

La Punt furniture range: compact and clever convertible solutions for homeworking

Key information:

For those working from home, Girsberger has developed the functional and aesthetically appealing "La Punt" furniture range. This space-saving solution meets all the requirements of a professional home office. Essentially, "La Punt" is a bridge-like solid wood console desk with a fold-away work surface, making it suitable for any home. Not least thanks to its solid wood construction, it is an office desk which fits perfectly into living spaces. The range also comprises various additional storage elements that can be combined to create customized workspace solutions.

Bützberg, 29.03.2021 – With the work surface folded away, "La Punt" is a narrow sideboard which takes up very little space. With it folded out the desk becomes a fully functional workspace. "La Punt" is Romansh and means the bridge, as well as being a village in the Upper Engadine. This is exactly how the idea for the desk was conceived, explains "La Punt" designer Mathias Seiler: "A solid wood console acts as the bridge supporting the folding work surface, the thin solid core material of the latter providing an interesting contrast to the solid wood of the console."

With the work surface packed away, "La Punt" is just 40 cm deep. With it folded out, the large two-tier workspace is 80cm deep – large enough to be a fully functional computer desk. The solid

wood console can also be fitted with a shelf at the bottom, which provides plenty of storage room for folders, documents or even a printer and is completely concealed when the work surface is folded down. After work the laptop or keyboard and any work documents can be pushed back off the work surface onto the shelf behind and the surface folded down – so the room immediately looks neat, tidy and more spacious.

The console desks have counterbalance weights at the rear to ensure they are stable even when the work surface is extended. They are available in oak or walnut, in widths of 120 or 160 cm. The work surface and storage shelves are made from solid core in a choice of black or white veneer finish. Alternatively they are available with a FENIX coating, a matt nanotech material which makes surfaces elegant and soft to the touch.



"La Punt" with the work surface folded in and folded out. With a shelf at the bottom that is concealed when the work surface is folded down – for folders, documents or a printer. Desk console in solid oak, combined with white veneered solid core panels.



"La Punt" with power-supply options to shelf and work surface as well as customizable storage solutions. Shown here in oak with black FENIX-coated solid core panels.

Power can be accessed via a fold-away cable tray for socket strips, cables and transformers. The storage area above can also be equipped with a socket strip to enable speedy connection of mobile devices.

Additional storage elements are available as sideboards with a height of 58 cm or highboards with a height of 84 cm, both available in widths of 60 or 120 cm. These make the console desks into a complete home office solution. Various different versions are available with the option of shelves or drawers. Like the console desks, all storage elements have a flat storage area at the top which can be fitted with optional flat drawers made of aluminium plate. These universal and mobile storage components are perfect for documents and office accessories.



Ergonomic and aesthetic: La Punt in solid walnut and black solid core, together with G125 and Marva swivel chairs.

"La Punt" is not just the ideal solution for homeworking; in the office, too, the solid wood storage elements combine extremely well with Girsberger conference tables and desks.

With this new furniture, Girsberger is further increasing its range of impressive homeworking solutions and at the same time showcasing its expertise in solid wood processing. Never before has the intermeshing of work and home life been as relevant as it is today, which is why Girsberger is offering a comprehensive selection of homeworking furniture – including ergonomic swivel chairs, its console desk and various different storage elements.



"La Punt" – a space-saving home office furniture solution for any room – even the hallway.



About the designer:

Mathias Seiler, born in 1963, studied industrial design at Hamburg University of Fine Arts under the tutelage of Prof. Dieter Rams. He has worked internationally as a product designer for various renowned furniture makers and has received numerous awards. Mathias Seiler has had overall responsibility for design and marketing at Girsberger since 2010.

About Girsberger:

The Swiss company group was established in 1889 as a woodworking shop and soon made its name as a manufacturer of seating furniture. Today, it focuses on providing high-quality and innovative furniture solutions for offices, public spaces and homes and has particular expertise in processing solid wood.

Its own production sites combine a variety of different manufacturing disciplines, thus providing a high degree of production versatility and allowing the strategic move into Customized Furniture and Remanufacturing. From Koblenz, close to the border with Germany, the solid wood trade unit supplies all types of wood-processing businesses with top-quality solid wood.

Today, the international company group is managed by Michael Girsberger, who is the great-grandson of the company's founder. Outside Switzerland Girsberger has sales companies in Germany, France, the Benelux countries, Austria and Turkey; the company's headquarters are in Bützberg, near Berne. Production locations are situated in Bützberg (Switzerland), Endingen (Germany), Kraljevci (Serbia) and Silivri (Turkey).

Girsberger introduced climate-neutral production in 2015 and was awarded the EcoVadis gold medal for its transparent, sustainable supply chain in 2019.

For more detailed information about the company visit www.girsberger.com.

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