

# Buds, table design Rodolfo Dordoni 2016



In the 1990s, Rodolfo Dordoni designed a collection of table, floor and suspension lamps for Foscarini in brightly coloured blown glass, named after the natural elements: Fruits, Blossom and Buds. Today, Buds has been restyled again, interpreting contemporary taste with a sophisticated wealth and focus on materials. The star of the design remains blown-glass, with a five-layer hand-crafted process, which is immediately evident thanks to the larger cut of the diffuser. With the new range of colours - cold brown, cold grey, bamboo green and white, with a

straw-yellow internal finish - Buds takes on a dual value: it is warm when the lamp is on and cold when off.

# Buds, table technical info

## Model

### Description

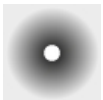
Table lamp with diffused light. Hand-blown cased five-layer glass diffuser with glossy finish. The internal glass layer is a pale, straw-yellow colour to make the light warmer and the colour more intense. The "warm white" version appears ivory in hue when the lamp is on and it remains white when off. The base consists of a totally transparent PMMA cylinder, milled according to a pattern and with a mirror-finish polish applied by hand. The support base is covered with a transparent anti-static protective film. The glass is secured to the base by means of a cup-shaped ring nut; there is an on/off switch on the transparent electrical cable which leads out of an oblique groove in the base. The base is packed in a customised product pouch with specific scratch-resistant material which should be used to clean the base itself. Since the aperture of the glass is rather noticeable, the light bulb remains clearly in sight and thus plays an aesthetic role. For this reason, a retrofit LED or fluorescent light bulb with white globe with a diameter of 12 cm should be used in Buds 1 and 2 - and with a diameter of 9 cm in Buds 3.

### Materials

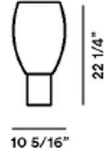
Blown glass and PMMA  
**Colors** Buds 1: cold brown, warm white  
 Buds 2: cold grey, warm white  
 Buds 3: green-bamboo, warm white



### Brightness light diffused light



1



**Weight**  
 net lbs: 11,00  
 gross lbs: 19,70

**Packaging**  
 vol. cub. ft.: 0,000  
 n. boxes: 2

**Bulbs**  
 LED retrofit/Fluo 23W type G40

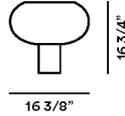
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### Certifications



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**Weight**  
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**Packaging**  
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 n. boxes: 0

**Bulbs**  
 LED retrofit/Fluo 23W type G40

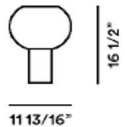
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### Certifications



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**Weight**  
 net lbs: 9,60  
 gross lbs: 14,40

**Packaging**  
 vol. cub. ft.: 1,000  
 n. boxes: 2

**Bulbs**  
 LED retrofit/Fluo 23W type G40

### Cable length



### Certifications



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# Buds, table designer+collection

## Rodolfo Dordoni

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## Buds Collection



suspension