# Welcome to the OPC Information CD

**Installation of the CD.**

The OPC Information CD will automatically load the main function screen with the button selections as described below, provided the machine has the AUTORUN function turned on. This function can be turned on in the control panel selections.

(See the Microsoft Windows documentation for the details).

Otherwise, the CD can be run by using the RUN selection from the Microsoft START menu. Select RUN, Browse the CD to locate the application program **StartOPC** on the main directory of the OPC Information CD. Select this program, make sure the program named **StartOPC** is in the RUN window and click OK.

To access the information on this CD, a series of buttons are provided. Each performs a specific function for viewing the CD contents.

Use your mouse to click on the desired information display function. As the mouse goes over a button, a short description of the button function is displayed. The 4 buttons and their functions are:

**Using this CD**
> This link contains important information regarding setting-up and using this CD. Please read carefully before attempting to use this product.

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>> The OPC Product Catalog
>> The OPC Specification
>> The OPC White Papers

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**EXIT**
> The button to stop the CD applications and return control to Windows.

**Read OPC Documents**
> The OPC Product Catalog, White Papers and Specifications on this CD are Adobe Acrobat files and must be viewed or printed using the Adobe Acrobat 3.0 or greater. If you don't already have this program installed on your computer, the installer for this program has been included on the CD for your convenience. Installation can be done by using the RUN selection from the Start Menu on the desktop. Select RUN and browse the CD to select **Acrd4enu** and click OK. After you have installed the acrobat Reader application, use the **Read OPC Documents** button to view the stored documents.
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> The OPC Product Catalog, White Papers and Specifications use Adobe Navigation aids and links to your default web browser to activate web sites and e-mail addresses listed in the product catalog.

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