Variable

The original kneeling chair

Design: Peter Opsvik

Concept



Your body moves in response to the chair's gentle tilting motion

The open angle between your upper and lower body enhances blood circulation

Your abdomen and back muscles work to keep your posture

Category

Variation makes life exciting. On a Varier kneel chair, your body is constantly in motion. Place your knees on, in front of, between or beside the shin pads to vary your sitting angle and posture, and find the ideal balance point for your body. Have you noticed that all of the seats on our kneel chairs lean downward? This tilts the pelvis forward and puts the spine in the same position as when you are standing. This means no pressure on spinal discs and relief from shoulder and back tensions. Just remember to place your weight on your bottom when sitting, and on your shins when varying your positions. You'll never want to go back to your old way of sitting.

Healthy sitting

- Follows the natural body movement
- · Promotes natural, upright posture
- Prevents tension in neck and shoulders
- Strengthens core and abdominal muscles
- Enhances deep breathing
- Improves concentration through increased blood
- circulation and oxygen supply
- Energizes and combats tiredness
- Reduces pressure on vertebral discs



Benefits

Movement and variation	 Freedom to concentrate on work Muscles are stimulated - no wear and tear of static sitting
Runners	 Follow movements of the body and encourage active sitting positions The body will find its own natural balance Stimulates dynamic and active sitting positions Can function as support for the feet Support for the legs/feet
Leg cushions (balance concept = runners + tilted seat + leg cushions)	 Children can also use the leg cushion as seat and the seat as a table A creative way of sitting Different sitting positions, leaning forwards with legs on cushions, central position with feet placed on runners or floor, one foot on floor – one on leg cushion and leaning backwards
Tilted seat	 Sitting positions with a natural open angel between thigh and torso Makes breathing easier Healthy lifestyle
No mechanical adjustment parts	 Easy and natural adjustment to the next position Flow with body
No sharp edges	 Comfortable to find individual sitting positions Comfortable in use
Open construction	 Freedom for movement Freedom for variation Air to the body Easy to clean – no dust and litter between back and seat



Simple construction	Easy to assembleFew parts
No back rest	 Takes small space Easy to fit in existing interior Easy to carry from one room to another Easy to clean Easy to put under desk/table
On the market for more than 40 years	 Does not follow trends Timeless Safety Well known and accepted concept
Extra: Backrest, Backrest Cushion (2013)	 Offers variation to seating position Cushion for extra comfort and support
Extra: Soft-tape	 Added protection against wood floors More comfort on tiled floors
Extra: Distance blocks	 Distance between leg cushions and seat can be short- ened to give more comfort to children and smaller persons
Design Peter Opsvik	Classical and functionalDesigned to rise the user's wellness



Features

Base made in laminated wood with a core in beech, and top laminate in ash	 Environmentally friendly Strong construction, long lasting Natural materials
Floor protection	Protect the floorStability
Supplied in a number of fabrics & leathers	 Goes easily into existing interiors Easy to choose according to personal taste Easy to clean Available in different price groups
Tested according to European standard for Non-Domestic Use NS-EN 16139 2013	Tested by officially accredited test instituteSafe and high quality

Technical Information Main

Chair Measurements

	Width	Depth	Height	Seat height
Variable	52 cm	72 cm	51 cm	50 cm
Variable with back	52 cm	80 cm	93 cm	50 cm

Box Measurements and Weight

	Height	Length	Width	Weight
Chair	10,5 cm	73,2 cm	54 cm	6,3 kg
Back rest	9,4 cm	92,5 cm	14,3 cm	1,8 kg

Effects after Use

Do you have knees that hurt?

Try shifting a bit further back on the seat, resulting in less pressure on the knees. Also, sitting on a Variable balans gives a brand new sitting experience compared to other chairs. The body needs to adjust and we therefore recommend a period of adaptation - start off by using it only 30 min - 1 hour the first day, then gradually more and more for each day.

- Better posture
- Stronger back

Warranty

7-year warranty on all wood parts

User and User Areas

Suitable for children and adults

Perfect chair for all kinds of work (i.e. computer work,

Desks, home office or office

studying, drawing, etc.)

- 5-year warranty on all mechanical parts
- To make use of this extended guarantee please register online: varierfurniture.com/Guarantee

Pre-Conditions for Use

User must trust the chair to support various positions

Production country: Poland

Launch date: 1979

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