

Benefits of stainless steel in commercial facilities

Stainless steel possesses a number of performance characteristics that make it the most logical choice when specifying doors, frames and door hardware for a commercial facility.



It is particularly useful in more corrosive environments that are **high traffic areas** (e.g. public buildings such as museums or hotels), **require higher levels of sterility and sanitation** (e.g. hospitals or labs), or **may endure greater wear-and-tear** (e.g. subways or airports).

According to a *Performance Study of Steel Doors and Frames Compared to Other Materials**, there is a natural strength to steel that allows it to withstand more natural and man-made abuse, is more sanitary, and easier to maintain than other materials such as wood, aluminum and fiberglass.

Key advantages include:

- **Resistance to physical abuse:** Steel is exceptional at withstanding the abuse of daily wear-and-tear.
- **Anti-microbial properties:** It has superior anti-microbial properties, making it ideal for sterile environments.
- **Maintenance and repair:** Steel offers one of the best price/performance ratios for maintenance and repair.
- **Longevity:** With superior lifetime value, steel often provides the greatest economic value over the life of the product (particularly doors).

Suite your commercial facility with stainless steel

Allegion offers multiple stainless steel product lines that allow you to design facility doors, exit devices and levers that all match for a coordinated look and style.

- **Steelcraft stainless steel doors and frames:** Engineered to meet the architectural requirements for stainless steel doors and frames in building applications requiring exceptional corrosion resistance and/or high design appearance, the Steelcraft LS & FS-Series are designed for durability and flexibility to fit virtually any construction requirement for commercial, institutional and industrial building application.



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- **Von Duprin stainless steel levers for exit devices:**
Von Duprin now offers five stainless steel lever designs for the [33/35A](#) and [98/99](#) series exits.
- **Schlage L-Series mortise lock:** Two new stainless steel levers have been added to the mortise lock, providing additional stainless steel suiting options with Von Duprin.

Stainless steel levers for Von Duprin 33/35A and 98/99 exit devices:



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Typical applications for stainless steel

Transportation terminals

- Airports
- Subways
- Train tunnels
- Bus terminals

Research, medical and food processing

- Hospitals
- Pharmaceutical manufacturing
- Bio labs and vivariums
- Food and beverage processing plants

Civil construction

- Waste water treatment plants
- Bridges
- Desalination plants
- Marine transfer stations

Places of assembly

- Museums
- Performing arts center
- Casinos, hotels, spas
- Convention centers

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