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BEAUTIFUL FUNCTION

Look at usual things with unusual eyes.

Beauty and function converge in a stylish veneer stacking chair by Fritz Hansen.

Fritz Hansen reissues the Vico Duo chair in celebration of the 100th anniversary of Vico Magistretti's birth. Magistretti designed the chair in 1997, sitting among his sketches in Fritz Hansen's design department. He was keen to collaborate with Fritz Hansen and leverage its expertise and tradition in veneer.

The chair is simple with tight lines. A loose 'z' line drawn across paper inspired the chair's backward armrests – an unusual element that intentionally balances the design. The armrests and back legs are one piece of steel – another unique aspect of the design.

'This chair was, from the beginning, a true collaboration between Fritz Hansen and Vico Magistretti. By 1997, Magistretti was confident and relaxed in his practice and career. The design has a kind of simple ease and strength that reflects that,' says Christian Andresen, Fritz Hansen's Head of Design.

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New arm pads add comfort and black powder coated bases add a contemporary look, making Vico Duo perfectly suited for agile workspace and hospitality design.

In stores from April 2020.

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FACTS

PRICES 2020	EURO (EXCL)
VM110	188
VM111	228

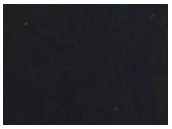
Materials and colours:

BLACK COLOURED ASH

WALNUT

OAK

The base is black powder coated or classic chromed steel.



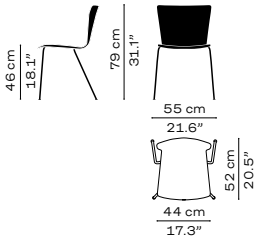
BLACK POWDER

CHROME BASE

DIMENSIONS

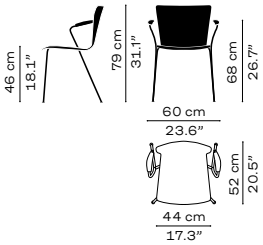
VM110

H 79 cm / 31.1 in Seat H: 46 cm / 18.1 in W: 55 cm / 21.8
Seat W: 44 cm / 17.3 in
D: 52 cm / 20.5 in



VM111

H 79 cm / 31.1 in Seat H: 46 cm / 18.1 in W: 60 cm / 23.6
Seat W: 44 cm / 17.3 in
D: 52 cm / 20.5 in



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Founded in Denmark in 1872, Fritz Hansen is a global leader in furniture, lighting and accessory design and production. Driven by a passion for beauty, quality, and craftsmanship, the company embodies a modern, Nordic lifestyle and collaborates with visionary artists, designers, and architects from around the world. The brand has collaborated with Arne Jacobsen, Cecilie Manz, Hans J. Wegner, Piero Lissoni, and Poul Kjærholm, among others.

Today Fritz Hansen designs are sold in more than 85 countries through 2,000 points of sale, including flagship stores in Copenhagen, San Francisco, Milan, and Tokyo. The company employs 260 people worldwide and maintains its headquarters north of Copenhagen, serving design-passionate customers through contract and retail.

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