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HAY

LAYOUT ARMCHAIR

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Part of a cohesive seating collection offering versatility across various settings and configurations
- Distinctive backrest opening adds comfort and adds visual lightness
- The shell and seat are crafted from a minimum of 96% post-consumer recycled plastic and offered in a variety of colours
- With circularity in mind, all components can be fully disassembled, featuring removable upholstery and replaceable parts
- Available with plastic shell and seat (241), with plywood seat (242), upholstered seat (243) or fully upholstered shell (244) in a large selection of fabrics and olive-leaf tanned leather
- Featuring a 5-legged castor base with a height-adjustable gas lift
- Other base options include a 4-star swivel base, 4-leg steel base, and solid wood legs
- Suitable for a wide variety of private and public environments

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Designed by Julien Renault, the Layout Armchair 241- 244 variants offer a flexible and innovative design shaped by a commitment to comfort, functionality, and circularity. Characterised by the opening in the backrest, this defining feature provides greater comfort while giving its appearance a sense of lightness and transparency. Featuring a five-legged castor base with a height-adjustable gas lift that adds functionality and flexibility, all chair components can be fully disassembled to extend its lifespan and enable refurbishment for long-term use. The shell is crafted from a minimum of 96% post-consumer recycled plastic and offered in a variety of colours, which can be combined with different seat options or a fully upholstered seat for added comfort, making Layout a versatile and durable seating solution ideal for offices, restaurants, public institutions, and domestic environments.

French designer Julien Renault blends rational methods with artistic freedom in his approach to design. Based in Brussels, he draws inspiration from everyday life, transforming the ordinary into something beautiful. His work for numerous international brands reflects the deep connection between objects and their environments. For HAY, Julien has designed the Pastis Table and Chair series, Compass Lamp Collection, and Layout Chair.



Julien Renault

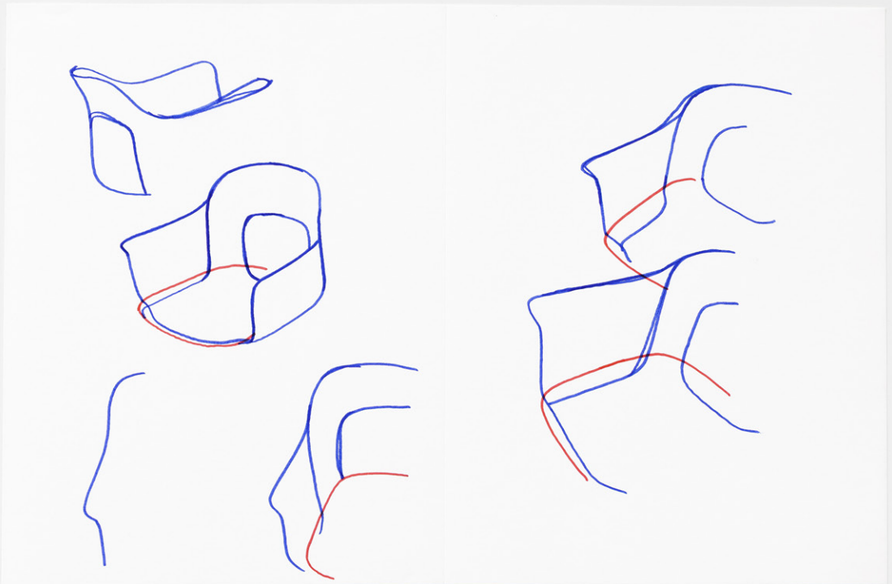


Layout Armchair 243 | Biscotti shell | Seat uph. Relate 431 | Polished swivel base



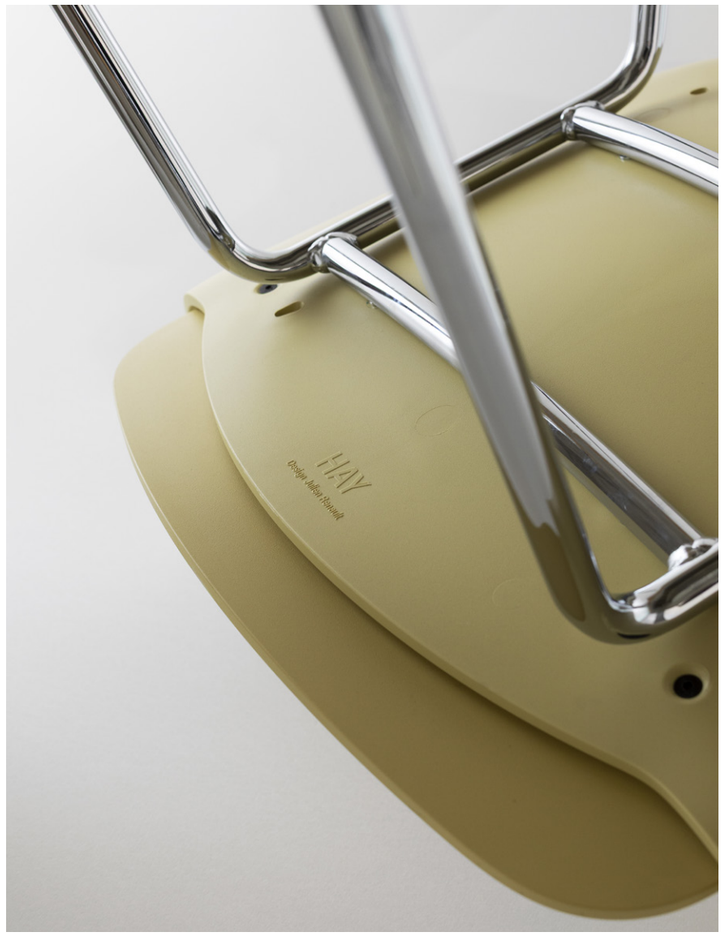




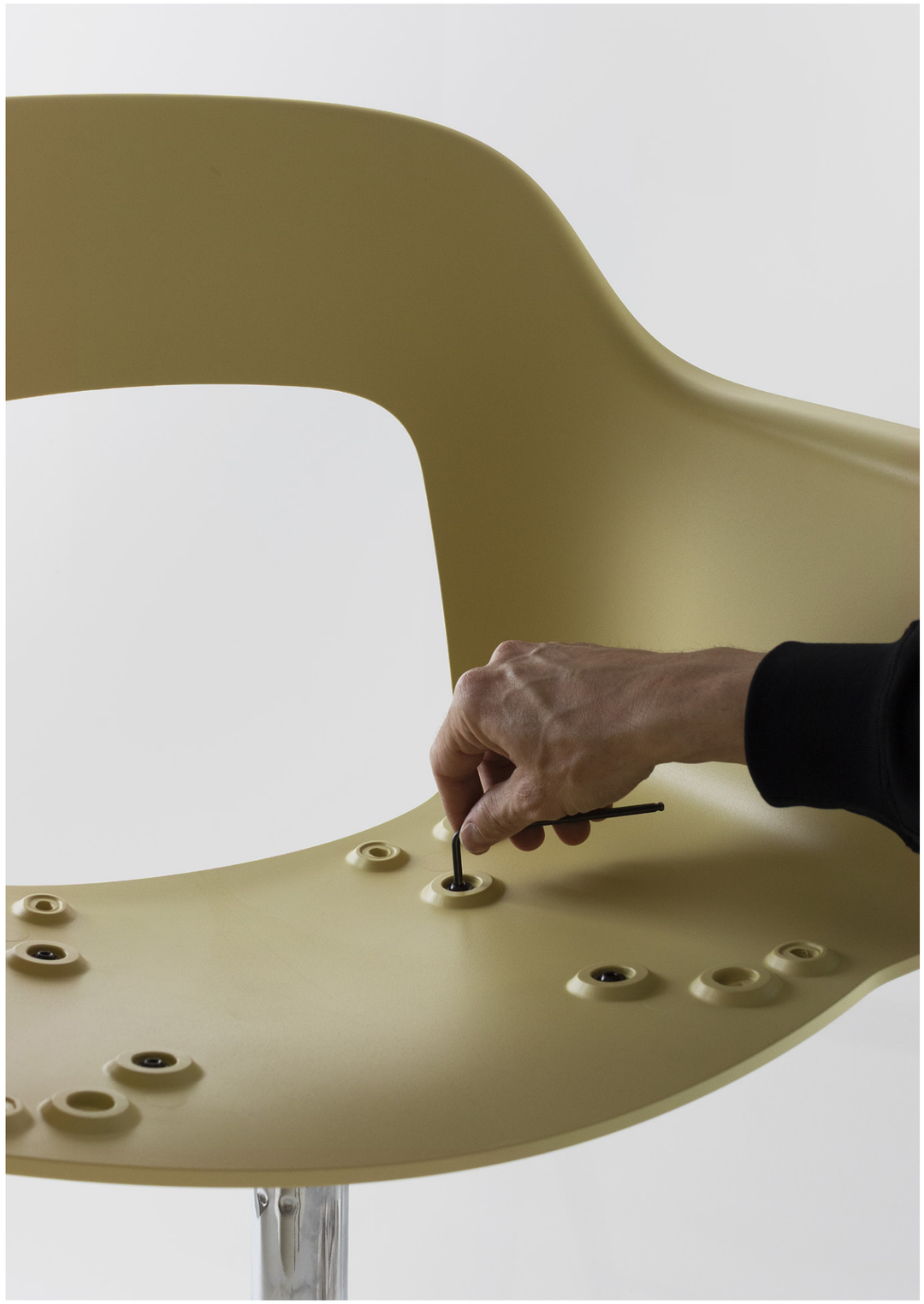








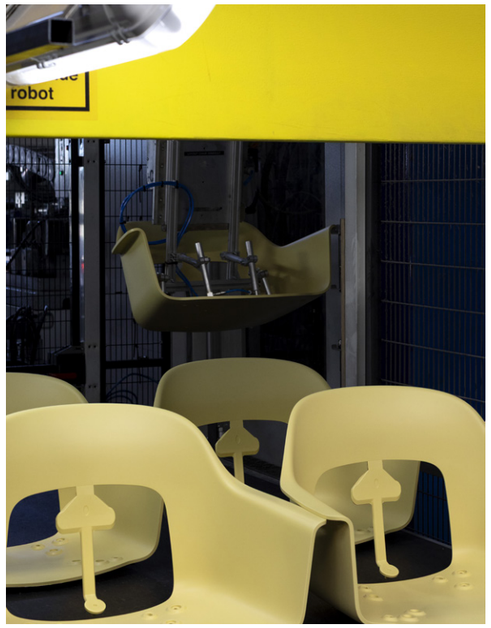
Layout Armchair 211



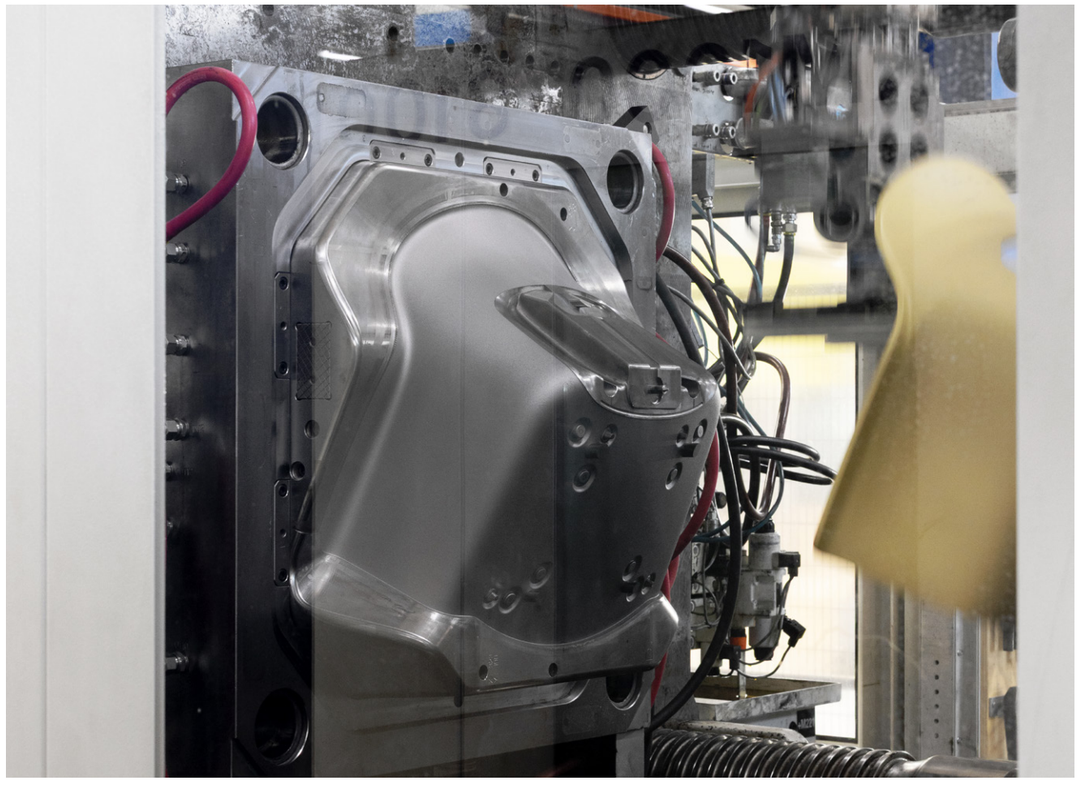


Layout Armchair 241


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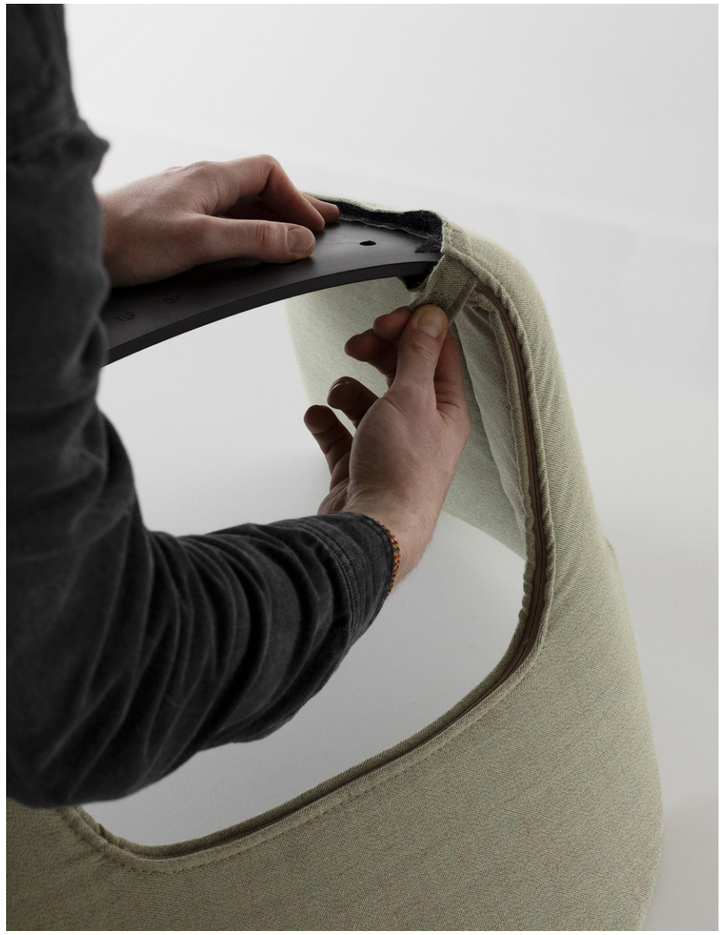

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Removable upholstery, attached and detached as shown, designed to enable refurbishing and extend the product's lifespan for long-term use.



Layout Armchair 244 | Grano caper green | Black powder coated swivel base



Layout Armchair 243 | Biscotti shell | Seat uph. Relate 431 | Polished swivel base



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MATERIALS

ARMSHELL
Made from at least 96% post-consumer recycled polypropylene.
Available as full upholstery with cut foam

SEAT
Made from at least 96% post-consumer recycled polypropylene, water-based lacquered plywood, or upholstery with moulded foam

BASE
5-star swivel base in cast aluminium with gas lift and soft wheels suitable for all floors

FABRIC & LEATHER UPHOLSTERY
Please see our Fabric Overview for approved standard fabrics.
LINK TO OVERVIEW

The upholstery can be replaced to extend the product's life. HAY reccommends consulting a professional. For more information contact your HAY sales representative.

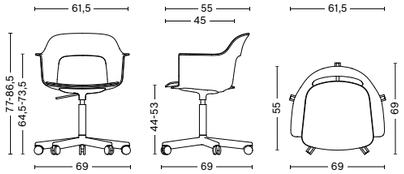
COLOUR & FINISH

Please note that the colours are indicative

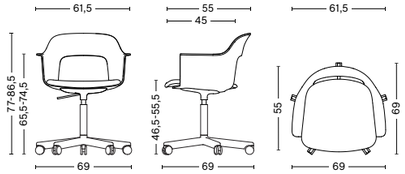
MODEL COLOUR & FINISH	Armshell 	Seat 	Base 
Cream white polypropylene	●	●	
Sky grey polypropylene	●	●	
Black polypropylene	●	●	
Biscotti polypropylene	●	●	
Bordeaux polypropylene	●	●	
Bottle green polypropylene	●	●	
Ocean polypropylene	●	●	
Pastel green polypropylene	●	●	
Water-based lacquered oak veneer		●	
Water-based lacquered walnut veneer		●	
Black water-based lacquered oak veneer		●	
Black aluminium Semi-gloss			●
High polished aluminium			●

Please note these models must have the following matching components:
Polypropylene shell and seat | both shell and seat in same colour
Full upholstery | both shell and seat in same fabric

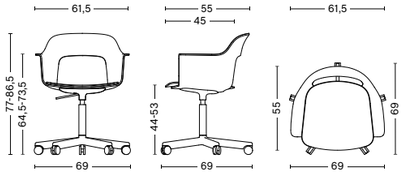
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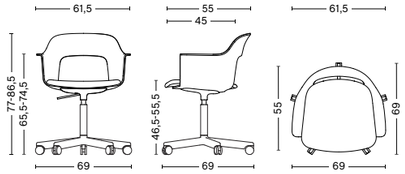
LAYOUT ARMCHAIR 241
Width 69 cm
Depth 69 cm
Height 77-86,5 cm
Seat height 44-53 cm
Armrest height 64,5-73,5 cm
Weight 10,1 kg



LAYOUT ARMCHAIR 243
Width 69 cm
Depth 69 cm
Height 77-86,5 cm
Seat height 46,5-55,5 cm
Armrest height 65,5-74,5 cm
Weight 10,7 kg



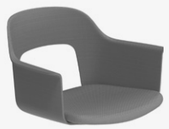
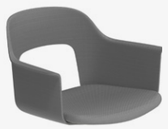
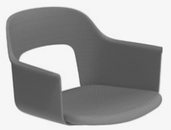
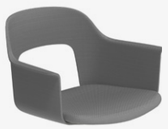
LAYOUT ARMCHAIR 242
Width 69 cm
Depth 69 cm
Height 77-86,5 cm
Seat height 44-53 cm
Armrest height 64,5-73,5 cm
Weight 9,8 kg



LAYOUT ARMCHAIR 244
Width 69 cm
Depth 69 cm
Height 78-87,5 cm
Seat height 46,5-55,5 cm
Armrest height 65,5-74,5 cm
Weight 11,6 kg



LAYOUT ARMCHAIR OVERVIEW

	Tube base	Wood base	4-star swivel base	5-star swivel base with wheels Height adjustable
Armshell plastic Seat plastic	 Layout Armchair 211	 Layout Armchair 221	 Layout Armchair 231	 Layout Armchair 241
Armshell plastic Seat plywood	 Layout Armchair 212	 Layout Armchair 222	 Layout Armchair 232	 Layout Armchair 242
Armshell plastic Seat upholstered	 Layout Armchair 213	 Layout Armchair 223	 Layout Armchair 233	 Layout Armchair 243
Armshell upholstered Seat upholstered	 Layout Armchair 214	 Layout Armchair 224	 Layout Armchair 234	 Layout Armchair 244



PRODUCT INFORMATION

DESIGN YEAR
2025

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN
Denmark
Poland (full upholstery)

OPTIONS
CMHR foam (fire retardant)

WARRANTY
HAY provides a 10-year product warranty. Please contact the HAY sales team for further information about the warranty terms and conditions.

CARE & MAINTENANCE
Our Care & Maintenance offers guidance for optimal maintenance of your HAY product.
LINK TO CARE & MAINTENANCE

RECYCLING & DISASSEMBLY
The furniture is designed to be a long-lasting furniture made to last for many years. The furniture is 100% recyclable and all parts can be fully separated and recycled. All parts can be delivered to a suitable recycling facility.
LINK TO DISASSEMBLY INSTRUCTION MANUAL

CERTIFICATES & TESTS

	EU ECOLABEL Applies to unupholstered and upholstered models covered in EU-Ecolabelled fabrics. Does not apply to CMHR foam. IN PROGRESS
	FSC™ LABEL MIX 70% Made from FSC™-certified wood and other controlled materials.
EN TEST	EN 16139 - L2 Non-domestic seating. The chair meets EN 16139:2013 with brake castors. Standard delivery comes with regular castors without brakes. Brake castors are available on special request.
BIFMA	ANSI BIFMA X5.1 Office chairs. IN PROGRESS

SUSTAINABILITY

HAY focuses on developing long-lasting products that minimise the environmental impact throughout their lifecycle. We prioritise carefully selecting materials, such as recycled content, FSC™-certified wood, and water-based lacquer, while continuously increasing the number of eco-certified products. We adhere to strict regulatory requirements, and the majority of our products are tested to meet international standards for strength, durability, and safety.
LINK TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROFILE

DOWNLOADS

Packshots and lifestyle photos, 2D / 3D files, care and maintenance, instructions, test certificates, product fact sheets, and product presentations are available in our Digital Library at hay.com.
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