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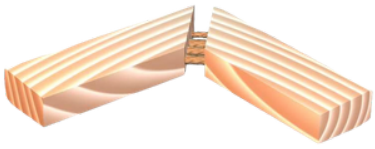
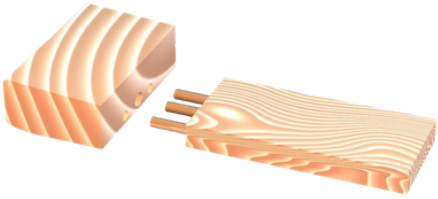
WOODEN STRAINERS

Chassitech Strainers are used as original strainers by artists or for the conservation and restoration of paintings. Thanks to their reliability and guaranteed squareness, they have also been adopted by professionals in the point-of-sale display industry.
They are made from dry, laminated glued wood, providing stability and strength. The wood is free from defects and offers an attractive finish.
To protect the paint layer, the edge in contact with the canvas is rounded.
The joints are either mitred or square, and assembled using wooden dowels, ensuring the strainer remains perfectly square.
Strainers do not feature a canvas tensioning system. However, if the joints are not glued, tensioning remains possible by widening the two parts of the joint.
Chassitech Strainers are available in 3 standard sections. They are supplied unassembled in carefully packaged cardboard packaging with reinforced corners.
For larger quantities, assembled delivery on pallets is also available.



Corner joint



Crossbar joint





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Designation	Material	Type	Section	Crossbars	Recommended max. length	Recommended max. perimeter
S22	Wood	Strainers	22 x 65 mm	17 x 65 mm	1,6 m	6 m
S35	Wood	Strainers	35 x 65 mm	22 x 65 mm	2,8 m	9 m
S85	Wood	Strainers	35 x 85 mm	22 x 85 mm	5 m	15 m

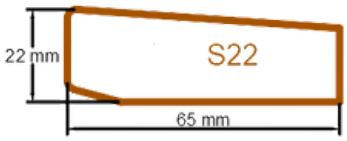
**The recommended dimensions are based on our observations and apply to canvases of standard thickness under moderate tension.*

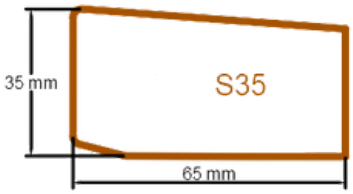
Wood species: pine or fir, depending on availability.

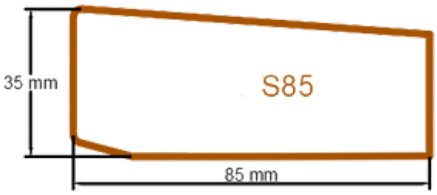
French laminated glued wood sourced from sustainably managed forests. Urea-formaldehyde-free vinyl adhesive.

Made in France – exclusively by Chassitech.

All our strainers are made to measure and are covered by a 1-year warranty against warping.







OPTIONS

- **Shaped stretchers:** Circular, oval, Baroque shapes, with central cut-outs, etc. Almost any shape is possible.
- **Special-section stretchers:** Sharp edges, custom thickness, stretchers incorporating grooves, channels, etc. for various applications.
- **Flat stretchers:** Stretchers generally used to support flat panels.
- **Stretcher-panel assemblies:** Factory-made flat stretchers fitted with a bonded panel, typically plywood.
- **Reinforcement stretchers:** Screwed to the back of an existing stretcher to reinforce it; widely used in conservation and restoration.
- **Curved stretchers:** Designed for curved walls, columns, niches, etc.
- **Polyptychs and folding screens:** Stretchers fitted with hardware or hinges allowing the sections to be displayed with their edges joined.

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