



**SEE FEEL HEAR**  
**A LIFETIME OF EXPERIENCE**

A stylized, handwritten signature in white ink, likely belonging to Eddie Van Halen, positioned in the bottom right corner of the advertisement.



In 1978 a skinny kid from L.A. armed with a homemade guitar and a disarming smile grabbed the rock world by the throat and kicked its ass hard. Really hard. Eddie Van Halen and his crazy, never-seen-before talents rewrote the rules and raised the bar – big time. Eddie's monster technique and tone demanded a no-frills, no BS, high-performance, indestructible axe. But one didn't exist; so he made his own – the now legendary homemade guitar known as 'Frankenstein.' "At the time, no guitar did what I needed mine to do, so I built my own that did," Eddie affirms.

Thirty-five years later, Eddie Van Halen's still doing it – studying and improving everything about the instrument. It's personal for him and that's where the new Wolfgang comes from. It's the culmination of his endless pursuit of outstanding tone, durability and consistency. Now available to the public after a year of brutal testing on tour, the EVH Wolfgang is built to his exact specs and has every single feature of the guitars he himself plays onstage and in the studio. It's *exactly* what he uses.

**EVH**  
wolfgang®



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"Everything that I've built, destroyed, stumbled onto, learned and experienced is in this guitar. Every aspect and component of this guitar has been examined and upgraded to the highest standards possible—stainless steel frets, double-potted custom-wound pickups, five-piece binding on the matching body and headstock, custom-made signature tuning machines and Floyd Rose® bridge, new low-friction pots, and the list keeps going. We left no stone unturned.

"I can go on and on talking about what we went through to build this guitar. The bottom line is, if you take the time to play one, I'm willing to bet you'll go with a Wolfgang. You'll feel what I feel.  
**IT'S JUST BETTER."**

*- Eddie Van Halen*

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Maple Top, Black (895)



# JUST THE FACTS ...

- ✓ **HARD-MOUNTED CUSTOM DESIGNED EVH® HUMBUCKING PICKUPS.**
- ✓ **ARCHED AA MAPLE TOP WITH FIVE-PIECE BINDING.**
- ✓ **AA BIRDSEYE MAPLE FINGERBOARD.**
- ✓ **QUARTERSAWN MAPLE NECK.**  
Reinforced with two graphite rods.
- ✓ **STAINLESS STEEL FRETS.**  
Practically indestructible. Super resistant to wear spots, nicks and dings, providing for smooth feel and bending action that doesn't wear out.
- ✓ **EVH FLOYD ROSE® TREMOLO UNIT WITH EVH D-TUNA™.**  
The first-ever signature Floyd Rose®, designed exclusively for the Wolfgang.
- ✓ **BOURNS® LOW-FRICTION POTS.**  
Custom designed EVH volume and tone controls that are available only on the new Wolfgang guitars.
- ✓ **EVH CHROME GOTOH® TUNERS WITH PEARL BUTTONS.**  
Built exclusively for the Wolfgang.
- ✓ **THIN-SKIN FINISH.**  
Allows for the inherent tone and resonance of the wood to dominate the overall sound of the guitar.
- ✓ **BUILT IN THE U.S.A.**

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Exclusive to the EVH Wolfgang is its custom-made, molded SKB® case. Durable, lightweight and compact. With plush lining, TSA-approved latches and Eddie's trademark stripes in 3D, your Wolfgang will be well protected on the road and in the air for decades to come.

Quilted Maple Top,  
Tobacco Sunburst (890)





# wolfgang®

"Eddie's accomplishments are enormous. Positively towering ... there isn't one aspect of the electric guitar he hasn't changed, rearranged, or reinvented. He's Hendrix and Les Paul combined. He revolutionized the way the guitar is played and revolutionized guitar technology."

- Brad Tolinski: Editor-in-Chief, GUITAR WORLD

For the complete story on the brutal road testing of the Wolfgang® guitar, go to [www.evngear.com](http://www.evngear.com)

Pictured: Eddie Van Halen live on tour with Wolfgang Prototype #4.

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# 5150<sup>III</sup>™



"The 5150III performs like three separate amps, each with its own distinctive voice and character. Whether you're a devotee who wants to duplicate Van Halen's signature tones or a performer who needs the utmost in tonal versatility onstage, the 5150III provides the guts and glory players demand, from timeless classic sounds to untapped modern textures."

- GUITAR WORLD

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# 5150<sup>III</sup>

"I did everything humanly possible to push this amp beyond its limits, only to find that there were no limits to the abuse it can handle. I'm really proud of that."

- Eddie Van Halen

## HEAD SPECS

100-watt, 100% all-tube, guitar head with 3 independent, footswitchable channels plus a footswitchable, tube-driven effects loop.

- MODEL NAME:** EVH® 5150III™  
**OUTPUT:** 100 watts RMS  
**SIGNAL PATH:** 100% pure tube  
**TUBE COMPLIMENT:** 8 x 12AX7s (preamp), 4 x 6L6 (power amp)  
**CHANNELS:** 3 totally independent, footswitchable channels  
**CONTROLS:** Independent Gain, Low, Mid, High, Volume & Presence for each channel  
**EFFECTS LOOP:** Tube-driven, series, mono, footswitchable  
**FOOTSWITCH:** Sturdy 4-way, LED footswitch supplied.  
Controls channel selection and Effects loop on/off.  
**COSMETICS:** Textured vinyl covering (Black or Ivory) & EVH striped metal grille  
**WEIGHT:** 55 lbs (25 kg)  
**DIMENSIONS:** Height: 10.25" (26 cm)  
Width: 29.75" (75.5 cm)  
Depth: 11.5" (29.3 cm)

## CAB SPECS

100 watt, 16 Ohm, straight-front, 4x12" mono cabinet loaded with Signature Celestion® G12EVH speakers.

- MODEL NAME:** EVH 5150III™ 412 STRAIGHT  
**POWER HANDLING:** 100 watts RMS  
**IMPEDANCE:** 16 Ohms  
**SPEAKERS:** 4 x 12" Signature Celestion® G12EVH speakers  
**CONSTRUCTION:** Premium Birch ply  
**COVERING:** Textured vinyl (Black or Ivory)  
**CASTERS:** 4 x heavy duty, pop-out swivel castors included  
**WEIGHT:** 88lbs (40 kg)  
**DIMENSIONS:** Height: 30" (76.2 cm)  
Width: 29.25" (74.3 cm)  
Depth: 14" (35.5 cm)

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## ACCESSORIES

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### GUITAR CABLES

EVH Premium Quality Electric Guitar Cables carry your signal from instrument to amp with maximum tone and power. The 24-gauge oxygen-free copper is double-shielded for higher current capacity and pure sound without distortion or background noise, and the Switchcraft® connectors are tough and durable.

Available in: 6in., 1ft., 6ft., 14ft. and 20ft.

### GUITAR STRAPS

Premium quality EVH guitar straps that, thanks to no-nonsense fabric hook-and-loop fasteners, are quick and easy to adjust.

Available in two lengths:  
42 – 62in., 52 – 72in.



### GUITAR PICKS

Each, collector's tin houses 12 EVH®, medium-gauge, .60mm, custom-molded nylon picks that feature a speckled, raised surface for superior grip.



### EVH FRANKENSTEIN™ HUMBUCKER

The legendary humbucker from the guitar that changed everything. Think of it as a brand-new version of the original Frankenstein's battle-worn pickup, wound to the exact original specs and built to fit in any humbucking-pickup-equipped guitar. One of the most famous humbuckers of all time is now available at a competitive price and serves as a great upgrade and alternative to the popular crop of cliché replacement humbuckers.



### 5150III™ HEAD & CAB COVERS

Super-tough, multi-panel amp and cabinet covers, made from highly durable material to withstand the rigors of the road. Black with embroidered EVH logo.



### ELECTRIC GUITAR STRINGS

Premium quality, nickel-wound EVH strings that come in two different sets:

**Standard Set:** .009 - .042  
(high to low: .009, .011, .016, .024, .032, .042)

**Live Set:** .009 - .046  
*The exact gauges Eddie uses live*  
(high to low: .009, .011, .016, .026, .036, .046)



"A guitar is a very personal extension of the person playing it. You have to be emotionally and spiritually connected to your instrument. I could've just stayed at home and built this guitar for myself. I do this because a lot of people ask if they can get what I use. Well, yes you can, and what you get is identical to what I use. We redid everything on this guitar. That's why it took so long."

– *Eddie Van Halen*



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