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Originally created in Copenhagen by Danish architect Poul Cadovius, Abstracta® is an award winning display system and the first of its kind to allow the modular construction of simple and complex structural shapes, quickly and easily. In 1998, architect Roger Lepley, AIA, president of Consort Corporation acquired the original machinery and diecasts for the system and the worldwide trademarks.

As a division of Consort Display Group, Abstracta is part of an innovative collection of display solutions manufactured in Kalamazoo, Michigan and has extended further with abstractafurniture.com. With Consort you have even more choices. Consort Display Group is the proud manufacturer of Abstracta, Display One® Exhibit System, Kalamazoo Banner Works™, KBW BannerFlex® Hardware, Mya® Personal Tables, Abstracta®³ Furniture, Dori Pole® Pennant System, Podia® Tabletop Display and Kalamazoo Waterjet.



111B, 112, 113 & 114G étagère grouping



## how the abstracta modular display system works

The Abstracta system combines steel tube lengths, metal alloy connectors, new polymer Cubitz® Connectors, and steel accessories to form structured units utilizing shelving and panels. The result is a wide spectrum of applications from the simplicity

of a cube to the complexity of a complete

exhibition hall.



Abstracta is available in 13mm (1/2") diameter tubes, allowing for most any configuration utilizing 90° connections. The stock units shown in this catalog are 13mm.

## stock units & modified stock units

100% recyclable, Abstracta is a marriage of metal, wood, glass and recyclable polymer (new special connectors) to make an eco-friendly presentation. Choose from stock units or let us help you design fixtures tailored to your specific needs.

Stock designs are available in a variety of finishes and come with or without glass. Other shelving options such as wood, mirrored glass and acrylic can be custom ordered. The design of any stock unit can easily be modified to meet your display or furniture needs or to accommodate graphics.

#### curved tubes

A curved tube with any given part number will connect with two standard straight tubes of the same part number to create a quarter circle (see illustration).

From the unique and innovative to the classic and simple, Abstracta brings your concepts to life quickly and elegantly. Whether the job is building brand awareness or maximizing available space, Abstracta is the perfect solution. Our design service is available to assist with your ideas for special displays or furniture configurations. Abstracta will provide **one hour of complimentary design time** for simple modifications to stock designs. More complex changes or custom configurations may incur a \$50 per hour fee with a \$25 (30 min.) minimum charge.

### when planning your design, consider the following:

**floor space -** What width and depth of floor space is available? Do you want access to the unit from more than one side? How large do you want shelves or horizontal surfaces?

**overall height** - Consider sight lines and shelf accessibility. Do you require a graphics holder or other signage on the unit? What are you placing on the top shelves?

**vertical specifications -** Consider the height between the shelves, will the displayed merchandise fit comfortably?

finishes - Available finishes for Abstracta shown on page 11.

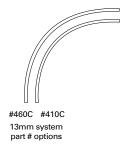
#### assembly

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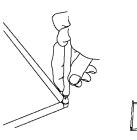
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available at

With a nylon mallet and a hard surface, the system can be assembled quickly and easily. We **encourage** the use of the Abstracta Nylon Mallet (913) for assembly, the Abstracta Disconnect Tool (915) and Extractor Rod (EX-ABS) for taking units apart. A 10% discount will be applied to these three items when purchased with a stock, modified or custom unit. We recommend using a small amount of non-corrosive lubricant such as WD-40® on the connectors *prior* to assembly.



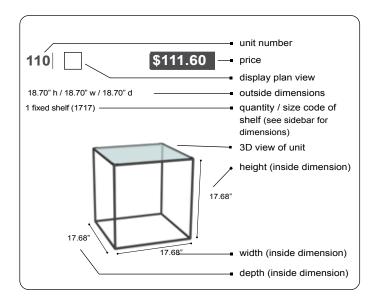
custom design services





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## how to read this guide



## stock designs

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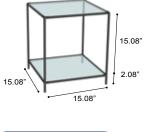
Stock units are designed in the 13mm diameter tubes and are priced with glass unless otherwise noted.

\$104.30



101 \$142.40 17.67" h / 16.10" w / 16.10" d

2 fixed shelves (1414)





110

112



\$111.60

\$233.25



2 fixed shelves (1717)

113

51.97" h / 18.70" w / 18.70" d



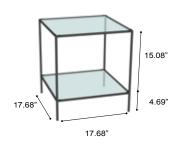
17.68"

\$312.95

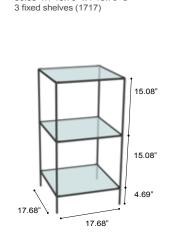
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111.B \$154.80

20.79" h / 18.70" w / 18.70" d 2 fixed shelves (1717)

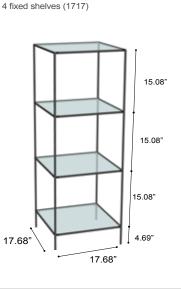


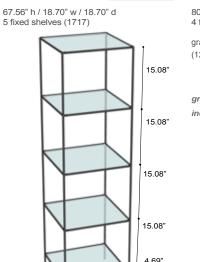




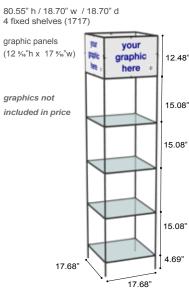
prices subject to change without notice

36.38" h / 18.70" w / 18.70" d





\$393.70



\$447.00

114G



150

\$728.40

151

\$513.80

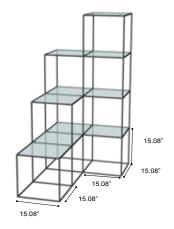
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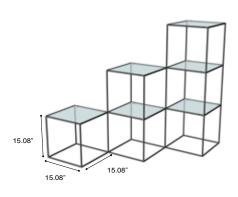
\$426.00

62.87" h / 47.28" w / 31.69" d 10 fixed shelves (1414)

47.28" h / 66.87" w / 22.77" d 6 fixed shelves (1414)

47.28"h / 44.58"w / 22.77"d 5 fixed shelves (1414)







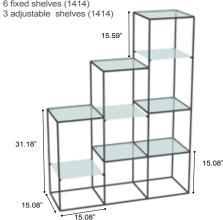
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\$594.45

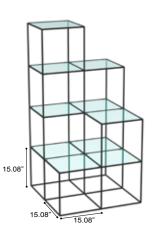
\$725.60

\$492.30

63.89" h / 47.28" w / 16.10" d 6 fixed shelves (1414)

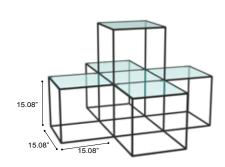


62.89"h / 31.69"w / 31.69"d 10 fixed shelves (1414)



31.69" h x 47.28" w x 47.28" 6 fixed shelves (1414)

155





9 fixed shelves (1414)

\$633.25

210

\$618.95

220 62.89"h / 31.69"w / 16.10"d

8 fixed shelves (1414)

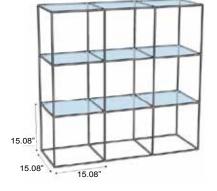
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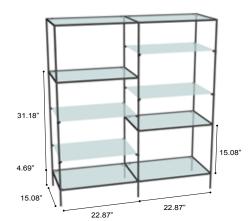
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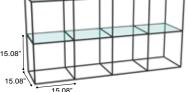
31.69"h / 62.87"w / 16.10"d 8 fixed shelves (1414)



\$588.10









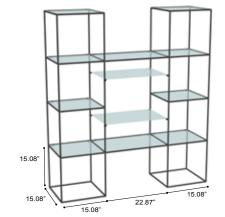
## connected towers & curved tube designs



577 \$828.35

62.87" h / 55.07" w / 16.10" d 2 fixed shelves (1422) 2 adjustable shelves (1422)

8 fixed shelves (1414)



577G

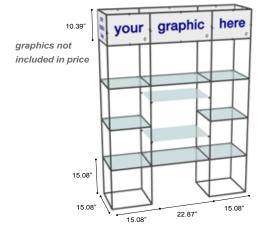
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73.77" h / 55.07" w / 16.10" d

2 fixed shelves (1422) / 2 adjustable shelves (1422) 8 fixed shelves (1414) /

8 graphic panels

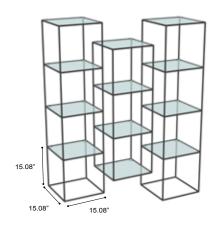
6 - 10 1/4" x 14 15/16" & 2 - 10 1/4" x 22 3/4"



585

\$1026.45

62.87" h / 47.28" w / 31.17" d 12 fixed shelves (1414)



800

81.06" h / 18.70" w / 18.70" d 4 fixed shelves (1717) 17.68°c 15.08

\$392.20

585 connected floating tower

81.06" h / 36.89" w / 18.70" d

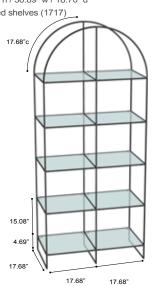


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8050

\$767.45

86.26" h / 36.89" w / 18.70" d 10 fixed shelves (1717)

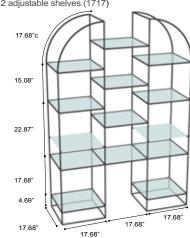


17.68"

810

\$1106.55

81.06" h / 55.08" w / 18.70" d 12 fixed shelves (1717) 2 adjustable shelves (1717)



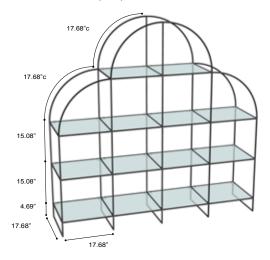
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816

\$1036.40

73.27" h / 73.27" w / 18.70" d 14 fixed shelves (1717)



818

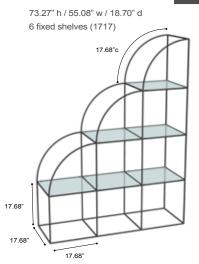
\$590.25

73.27" h / 36.89" w / 36.89" d 6 fixed shelves (1717)



823

\$560.65



810 curved tube design wtih adjustable shelves

905

62.87" h / 31.69" w / 31.69" d

\$762.35

972

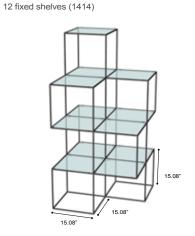
55.58" h / 73.27" w / 18.70" d 6 fixed shelves (1717)

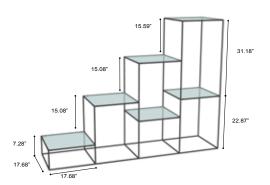
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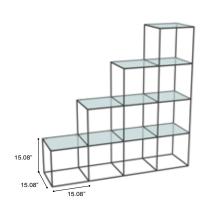
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\$682.90

62.87" h / 62.87" w / 16.10" d 10 fixed shelves (1414)





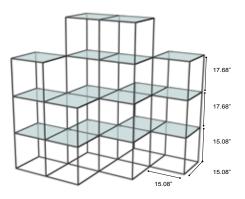


# stair stepped units & specialty displays

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\$1251.10

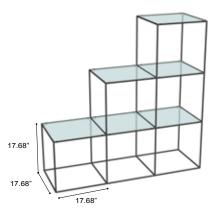
68.07" h / 79.69" w / 34" d 18 fixed shelves (1414)

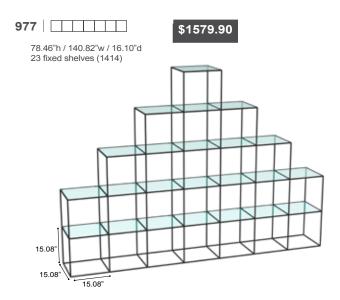




\$499.05

55.08" h / 55.08" w / 18.70" d 6 fixed shelves (1717)







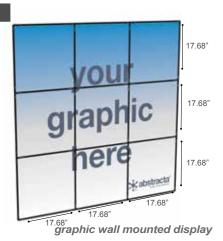


\$300.65

55.08" h / 55.08" w / 3.10" d 9 graphic panels (17 %6"h x 17 %6"w)

graphics not included in price

clips for attaching graphics and for mounting on wall are included



# artisan units - countertop displays





The 1075-03 pictured above has been customized with non-traditional panels, fabrics, and raised jewelry displays. The price is not for the unit as shown.

If planning a unit for more frequent assembly/disassembly, consider our Cubitz® polymer connectors. See the website under "abstracta.com/products/connectors" for more information. Note: Cubitz connectors only come in black.











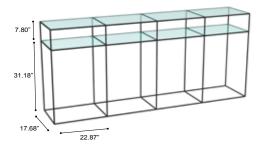


# artisan units - countertop displays

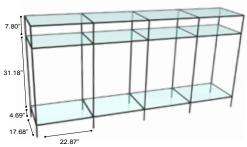
1075-06

40.51"h / 94.03"w / 18.70"d 8 fixed shelves (1722)

Glass \$700.10 Without Glass \$467.30



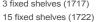
1075-06L Glass \$872.95 45.20"h / 94.03"w / 18.70"d Without Glass \$523.70 12 fixed shelves (1722)



1075-07

Glass \$1286.85 Without Glass \$780.75

47.79"h / 88.84"w / 65.46"d 3 fixed shelves (1717)





Glass \$1128.70 1075-08 Without Glass \$691.95 84.17" h / 94.03" w / 18.70" d 15 fixed shelves (1722) 15.08 17.68"

4.69





Prices shown for the 1075-08 unit does not include the vertical glass or vertical panels. Abstracta can provide a wide variety of glass and panels up to 23" wide. Please call for more information.

Glass \$271.30 124 Without Glass \$198.60 48.82" h / 18.70" w / 18.70" d 3 fixed shelves (1717) 7.80" Also available: 7.80" 122 Glass \$253.95 W/O glass\$194.40 16.10" w x 16.10" d 3 fixed shelves (1414) 31.18" Glass \$299.70 126 W/O glass\$204.45 21.30" w x 21.30"d 3 fixed shelves (2020)

17.68

134

42.59" h / 18.70" w / 18.70" d 2 fixed shelves (1717)

Also available:

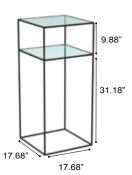
132 Glass \$198.00 W/O glass\$158.30

16.10" w x 16.10" d 2 fixed shelves (1414)

136 Glass \$213.50 W/O glass\$152.00

21.30" w x 21.30"d 2 fixed shelves (2020)

Glass \$193.95 Without Glass \$147.55





130, 132, and 136 designs with additional panels

## tabletop displays

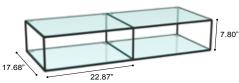
1076-01 8.82"h / 23.89"w / 18.70"d 2 fixed shelves (1722)

Glass \$198.45 Without Glass \$94.10



1076-02 8.82"h / 47.27"w / 18.70"d 4 fixed shelves (1722)

Glass \$278.40 Without Glass \$161.95



Glass \$404.50 1076-03 Without Glass \$229.85 8.82"h / 70.65"w / 18.70"d 6 fixed shelves (1722) 22.87







15" square	Height	W/Glass
2006-1524	24"	113.55
2006-1536	36"	120.40
2006-1548	48"	151.20



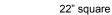
16.10" w/d (O.D) 14 15/16" square size shelf

16" square

2006-1624	24"	113.55
2000-1024	27	110.00
2006-1636	36"	119.80
2006-1642	42"	146.05
2006-1648	48"	151.20
2006-1664	64" (w/2 shelves)	195.65



16.61" w/d (O.D) 15 % square size shelf



2006-2236	36"	145.45
2006-2242	42"	176.30
2006-2248	48"	207.65



21.30" w/d (O.D) 20 1/8" square size shelf

The pedestal series are priced with glass shelves as shown above. The glass for the above is tempered pencil polished edged (PPE) and 3/16" in thickness.

The pricing for all pedestals includes tubes, connectors, and shelf clips. Panel clips and additional accessories are available separately.

S-Clips (part#730) are also suggested for grouping horizontally. They are not for vertically attaching cubes as the stability will be compromised.

s-clip part#730



2006-1648, 2006-1636 & 2006-1624



## glass shelves

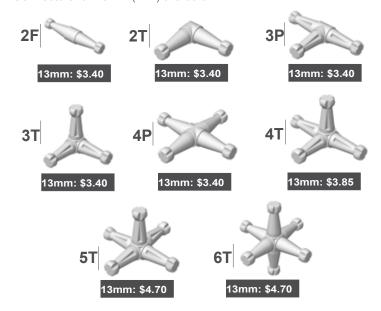
Glass is the most cost effective and popular solution. However, many other materials such as mirrored glass, acrylic and wood shelving and tops can be purchased. You may order stock units with or without glass shelving or request custom shelving.

part n	umber	description	price
1	414	14 ¹⁵⁄₁₅"square	\$19.85
1	417	14 ¹⁵⁄₁6" x 17 ¾16"	24.50
1	515	15 ¾₅" square	19.85
15	15C	15 ¾ <sub>6</sub> " curved	38.35
1	717	17 % square	23.15
17	17C	17 % curved	42.35
1	720	17 %6" x 20 %"	27.80
2	020	20 1/3" square	31.75
1	422	14 ¹⁵⁄₁6" x 22 ¾"	27.80
1	722	17 % x 22 ¾"	29.10
2	222	22 ¾" square	42.35

All stock glass is pencil polished edged (PPE) and 3/16" in thickness. All stock glass is tempered with the exception of the 1515C. Custom ordered glass is non-tempered and seamed edged only, unless tempered and PPE is specifically requested.

## 90° connectors

Connectors for 13mm (1/2") are below.

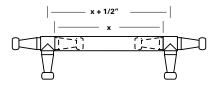


## **Cubitz connectors**



## 13mm ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ") system - tubes

The tubes are net length in inches. When calculating overall dimensions, add  $\frac{1}{2}$  for each connector to net tube length.



part number	inches	shelf/panel size	price
065	2.08"	n/a	\$2.15
130-03	3.00"	2 %"	2.75
130	4.69"	4 %16"	2.75
145	5.20"	5 1/16"	2.90
200	7.28"	7 1/8"	3.35
210	7.80"	711/16"	3.40
265	9.88"	9 ¾"	3.75
275	10.39"	10 ¼"	3.90
330	12.48"	12 5/16"	4.20
345	12.99"	12 %"	4.25
360	14.18"	14"	4.45
395	15.08"	14 15/16"	4.75
395A	15.08"	14 15/16"	4.75
410	15.59"	15 1/4"	4.80
410C	15.59"	_	6.30
411	16.18"	16"	4.90
460	17.68"	17 %"	5.00
460C	17.68"	_	6.75
530	20.28"	20 ½"	5.45
595	22.87"	22 ¾"	6.05
675	25.98"	25 %"	6.30
685	26.50"	26 %"	6.45
805	31.18"	31 1/16"	6.80
911	35.87"	35 ¾"	7.70
1000	38.85"	38 11/16"	8.00
2000	78.23"	78 1/16"	17.25

C = curved tube A = Aluminum tube

## combination of tube lengths

Abstracta is a mathematical system of tubes in corresponding lengths to fit various applications. Add two part numbers to determine a third existing part number.

For example: a #200 tube (7.28") plus a #395 tube (15.8") with a connector in between (.51") is equivalent to an existing #595 tube (22.87").

Popular combinations include:

65 + 145 = 210	130 + 330 = 460	345 + 460 = 805
130 + 200 = 330	200 + 395 = 595	395 + 410 = 805

## **Cubitz® connectors**

Our new black polymer Cubitz connectors are designed especially for use where the displays/shelving may be put together and taken down often, such as trade shows and arts and crafts fairs. Cubitz polymer connectors are extremely strong but are not as "structural" as the zinc connectors. Even though they will handle virtually as much weight and height as the original Abstracta zinc connectors, they are specifically ideal for more portable and frequent assembly/disassembly use. Cubitz connectors only come in black. For information see the website under "abstracta.com/products/connectors".



13mm: \$ .30

## 012 vinyl bumper

Adhesive backed to attach to 620, 625 and 626 brackets.



13mm: \$1.75

## 626 mini shelf bracket

For shelving that is not continuous. Four (4) required per shelf. Glass bumpers sold separately.



## 728A panel clip

For vertical panels up to 1/4" thick.

## **728B** panel clip

For vertical panels up to 1/8" thick.



13mm: \$6.00

#### 904 nylon caster

Non-locking casters for fixture weights under 50 lbs. Plastic sleeve slips into tube end.



\$3.20

#### Q705 Cubitz adjustable leg

Black 7/16" diameter, fits into tube end for height adjustments up to 1/2", fits all tubes.



#### 913 nylon mallet

To provide a tough surface for easy assembly that will not damage connector finish.



13mm: \$12.30

## **647-01** hinge set

Each set includes two hinges for glass thickness up to 1/4".



13mm: \$3.40

## 630 tube insert

To add a tube to an existing unit. Available ONLY in matte black, chrome & gloss white.



13mm: \$1.75

13mm: \$ .45

\$2.10

\$29.00

## **730** s - clip

To attach two units together horizontally; not to be used vertically.



738 hang clip

hanging, etc.

650 | door latch set

For glass thickness up to 1/4".

613 shelf support clip

Multi-purpose clip for securing,

Each set includes one door latch, one

magnetic catch and a strip of VHB tape.

13mm: \$1.90

13mm: \$1.75

To suspend panels on unit or anchor unit to wall. Holes are provided for screws.



13mm: \$3.40

#### 506 plastic glide

To cap legs and ends of tubes to protect floor or finish exposed tube ends.



## 705 adjustable leg

Black 9/16" diameter, fits into tube end for height adjustments up to 1/2".



pen: \$9.50

## Q706 Cubitz plastic glide foot

To cap legs and ends of tubes to protect floor or finish exposed tube ends, fits all tubes



#### touch up paint

For use in touching up as needed. Limited colors.



## 915 disconnect tool

For disassembly; provides even pressure on connector.

## **EX-ABS** extractor rod

To help in removing broken connector arms from a tube.



13mm: \$8.60

13mm: \$2.45

## adustable shelf bracket

To allow adjustable intermediate shelving. Four (4) required per shelf.



13mm: \$1.95

## 620 625 asymmetrical shelf bracket

For continuous shelving, Glass bumpers sold separately Four (4) required per shelf.



13mm: \$ .30

## 920 locking spring

To provide an even tighter fit for permanent displays or loose connectors.



\$4.55

## 3710 adjustable disc leg

Black 1.25" diameter x .25" disc, fits into tube end for height adjustments up to 1/2".



\$6.80

## WD-40 spray lubricant

To facilitate assembly and disassembly. To be sprayed on a cloth, then rubbed on the prongs of the connectors.



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#### shelving / panels

Variety of options available (wood, glass, acrylic, Sintra, aluminum etc.) for all units - standard or custom. Call for assistance

> all pricing is in U.S. dollars

#### available finishes



#### custom orders

Custom orders are subject to minimum quantities, special pricing, pre-payments/deposits, and special shipping schedules. The particulars for custom orders will be quoted in advance.

Abstracta will cut tubing to any length. Please specify on the order: quantity, color, diameter, and tube length. The charge for custom cut tubes: (per tube) 13mm/\$ .50 net.

## shipping

Stock designs in stock colors ship within 7 - 10 working days from receipt of signed order. Shipments will be made according to your shipping and receiving instructions. If no instructions are provided, shipments will be sent by standard ground.

Abstracta can be drop shipped or blind shipped at no additional charge.

### inspection

Buyer agrees to examine the product delivered from Abstracta **immediately upon receipt**. Buyer agrees to advise Abstracta of any product quality or quantity disputes within 3 business days of receipt. Buyer will examine immediately upon receipt each Abstracta invoice and statement and will advise Abstracta of any disputed pricing, transactions or statements within 10 business days of receipt, together with a written statement specifying the reasons for such dispute. Failure to notify Abstracta of any dispute or of damaged goods within these time parameters shall constitute a complete waiver of any such disputes.

#### returns

No merchandise may be returned without *prior* written authorization from Abstracta in the form of an Abstracta issued Return Authorization number. Returned items may be subject to a 15% restocking fee. Collect shipments will be refused. Buyer agrees to pay return freight and/or reasonable storage charges for the merchandise returned without prior authorization regardless of the merits of the return. Liability for lost or damaged merchandise rests with the Buyer until such return is duly authorized and accepted by Abstracta.

#### rush charges

Orders which require shipment faster than published lead times, need to have the required ship date confirmed prior to the placement of the order. Rush orders will be subject to rush charges ranging from a minimum of 15% to a maximum of 50% of the complete order at full list prices. Rush charges are not subject to regular buying discounts. Rush charges will be confirmed prior to the acceptance of the order.

## claims

Claims for merchandise damaged or lost in transit should be filed by the consignee with the transportation company. Original packaging is required by most transportation companies for damage claims. You may request additional insurance for your shipment.

#### payment

Orders must be placed with a fully completed and signed purchase order, or a signed Abstracta quote. Payment arrangements must be made in advance. All major credit cards are accepted. The card will not be charged until shipment has occurred. Credit applications are required to establish Net 30 terms. Please call for details. A \$25 fee will be charged for checks with non-sufficient funds. A wire transfer payment or electronic funds transfer is required for customers outside of the U.S. Applicable fees are the responsibility of the Sender and are not to be deducted from the Beneficiary. Buyer must instruct their Financial Institution to deduct any fees directly from the Buyer's account.

#### prices

All prices shown are list prices in U.S. Dollars, F.O.B. Kalamazoo, Michigan; and do not include shipping or applicable taxes. All prices are subject to change without notice.

#### warranty

Abstracta products are warranted against failure due to defects in materials or workmanship effective from the date of invoice for specific durations of time. The complete warranty is available at **www.abstracta.com** or contact your Abstracta sales representative.











