

## ECHO

If a tree falls in a forest and no one is around to hear it does it make a sound? George Berkeley

The **Echo bed** is meant to be an important reminder of the trees that are often destroyed by severe storms due to climate changes we cause.

The Echo bed frame is made up of wooden planks from storms-damaged trees treated and finished with the Shou Sugi Ban & Yakisugi: this traditional Japanese techinque of wood preservation allows us to use all the destroyed tree trunks without worry about the aestethic conditions by giving them a second life. By slightly charring the surface of the wood, the planks turn black and become water-proof, more durable and well protected against insects.

The Echo headboard is related again to the trees, their previous life and their memory for the next future; based on Piet Mondrian's Tree Evolution paintings the grey leather headboard's design composition is made by horizontal / vertical seams reproducing the well known Dutch artist' style.









