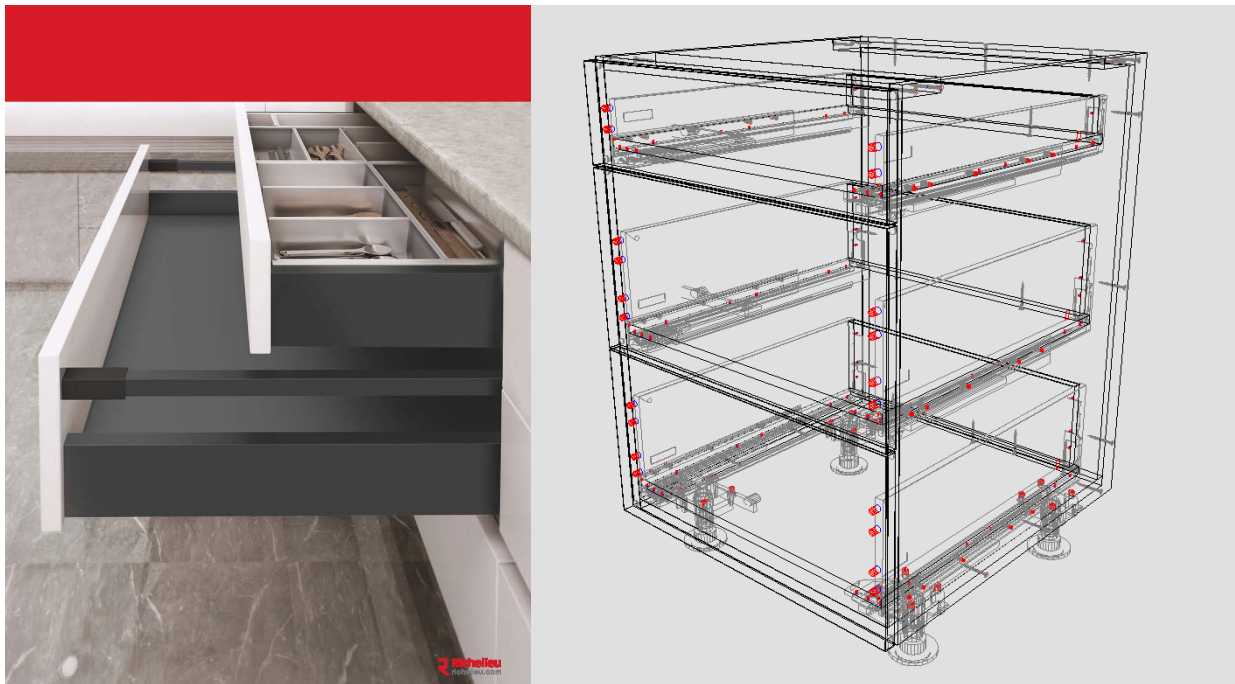


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New Partnership Announcement

Planit Canada and Richelieu Join Forces for Innovative Hardware Packages for Cabinet Vision



Richelieu OPTIMIZ-R drawer system, now available as a downloadable package for Cabinet Vision.

Toronto, 13 November 2023 – Planit Canada, a leading name in woodworking solutions, and Richelieu, a trailblazer in hardware innovation, have come together to introduce a series of cutting-edge hardware packages for Cabinet Vision. This collaboration was officially launched at the Woodworking Machinery & Supply Conference and Expo 2023 (WMS 2023), where Planit technical consultants offered daily demonstrations showcasing the ease of use of these groundbreaking packages.

The centrepiece of this collaboration is the Richelieu Axial, a modern, right-angled, and sophisticated drawer system. Boasting slim double panels with straight and symmetrical lines, the AXIAL metal drawer is designed with simplicity, style, and timelessness. Its sleek design offers maximum storage possibilities, complemented by various finishes to match any decor seamlessly.

Key Features of Richelieu Axial:

- Perfect Movement: Soft-close and opening with gears for unmatched stability.
- Easy Assembly: Works without a locking device for a hassle-free setup.
- Versatility: Offered in three splendid finishes, various depths, and heights.
- Perfect Installation: Three-dimensional adjustment for lateral, height, and rear tilt.
- Reliable Quality: KCMA certification and a limited lifetime warranty ensure lasting value.

The partnership also introduces the Richelieu OPTIMIZ-R, a drawer system designed to optimize space with style. This ingenious metal drawer features slim double panels, allowing users to maximize storage space with a streamlined design. With a solid steel construction, fast and easy assembly, and supporting up to 45 kg (100 lb) paired with the 828 slide, OPTIMIZ-R is a perfect fit for the cabinet industry.

Key Features of Richelieu OPTIMIZ-R:

- Full Range: Accessories, drawer length, heights, and configurations.
- Solid Steel Construction: Ensures durability for long-lasting use.
- Fast and Easy Assembly: Integrated rear brackets, no need to groove drawer bottoms.
- Supports: Up to 45 kg (100 lb) paired with the 828 slide.
- Certification: KCMA certified for quality assurance.

Sold as a kit, the Richelieu 908 Drawer System presents an elegant design that is easy to build. With proven dual-synchronizing technology for smooth opening with minimal force, and robust components capable of handling up to 35 kg (75 lb), the 908 drawer system is an ideal solution for everyday applications.

Key Features of Richelieu 908 Drawer System:

- Complete Kit: Packaged with all parts to create a standard drawer.
- Elegant Design: Aesthetically pleasing for a sophisticated touch.
- Outstanding Performance: Rack and pinion mechanism for reliable use.
- Finishes: Available in light gray and white.
- Certification: KCMA certified for quality assurance.

All three hardware packages are now available for free download on Planit's website: <https://planitcanada.ca/solutions/cabinet-vision/tools-packages/>

Planit Canada and Richelieu are excited to present these revolutionary hardware packages, shaping the future of Cabinet Vision.

Richelieu is a leading North American importer, manufacturer and distributor of specialty hardware and complementary products. Its products target an extensive customer base of kitchen and bathroom cabinet, storage and closet, home furnishing and office furniture manufacturers, residential and commercial woodworkers, door and window, and hardware retailers, including renovation superstores. Richelieu offers customers a broad mix of high-end products sourced from manufacturers worldwide. Its product selection consists of over 130,000 different items targeted to a base of more than 110,000 customers who are served by 113 centers in North America – 50 distribution centers in Canada, 60 in the United States and three manufacturing plants in Canada, specifically, Les Industries Cedan Inc., Menuiserie des Pins Ltée and USIMM/UNIGRAV, which manufacture a variety of veneer sheets and edge banding products, a broad selection of decorative mouldings and components for the window and door industry as well as custom products, including a 3D scanning center.