



RIGARDS RG2020WO

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A pairing of tradition (think artisan skills, Inuit visor) and sci-fi machine-age aesthetics (B-2 stealth bomber, Boba Fett, and Terminator), RIGARDS's foray into wood frames is an innovative structure that is sure to stand out on any planet.

As an organic evolution of the aviator anatomy, RG2020WO distinguishes itself with an ultra-thin visor lens fabricated from a single piece of polyamide. Strong and light, large but not absurd, the shield construction has a gentle mirror coating and takes the heat flawlessly whether it be from sunrays or flashbulbs.

The frame's most powerful identity is the beautifully-grained solid wood top bridge—inspired by the infinity symbol—flanked by diagonal reinforcing bars that reference the elegant flying buttresses of Gothic architecture.

To minimize stress on the wood front, we designed a flex-hinge from the ground up: an exclusive mechanism comprising a seamless stainless steel rod capped with an ultralight aluminium-magnesium housing. This set-up diverts the pressure point away from the wood and is achieved without any soldering.

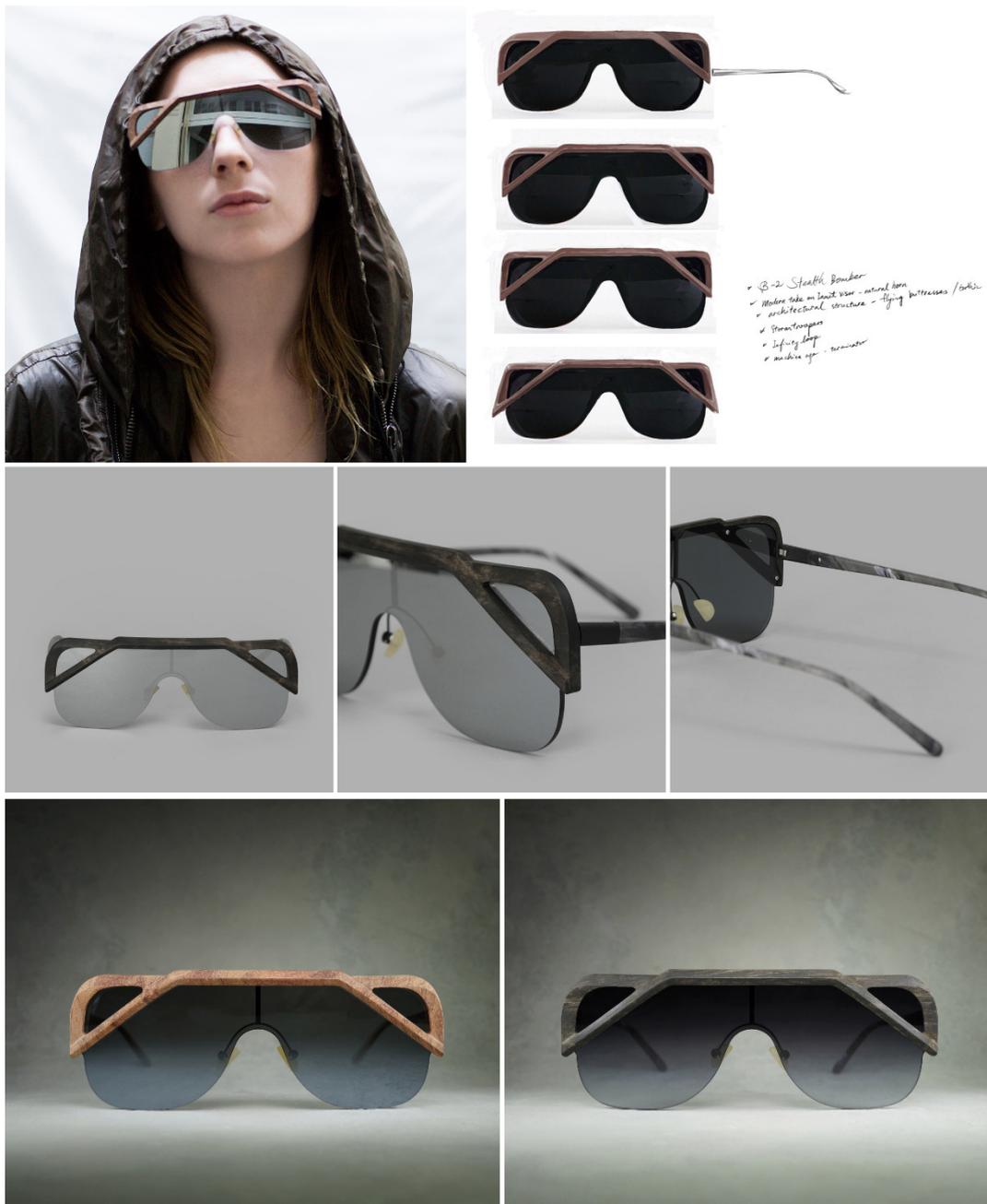
Cleverly concealed wired nose pads handcrafted from horn add all-day comfort wear and grip.

A cross between cool sophistication and badass renegade, dedicated to devotees of all things bold and bodacious.





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About RIGARDS

From the ballsy to the enigmatic, the seductive to the nostalgic, natural horn to sterling silver, RIGARDS frames have forged an instantly recognizable style that combines offbeat aesthetics with a quiet elegance, much of which pertains to the brand's audacious craftsmanship and fresh use of traditional materials. No less compelling are the original signature finishes, imparting nuance and character to the frames and creating a distinctive bespoke element. If you love expressive, nonconformist eyewear, your heart will be gladdened by RIGARDS.

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