

# mindo

### mindo 114

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### Materials

Powder-coated aluminium Stainless steel Knit Group 1 fabric (Sunbrella) - cushion Ceramic top Teak

# Care & Maintenance

**ALUMINIUM** is a lightweight, yet strong and durable material and ideal for outdoor furniture due to its resistance to corrosion. All our aluminium undergoes a high-quality, solvent-free powder coating for extra protection before being processed. If the coating is damaged due to dents or scratching, moisture can invade and eventually damage the aluminium. Regularly remove dirt with a sponge or soft brush, lukewarm water, and a mild dishwashing detergent. Never use solvents. Thoroughly rinse with clean, fresh water after cleaning to remove all soap and dirt residue.

**STAINLESS STEEL** is part of the construction of the chair and necessary to give the needed strength and flexibility to the backrest. Because the stainless steel is covered in the knit material, care and maintenance are not necessary.

KNIT is a specially designed, knitted fabric, manufactured in Germany from 100% UV-stabilised polyester yarns spun out of discarded plastic bottles. This innovative and sustainable material is strong yet airy, making the chairs especially comfortable on hot days as it let's cooling air flow through. Knit is a Oeko-tex Standard 100 product, designed especially for outdoor use with its integrated and permanent UV-resistance. Clean with a soft bristle brush and lukewarm water/mild soapy water. Air drying is recommended to prevent mildew. We propose cleaning the fabric regularly depending on the climate; stains and dirt share best removed swiftly after they are discovered.

Our **GROUP 1 FABRIC (SUNBRELLA)** is made from high-quality, 100% solution-dyed acrylic fibers produced in France. Sunbrella is designed for outdoor use and comes with a repellent surface that is hydrophobic and delays the adhesion of stains and dirt. This effect will decrease over time depending on the climatic impact. Clean with a soft bristle brush and lukewarm water/mild soapy water. Air drying is recommended to prevent mildew. We propose cleaning the cushions regularly depending on the climate; stains and dirt should be removed swiftly after they are discovered. Do not steam-iron the fabric; only use a dry iron on the lowest temperature setting, e.g., through a cloth. It is advisable to test a small area first.

If you have purchased your mindo furniture with our special group 2 fabric, please find more information regarding care and maintenance in the respective folder.

**TEAK** is a hardwood well suited for outdoor use, whether oiled or left untreated. All the teak used has not been treated and will acquire a grey patina over time. If the warm look of the teak is to be maintained, oiling with a suitable teak oil will be necessary before taking the furniture into use. The frequency required for such treatment depends on the climate the furniture is exposed to. Teak is a natural material; therefore, minor cracks and slight warping of the slats may be expected and are not a sign of inferior quality. Teak is easy to maintain as daily cleaning is simply brushing off loose dirt. Spills should be taken quickly, especially if the teak has not been treated. A mild dishwashing detergent and a soft brush or sponge in the direction of the grain will usually suffice. Always rinse the area well to remove any soap residue. Tougher stains might require light sanding. If treated previously, the treatment must be repeated after sanding the area. The teak slats can be removed and individually replaced if necessary.

**CERAMIC** tabletops are extremely strong and almost maintenance-free, therefore ideal for outdoor use. Ceramic is made from natural and recycled raw materials. Small variations might occur on the surface which has no effect on the quantity of the product. Daily cleaning is done with a soft cloth and lukewarm water. For heavier staining, use a neutral or alkaline cleaner (never acid-based). Always rinse well after cleaning to remove all soap and dirt residue.

## Storage

The mindo 114 collection can be left outside during the entire summer season. During the off-season, we recommend storing your furniture in a dry and ventilated place, like a covered patio or similar. This will give your furniture maximum protection and make spring cleaning easier. Alternatively, store the furniture under a furniture cover. A cover should be placed in such a manner that it is kept slightly away from the furniture to minimise condensation and allow for free air circulation. Condensation forming under the cover during storage, as well as furniture or cushions that were damp before storage, can cause mould and mildew. Therefore it is vital that the furniture as well as any cushions are completely dry before storage. Checking the stored furniture regularly and letting moisture escape by lifting the cover on dry days is helpful. We recommend storing any loose cushions upright or in a slanted position for maximum air circulation. Placing them with their backside up will protect the more visible parts if staining should occur.

#### Cover

mindo 114 dining table, oval incl. 6 chairs: Cover no. 4 mindo 114 dining table, round incl. 4 chairs: Cover no. 5