

Steelcase Office Chairs

Saskatchewan vendor: Business Furnishings (Saskatoon and Regina locations)

Common Models: Leap (and Leap Plus), Think, Amia, Criterion (and Criterion Plus)

Leap Model

Features:

- Sliding seat pan
- Height adjustable lumbar support (option)
- Back flex control (increases lumbar support)
- Front seat edge tilt (option)
- 5 position back stop
- Rock/Lock synchro tilt
- 4D arms adjustable in height and arm caps slide in, slide fwd/back and pivot (option).



Specifications:

Seat Pan:	19.25"W x 15.75" – 18.75"
Seat Height:	15.5" - 20.5"
Armrest height from seat:	7" – 11"
Armrest width:	12.75" - 20"

Set up video link:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nqQjNYx-Eyw&feature=BFa&list=PLF5809E38A85E761E>

User guide link:

http://www.steelcase.com/en/products/category/seating/task/leap/documents/leap_hangtag.pdf

Comments:

- This is a highly adjustable chair but limited cushioning on seat and back with plastic frame so some users do not find it comfortable enough.
- Great armrest adjustability.
- Good for smaller users as seat pan adjusts very short and chair goes slightly lower than some others.
- Fits a wide variety of people because seat pan is wide (although armrests adjust in) and 3" seat slider range.
- Available in a Plus model for larger users.
- Research links:
 - http://www.steelcase.com/en/products/category/seating/task/leap/documents/leap_%20360white%20paper_update.pdf
- Case study:
 - http://www.steelcase.com/en/products/category/seating/task/leap/documents/03-0003715_pdf.pdf

Think Model

Features:

- Sliding seat pan
- Back flex control (increases lumbar support)
- 5 position back stop
- 4D arms adjustable in height and arm caps slide in, slide fwd/back and pivot (option).

Specifications:

Seat Pan:	19.25"W x 15" - 18"
Cylinder:	16" - 21" or 15" - 19"
Armrest height from seat:	7" - 11"
Armrest width:	14.5" - 19.5"

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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nqQjNYx-Eyw&feature=BFa&list=PLF>

User guide link:

http://www.steelcase.com/en/products/category/seating/task/think/documents/sc_think_htag_ml.pdf

Comments:

- This is an adjustable chair but limited cushioning on seat and back with plastic frame so some users do not find it comfortable enough.
- Good armrest adjustability.
- Good for smaller users as seat pan adjusts very short and chair goes slightly lower than some others.
- Fits a wide variety of people because seat pan is wide (although armrests adjust in) and 3" seat slider range.



Amia Model

Features:

- Sliding seat pan
- Back flex control (increases lumbar support)
- 5 position back stop
- 4D arms adjustable in height and arm caps slide in, slide fwd/back and pivot (option).

Specifications:

Seat Pan:	19.25"W x 15" - 18"
Seat Height:	16" - 21"
Armrest height from seat:	7.25" – 11.25"
Armrest width:	13" - 19.5"



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User guide link:

http://www.steelcase.com/en/products/category/seating/task/amia/documents/sc_amia_htag_ml.pdf

Comments:

- Good armrest adjustability.
- Good for smaller users as seat pan adjusts very short.
- Fits a wide variety of people because seat pan is wide (although armrests adjust in) and 3" seat slider range.
- Back support not as pronounced as other Steelcase models.

Criterion Model

Features:

- Sliding seat pan
- Height adjustable backrest with fixed lumbar contour
- 4 position back stop
- Rock/Lock
- 4D arms ht adjustable & arm caps slide in, fwd/back and pivot (option).
- Criterion Plus has larger seat and back and rated to 500lbs



Specifications:

Seat Pan:	19.5"W x 15.25" – 18.25"D Criterion Plus: 23"W x 16"- 18.5"D
Seat Height:	16" – 21", Criterion plus 17"- 22"
Armrest height from seat:	7" – 11"
Armrest width:	12" - 20"

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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nqQjNYx-Eyw&feature=BFa&list=PLF5809E38A85E761E>

User guide link:

<http://www.steelcase.com/en/products/category/seating/task/criterion/documents/printable%20user%20guide.pdf>

Comments:

- This is an older model but still very adjustable.
- Less bells and whistles than the Leap and lumbar support is not adjustable.
- Great armrests though and Criterion Plus has same features as Criterion.
- Back stop controlled by small switch tucked under left rear side of seat pan.
- Armrests can be set very narrow.