

Jim Cunningham is the Master(cam) of his Universe.

Crofton, Maryland

Jim Cunningham and Cunningham Motorsports LLC are pleased to announce that CNC Software Inc., of Tolland, C.T. and their signature program Mastercam has signed on as a Major Manufacturing Partner.

“CNC Software and Mastercam CAD/CAM software have been instrumental in our recent gains with our engine program,” said Crew Chief Tom Sweeny. “When Jim hired me back in 2005 our first priority was to establish an engine shop that was capable of generating a competitive Pro Stock engine. We realized that we needed to get ahead of the curve when it came to machining capabilities. One of our first purchases was a 5-axis CNC machine; one of the reasons we chose this particular machine was the inclusion of Mastercam CAD/CAM software. The Mastercam allows us to machine our cylinder heads from raw castings to a finished product right in our shop. In addition, CNC allows us to design and produce parts and fixtures that would take weeks to procure and quite costly. The investment that we have in Mastercam programming has paid for itself in the first year of operation.” Sweeny adds, “Depending on the complexity of the project, with Mastercam we can take a concept, then design, produce a tool path, and machine the part in as little as a day. The use of CNC has proven to be one of our better decisions and we are absolutely ecstatic that Mastercam has decided to expand their relationship with us.”

About Mastercam:

Developed by CNC Software, Inc., Mastercam is a Windows®-based CAD/CAM software for 2- through 5-axis milling and turning; 2- and 4-axis wire EDM; 2D and 3D design, surface, and solid modeling; artistic relief cutting, and 2D and 3D routing. CNC Software is a privately owned corporation founded in 1984. The U.S.-based company provides Mastercam CAD/CAM solutions to more than 124,936 installations in 75 countries in industries including mold making, prototyping, automotive, medical, aerospace, and consumer products. Mastercam runs under Windows 2000, Windows XP, and Windows Vista, and is compatible with all other CAD/CAM systems. For more information about CNC Software, Inc. and its Mastercam family of products, contact:

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