The ANSI/AWI 0620 - Finish Carpentry/Installation Standard is intended to provide guidelines for the installation of architectural woodwork and related interior products.

This standard encompasses a variety of architectural woodwork applications, including wall and ceiling surfaces, architectural casework, standing and running trim, and passage doors.

This standard establishes structural and aesthetic tolerances for each of the aforementioned applications, ensuring that the final product is of the utmost quality with regards to visual appeal and structural integrity.

This standard is intended for use by individuals and organizations from all aspects of the architectural woodwork industry, including architects, design professionals, manufacturer/suppliers, contractors, installers, and end users. Individuals within the architectural woodwork industry will use this standard to maintain a high degree of control over the aesthetic quality and the structural integrity of their work, ensuring that potential differentiations in the workmanship and implementation of architectural woodwork projects are made uniform.

The requirements contained within this standard are derived from AWI's Architectural Woodwork Standards that the organization has been publishing in various formats since its inception in 1953. Each requirement has been thoroughly vetted by a committee of leading volunteer professionals in the architectural woodwork industry to ensure that the content is up-to-date and relevant to the current industry requirements.
Effective March 15, 2019, this standard succeeds, replaces, and supplants the Installation Sections of the Architectural Woodwork Standards, Ed. 2 (2014) as the most current version of the AWI Standard for Finish Carpentry/Installation.

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CPA - Composite Panel Association
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1.0 Purpose