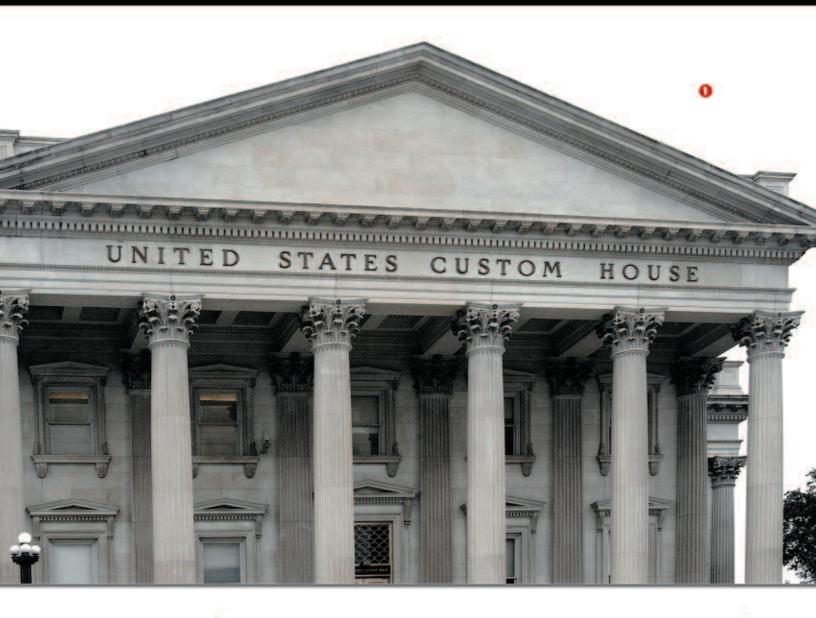


# LETTERS, LOGOS AND PLAQUES SHOWCASE CATALOG

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## LETTERS, LOGOS AND PLAQUES



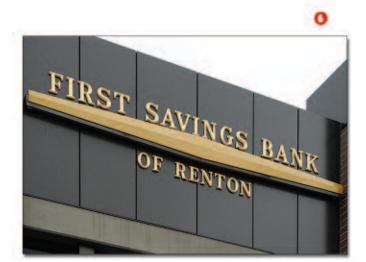






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#### 1. United States Custom House

Cast aluminum 12" Architectural, dark bronze anodized finish.

Veterans of Foreign Wars 2.

Etched bronze 24" plaque with painted brown smooth background, satin finish

#### 3. **Cafe Internationale'**

Custom formed plastic 15" and 10" in 6366 copper color.

4. Kokoro Assisted Living

Waterjet aluminum logo 42" H  $\times$  3/4" D with 24" custom waterjet letters KOKORO and 6" cast aluminum Times Bold letters all with a gold anodized finish.

Mardian Development 5.

Custom waterjet 28" copper logo with 5" custom and 3-1/2" Garamond Regular 1/4" thick black anodized aluminum.

6. First Savings Bank Formed Plastic 12" and 9" Roman Neo SB in 6371 yellow gold.

# MINNESOTA LETTERS<sup>™</sup>

Minnesota Letters combine the attributes of several other letter types. They are made from C.A.B. (Cellulose Acetate Butyrate), a renewable resource (non-petroleum) plastic for incredible durability. They also are created using precision tooled molds for razor sharp edges and extra dimension. While clearly a plastic letter, they are suitable for many 'upclose' applications – even in small sizes. Gemini has a stock of these letters ready to paint to your specifications.



## **Incredible Precision & Options**

- From 2" to 18"; each a perfect letter
- Serifs are always sharp, edges always crisp
- Mounts to any surface with most hardware
- New architectural style offers prismatic faces

#### Better Alternative than Foam Letters

- Endures even the harshest conditions
- Blemish free automotive quality painted finish
- Quick production gives you instant results
- Made from a renewable resource (non-petroleum) plastic



## Where to Use Gemini Minnesota Letters

- when depth is required in letter style
- virtually any business, organization, or institution
- under all weather and environmental conditions
- when sharp edges are required
- if non-stud mounts are required



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## 45 Standard Gemini Colors Custom painted colors available.

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2718 Opaque Ivory	Safety Green	2037 Lemon Yellow	2000 Yellow	
				General Information
				• <b>Black 2025</b> is a pigmented plastic, not a baked enamel finish.
0217 Citrus Yellow	0218 Sundance Yellow	0254 School Bus Yellow	Orange 2119	• White 5687 is a pigmented plastic, not a baked enamel finish.
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			1	gloss – painted gloss is standard unless otherwise noted.
2662	0256	2793	0214	• <b>The Following Colors</b> are standard with a matte finish:
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				<ul> <li>2756 – Metallic Gold</li> <li>0401 – Aztec Gold</li> </ul>
				• 0253 – Copper
2240	2280	2410	2287	• 0402 – Aztec Copper
Maroon	Black Cherry	Magenta	Purple	• 0312 – Medium Bronze • 0314 – Old Copper
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				• 8886 – Metallic Silver
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Due to limitations in the printing process, printed colors may vary from actual colors.

# **Advantages of Minnesota Letters**

#### Displays -

- Lightweight
- Durable
- Easy to pack
- Perfect for temporary installations



#### Indoors -

- Crisp clean edges
- No denting or delamination problems

Examples Shown Here In Optima Medium -

- Wide color selection
- Perfect face integrity



#### Monument Signs -

- Metallic finishes available
- Easy installation
- Durability under any conditions
- Looks good up close or at a distance



#### Outdoors -

- Lifetime Guarantee; Won't chip, crack or fade
- Impact resistant
- Up to 18" letters
- Can be backlit



#### **Illuminated Letters** -

Channel letters are not the only form of illuminated letters. Many of Gemini's standard letter families are able to be backlit using L.E.D. technology. Minnesota, Formed and Cast letters all are made with a recessed back that allows for insertion of L.E.D.s.

Generally, only letters over 12" have a wide enough stroke and depth to house L.E.D.s. We recommend considerable planning before attempting to install any backlit Gemini dimensional letter with L.E.D.s.

#### **Special Characters** -

Quotation marks, accent marks, foreign characters such as tilde, enyas and others will be provided in flat cut acrylic in depths up to 1".





Perfectly smooth face



# **FORMED PLASTIC**

Formed plastic letters are the original "Gemini Letters". Made since 1963 out of C.A.B. (Cellulose Acetate Butyrate); these letters are the utmost in versatility. Formed Letters, while the standard for most local businesses, can also be found on financial institutions, office parks, as well as many national retail chains. Their inexpensive molds make it easy to customize a letter style or logo for the perfect 3-D sign. Formed Letters also provide the deepest dimension for the money. With Gemini's 4 different forming locations across the U.S. and Canada – most letters are just days away from your doorstep.



## **Unlimited Variety & Flexibility**

- Over 140 standard styles and 38 standard colors
- Easy customization for your style or logo
- Custom painting to match your specific color
- Simplest installations for any mounting surface
- Choose from flat, round or sculptured faces

## **Economy & Durability**

- Endures even the harshest conditions
- Best dimension for the money
- Quick delivery gives you instant results
- Made from a renewable resource (non-petroleum) plastic

Ready, Set, Jump!





#### Where to Use Gemini Formed Plastic Letters and Logos

- when depth is required in lettersyle and/or logo
- virtually any business, organization, or institution
- when facing extreme time constraints
- under all weather and environmental conditions
- when letter height up to 60" is required



#### **38 Standard Pigmented Colors** Custom painted colors available. \* Not recommended for 2037\* 5687 4660 2718 2000 4310 2119 2662 use with studs or pads • Due to the limitations of the printing process, printed colors can vary from actual colors. **Opaque White** Desert Sand Dove Grey Black **Opaque Ivory** Lemon Yellow Yellow Orange **Red-Orange** 2793 2767 2648\* 3210 2240 2280 2410 2287 2050 2860 3000 Med. Blue Light Blue Red Midnight Blue Dark Blue Teal Blue Maroon Black Cherry Magenta Purple Blue 3555 2108 2030 2162 6371 2756 2418 3120 3130 8886 6366 Spring Green Light Green Dark Green Hunter Green Yellow Gold Metallic Gold Brown Med. Bronze Dur. Bronze Met. Silver Copper



# Introducing Translucent Colors Specifcally Formulated for L.E.D. Illumination

- Built-in light diffusion
- Combine L.E.D. with deeper Custom Formed letters
- Great substitute for Channel Letters







# **Custom Formed Letters & Logos**

Make The Picture Perfect Installation

# For One-Of-A-Kind Jobs:

- Custom painting to match virtually any color combination.
- Molds stored for 30 60 days.
- Low cost Mold production.
- Easy custom letter and logo pricing.





# For Large Resignage Projects

- Custom C.A.B. capability (UPS & Goodyear).
- Hardware uniform mounting patterns.
- Molds stored for longer time periods.
- Competitive pricing.
- Just fax or email requirements for a quotation.

# **FLAT CUT ACRYLIC**

Flat cut Gemini acrylic surpasses other acrylic letters and logos by a mile. Gemini starts with its own impact modified, extruded acrylic, in gauges up to 1/2" thick in over 32 different colors. This means the color is through and through the entire letter assuring no more unsightly scratches, chips, or blemishes that can occur in a painted finish. Our 1000W lasers polish the edge return of all letters and logos as it cuts through the material, also providing a superior finish for your customer. Gemini's acrylic products are designed for outdoor use, but beautiful enough for indoor or in any application where precision is required.

## Design flexibility to the extreme

- From 1/2"to 72" letters.
- 32 standard colors or choose a custom finish.
- Pigmented gauges of 1/8", 3/16", 1/4", 3/8" and 1/2"
- Your artwork is converted to an exact 3-dimensional acrylic replica.

## You can't cut your own at these prices

- Gemini nests thousands of orders to assure minimal scrap and lowest cost of acrylic.
- Our 3 shift operations can produce your order in 2-3 days with all hardware and mounting patterns.
- Gemini re-extrudes trim not used to offer even lower prices to get your order.



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## Where to Use Gemini Flat Cut Acrylic

Grass Farm

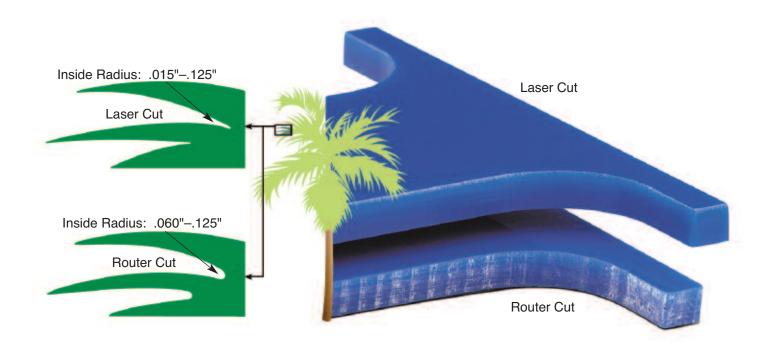
**Garden** Accents

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- when an intricate letterstyle or logo is required
- on designs with multiple layers and colors
- when working with a limited budget
- under tight time constraints
- indoor signage that falls under the closest scrutiny







#### **Painted Acrylic**

Never again worry about delamination of vinyl on acrylic. Gemini combines precision-cut acrylic logos with our superior positive pressure paint booth capabilities to produce some of the finest detail in the industry.





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# **CAST METAL**

Cast letters and logos have always imparted a stately aura of permanence, style, and class on the sites they adorn. Perhaps this is because the underlying casting process itself has changed so little over thousands of years. It may also be because the casting process allows for the creation of the deepest, sturdiest, most beautiful metal letters and logos. No matter the reason, Gemini is the only one to use for cast signage. Gemini has devoted 50,000 square feet to the storage of our CNC cut, hand-finished patterns in over 50 of the most common letterstyles. Our all-electric, pollution-free furnaces in Texas, Iowa, and Minnesota melt the virgin bronze and aluminum ingot used in the process. Our hand-finished product is produced for you in about 8 days – often for less than what you would expect to pay for such quality.

## Durability & Long Lasting Beauty

- Natural satin is standard but not the only option
- · Lifetime guarantee on all finishes
- Mounting hardware included with all orders with appropriate stud diameter for quality installation
- All materials cast are lead and mercury free

## Cast = Quality + Affordability

- Over 50 standard styles are more economical than sheet cut aluminum or bronze products.
- The depth in cast letters is unmatched
- Custom logos are available at minimal expense–especially with repeat orders or duplicate pieces
- Our hand finished letters come in 16 different finishes including polished, anodized, or oxidized

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**Clinical Labs Building** 

**Research Buildings** 

UC DAVIS Medical Center

## Where to Use Gemini Cast

- when depth is required in letterstyle and/or logo
- on professional offices, universities and government buildings
- when flat cut-out is too expensive
- when needing a sense of permanency

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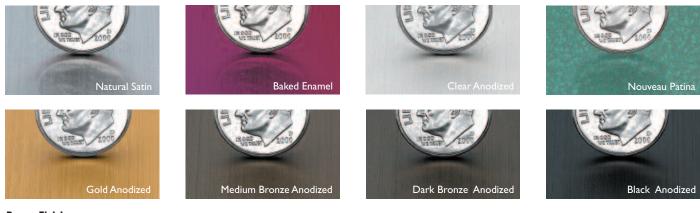
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#### **Aluminum Finishes**



**Bronze Finishes** 





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NOTE: All Patinas, by their very nature, will vary from letter to letter and order to order. Patina finishes may "bleed" onto the installation surface when installed outside. Nouveau Patina is a powdercoated, simulated Patina finish on an aluminum letter.

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# **FABRICATED LETTERS**

Gemini is proud to add to its line of dimensional letters, Fabricated Stainless Steel. Beginning with your artwork or any standard style, Gemini cuts premium sheets of stainless steel or titanium coated stainless steel to the requested letter or logo shapes.

#### Our manufacturing capability, although able to produce to the bigbest standards, remains somewhat limited in size — therefore we may not be able to accommodate all requests for quote or orders.

Letter returns are bent to the contour of the laser cut faces, and handsoldered using a lead-free silver solder. All fabricated products are either buffed, stroked, or painted per specification. While not nearly as durable to impact as cast letters or flat cut metal letters, the channel fabrication is perfect for various forms of illumination.

## **Hand Crafted Beauty**

- Light weight metal installation
- Channels are perfect for LED and neon
- Virtually unlimited design potential
- True mirror polish finishes available
- · Stainless steel is much more durable than aluminum

# WATERJET CUT METAL

Waterjet cut letters offer the combination of the precision available in a CNC controlled 70,000 psi cutting head and the durability and distinction of pure metal. Gemini's 5 locations across Canada and the U.S. can take your .EPS, CDR, or other vector-based art file and use it to carve out a design from cold rolled sheets of aluminum, brass, bronze, copper, or even stainless steel. Once cut, your order is less than half-way through the process—your order will be hand-finished to your specification: whether polished, anodized, or even powder coated. Gemini waterjet cut letters are all durable enough for outdoors, yet perfect enough for any boardroom application.



## **Incredible Precision & Options**

- From 1/2" to 60"(or larger) letters & logos
- 8 metals, 6 gauges, & 41 finishes are standard
- Sharp .02" inside radii on all corners
- · Custom painting available--one or more colors

## **Durability and Beauty**

- Endures even the harshest conditions
- Blemish free quality polyurethane paints or high performance powder clear coat on aluminum letters
- Made in U.S.A. (at a site near you) in less than 8 days
- All scrap is recovered for use in casting operations



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#### Where to Use Gemini Waterjet Cut Metal

- when an intricate metal letterstyle or logo is required
- virtually any business, organization, or institution
- when brass, copper or steel is needed
- under all weather and environmental conditions
- indoor signage that falls under the closest scrutiny



#### **Aluminum Finishes**



NOTE: Champagne and Light Bronze colors are available.

#### **Bronze Finishes**







Dark Oxidized





**NOTE:** All Patinas, by their very nature, will vary from letter to letter and order to order. Patina finishes will "bleed" onto the installation surface when installed outside.

#### **Brass Finishes**









**Stainless Steel Finishes** 



















# **GEMINI METAL LETTERS**

For applications where small letters are a necessity, yet the utmost quality and precision is needed in metal letters – select Gemini Minis. Made from the same material and finished to the same quality standards as other Gemini metal letters, Gemini minis are the option for your circumstances where use of extremely small letters are a necessity.

In order to obtain the tight precision required on letters of this size, we limit our manufacturing to 1/8" and 3/16" thicknesses only. In addition, due to the small size and thin strokes of these letters, anodized and patina finishes are not available.

#### **Mini-Metal Letters**

- Available in sizes from 1/2" to 1-3/4" in height.
- Available in Aluminum, Brass & Bronze.
- Certain typestyles may not be available or may not be available with stud mounts.
- No mounting patterns, but free plot drawings included.

#### **Finish Options**

- Any Polished
- Brass & Bronze Oxidized
- Baked Enamel
- Stud mount on 3/16" material, minimum 3/16" stroke



Don't be fooled by imitation; Gemini manufactures only metal plaques — pure metal through and through — to your specifications. Whether the plaques are Architectural, Etched, or those meeting ADA specifications — Gemini can create the marker, seal or plaque you need in just 8 working days. Gemini uses a variety of methods to manufacture our plaques — all using virgin materials of the highest alloys. Whether lead and mercury free bronze, high-grade aluminum, lead-free brass or #304 or even #316 stainless steel — Gemini has the metal you need to make a lasting impression. Recognize an individual or place; capture a historic footnote; or use a plaque for signage — and order it from Gemini.

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## No extra charges or hidden fees

- 8-day production is standard no rush charges
- Choose any custom shape same price
- The first 1200 letters are free
- Standard hardware included

## Incredible variety and level of detail

- Cast, Architectural, Etched & ADA available
- Bas reliefs, custom logos, & choice of mounting
- Government seals, rosettes, and virtually any typestyle
- Custom borders, edge detail, & surface finishes



In loving memory of William H. Lumberg Founder TPS, Inc. 1949-2006

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## Where to Use Gemini Plaques

- universities, public buildings, golf courses & casinos
- monument signs & entrances
- dedications, awards & recognitions
- for upscale wayfinding and ADA applications
- boardroom or lobby signage for maximum impression

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# **ETCHED PLAQUES**

Gemini's etched plaques are made from virgin sheet stock that is always lead & mercury free. The chemical etching process allows us to reproduce even the most complex artwork onto the surface of the metal. Used in combination with Gemini's cast and architectural plaque lines – etched medallions and emblems provide the precision needed to make the perfect plaque or marker. Gemini can etch Brass, Bronze, Copper and Stainless Steel in varying gauges and dimensions – and like Gemini's architectural plaques, 8 day production is standard on every etched plaque order.



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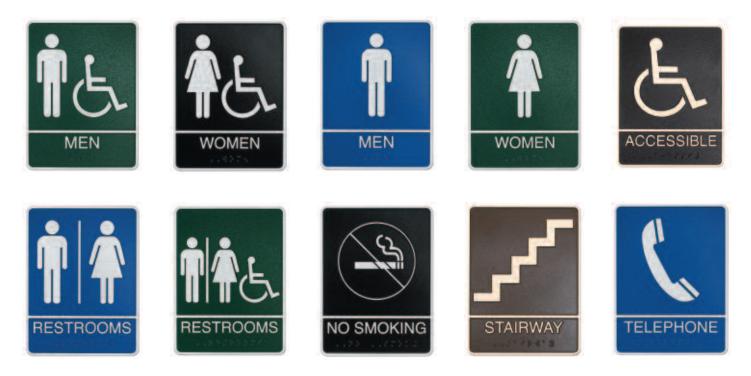
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# **ADA Metal Plaques**

Gemini ADA directional signage offers beauty, style and compliance. Available in the standard 6" x 8" x .25" with a stipple or sand background, or in your own custom design.

Don't let ADA signage requirements be an eyesore – order solid aluminum, bronze & Brass ADA compliant plaques from Gemini. Unlike other ADA compliant products – Gemini's patent pending process does not use loose beads for the braille component; or rely on imperfect, non-compliant castings. Like our plaques – they are perfect every time.



In addition, Gemini can provide customization in both color & design to allow you to make your ADA signage work with your location, not stick out from it.



A good sign is not a nicety...it's a necessity.

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