

Finnair selects RECARO's R1 and R2 for E190 retrofit



RECARO's R1 seat on Finnair (Photo Credit: Finnair)

RECARO Aircraft Seating ([RECARO](#)) has been selected by [Finnair](#) for a cabin retrofit of 12 E190 aircraft with the RECARO R1 and R2 Economy Class seats. This will be the second Embraer program to feature the R1 and R2.

The cabins will feature a hybrid layout, with R2 in the first nine rows and R1 in the rest of the cabin. The R2 will include the RECARO patented high literature pocket with an integrated tablet holder. Both the R1 and R2 have been selected for their lightweight design to support Finnair's sustainability initiatives, the November 18 press release said.

"Our long-standing partnership with Finnair [has] aided in the development of an outstanding cabin for passengers," said Mark Hiller, CEO of RECARO Aircraft Seating and RECARO Holding. "By leveraging innovative design and advanced ergonomic solutions, our R1 and R2 seats will ensure comfort and satisfaction for every passenger."

"The renewal of our Embraer cabins speaks of our continuous drive to improve customer experience, and the seats by RECARO fit well into our design language, while also supporting our targets to reduce aircraft weight," said Turkka Kuusisto, CEO, Finnair.