

Design House Stockholm — Est. 1992



# AIR /MATHIEU GUSTAFSSON

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The journey between Air and Design House Stockholm began almost five years ago. When Mathieu Gustafsson started exploring the use of cane in one of his projects, not many people worked with the material. Now more people have rediscovered the beauty and strength of cane. Mathieu's experience from Air and the collaboration with Design House Stockholm has led to two new cabinets, which differ according to their area of use.

Air Sideboard is intended to act as a beautiful room divider with cane on all sides, while the two new items (Sideboard Low and Cabinet) are to be placed against a wall. As the name Air suggests, the cabinets have an ethereal quality which emphasizes the Scandinavian tone of the collection with its graphic expression and functionality paired with French elegance. The woven cane has a perforated surface that adds depth, both concealing and showing off what's inside.

Sideboard Low was designed to be used as a TV stand, but is just as appealing as a storage cabinet, or perhaps a piece of furniture for the hall? The cabinet is an updated display cabinet or drinks cabinet on high legs, which works just as well in the dining area as the home office.

"In the past we had a different approach to furniture," reflects Mathieu. "People took care of their furniture and repaired items when they got broken. There were always workshops, especially in France, where a basket maker would repair all kinds of chairs. It's something that's disappeared today, but it seems like the interest in handiwork and taking care of things is coming back into fashion, even in Sweden. Now young people put a lot of thought into choosing their furniture. They buy fewer things, but choose them carefully."

# SCANDINAVIAN DESIGN WITH A FRENCH TWIST















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Mathieu Gustafsson has his roots in both Paris and in the Swedish province of Småland – the heart of the Swedish furniture industry. Mathieu fetches much of his inspiration from the differences and similarities between the two cultures. His creative process often sets off from a need or a way of behaving, rather than with an object as such. Professionally, Mathieu has a background in graphic design, furniture making and furniture design. With his specialisation in furniture for public spaces, he established and ran the design studio at Tengbom – one of Sweden’s leading architecture companies. He now runs his own studio and designs furniture for home use and public spaces for other companies.

# MATHIEU GUSTAFSSON



DESIGN: Mathieu Gustafsson, 2019.

MATERIAL: Oak veneered mdf, natural rattan.  
Legs: solid oak.

OTHER INFORMATION: Delivered ready-mounted. Cable management and adjustable feet.

CARE: Wipe with damp cloth.

MADE IN: Made in Thailand.

WEIGHT: Net weight: 30 kg (66 lbs)

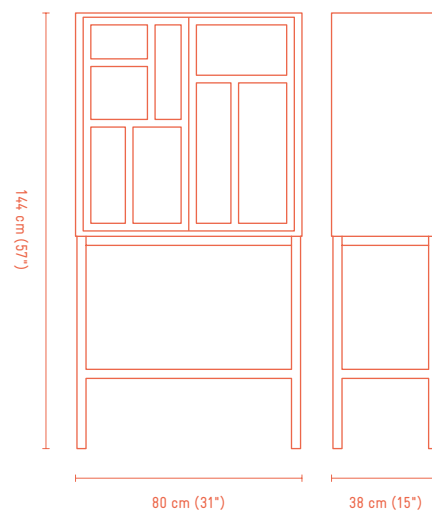
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Oak: 1540.00 ex. VAT.

INDEX: **1** Air cabinet, black  
Item No. 1596-1000

**2** Air cabinet, oak  
Item No. 1596-8400



DIMENSIONS:



# AIR CABINET

DESIGN: Mathieu Gustafsson, 2019.

MATERIAL: Oak veneered mdf, natural rattan.  
Legs: solid oak.

OTHER INFORMATION: Delivered ready-mounted. Cable management and adjustable feet.

CARE: Wipe with damp cloth.

MADE IN: Made in Thailand.

WEIGHT: Net weight: 40.5 kg (89 lbs)

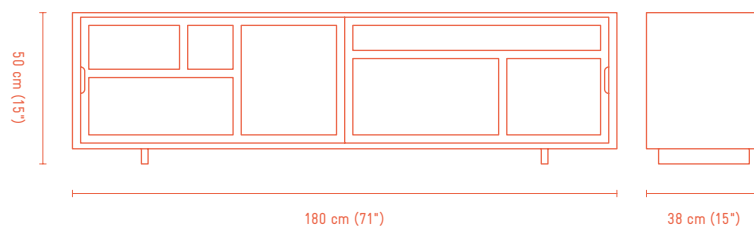
PRICE (EUR): Black: 1386.00 ex. VAT.  
Oak: 1474.00 ex. VAT.

INDEX: **1** Air sideboard low, black  
Item No. 1595-1000

**2** Air sideboard low, oak  
Item No. 1595-8400



DIMENSIONS:



# AIR SIDEBOARD LOW

DESIGN: Mathieu Gustafsson, 2016.

MATERIAL: White: Lacquered MDF, lacquered solid beech frame, cane. Oak: Solid oak, oak veneered mdf, cane. Black: Solid ash, ash veneered mdf, cane.

OTHER INFORMATION: Delivered ready-mounted. Cable management and adjustable feet.

CARE: Wipe with damp cloth.

MADE IN: Made in Thailand.

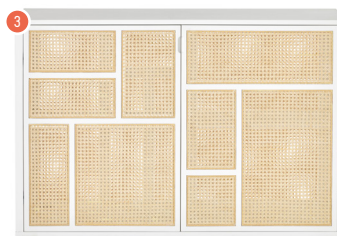
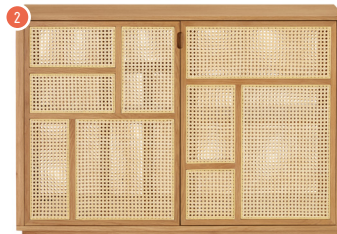
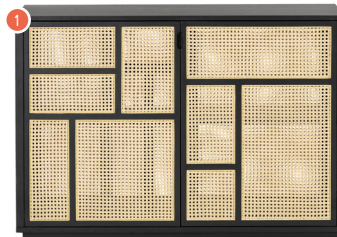
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PRICE (EUR): Black & oak: 1728.00 ex. VAT.  
White: 1410.00 ex. VAT.

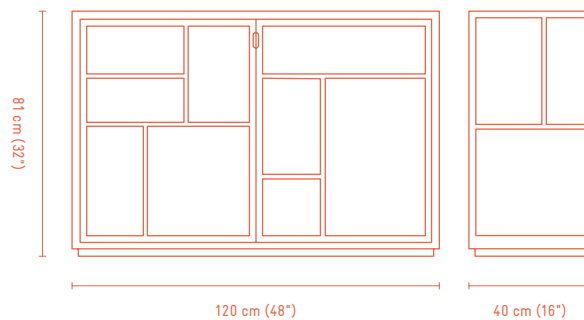
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**2** Air sideboard, oak  
Item No. 2359-8400

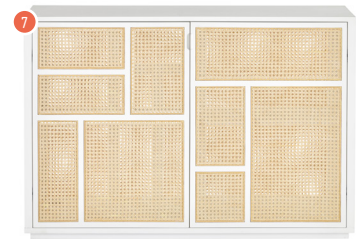
**3** Air sideboard, white  
Item No. 2359-7900



DIMENSIONS:



# AIR SIDEBOARD



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1 Air cabinet, black  
Item No. 1596-1000

5 Air sideboard, black  
Item No. 2359-1000

2 Air cabinet, oak  
Item No. 1596-8400

6 Air sideboard, oak  
Item No. 2359-8400

3 Air sideboard low, black  
Item No. 1595-1000

7 Air sideboard, white  
Item No. 2359-7900

4 Air sideboard low, oak  
Item No. 1595-8400

# AIR COLLECTION

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Design House Stockholm is the publishing house for Scandinavian design. With timeless charisma and a level of quality that outlives fleeting trends, the collection represents the best of contemporary Scandinavian design. Since its beginnings in the early 90s, Design House Stockholm has created a network of around seventy designers, and works in the same manner as a book publisher works with its authors; developing and refining each designer's idea before final production. Its hub is the head office in Stockholm, one floor below the famous Gondolen restaurant with views over Stockholm's inlet and city centre.

Rather than name-dropping, Design House Stockholm focuses on ideas – each product must bring something new to its category. The definition of Scandinavian design has nothing to do with geographical location or nationality, the term is instead intended to describe a philosophical aesthetic and an approach to material, through form and function. The designers included in the network come from countries including Sweden, Thailand, the USA, Japan and Iceland. Design House Stockholm was founded in 1992 by Anders Färdig and is today one of the leading brands in Scandinavian design.

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