



Oxdenmarq - handmade products will only get more beautiful as time passes and natural patina sets in.

## **ABOUT US**

When we set out back in 2003, our goal was to produce reasonably priced furniture from exclusive materials like vegetable tanned saddle leather.

Making affordable furniture is a core value we still pursue in everything we do.

Back in the Sixties, and unlike today, a lot of the now famous Danish Design products, furniture and other products, were affordable for the middle class. That is sadly no longer the case, but at Oxdenmarq we strive hard to make affordable furniture from exclusive materials.

- The leather gave us our name OX. Later on, we have added marble and other materials always

building on my own background as a craftsman. Craftsmanship is key for us in everything we do. Before finishing his design studies at the Copenhagen Design University, Dennis Marquart did a Blacksmith education. This background is extremely useful when developing and designing products.

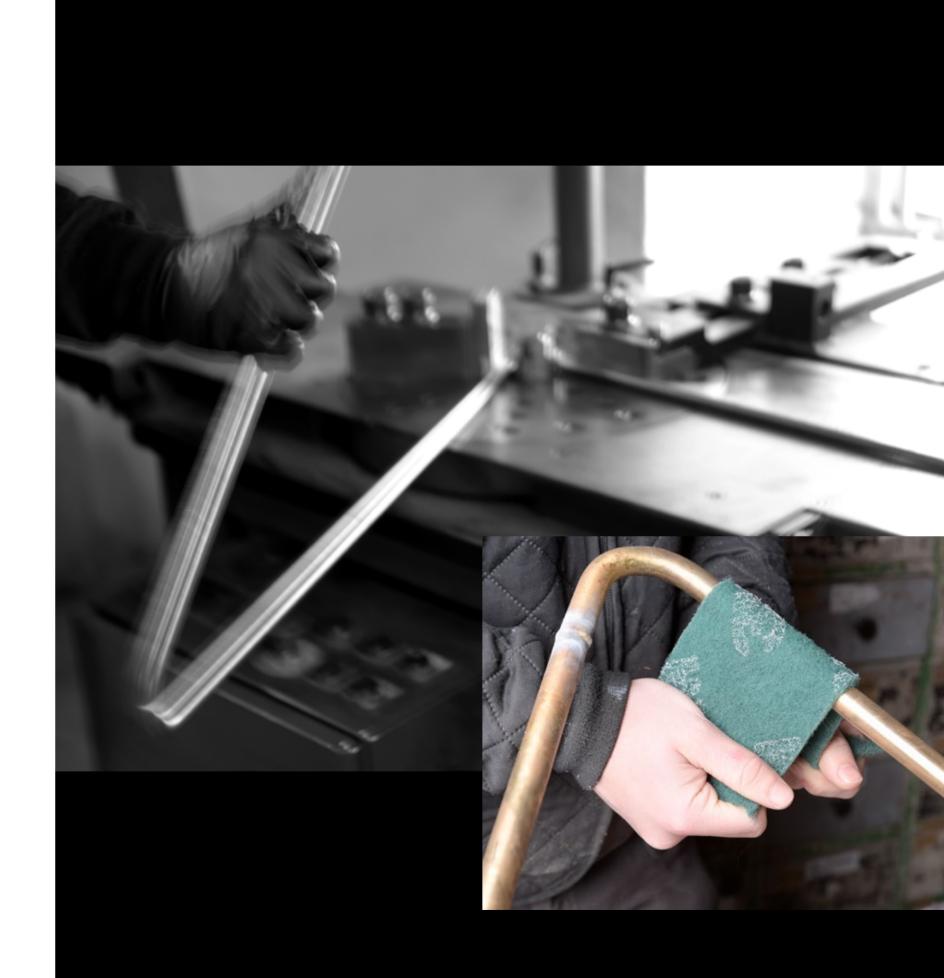
- I like to keep my designs simple and to let the materials do the talking. When we develop new products, I almost always do the proto types myself because then I can see how the materials can work together with my design ideas.



As one of the few Danish Furniture producers,
Oxdenmarq preserves
a large part of their production in Denmark.

- As a family man, it is extremely cool to have pieces at home – often old first edition pieces - where the patina reflects the growing up of our children.

Many OX products are shaped around marble or vegetable tanned saddle leather. Stone and leather are materials that will and should get marks over time. But they will also age with a very special beauty. When you learn to appreciate the beauty of maturity and of time passing, you have learned to appreciate patina the way it should be appreciated.





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## The environmental perspective

Oxdenmarq makes furniture that lasts, not furniture whose existence is based on the notion that it is easier to buy new than to care for what you have.

Our furniture makes use of material that ages with beauty as it patinaties over its lifetime being used by humans. It is meant to be used – and you're meant to see it.

As we see it, imperfections in natural materials are the real beauty of nature. An insect bite is to us not a flaw, but a sign that the animal has led a natural life in the outdoors. We wouldn't dream of throwing away a big nice piece of leather just because of this naturally occurring imperfection. Of course we use it.

Cared-for leather lasts for decades, whether or not it has insect bites or scars. As our furniture lives with us, it is bound to be worn or even damaged in certain places.

We encourage caring for our furniture by replacing these parts with new spare ones as well as maintaining the quality of the materials with care. This way, your chair can be passed down through generations, or if you choose to switch it out, it doesn't have to be thrown away but sold for someone else to enjoy.

In the world of Oxdenmarq, sustainability means to buy less and to buy better.







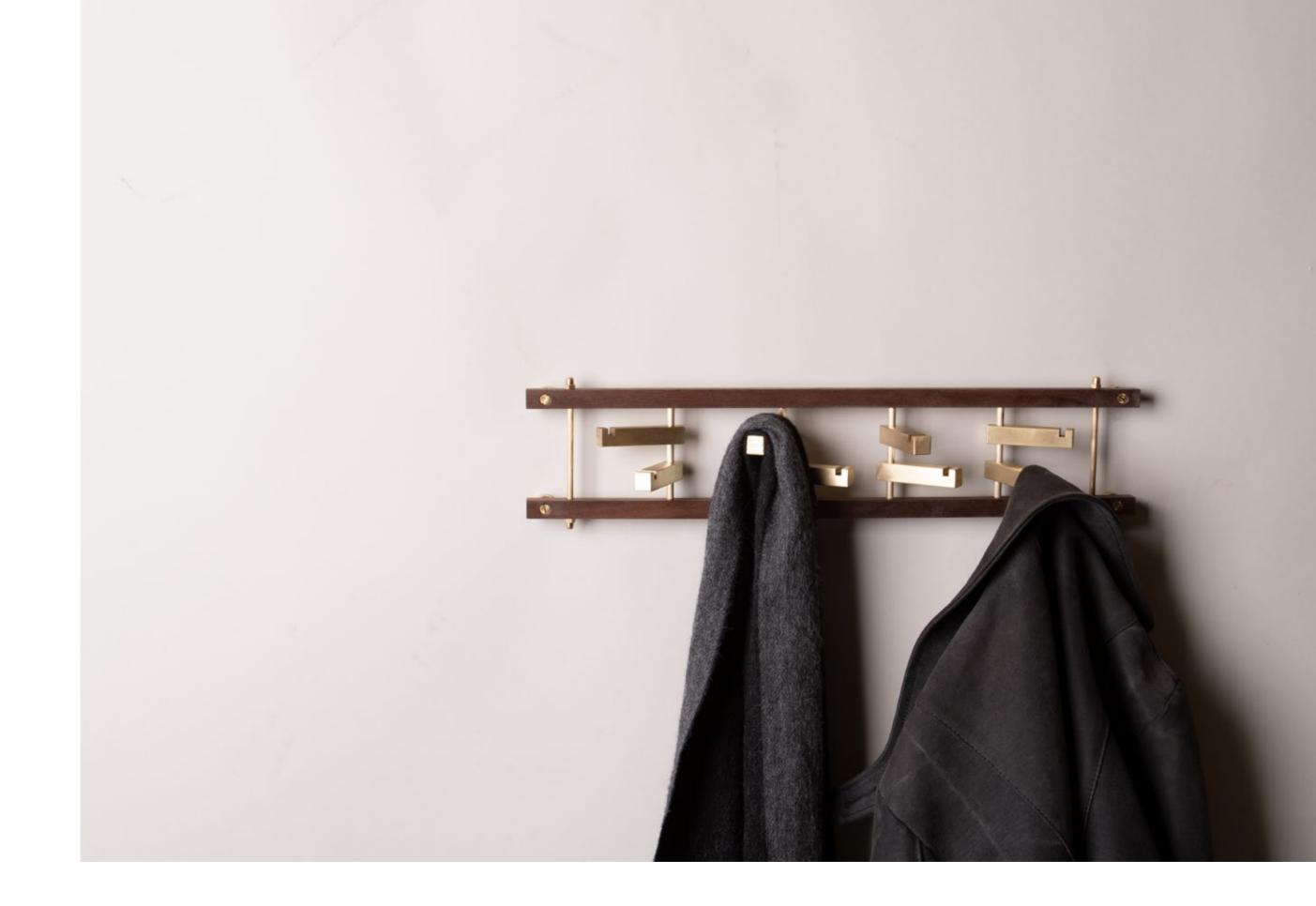


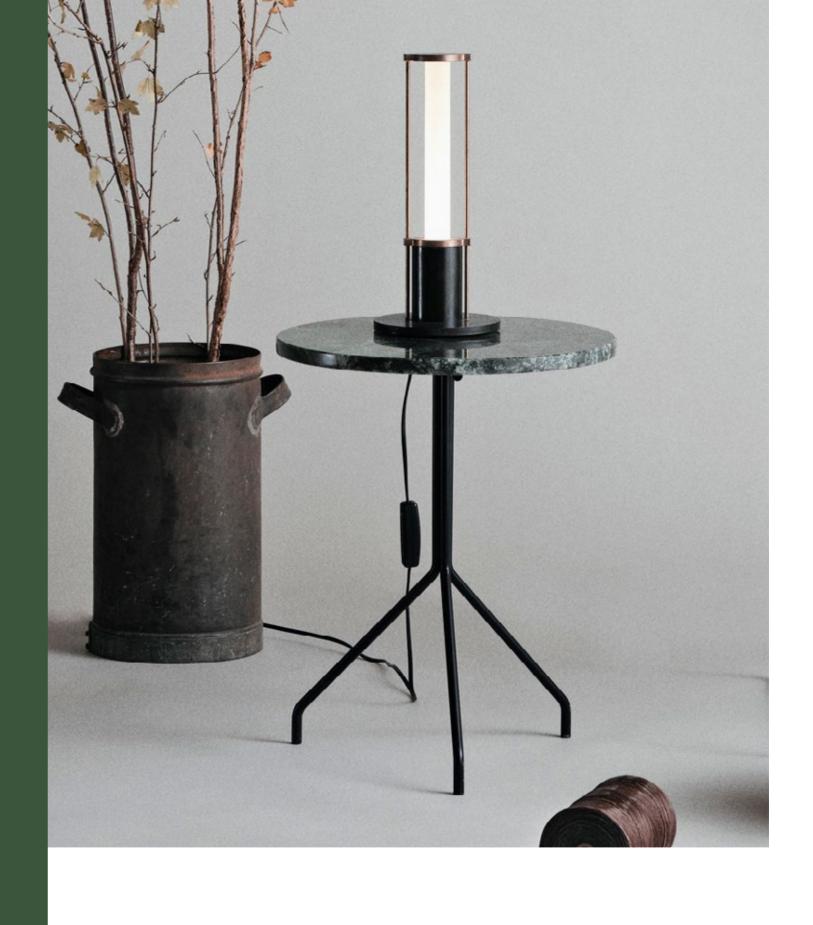


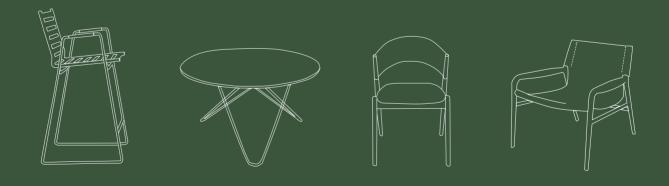












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