

The synthesis of lightness: Two innovations. A new sense of lightness. The new, transparent membrane constitutes the evolution of the mesh back. It allows AirPad to float lightly in space and enhances modern, reductionist architecture. The body is kept at an ideal temperature through a high degree of moisture exchange, which prevents the build-up of heat. The membrane ensures excellent freedom of movement and provides support through fine, flexible AirPads. The Body-Float synchromechanism presents an amazing, unique body float sitting experience. Taking a seat in AirPad means gently falling back into an automatically adjusted, ideally balanced sitting position. To feel one with the chair and the environment, to get down to work and remain fresh. Wouldn't it be nice to fill the day with so much lightness? Nothing easier than that.





back.



The backrest is segmented by means of fine bars. These are narrow yet highly stable. The membrane is stretched between the bars and generates a tremendously high level of freedom of movement and support for the















High-level transparency in every respect pre-destines AirPad for high-quality architecture.



All operational controls are adjusted intuitively. The hand wheel provides fine adjustment of the dual Bodyfloat mechanism return force.



The astiv seat depth adjustment effectively extends the seating area and thus the seating area for the thighs. The base of the backrest remains unaffected.



The synthesis of lightness: AirPad. Optimal sitting experience, microclimate management and high transparency through innovative membrane technology and Body-Float synchronous mechanism.





AirPad is available with a white or black membrane and the upholstery, including leather upholstery, comes in many different colours and varieties, and there are two armrests to choose from.





Office swivel chair, Body-Float synchronous mechanism, weight regulation, optional loop armrests Office swivel chair, Body-Float synchronous mechanism, weight regulation, optional 4D T-armrest







AirPad is available as a swivel chair, swivel armchair and as a visitor's chair. Impressive: the transparent appearance of all our models.



Swivel armchair with headrest, Body-Float synchronous mechanism, weight regulation, optional loop armrests



Cantilever frame medium high,arm pad















The front cantilever seating edge: striking appearance

The front cantilever seat edge makes it easy to find a comfortable setting of the seat inclination. The innovative suspension on the rear seating area means the seating height no longer has to be manually adjusted, just like the height of the lumbar support when the seat inclination is adjusted.



The Body-Float synchronous mechanism allows the body to glide backwards and downwards in a gentle flowing movement. This generates a floating and completely relaxed feeling while seated. The mechanism covers a wide weight spectrum of 45 – 140 kg.

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## From the seating specialists

Fact: from an anatomical point of view ergonomics means movement because movement is a critical part of office health. It is a law of nature that effective work processes are one of the most important sources of value-added in the company. Back problems are the greatest causes of absenteeism. A good chair will not heal your back but it is good preventive medicine and eases the pain for those who already suffer. What does an Interstuhl chair do? The patient therapist offers support in

each posture. It generates a feel-

ing of well-being in all positions

and brings measurable relief.

Naturally, the courage to follow

has meant a break with all the

old rules: majestic, immaculate

and bolt upright vs. the new

our philosophy of dynamic sitting

"You can sit however you want. Just sit on the right chair." Each new product development with leading research institutes reconfirms this and it is substantiated by scientific input. The result: Interstuhl chairs accommodate every posture so ergonomically that maximum support is ensured.



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Through the gentle floating movement of the seating area and backrest, the body is supported brilliantly in any position. The mechanism covers a wide weight spectrum of  $45-140~{\rm Kg}$ 

This ensures that the spine, which is very sensitive to vertical jolts, is not subjected to excessive loads when sitting down, even at the lowest seat height.

The individually adjustable counter-pressure of the backrest permits correct sitting for both light and heavy users.

The support range for the lumbar spine can be ideally adjusted to the height of the user.

Stepless adjustment of the seat in a forwards direction stops the pelvis from tilting back. This relieves the spine and avoids a poor posture.

Regulates the distance between the backrest and front edge of the seat, thus providing optimum support for the upper thighs; even for taller users. When adjusting the astiv setting, the back remains in the same position.

The horizontally adjustable lumbar support adapts to the individual curve of the lumbar spine; this reduces the muscle strain.

The neck and shoulder muscles are relieved by the headrest when you lean back.





Membrane black 8840 Membrane white 8844 Office swivel chairs / swivel armchair





5C30

Swivel chair, Body-Float synchronous mechanism, weight adjustment

3C42

Swivel chair with headrest, Body-Float synchronous mechanism, weight adjustment

Cantilever frame, arm pad, stackable

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Backrest height in cm (approx.)

Plastic colour black

Membrane colour black / white

Black polyamide base

Aluminium base black / brilliant silver / polished

Tubular steel frame in black / brilliant silver / chromed

Body-Float synchronous mechanism

Weight adjustment

Mechanical sprung column

Back height adjustment

Seat depth adjustment – Astiv

Adjustable seat inclination

Adjustable lumbar support

Headrest

Loop armrests / loop armrests with leather cover

2D T-armrests, adjustable in height and width

4D T-armrests, adjustable in height, width and depth, rotatable

Arm pad / arm pad with leather cover

Double castors hard / soft

Glides hard / soft

Felt glides

• Series • Option - not available





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Visitor and conference chairs



5C35 Cantilever frame, arm pad

AirPad recycling rate: 98.5 %



Recycling begins with AirPad well before production: as far as possible materials are used that have a high recycled content. Literally, the base of your current swivel chair is made out of the aluminium of the base of your disassembled old swivel chair and can be processed in the future to form the new base of your new swivel chair.

Quality produced for the environment

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AirPad Environment Product Information

The sensible and responsible use of resources and management of our ecosystem over the long term has captured our imagination for some time now. As well as our corporate requirements in terms of quality and long product life, it is the flexibility and creativity of our workforce that sets milestones. In the creation of a product the complex requirements of technical and ecological innovation are continuously developing on the basis of 8 interstuhl

construction principles aimed at supporting people and the environment in the best possible way.

- $\bullet$  1993: The company was the first in the sector to be certified according to DIN EN ISO 9001.
- 1994: The Federal State of Baden-Württemberg was honoured for its outstanding performance in the promotion of corporate environmental protection.
- 1996: EMAS registration
- 2006: LGA (Landesgesundheitsamt (State Health Authorities)) premium product accolade
- 2009: awarded the blauen Engel (Blue Angel)emblem

- The 8 interstuhl construction principles 1. Easy assembly 2. Least possible use of composite elements 3. Optimal material utilization 4. Few different materials 5. Only recyclable material 6. Use of recycled materials 7. Natural materials where possible 8. Environmentally-friendly
- packaging

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Based in the Swabian Alb region in Germany, each day we gaze at a natural, picturesque landscape that is hardly touched by infra-

Therefore, care of the environment is a particularly poignant topic and the driving force for our efforts which, thanks to our reliable

the recycling industry, result in measurable environmental and ecological success and almost continuous recycling processes