM Smooth fiber cement panels from other lap siding options. The full 1/2" thick panels offer a distinctive curb appeal for home owners, providing a lifetime of beautiful style. Sierra PremiumTM panels add true value to a home owners investment by affording a siding option that is rich in appearance and quality.

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Sierra Premium [™] Smooth Product Specifications			
Profile	7"	8-3/4"	
Height (nom. in. ~ actual mm)	7 (178mm)	8-3/4 (222mm)	
Length (nom. ft. ~ actual mm)	10 (3030mm)	10 (3030mm)	
Thickness (nom. in. ~ actual mm)	1/2 (12mm)	1/2 (12mm)	
Weight (Ibs. per panel)	18	22.5	
Weight (lbs. per sq. ft.)	3.1	3.1	
Coverage (sq. ft. per panel)	5.8	7.3	
Exposed Coverage (sq. ft. per panel with 1-1/4" overlap)	4.8	6.3	
Packaging (panels per pack \sim 24 sq. ft per pack)	4	4	

NichiShake™

NICHIHA fiber cement

The charm and warmth that cedar shakes convey is timeless in their appeal, yet the constant replacement, up-keep and re-staining of wood shakes are maintenance problems no home owner wants. NichiShake[™] individual shake boards beautifully replicate the deep grain of wood shakes and come in a variety of widths that when installed, provides the warm appearance of shakes, without the maintenance hassles.



NICHISHAKE PLOUUCT Specifications								
Profile	6-1/4	8-1/4	12					
Width (in.)	6-1/4	8-1/4	12					
Length (in.)	18	18	18					
Thickness (nom. in.)	1/4	1/4	1/4					
Weight (Ibs. per panel)	1.40	1.85	2.70					
Weight (Ibs. per sq. ft.)	1.8	1.8	1.8					
Coverage (sq. in. per panel)	.78	1.03	1.5					
Exposed Coverage (sq. ft. per panel)	.35	.54	.67					
Packaging (pieces per bundle)	11	11	11					



Small

NichiShake[™] Options



Medium



Large





NichiPanel™

NichiPanelTM siding is designed for vertical wall applications; full wall exteriors and the popular board and batten style can be achieved with NichiPanelTM. The panels are available in 4' x 8', 4' x 10' and 4' x 12' panels and in classic smooth, cedar grain, stucco and grooved 8" o. c. cedar grain texture.* The 5/16" panels offer builders and home owners greater design flexibility while still getting the value of long lasting and low-maintenance fiber cement siding.

NichiPanel [™] Options			NichiPanel [™] Product Specifications				
			Profile				
				Height (ft.)	4	4	4
				Length (ft.)	8	10	12
				Thickness (nominal in.)	5/16	5/16	5/16
				Weight (Ibs. per sq. ft.)	2.2	2.2	2.2
				Weight (Ibs. per panel)	74	92.5	111
				Coverage (sq. ft. per panel)	32	40	48
Cedar		Packaging (panels per pallet)	50	40	40		
		8" o.c. Cedar		"Grooved 8" o.c. cedar is only available in 8' lengths			





NichiTrim™

Trimming a home has never been easier than with NichiTrim[™] boards. Available smooth or with cedar texture, NichiTrim[™] boards offer the low maintenance façade home owners desire.

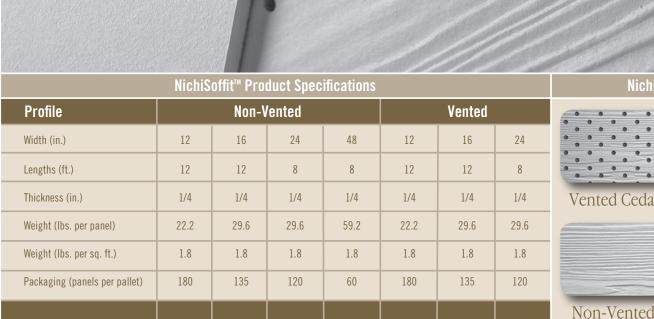
First in the industry to offer a fiber cement pre-finished corner board, NichiTrim[™] boards come in 7/16", 3/4" and 1" thicknesses and are factory primed and sealed providing a beautiful and long lasting appearance. NichiTrim[™] extruded boards allow for greater consistency in the board finish and easier nailability.

NichiTrim™ Options	NichiTrim™ Product Specifications									
Cedar	Profile		3-1/2"	5-1/2"	7-1/4"	7-1/2"	9-1/4"	11-1/4"	11-1/2"	
	Thickness (in.)	7/16" 3/4" 1"	•	•	•	•	:	:	•	
	Lengths (ft.)	7/16" 3/4" 1"	12 10 10	12 10 10	10 10	12	10 10	10 10	12	
	Weight (Ibs. per piece)	7/16" 3/4" 1"	11.3 13.2 18.1	17.8 21.6 28.4	28.2 37.3	24.3	35.9 47.4	44.1 58.0	37.2	
	Weight (Ibs. per sq. ft.)	7/16" 3/4" 1"	3.2 4.5 6.2	3.2 4.5 6.2	4.5 6.2	3.2	4.7 6.1	4.5 6.2	3.2	
Smooth	Packaging (pieces per pallet)	7/16" 3/4" 1"	390 232 176	240 145 110	112 84	180	87 66	72 54	120	

NichiSoffit™

Great appearance and low maintenance – fulfilling the needs that today's home owners want and builders demand, NichiSoffit[™] panels fit the requirements perfectly. Available smooth or in cedar texture and in vented and non-vented styles, NichiSoffit[™] panels are factory primed and sealed assuring a long lasting, attractive appearance.





NichiSoffit[™] Options



Cedar



Vented Smooth



Non-Vented Smooth

