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Design: Peter Opsvik

The perfect chair for learning Variable $^{\text{\tiny{M}}}$ balans was first introduced 20 years ago, incorporating the balans concept. The runners allow the body's movements to totally control the chair. It can be used just about anywhere, as it's small, strong and very easy to handle.

Customer's own fabric: 0,60 x 1,40 m

Leather: 1,1 m²

As the name 'Variable' suggests. It offers movement and variation – the kneeling posture is one of many.

Extra

Soft tape - natural or black - for protecting wooden floors. Order separately.





Respect for the environment:

Using environmentally friendly materials and methods is a major priority for Variér®. We also attach importance to ensuring that the production methods are environmentally friendly.



Materials:

We use wood from farmed sources harvested using principles of sustainability. All the beech and oak we use comes from Europe. The walnut comes from North America.



Fabrics and leathers:

We offer fabrics of high wear resistance and classic appearance supplied by acclaimed European specialists (Kvadrat, Innvik, Gabriel) in more than 200 colours. We offer high quality semi-aniline leathers from European leather merchants applying eco-friendly production methods when developing raw hide into furnishings.

Cushion: Polyurethane foam.

Guarantee 7 years/5 years.

Variér® offers an extended 7 years guarantee on all wooden parts and 5 years on mechanical parts to customers who register their products in our product database. Variér's guarantee only covers manufacturing defects and does not include misuse, normal wear and tear and defects caused by exposure to sunlight. The guarantee will not apply if the customer fails to tighten screws as recommended and this results in damage to the piece of furniture.

Customer service:

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We are created to move not to sit still



This also reflects our sitting philosophy. We have always focused on developing chairs that by letting you move provide well-being. When you move, you feel good. Both physically and mentally. As long as your body has a choice, it will choose movement over inactivity. Also when sitting.

That's why we have made it our mission to develop chairs based on the movement philosophy. These unique sitting solutions encourage dynamic and active sitting positions, which in turn provide maximum comfort and well-being while seated.

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Variable[™] balans[®]. The classic Balans[®] that caused a sitting revolution. In 1979 we launched a sitting revolution that spread throughout Europe and the USA, the groundbreaking Variable™ balans®. The chair reflected the playful spirit of the 1970's with simple, dynamic, and ergonomic design. The chair is still very popular today, especially amongst students.

This unique sitting concept allows an open angle between your thigh and the upper part of your body, so it is easier to retain the natural curvature of the lumbar region. Active sitting allows a free flow of energy so you can pay full attention to your homework or studies. The chair is especially good when you have activities on the table in front of you, offering more comfort than traditional chairs.



When you sit on a Variable™ balans® you'll use the wooden runners to distribute your body weight. This automatically straightens up and balances the spine properly over the pelvis. Using the shape of the runners the body weight will regulate the position of the chair and the knee pads will prevent the body from sliding forwards. This Balans® concept was developed by designer Peter Opsvik and Hans Chr. Mengshol. Variable™ balans® was the first product to be produced based on this principle.



Tilting seat

sitting position with an natural open angel between thigh and torso makes breathing easier and promotes a feeling of well being.







Extension block for the legcushions reduces the distance between the seat and the legcushions by 2,5 cm. For children and smaller persons.



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