

# LYPTUS® WOOD EASELS BY RICHESON

**Lyptus® Wood** is a new trend in creating more environmentally responsible products. A premium-grade hardwood, Lyptus® is grown on highly-productive, environmentally friendly plantations in South America. The plantations are a mix of eucalyptus trees and native tropical forest, ensuring a natural ecosystem.

A naturally-occurring hybrid of *Eucalyptus grandis* and *Eucalyptus urophylla*, Lyptus® forests are 11 times more productive than a temperate forest. Thriving in the warm climate of Brazil, Lyptus® trees are ready for harvest in as little as 14-16 years as opposed to 50-70 years in colder regions.

Not only are Lyptus® plantations using land that had become useless by years of intensive logging and farming, but for every two hectares (1 Hectare = 2.471 Acres) of Lyptus® plantation planted, one hectare of new native forest is planted. The mills used to produce Lyptus® Wood use proprietary technology in a sustainable and an environmentally friendly manner. The entire process from planting, to pruning, to manufacturing is carried out with the environment in mind.

**GRAIN:** Straight grain and fine, even texture

**CHARACTERISTICS:** Because trees are hand-pruned throughout their growing years, wood is very uniform and has fewer knots.

**DURABILITY:** Lyptus® has similar density, strength and technical properties as hardwood maple. Lyptus® is about 45% heavier than Mahogany, the boards are much straighter, flatter, and smoother.

**COLOR:** The color of Lyptus® varies from pink to pale red-brown with dark pink variations.

**FINISHING:** Lyptus® is receptive to all common types of finishing including both water and solvent based lacquers, various types of pigments, oils and waxes.

**Please note:** that there may be natural variances in the color of our Lyptus® Wood Easels and an occasional change in logo placement. These variances are to be considered a testament to the uniqueness of each easel and not a defect.



## Richeson Lyptus Wood Santa Fe II Easel

This easel is excellent for most large work. An artist can work sitting or standing, with a variety of easily adjusted settings and angles. It features a double laminated quad base, side frames and sturdy H-frame construction. An adjustable extension on the main frame allows added solidity for larger canvases. The Lyptus Santa Fe II comes with two top canvas holders. The self-leveling bottom tray/palette features a melamine paint mixing surface with two large stainless steel canisters. Its marine style winch raises and lowers easily allowing works weighing up to 200 lbs. Also, the plastic front locking casters offer an ease of mobility.

- Base width/depth: 24" x 30"
- Minimum easel height: 129"
- Max. canvas height: 106"
- Bottom tray width: 30"
- Maximum easel height: 78"
- Box Dimensions: 75" x 28" x 6"
- Shipping weight: 108lbs.
- Ships by truck, some assembly required

NUMBER 886025 

Lyptus® regrowth from stump of harvested tree.





## A. Richeson Lyptus Wood Dulce Easel

The sliding mast moves independent of the painting tray, offering artists a greater variety of settings in which to work. By extending the mast to its highest point and leaving the painting tray in its lowest setting, artists are able to work on very large canvases. Alternately, by moving the mast to its lowest setting, especially where ceiling height is a concern, artists can work both sitting and standing allowing for great versatility. With its H-frame construction and quad base, this easel offers great stability for working seated or standing. A slide and lock system adjusts the height.

- Maximum canvas height: 84"
- Base width/depth: 21" x 24"
- Compact easel height: 58"
- Extended easel height: 95"
- Box dimensions: 57" x 21" x 4"
- Shipping weight: 28 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

NUMBER 840200

## B. ~~Richeson Lyptus Wood Giant Dulce Easel~~

~~This sturdy Dulce easel is especially built for larger canvases, yet it has the ability to fold flat for storage!~~

- ~~Maximum canvas height: 85"~~
- ~~Base width/depth: 23" x 30"~~
- ~~Compact easel height: 68"~~
- ~~Extended easel height: 107"~~
- ~~Self-leveling feet~~
- ~~Box dimensions: 70" x 24" x 4"~~
- ~~Shipping weight: 38 lbs.~~
- ~~Ships by UPS~~
- ~~Some assembly required~~

NUMBER 840201

## C. Richeson Lyptus Wood Bassett Easel

This easel has a ratchet system for easy canvas height adjustment and goes past a vertical tilt. The sturdy base features leveling feet.

- Maximum canvas height: 39"
- Base width/depth: 20-1/2" x 21"
- Compact easel height: 54-1/2"
- Extended easel height: 86"
- Self-leveling feet
- Box dimensions: 54" x 20" x 5"
- Shipping weight: 20 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

NUMBER 886044

- *Lyptus® Wood is wood from the eucalyptus tree*
- *A durable hardwood; as hard, if not harder than oak*
- *Its finish resembles either a cherry or mahogany wood*
- *Eucalyptus trees are fully mature and ready to be harvested in only 14-16 years*
- *Lyptus® Wood is a renewable resource: trees sprout from the stumps of previously harvested trees*

Lyptus® Wood is an eco-friendly hardwood from Weyerhaeuser. Lyptus® is a registered trademark of Weyerhaeuser. For more information, visit: <http://www.lyptus.com>



# LYPTUS® WOOD H-FRAME EASELS

**H-Frame Easels** are sturdy and solid due to their rectangular frame and rectangular bases. Some models are appropriate for very large canvases. Some H-Frame easels will allow a forward tilt, and some have crank adjustments (See Richeson Lyptus® Wood Santa Fe II) and multiple paint tray features that give artist the flexibility to work large or small on the same easel. Many types of H-Frame easels can be knocked down for easy storage and transport, but please note they are heavier and clumsier in their collapsed state than A-Frame and Single-Mast easels.



### A. Richeson Lyptus Wood Aztec Easel

This adjustable H-frame easel folds flat for easy storage. The bottom tray adjusts with the mast and a wood clamp unit keeps it all secure.

- Maximum canvas height: 51"
- Base width/depth: 20" x 20-1/8"
- Compact easel height: 58"
- Extended easel height: 98"
- Self-leveling feet
- Box dimensions: 60" x 20" x 4"
- Shipping weight: 19 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

**NUMBER 886001**

### B. Richeson Lyptus Wood Lobo Easel

Made of Lyptus® wood, this easel is fully adjustable and can be used horizontally for watercolor work, vertically for oils and acrylic, or tilted forward for pastels. The base shelf measures 21-3/4" x 28".

- Maximum canvas height: 60"
- Base width/depth: 24" x 27"
- Horizontal table height: 36"
- Extended easel height: 96"
- Box dimensions: 55" x 29" x 6"
- Shipping weight: 28 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, partial assembly required

**NUMBER 883201**

### C. Richeson Lyptus Wood Belmont Easel

This portable and versatile easel has two plastic wheels for easy mobility. It can be positioned in horizontal, vertical and past vertical positions.

- Maximum canvas height: 72"
- Base width/depth: 19" x 21" x 1/2"
- Horizontal table height: 34"
- Extended easel height: 84"
- Compact easel height: 45"
- Box dimensions: 52" x 27" x 5"
- Shipping weight: 26 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, partial assembly required

**NUMBER 886021**



## A. Richeson Lyptus Wood Cascade Easel

This adjustable lyre easel features vertical tilt and a non-slip ratchet system for easy canvas height adjustment.

- Maximum canvas height: 49"
- Base width/depth: 35" x 31"
- Compact easel height: 67"
- Extended easel height: 85"
- Box dimensions: 66" x 5" x 4"
- Shipping weight: 19 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

**NUMBER 886042**

## B. Richeson Lyptus Wood Mantoya Easel

An adjustable A-frame easel with a canvas holder that adjusts on the center mast. Folds flat for storage.

- Maximum canvas height: 46"
- Base width/depth: 26-1/2" x 22-1/4"
- Extended easel height: 67"
- Box dimensions: 61" x 6" x 4"
- Shipping weight: 13 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

**NUMBER 886002**

## C. Richeson Lyptus Wood Navajo Easel

This easel adjusts easily to a variety of positions for sitting or standing and folds flat for storage.

- Maximum canvas height: 41-1/2"
- Base width/depth: 27-1/2" x 22"
- Extended easel height: 58"
- Box dimensions: 53" x 4" x 3"
- Shipping weight: 8 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

**NUMBER 885301**

## D. Richeson Lyptus Wood Lancaster Easel

Great for the young student, it features a bottom tray which has a slot for brushes and pencils. A wood clamping unit secures the tray, and the bottom canvas holder adjusts on the center mast.

- Maximum canvas height: 49"
- Base width/depth: 22-3/4" x 33"
- Extended easel height: 60-1/2"
- Box dimensions: 64" x 5" x 3"
- Shipping weight: 15 lbs.
- Ships by UPS, assembly required

**NUMBER 886034**

**A-Frame Easels** use their triangular support to provide a stable base for your painting. These easels are commonly referred to also as Lyre easels. Most versions of this easel can be stored flat. They normally do not allow for a forward tilt at the top of the painting, although some of the "adjustable" lyres will sometimes allow some vertical tilt for pastel work. Canvas size can be somewhat limited compared to an H-Frame easel. The design of this easel, with a single leg in the back, allows you to use it in a corner or in tight spaces.

