HOUSE OF FINN JUHL





DESIGNS BY FINN JUHL

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FINN JUHL'S FURNITURE

Finn Juhl was deeply inspired by modern art. With the mindset of a sculptor, he was undisputedly a pioneering figure within furniture design. However, he also took on a pivotal and innovative role as a functionalistic architect, and especially as an interior designer. In this respect, Finn Juhl became internationally acclaimed during the 1950s. He focused on creating holistic design solutions ("Gesamtkunstwerk"). With an "Inside-Out" approach to design, he defined space, furniture, light and colour based on human needs and demands for function.

Finn Juhl played a defining role of the epochal "Danish Modern" movement that flourished from the 1940s to the late 1960s. The movement became the foundation for the subsequent boom in exports of Danish design, that is still renowned all over the world to this day. Among other iconic designs by his contemporaries, Finn Juhl's sculptural shapes inspired by abstract art, came to define Denmark as a pioneering country within design.





Finn Juhl was greatly inspired by both modernism in art and functionalism in architecture. His genius was cross-pollinating these two fields, thus creating a completely new artistic and personal idiom. Like sculptures, Finn Juhl's designs are created to stand freely in a room and fit seamlessly into classic as well as modern interiors. At the same time, the furniture is designed with playful insight into practical function in any little detail. The chairs and sofas are carefully created to hold and support the human body, while enabling several comfortable ways to sit. His ambition was to design sculptural furniture with movement and life that was made to be lived in — not just looked at.

The result of Finn Juhl's approach became extravagant and colorful designs with organic shapes and daring details. In other words, pieces that are and will remain highly relevant.



OUR APPROACH

Venturing into Finn Juhl's design universe is like embarking on a joyful journey with constant surprises in terms of shapes, aesthetics and unique design details. Our passion is to relaunch Finn Juhl's furniture in a modern reality with respect for his legacy. The details of the furniture must be as fine and pure as if they came from the Mid-century cabinetmaker's workshop. However, our understanding of quality also includes durability of the highest standard. The relaunched pieces must be so strong that they can be enjoyed not only by people today, but for generations to come.

Today, our House of Finn Juhl collection is manufactured in Denmark and Japan. Our upholstered furniture, such as the Poet Sofa and the Pelican Chair, are entirely upholstered by hand in Denmark in the same tradition as originally intended. It requires years of experience, extensive knowledge and last, but not least, undying patience. Working with furniture upholstery is always a challenge, and even more so with furniture as organic as Finn Juhl's.



Our goal has always been to work with the best craftsmen. Luckily, we found that we can produce most of the Finn Juhl collection ourselves or with nearby partners. However, for the pieces adorned the most delicate details, we had to look beyond our borders. When it comes to almost surgical precision, a crucial prerequisite for Finn Juhl's challenging and organic shapes, our Japanese partners are the proud and patient experts.

With modern technology and excellent craftsmanship, we make Finn Juhl's vision come alive. Without this approach, it would not be possible to achieve the extraordinary finish and delicate details that were Finn Juhl's trademarks. Finn Juhl was aware that some of his designs were so delicate that it was impossible to achieve durability at the time, and he famously acknowledged;

"One should not despair over the fact that some of the developments one has hoped for were never produced but only became a beginning. Perhaps they will be revived some day in the future when the time is ripe."



GRASSHOPPER CHAIR 1938

Oak or walnut Fabric or leather W87×D101×H93 SH34 cm









PELICAN TABLE 1940

Solid walnut, Oregon pine, oak or black painted 063×H45 cm







POET SOFA ¹⁹⁴¹
Fabric or leather
Round or tapered legs in walnut, oak or black painted
W136×D80×H87 SH38 cm



LITTLE MOTHER SOFA 1945

Fabric

Walnut, oak or black painted

2-seater

W136×D86×H78 SH41 cm

LITTLE MOTHER SOFA 1945

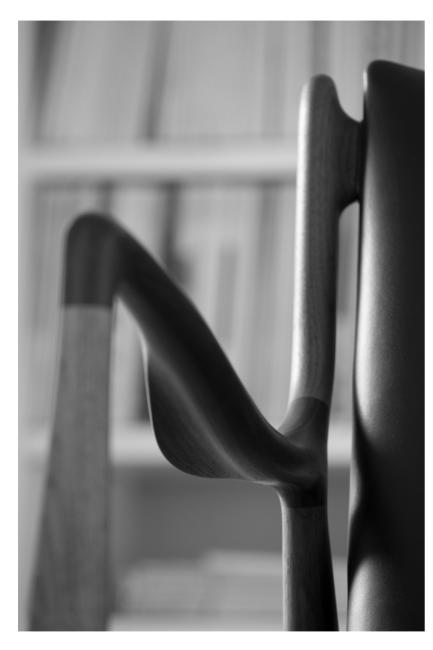
Fabric

Walnut, oak or black painted

3-seater

W216×D86×H78 SH41 cm





45 CHAIR ¹⁹⁴⁵
Walnut or oak
Fabric or leather
W66.5×D73×H88 SH42 cm



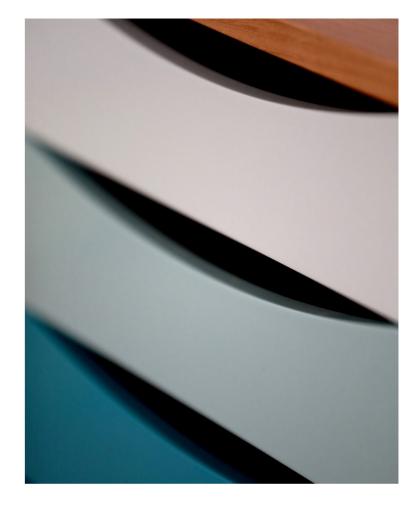
KAUFMANN TABLE 1945

Tabletop in walnut veneer with solid edges Frame in oak with footrest in brass Wooden toes in walnut L202×W94×H71.5 cm









NYHAVN DESK 1945

Oak, walnut, Oregon pine veneer or black linoleum with matching wooden toes Painted steel legs in black, orange or light blue with Tray unit with 3 drawers in a warm or cold range of colours

Desk

L136×W68×H72.5 cm

 $L170{\times}W85{\times}H72.5~\text{cm}$

L190×W85×H72.5 cm

Tray unit

 $L43{\times}W40{\times}H26~\text{cm}$



Oak or walnut Fabric or leather W62×D53×H82 SH44 cm



46 CHAIR 1946

Oak or walnut Fabric or leather W52×D53×H82 SH44 cm





46 SOFA ¹⁹⁴⁶
Fabric or leather
Walnut, oak or black painted
W132×D75×H80 SH42 cm



108 CHAIR 1946

Oak, walnut or black painted Fabric or leather W51×D46×H75 SH45 cm







109 CHAIR ¹⁹⁴⁶
Oak or walnut
Fabric or leather
W64×D46×H75 SH45 cm





ART COLLECTOR'S TABLE 1948

Table in walnut with solid frame and edges
Tabletop in veneer with a separate glass case
L62/124×W46×H60 cm





48 CHAIR 1948

Oak/walnut or walnut Leather or fabric W69×D63×H80 SH44 cm



EYE TABLE 1948

Frame and edges in solid oak or walnut
Tabletop in veneer or black/white high gloss laminate
L90×W56×H50 cm







48 SOFA BENCH 1948

Oak/walnut or walnut Leather or fabric W125×D63×H80 SH44 cm



BOVIRKE TABLE 1948

Oak/walnut, oak or walnut Optional extension leaves in veneer or solid oak or walnut L140/238×W90×H73 cm







SILVER TABLE 1948

Tabletop in veneer with or without sterling silver inlays, incl. two extension leaves

Tabletop: Teak - Frame: Oak Tabletop: Walnut - Frame: Walnut

Tabletop: Oak - Frame: Oak (only available without silver inlays)

L200/310×W140×H72.5 cm

EGYPTIAN CHAIR 1949

Oak or walnut Fabric or leather W55×D56×H89 SH45 cm







Oak or walnut Leather W100×D88×H92.5 SH34.5 cm

BUTTERFLY TABLE 1949

Solid walnut with a circular inlay in brass $L110\times W46.5/69.3\times H50$ cm





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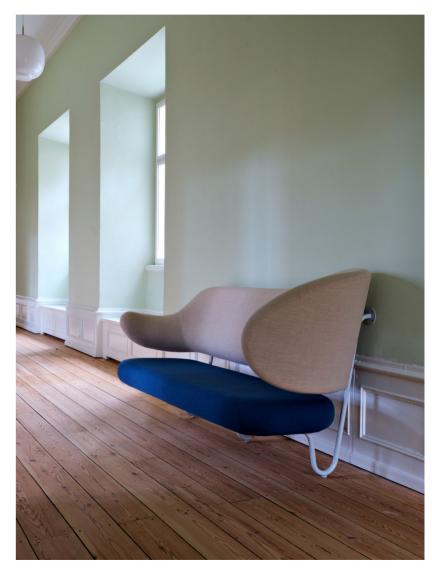
CHIEFTAIN SOFA 1949

Oak or walnut Leather W148×D88×H92.5 SH34.5 cm



WALL SOFA 1950

Fabric Powder coated steel tube in light grey W192×D80×H102 SH37 cm





COCKTAIL BENCH 1951 Solid oak or walnut L221×W44×H40 cm





COCKTAIL TABLE 1951

Frame and edges in solid oak or walnut
Tabletop in veneer or high gloss laminate in white
L160×W78×H50 cm



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BAKER SOFA 1951

Fabric or leather Oak or walnut W195×D80×H98 SH44 cm

53 CHAIR 1953

Oak or walnut Fabric or leather W71×D77.5×H73 SH37.5 cm





53 SOFA ¹⁹⁵³
Oak or walnut
Fabric or leather
W124×D77.5×H73 SH37.5 cm

77 SOFA 1953

Fabric

Burnished steel with toes in oak or walnut

2-seater

W133×D76×H77 SH42cm

3-seater

W192×D76×H77 SH42 cm









READING CHAIR 1953

Black painted or oak with back and top piece in walnut Veneer seat or upholstered seat in fabric or leather W52×D58×H74 SH43 cm

JAPAN SERIES 1953

Fabric

Oak or walnut

Chair

W61×D70×H78 SH35 cm

Sofa 2-seater

W121×D70×H78 SH35 cm

Sofa 3-seater

W180×D70×H78 SH35 cm

Footstool

W60×D53×H35 cm







PANEL SYSTEM 1953

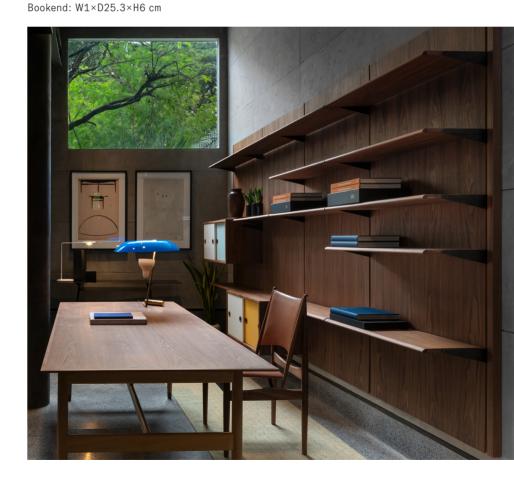
Panels and shelves in teak, walnut, oak, ash, Oregon pine veneer or painted

Panels also avaible with fabric

Shelf supporters in burnished steel

Cupboard: Body in teak, walnut, oak or Oregon pine veneer Sliding doors: White/yellow, white/light blue or veneer

Start panel: W78/80×D4×H200 cm Running panel: W78/79×D4×H200 cm Endlists: W2.8/5.6×D3×H200 cm Shelf 22 cm: W78×D22×H1.9 cm Shelf 28cm: W78×D28×H1.9 cm Shelf 45cm: W78×D45×H1.9 cm Cupboard: W157×D45×H30.7 cm





SIDEBOARD 1953

Teak, oak, walnut or Oregon pine veneer w/ matching wooden toes Legs in painted steel in black, orange or light blue Sliding doors in white/yellow, white/light blue or veneer Tray unit w/ six drawers in a warm or cold range of colors L176.5×W46.7×H89.5 cm

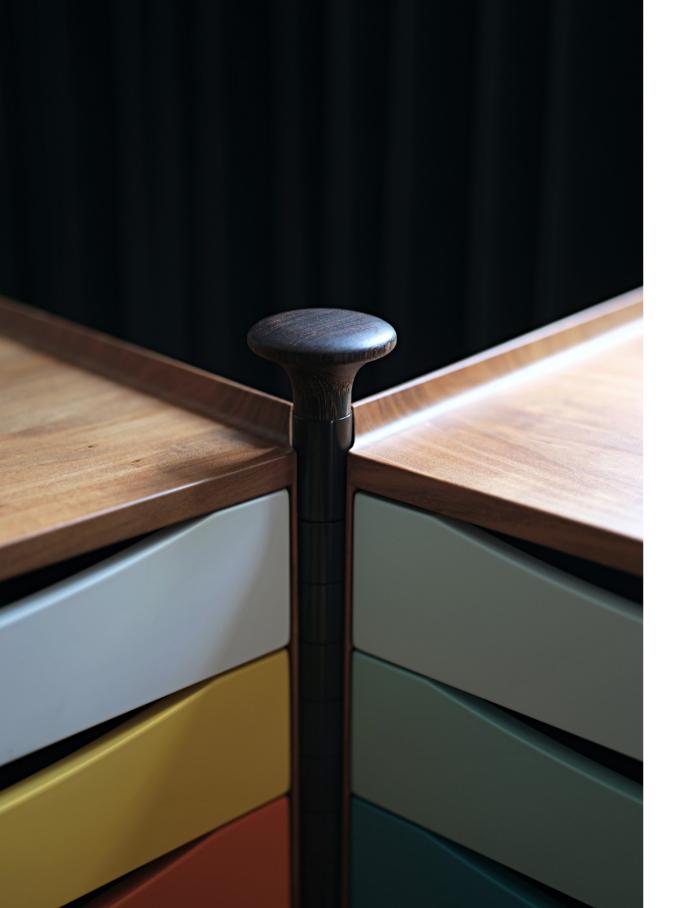




Oak, black painted oak, smoked oak or walnut Fabric or leather W80×D72×H81 SH38 cm









GLOVE CABINET 1961

Solid Japanese cherry wood with a knob in wengé and drawers in a warm and cold range of colors Legs in burnished steel and wheels and fittings in brass W69.2×D34.8×H51.7 cm



CIRCLE RUG 1963

Hand-tufted in looped 100% pure new wool from New Zealand Colors in grey/black, yellow/orange, blue/navy or beige/nature

L175×W175 cm L245×W175 cm

TRAY TABLE 1965

Tabletop in veneer or high gloss laminate in white/black, white/light blue, white/light green All with solid edges in walnut
Frame in stainless steel
L50×W50×H33 cm





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