



Fisher Hamilton[®]

Welcome to the
NEXT GENERATION
of lab furniture



The goal was to design a workstation with the styling to inspire innovative thinking and the features to enhance laboratory performance.



The Elements of Distinction[®]

Evolution—Revolution.

Call it what you want, Distinction is one of the most innovative laboratory furniture systems ever created. It is designed around three core elements:

INNOVATIVE FEATURES
CONTEMPORARY STYLING
SUPERIOR VALUE

Its unique design features provide both flexibility and portability in a self-contained modular bench system, ideal for today's ever-changing laboratory. With its sleek but rugged steel frame and wide variety of material options, Distinction brings a sense of style into the laboratory. Distinction was built to move—letting you change work surface heights, floor plans and facilities almost instantly. This concept is setting new standards in lab customization and delivers a cost-effective solution and superior value.

Aesthetically, practically and financially, Distinction is the ultimate solution for your laboratory needs.



Features

Distinction is the most flexible and functional laboratory bench system on the market today. Each workstation is equipped with features that not only make it uniquely portable, but instantly customizable to your specific needs. With a quick lock of a service connection or plug-in of a data line, Distinction defines the user-friendly work environment.



All service lines are innovatively piped and wired for quick connection to the movable ceiling service panel.

Under-shelf lighting, power and data bars, and needle-point service fixtures are designed to be above an obstruction-free work surface.



Modular base cabinets are available in multi-material options and have additional storage modules for any height of work station.

Distinction®

Laboratory Bench System



Bench unit legs are height adjustable and come with optional, pre-wired receptacles for added convenience.

within arms reach,

Back-shelf lips can be removed to create a single pass-through shelf for extra storage or large equipment use.



Stylish yet Smart

Distinction's free-standing bench modules are designed to connect to ceiling-mounted service distribution panels via flexible service lines. Factory installed service lines are pre-piped to quick connect fittings on top of the bench frame. Needle-point service fixtures bring the essential gas and air utilities to the work surface level while telephone, data and electrical outlets are conveniently located on the power bar. Distinction is also the industry's first-ever UL Listed laboratory furniture system that meets the dielectric, ground impedance, strain relief, and strength requirements of UL 962 – Commercial Furnishings.

Distinction's 2" diameter steel tubular frame can be adjusted in 2" increments to raise the telescoping legs for the proper work surface height. Bench units are available in 42", 48", 60", 72", and 96" widths. The overhead shelving is equally as flexible with 1" adjustability. Whatever the configuration or application, Distinction will deliver every time.

Styling

There is something about its contemporary styling that draws you to Distinction®. Its softer, rounded design and use of differing materials creates a work environment that invites you in and adjusts to your every need. Distinction is a work station that inspires innovative thinking and productivity.



Designed to Inspire

Distinction was built to move—letting you change work surface heights, floor plans and facilities almost instantly. The focus on the end use is setting new standards in lab customization that delivers a cost-effective solution and superior value. Its softer, rounded framework combined with a choice of stainless or powder coated steel, wood, laminate, epoxy resin and even glass, make Distinction timeless. From a stylish look to a more contemporary feel, Distinction offers the design flexibility to complement any laboratory.

Distinction is part of an integrated solution that can be used as a stand-alone bench lab system or combined with other Fisher Hamilton product solutions.

Distinction's color palette and material options allow you to mix and match for the perfect laboratory environment.

Value

Distinction's design functionality and high performance gives your investment superior value and cost savings. Available in fume hood, sink and table top modules, Distinction is not only an affordable installation option, but its total flexibility also virtually eliminates reconstruction costs and expensive laboratory downtime during renovation.



Performance with ROI

The unique appearance of Distinction creates a dynamic corporate image, enhancing recruiting efforts and improving employee morale and retention. Distinction combines the benefits of portability and adjustability with contemporary styling to deliver superior value and a higher return on investment. Its features provide ongoing benefits throughout the product life cycle, reducing the total cost of ownership. Service lines can be easily connected to pre-installed ceiling panels, avoiding expensive floor penetrations and significantly reducing installation costs.

Distinction's portable design features mean that downtime and costs associated with changing laboratory configurations are virtually eliminated. Workstations can yield additional savings through the use of accelerated depreciation schedules.

With strong financial benefits and countless usability features, Distinction will change the way you look at laboratories forever.



Solutions

Solutions for the Technical Environment

When it comes to choosing laboratory furniture, look to Fisher Hamilton. As the industry leader, Fisher Hamilton offers the most comprehensive selection of product lines, options and accessories in the world today.

The markets served are as diverse as the products manufactured. We work very closely with the educational, industrial and health care markets and are actively engaged in the development of new technologies and products to better serve these ever-changing laboratory environments.

The many lab furniture lines that can be drawn upon to build the optimal system include:

Wood Casework

Steel Casework

Plastic Laminate Casework

Phenolic Resin Casework

Stainless Steel Casework

MAX/Lab® Adaptable Furniture System

MAX/Wall® Technical Wall System

MAX/Mobile® Adaptable Furniture System

Distinction® Laboratory Bench System

C-Frame™ Adaptable Furniture System

P-Frame™ Adaptable Furniture System

System XL™ Adaptable System

Adaptable Table Systems

Laboratory Fume Hoods

BioSafety Cabinets



Dealer Planning Expertise

Fisher Hamilton's dealers are a network of full support laboratory specialists who prefer to get involved in the earliest planning stages possible so they can offer helpful suggestions that can make your laboratory work easier and more efficient than ever before.

Whether it's product renovation or entirely new construction, Fisher Hamilton dealers have the skills, the expertise and the product selection to get the job done efficiently and cost-effectively. Give your nearest Fisher Hamilton dealer a call today for assistance with the planning process.



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