

## **Thin-Kerf Blade Technology:** Profitability and Sustainability



## **PROFITABILITY**

Thin-kerf gives you higher log yields at lower operating costs. This means you will be producing more wood from the same number of logs, and spending less money on electricity and labour to do it. It is a proven formula that is working for our customers all over the world, and it will increase your profit margins too.



## **SUSTAINABILITY**

By using thin-kerf blade technology to get the maximum yields possible from timber, sawmillers can contribute positively to the issues of environmental sustainability and economic development in Africa. If the next generations will be able to also profit from our forests, we must saw smarter.

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# **Wood-Mizer Africa**

Confidence in the future for the African sawmilling industry

















#### Dear sawmilling friends,

I am excited for the future of sawmilling in Africa.

Wood-Mizer's presence on the continent is growing steadily as more discover the benefits of our thin-kerf blade technology. Since establishing a branch office in 2011, we have focused on building a foundation of service and support for your sawmilling success.

The results have been fantastic.

Our industry faces many challenges, but I am confident that you can be better prepared for the future by partnering with us. Please contact myself, one of my sales team, or your local dealer to see how we can be your partner in success.

**PRODUCTS** A full range of sawmilling & blade solutions

### **Industrial Production**

#### Sawmill Solutions

- Sawmill headrigs
- Full log processing lines
- Resaws
- Edgers
- Material Handling



WM4000 sawmil



SLP log processing line

## **Startups & Medium Business**

#### Sawmill Solutions

- Manual sawmills
- Hydraulic sawmills
- Resaws
- Edgers



LT40 hydraulic sawmil



LT15 entry-level sawmill



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## **Sawmill Blades**

Our wide range of blade types & profiles have proven they will cut softwoods and African hardwoods alike.

- SilverTip Economy blade
- DoubleHard All purpose
- MaxFlex Premium all purpose
- BiMetal Industrial production
- RazorTip Extreme hardwoods

## **Blade Maintenance**

From manual setters to fully industrial sharpening solutions, Wood-Mizer blade maintenance equipment will keep your blades in optimal condition.

- Sharpeners
- Setters

## **LOCAL SUPPORT**

# Direct support from Wood-Mizer & our expanding dealer network

Our goal is to build a solid and reliable support structure for Wood-Mizer customers throughout Africa, and we are constantly building and improving.



#### Manufacturer Support

From the Wood-Mizer branch office in South Africa, we are dedicated to suporting both our customers and dealers with the support, spares, and training required for success. Our team members are experienced African sawmill operators and technicians who know what it takes to succeed here.

- Installations
- Spares availability
- Service



#### **Dealer Support**

Our growing network of authorized and trained dealers throughout Africa have extensive experience in the wood and sawmilling industries.

- Annual certification
- Regular training
- Spares availability

#### Results

Our customers are now experiencing increased success due to the quality and experience of our dealer network, together with the dedicated manufacturer support from the branch office.