

# Outdoor furniture collection

## Maintenace instruction

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The daily protection and care of furniture is a guarantee of your satisfaction and the possibility of using it for many years. Every piece of furniture, regardless of the material it is made of, requires appropriate treatment and the user's efforts to keep it looking good throughout its life. If furniture is not cleaned properly, it will wear out much quicker, so it is worth knowing a few rules and avoiding mistakes that could result in damage to the furniture. Below you can find the rules for the care and maintenance of our furniture.

The use and maintenance of furniture that does not comply with the guidelines below may be grounds for rejection of a possible claim.



### PLASTIC

1. All plastic elements of the outdoor furniture is made using UV-, rain- and moisture-resistant, frost-resistant plastic, designed for outdoor use.
2. Do not allow heavy soiling. Avoid contact with colouring substances as the material may discolour.
3. Protect the furniture from alcohol and solvents, as these substances can damage the surface, causing tarnishing, discolouration and even deformation or cracking of the material.
4. Clean dirt and dust with a damp cotton cloth. Do not use abrasive sponges, which may scratch the surface.
5. Use only cleaning agents designed for cleaning plastic. Do not clean with unsuitable cleaning agents, as strong chemicals, solvents or agents containing bleach can cause discolouration.
6. Use a mixture of water and soap or a mild dishwashing liquid for daily care of the plastic. Clean with a damp cloth and wipe dry.
7. Maintenance should be carried out at least once a month.



### POWDER-COATED METALS

1. Galvanised and powder-coated steel furniture has a durable surface, but can be sensitive to oxidation and scratching.
2. Furniture is coated with a paint designed for outdoor use, resistant to: UV radiation, rain and humidity, temperature fluctuations, wind and air pollution. The paint should not fade.
3. Use a mixture of water and soap for daily care. Clean with a damp soft cloth and wipe dry. Do not use hard or wire brushes.
4. If there is deep damage to the top paint, the damaged area should be protected against moisture with a mortar varnish. If corrosion has appeared at the damaged area, clean the metal of rust beforehand.



### UPHOLSTERY

1. The fabrics used for the cushions are designed for outdoor use, but it is advised not to leave them outside during rainfall.
2. To clean any dirt or to refresh the cushion, remove it from the seat and carry out maintenance according to the rules of the upholstered furniture care available at: <https://mdd.eu/en/proper-furniture-care/>.
3. Maintenance can be carried out with an impregnator for outdoor fabrics to increase the upholstery's resistance to water and dirt.



#### STORING RECOMMENDATIONS

1. The furniture is designed for outdoor use and is weatherproof. In order to prolong their life, the furniture should not be exposed to factors such as rain, water and snow. Protect the furniture in the off-season with a suitable cover or store it in a dry room to avoid micro-damage caused by too low temperatures.
2. Metal and plastic surfaces may slightly change colour and lose their shine over time of use.