

Bohemian '72 Ottoman - Fully Upholstered

Designed by Gabriella Crespi - 1972

**ITEM NUMBER**

43581

DESCRIPTION

The Bohemian '72 Collection brings together Gabriella Crespi's interest in natural materials, her fascination with stacked sculptural forms, and her curiosity about Eastern cultures and philosophies, honed over years of travel. During her lifetime, these exclusive pieces were only ever produced for private clients, but today, 50 years after they were first conceived, in the year she would have turned 100, GUBI has worked from Crespi's original drawings to bring an extraordinary collection of iconic furniture designs into production for the first time. In the Bohemian '72 Collection, GUBI has distilled Crespi's vision of a versatile furniture family for her house of the sun, conjuring a worldly Milanese sophistication from one of nature's most humble-seeming materials. Elegant, flexible, and refined, the collection is the pinnacle of the jet-set bohemian lounge lifestyle. Alongside the 'Rising Sun' and 'Five Positions' Collections, the Bohemian '72 Collection was part of Crespi's wider 'Bamboo Collection', designed between 1972 and 1975, and encompassing a broad range of natural materials such as manao, malacca and manila canes, and woven wicker and straw. Comprising a lounge chair, three-seater sofa, ottoman and floor lamp – all crafted from rattan – the Bohemian 72 Collection embodies Crespi's career-long aim to create furniture that brings the freshness of natural materials into the home. She never allowed curtains or screens to block the natural flow of light or air and had what her daughter has described as 'a deep sentiment for the cosmic energy of nature'.

Materials & Finishes

BASE FINISH

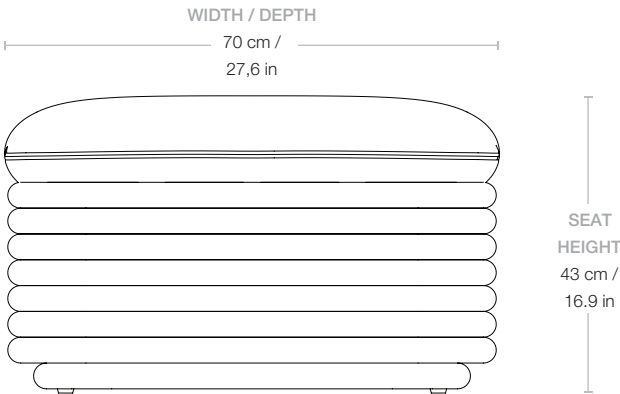
Antique (Gloss 70)



MATERIALS

Rattan, foam, wadding, fabric upholstery

Dimensions



WIDTH

70 cm / 27,6 in

DEPTH

70 cm / 27,6 in

HEIGHT

43 cm / 16,9 in

Weight

TOTAL WEIGHT

15,6 kg / 34,4 lbs

Upholstery Consumption

FABRIC

X 140 CM FABRIC WIDTH / X 55 IN FABRIC WIDTH

150 cm / 59,1 in

Packaging

NUMBER OF PARCELS	1
PACKAGING LENGTH	74 cm / 29,1 in
PACKAGING WIDTH	74 cm / 29,1 in
PACKAGING HEIGHT	48 cm / 18,9 in
PACKAGING WEIGHT	4 kg / 8,8 lbs
GROSS WEIGHT	19,6 kg / 43,2 lbs

SUSTAINABILITY

Rattan is incredibly fast-growing and climbs up tree trunks, providing an incentive to preserve ancient forests. These factors combined with the longevity of the material – a carefully constructed rattan chair can last for over a century – make this a very sustainable choice. Parts can be separated and sorted for recycling.

KEY FEATURES

Mobile and versatile: The rattan construction means the Bohemian 72 Collection can be easily moved around the home, from living room to sunroom or conservatory.

Timeless lifestyle: Only manufactured for Crespi's discerning private clients until now, this collection captures the bohemian jet-set lifestyle of the 1970s in a way that feels absolutely relevant today.

Superlative comfort: Generous, cloud-like plump cushions with removable covers give the Bohemian 72 seating an indulgent softness, while the 115° incline on the lounge chair's backrest encourages the user to lean back and relax.

Elegant and sophisticated: The graceful continuous form of the rattan structure and the sleek profile of the upholstered cushions combine to create a distinctly refined aesthetic that perfectly expresses Crespi's extraordinary taste.