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D.270.1 CHAIR - D.270.2 ARMCHAIR— GIO PONTI 1970 / 2014

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“And here is the new wide chair with a narrow and foldable seat”. So wrote Gio Ponti in 1970 when describing the launch of a chair that differed from all the others. A chair for conversation, reading a book or watching TV. Minimal overall dimensions, versatile, movable. Light but solid, easy, comfortable and affordable. A chair for everyone, for every occasion, for indoor and outdoor use, for a house that adapts to our needs. “To sit comfortably, crossing your legs, you need a small seat and lots of backrest, reclining like this”, said Gio Ponti. The chair belongs to the “Apta” series, a furniture collection devised for a new way of “thinking” the home. It was presented in 1970 at the Eurodomus 3 tradeshow in Milan, one of four “pilot exhibitions” on the modern home theme, organized by Domus magazine and by Torino Esposizioni. Furniture created to enjoy the greatest space possible in each home – not cluttering interiors with bulky, heavy objects, impossible to move – but instead forming a new domestic landscape.

Now, working in collaboration with the Gio Ponti Archives, Molteni&C has reissued the D.270.1 and D.270.2 chair and armchair: both are foldable, come in new finishes and woods – black or natural ash -, with backrest and seat in fabric, leather or wicker, or alternatively upholstered in the “Poesia del mare” fabric designed by Gio Ponti in 1970.

FEATURES

Chair and armchair designed in 1970.

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FINISHES

Built in solid ash wood, in natural colour or open pore black lacquered.

COVERS

Covers in fabrics and leathers from the Molteni Collection.
Limited edition cover: Gio Ponti fabric: "Poesia del mare".
Version with seat and backrest in wicker. Fixed cover for all versions.
Available in fire-resistant version (TB117 and BS5852).

STRUCTURE FINISHES

ash wood in natural colour - ash wood in open pore black lacquered

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TECHNICAL INFORMATION

STRUCTURE (ALL VERSIONS)

In solid Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*) wood in the versions natural Ash and black open pore lacquered Ash. Feet in non-slip plastic.

SEAT AND BACK (FABRIC/LEATHER VERSION)

Panel in veneer padded with shaped polyurethane. Cover in cotton/polyester fabric.

COVERS (FABRIC/LEATHER VERSION)

(See attached card, specific for each cover). The cover cannot be removed.

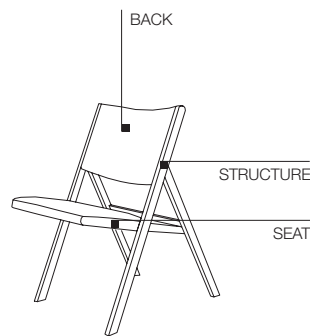
SEAT AND BACK (WICKER VERSION)

Multilayer panel covered in woven wicker.

COVERS (WICKER VERSION)

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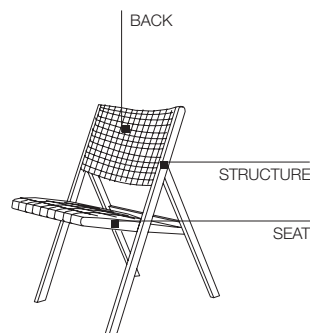
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D.270.1 FABRIC/LEATHER



D.270.2 FABRIC/LEATHER



D.270.1 WICKER



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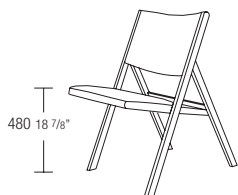
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DIMENSIONS

W 540 D 630 H 830
W 21 1/4" D 24 3/4" H 32 5/8"



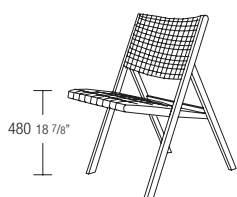
D.270.1
fabrics and leathers version

W 600 D 670 H 1070
W 23 5/8" D 26 3/8" H 42 1/8"



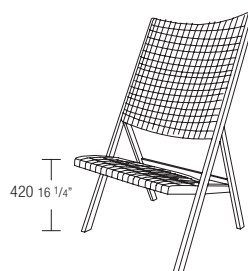
D.270.2
fabrics and leathers version

W 540 D 630 H 830
W 21 1/4" D 24 3/4" H 32 5/8"



D.270.1
wicker version

W 600 D 670 H 1070
W 23 5/8" D 26 3/8" H 42 1/8"



D.270.2
wicker version

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