# TUSCANY — NAOTO FUKASAWA 2023



In creating the design, Fukasawa interpreted the iconic vistas of the Italian landscape through the lens of his own aesthetic culture, merging stylistic cues and inspiration in a way that captures the finest of both worlds - Italian and Japanese. The shape of the chaise longue draws on a long-standing tradition that finds its start date in the 1920s and 1930s, when this type of furniture was born. Tuscany embodies the idea of comfort, with its structure expertly moulded according to the natural lines of the body. Its silhouette provides a sense of lightness and fluidity, with an innovative design that is both visually harmonious and deeply relaxing. The form is the result of meticulous technical development by the Research and Development Department at Molteni&C, which, together with the designer, created the ideal balance and proportions for the chaise's unique shape. The smooth, rounded legs are made from solid wood and are connected by a satin brass H-frame, providing a sturdy and stylish base for the chaise longue. The shape of the chaise longue is obtained by curving different layers of wood, obtaining its characteristic shape. A slow process that stratifies piece by piece, creating a surprising artifact. The cushions, with different bearing capacities, are connected to one another by carefully hidden zippers and form an articulated whole that neatly hugs the structure. These are available in several types of fabrics and leathers of Molteni&C easily complement. The rounded headrest moves independently from the square cushions and is balanced by a metal dowel held by adjustable straps to hold it in place, allowing for customised comfort. Tuscany is available in two different versions: the first integrate the eucalyptus finishing with painted satin brass, the second one pairs the natural sunrise oak to the brightness of the stainless steel for a more contemporary effect. The Tuscany chaise longue is a stunning and innovative piece of furniture that seamlessly blends form and function, and is sure to become a timeless addition to any interior space.



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#### **FINISHES**

## STRUCTURE FINISHES

structure eucalyptus / trestle satin brass structure sunrise oak / trestle stainless steel

## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

#### STRUCTURE

Solid ash wood (Fraxinus excelsior) in eucalyptus or sunrise oak stain. Feet with plastic tips.

#### METAL PARTS

Satin finish stainless steel or satin finish brass.

## SEAT CUSHION

High-firmness, variable thickness polyurethane with polyester fibre filler, covered in bonded cotton and polyester fibre.

#### **BOLSTER CUSHION**

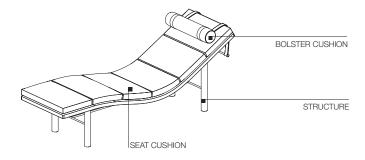
High-firmness, variable thickness polyurethane; entirely covered with bonded cotton and polyester fibre.

#### LEATHER STRAPS

In the colours in the Molteni&C range.









## **DIMENSIONS**

#### Notes

- ▶ The finish of the structure and metal parts are connected:
  - eucalyptus structure brass metal parts
  - sunrise oak structure stainless steel metal parts
- ▶ No reductions of any kind or changes in finish are possible.
- ► The bolster cushion is not optional and must be ordered together with the chaise longue.
- ► The fabric bolsters come only with leather straps from the Molteni&C range, the leather bolsters (cushion and straps) are made with the same type/colour of leather.

