# Cedar Impressions®

Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles



# Capture the beauty of natural cedar. Keep the look forever.

Throughout its lifespan, the beauty of natural cedar changes with the effects of time and weather. Now, CertainTeed makes it possible to choose the cedar appearance you prefer — freshly sawn or aged — and keep the look you choose forever.

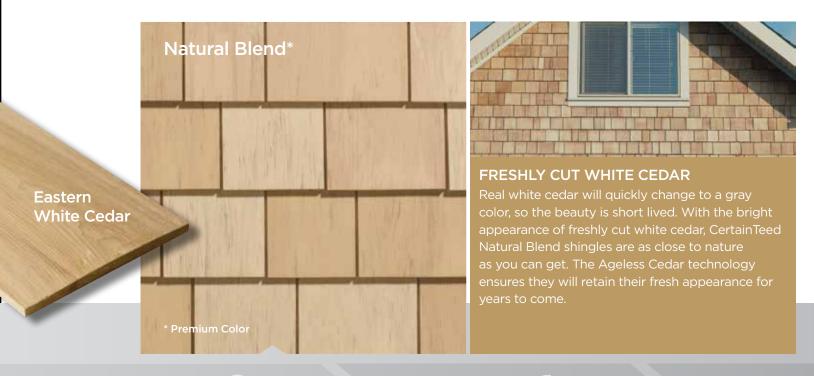
Cedar Impressions<sup>a</sup> Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles are **the industry's first** polymer shingles that feature an innovative, blended color throughout. Each shingle reflects the sawmill texture of real cedar and installs in the same manner as individual cedar shingles. Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles are also available in five solid colors.

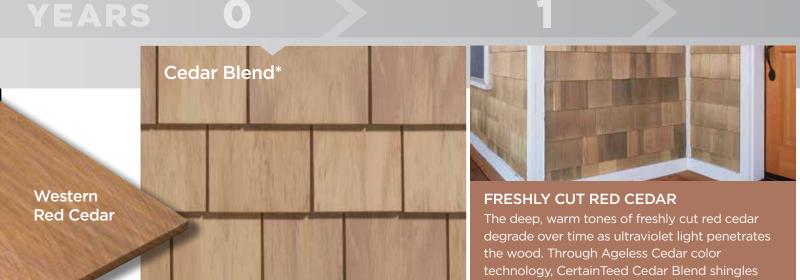




# Introducing Ageless Cedar

CertainTeed's innovative Ageless Cedar Color Blends capture the appearance of natural Eastern White Cedar and Western Red Cedar at various life stages. Ageless Cedar enables the selection of unique, random color patterns for one-of-a-kind exterior designs.





provide a natural red cedar appearance that never degrades and will not require continual

maintenance.

\* Premium Color

# Make time stand still

Aging takes time - and time can't be stopped. These two truths impact the look of natural cedar. As cedar weathers, it will continually change color, moving towards, or away, from the desired color preference. CertainTeed's Ageless Cedar color blends make time stand still, assuring that the shades and patterns chosen today will remain fresh and beautiful for a lifetime.





### AGED WHITE CEDAR

Eastern white cedar begins as a lovely light tan and evolves to silver gray as it ages. Although beautiful, more often the color can be uneven depending on the effects of weather exposure on each side of the home. Using Ageless Cedar technology, CertainTeed's Driftwood Blend shingles provide the look of aged white cedar at its most beautiful stage, keeping that look indefinitely regardless of the effects of weather.

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### AGED RED CEDAR

Western red cedar starts as a warm russet color that weathers to black over time. In between it can appear as various shades of grays and browns. Almost always, the color can be uneven depending on the amount of sun, wind and rain exposure each side of the home receives. Ageless Cedar technology ensures CertainTeed Rustic Blend shingles capture the seasoned look of cedar with a consistent weathering pattern that will not change over time.

# 12 Ageless Cedar<sup>™</sup> Color Blends

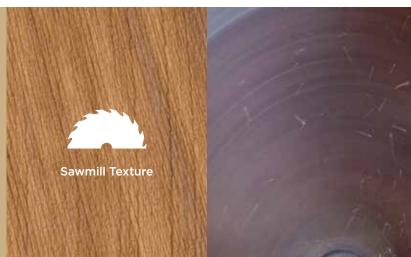
Ageless Cedar colors honor the natural aging process of cedar by offering four color families — and a progression of shades within each — that replicate the authentic appearance of cedar at different life stages.

\* Premium Color

Natural Blend*	Cedar Blend*	Driftwood Blend*	Rustic Blend*
Natural Blend - Light	Cedar Blend - Light	Driftwood Blend - Light	Rustic Blend - Light
Natural Blend – Medium	Cedar Blend – Medium	Driftwood Blend - Medium	Rustic Blend – Medium
Natural Blend – Dark	Cedar Blend- Dark	Driftwood Blend- Dark	Rustic Blend- Dark

# TrueTexture™

Whether individually split with hand tools, or sawn and split in a lumber mill, individual cedar shingles have a texture and character all their own. Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles are the industry's first polymer product manufactured as a single shingle with molded textures and patterns that replicate the effect of saw blades.



# 5 Solid Colors

Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles also come in long-lasting solid colors that have the look of freshly painted cedar. Unlike real cedar, Cedar Impressions shingles will never require painting or maintenance due to chipping paint.

**Natural Clay** 

**Sterling Gray Seagrass** edar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shing Trim: Restoration Millwork



# Color Throughout

Savannah Wicker

Colonial White

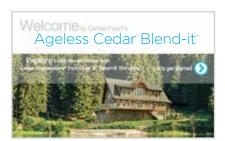
The beautiful colors and shades of Cedar Impressions shingles are an integral component of the siding. Unlike competitive products that have color applied only on the surface, CertainTeed's proprietary manufacturing process results in blended color throughout the shingle. The result is an authentic, blended-wood look.

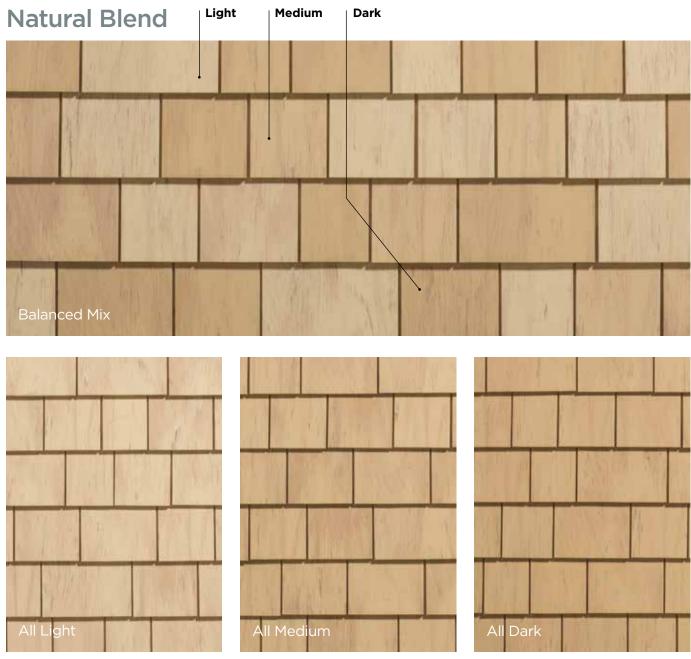
# One-of-a-Kind Designs

Freedom of design is provided through the ability to select individual shingle shades and mix them into unique, one-of-a-kind designs with random textures, widths and coloration. The custom design of Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles offers professionals a compelling design alternative that showcases the craftsman's touch and assures that no two homes will ever look alike.

# Ageless Cedar™ Blend-it™ Tool

Visit our color selector tool to further explore Ageless Cedar Color Blend mixes of Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles. See how Color Blends look on a home to help you choose your own one-of-a-kind design at **certainteed.com/blend-it.** 

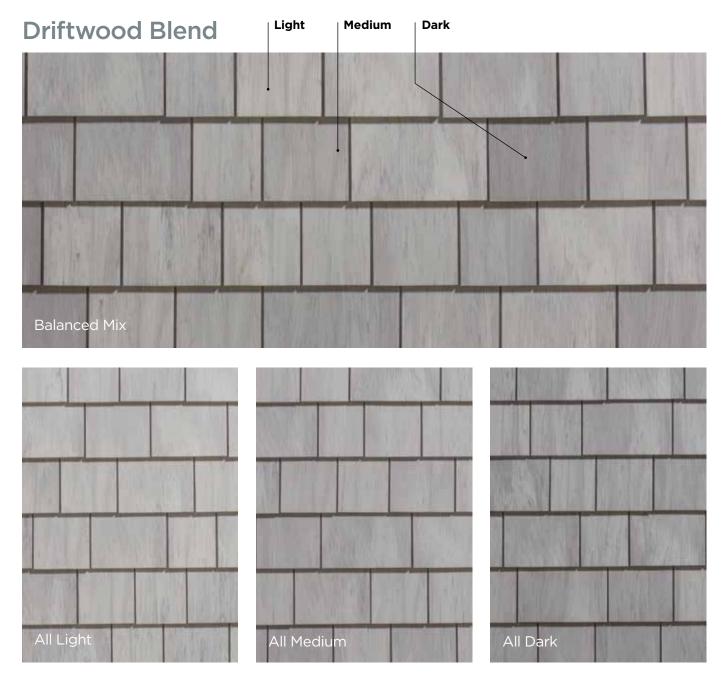
















# The Craftsman's Touch

Cedar shingle installation is an art perfected over time. Craftsmen who have always worked with cedar can apply their same skills to the installation of Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles. At the same time, professionals familiar with polymer panel installations will find it easy to learn Cedar Impressions single-shingle installation techniques. In either case, the application of Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles showcases the craftsman's touch.





# 7 Shingle widths

All Cedar Impressions 5" Individual Sawmill Shingles come in seven different widths which allow for random installation and one-of-a-kind designs.



# Trimmable Corner

Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Trimmable Corner Pieces help corners blend naturally.

# Maximum character. Minimum care.



A home sided with natural cedar shingles has a character all its own. But, this character comes with a price for upkeep. Continual expenditures of time and money will be necessary as wood ages and weathers. With Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles, maximum character is maintained with minimum care.

### Lower Maintenance

Cedar Impressions stays beautiful and consistent in color on all sides of the home and without continual maintenance. Real cedar shingles must be stained or bleached to prevent discoloration. These treatments will need to be repeated over time.

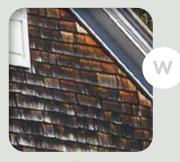
### REAL CEDAR SHINGLES WEATHER

A home's exterior walls will be affected by weather patterns coming from the north, south, east or west. This can cause cedar shingles to weather inconsistently from one side of a home to another.



### **North Wall**

North-facing walls tend to weather more slowly and uniformly, but can be more prone to mold and mildew due to lower exposure to sun.



### **West Wall**

Cedar-sided walls with a western exposure are often impacted by afternoon sunlight and wind-driven moisture, causing inconsistent weathering.



### **East Wall**

East-facing walls in some areas can be affected by strong storms, salt water and morning sun, resulting in uneven weathering patterns.



### **South Wall**

Exposure to sunlight can cause cedar on south-facing walls to rapidly bleach out and fade.



## **Lower Cost**

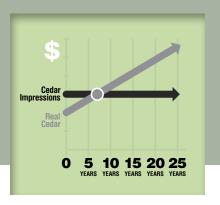
Natural cedar is one of the most expensive siding materials and is costly to maintain and repair. Cedar Impressions offers an alternative that requires very little maintenance, significantly reducing long-term costs.

# **Higher Durability**

Over time, the effects of weather and age can cause wood to split, warp, buckle, crack and rot. Cedar Impressions is engineered to retain its like-new appearance and outstanding durability for years to come.

# Pest-Free

Wood is a natural attraction for insects and other pests that can cause damage to cedar siding and become a nuisance around the home. Cedar Impressions offers a solution to this problem.







# A responsible choice

Peace of mind is one of the most important benefits delivered by Cedar Impressions. It's a responsible choice that supports goals for reliability, sustainability and security.

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Trusted Brand

# Confidence worth building on

CertainTeed siding is the brand preferred by building professionals and homeowners according to surveys conducted by national trade magazines.
CertainTeed is an industry leader for over 100 years.



# Sustainable

The manufacture of Cedar Impressions does not require the foresting of cedar trees.
Cedar Impressions is 100 percent recyclable and offers significantly lower environmental impact than other cladding options.\*

\*Based on life cycle assessment studies conducted through the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).



Lifetime Limited Warranty

# Superior quality

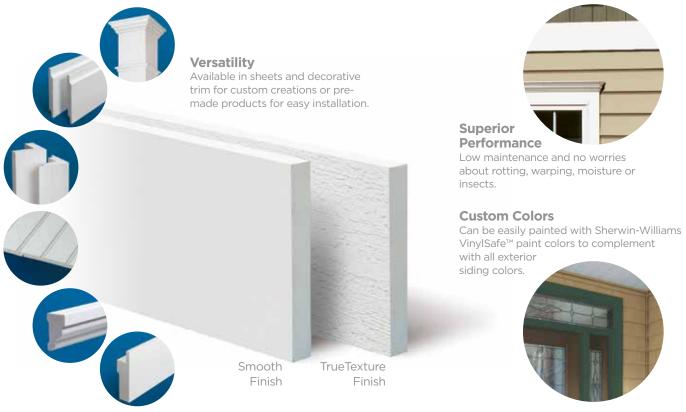
CertainTeed backs Cedar Impressions with a superb warranty covering product quality, durability and performance. Unlike wood shingles, Cedar Impressions shingles will not rot or decay.

# Finishing Touches

# Restoration Millwork®—The Ultimate Finish

With Restoration Millwork, CertainTeed offers solutions that meet the needs of both professionals and homeowners. Restoration Millwork trim makes a statement of authenticity on any home's exterior; it cuts, mills, shapes and routes like the finest top-grade lumber. But, because

it's made from cellular PVC, Restoration Millwork will outlast wood.



# Designing with Color

Ageless Cedar color blends and solid colors coordinate well with CertainTeed's decorative trim colors. Whether you want to create high contrast or subtle trim accents, CertainTeed can help you reach your design goal. Below are a few examples of complementary accent colors for Cedar Impressions Individual 5" Sawmill Shingles.



\*Sherwin-Williams VinylSafe Technology colors must be used when choosing darker colors that have a Light Reflecting Value (LRV) of 54 or lower. For colors with a LRV of 55 or higher (the higher the LRV, the lighter the color), you can safely use an acrylic latex paint.







# Color and Design Tools www.certainteed.com/colortools

# We can help

What is your color and design comfort level?

### **NOVICE**

You are not sure about colors and are not sure where to start.

### **ColorCoach™**

Gives you a virtual swatchbook



### INTERMEDIATE

You understand color and enjoy experimenting with color combinations but aren't exactly sure which color direction you want to go.

# COLOR VIEW® EXTERIOR STYLE & COLOR SELECTOR

### Online

Mix and match colors and styles on a wide variety of pre-populated home styles to get ideas.



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### **EXPERT**

You already know what colors you want to use, but would like to see how the products available in your color theme will look together on your home.



### DIY

Immediately begin designing by uploading a project picture and quickly mix and match products on your own project.



# **Pro** OR

Have a photo of your home professionally masked in a few days so you can



visualize in ColorView tool.

# with your decisions.

# Want More Ideas?

# No Place Like Home Brochure This brochure helps inspire ideas (pub. no. CTS435).

Go online for the PDF version or call 800-782-8777 for the brochure.









# CertainTeed products are designed to work together and complement each other in color and style to give your home a beautiful finished look.



