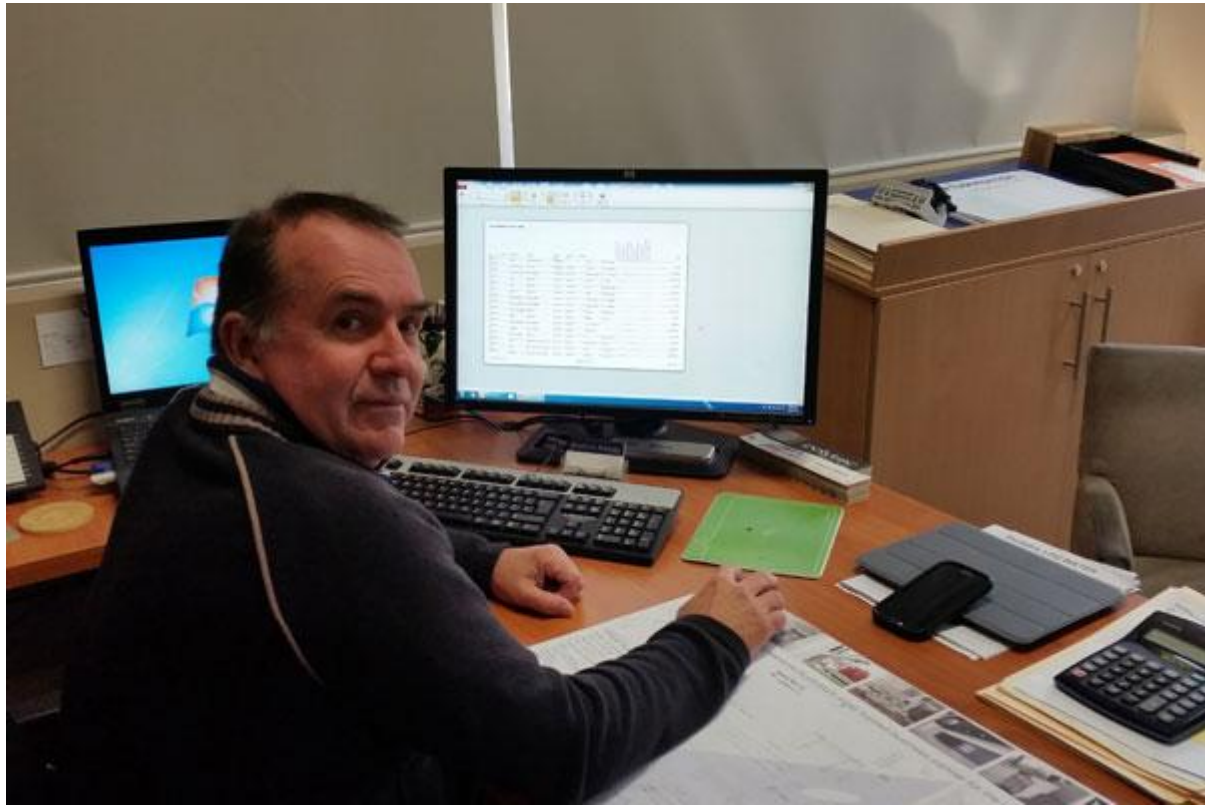


Finecut Joinery & Empower Software

- Case Study

(Sydney, NSW)(24/05/2015)

Empower Factory Productivity Software



"We have achieved a 25% increase in our staff and factory productivity"

Core Products Manufactured (or Core Business)	White Good Appliance Displays mainly
% Production is custom one off designs (each job different to the next)	100%
Any Key Background Information	
# Factory Floor Staff	5
# Total Staff	13
Annual Revenue (approx)	Confidential
Factory and Office Size m2	1000m2

# of CNCs	1 CNC and 1 computerised panel saw
Geography Serviced	Mostly Sydney and NSW, however we go nationwide
Staff Times on Jobs Recording prior to Empower	No form of time tracking previously
Years in Business	18
Associations and any positions held	FIAA
Staff Groups Tracked on Empower	Factory staff, pre production staff in office and site workers
Years using Empower	3 years
# PCs or tablets on the Factory Floor with Empower on	3
# Of our Managers using Empower	3
Estimated Productivity Gains using Empower	We have achieved a 25% increase in our staff and factory productivity. We have maintained production levels and not had to replace 2 staff that left (1 position in factory and 1 on site), so our current 8 staff are doing the workload of our 10 staff previously. This is a 25% increase in staff and factory productivity.

Key Points on Empower Software:

1. It has been much easier and more accurate for us to provide clients with an ETA, especially when using both Empower Time Tracking and Job Scheduling Software
2. Empower and the factory PCs force factory staff to be aware of their budgeted and actual times on each job and take responsibility for jobs they work on
3. Our factory staff are aware of how long they are taking on a job realise the importance of finishing on time
4. Empower has helped management and the sales team ensure that our prices are accurate as far as our labour component is concerned

Empower Software has been very good for us and I regularly recommend it to other joiners.

Anyone is welcome to phone me to discuss Empower

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