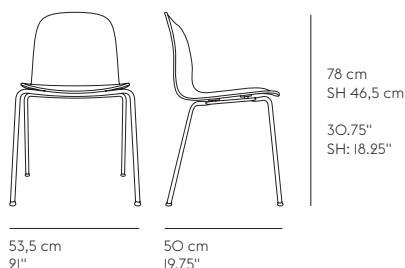




# VISU TUBE BASE CHAIR

**MIKA TOLVANEN ON THE DESIGN** “The task was to create a personal interpretation of the everrelevant plywood chair. I wanted my chair to have an unobtrusive and timeless nature that is familiar but never boring and without sacrificing function or ergonomics. Designing a family of chairs, visually related but for different functions, was an interactive and thorough process lasting nearly two years. In the end, I think every detail is exactly as it is supposed to be.”



Seat width 42,5 cm / 16.75"  
Seat depth 40 cm / 15.75"



Black/  
black

## DESIGNED BY / YEAR OF DESIGN

Mika Tolvanen / 2014

## ABOUT THE DESIGNER

Mika Tolvanen is part of the Finnish Rehti Design group. After graduating from the Royal College of Art with a Master in design in 2001, Mika established his own design office in Helsinki. He has since worked with some of the world's top designers and manufacturers.

## CATEGORY

Shell chair

## ENVIRONMENT

Indoor

## COUNTRY OF PRODUCTION

Latvia

## PREASSEMBLED

Yes

## DESCRIPTION

Stackable chair for private and contract interiors available in a three colors. Visu is also available with sled base or wood base. Up to 15 chairs can be stacked on top of each other.

## PRODUCTION PROCESS

Shell is form pressed from wood veneer, then lacquered. The steel tube base is CNC-bent and powder-coated.

## MATERIAL

All wood: PU lacquered oak. Form-pressed wood veneer shell. Coloured version: seat and shell is made from ash, while frame and legs are made of solid beech wood. Textiles from Kvadrat and leather from Camo leathers.

## CLEANING AND CARE

Clean on a regular basis using a damp and clean cloth. Remove stains using a mild mixture of water and detergent. Avoid contact with sharp objects as these can leave scratches in the wood and lacquer.

## SPARE PARTS

Plastic glide and felt glide included.

## MADE-TO-ORDER

Non-standard colored chairs are made-to-order. The chairs can be upholstered in all colors from Kvadrat's Remix, Steelcut, Steelcut Trio, Canvas, Clara, Hallingdal, Divina 3, Divina MD, Divina Melange textile series, Camo Leathers' Silk leather or Elmo's soft leather as well as Skai Parotega.

## TEXTILE USE FOR CUSTOMIZED UPHOLSTERY

Textile Upholstery: 0,94 m / 1.1 yds  
Leather Upholstery: 1,54 m<sup>2</sup> / 16.6 ft<sup>2</sup>

## TEST & CERTIFICATIONS

EN 16139:2013 - L2: Extreme use  
Furniture - Strength, durability and safety - Requirements for non-domestic seating.

EN 1092:2005 - L2: Extreme use  
Domestic furniture - Seating - Determination of stability.

ANSI/BIFMA X5.4-2012  
American National Standard For Office Furnishings - Lounge and Public Seating.