



Stellar is a fully integrated firm focused on design, engineering, construction and mechanical services worldwide. The company has extensive successful project experience in healthcare, commercial, educational, institutional, office, hospitality, military, automotive, industrial, food and beverage, refrigeration, distribution, power and utilities markets.

**Staff:** More than 600 direct-employed architects, engineers, construction professionals, refrigeration specialists and service technicians

**Founded:** 1985 with 12 employees

**Corporate structure:** Privately held

**Headquarters:** Jacksonville, Florida

**Locations:** Stellar maintains 12 strategic support locations throughout the United States. Internationally, Stellar has offices in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) region, China and Puerto Rico. It also serves Central and South America, Europe and India.

**Geographic scope:** International

**Revenue, fiscal year ending in June 2010:** \$484.5 million

## **Markets and services**

### Stellar Food & Beverage Facility Services

Stellar has focused on the food and beverage industry since its inception in 1985, designing and building processing facilities throughout the Western Hemisphere. The company is widely recognized as one of the industry leaders in this sector. Construction industry trade publication *Engineering News-Record* repeatedly recognizes Stellar as the number-one design-build firm serving food and beverage processors.

### Stellar Commercial

Stellar Commercial's architects, engineers and construction professionals provide comprehensive design and construction services to the public and private sectors. The team has built award-winning facilities across the United States ranging from corporate headquarters and office complexes to automotive dealerships and military facilities.

### Stellar Distribution Facility Services

Stellar Distribution Facility Services provides architecture, engineering and construction services for public refrigerated warehouses and retail, wholesale and food service distribution facilities. In addition to new facility construction, Stellar also provides services for expansions and renovations.

### Stellar Refrigeration Services

Stellar Refrigeration Services is one of the leading refrigeration contractors in the world for industrial ammonia, CO<sub>2</sub>, and other alternative refrigeration systems. The team designs, constructs and delivers high-quality packaged refrigeration units and operates a network of refrigeration and parts locations to serve a range of industries.

### Stellar Energy Systems

Stellar Energy Systems designs and fabricates turbine inlet air chilling (TIAC) systems and modular utility plants.

### Stellar Thermal Construction Services

Stellar's thermal construction experts design, install, maintain and repair insulated metal wall panels, ceiling and roof systems. Integrated teams of architects, engineers, construction managers, superintendents and field technicians handle turnkey thermal project development – from the design phase through completion. With more than 125 professionals, Stellar Thermal Construction Services leads the industry in size, experience and expertise, and serves both external clients and Stellar's construction teams.

### **Leadership**

- Ronald H. Foster, Chief Executive Officer & President
- Michael S. Santarone, Chief Operating Officer & Senior Vice President
- Scott V. Witt, Chief Financial Officer & Senior Vice President

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