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### **Product type**

Rug

## **Materials**

Fibres from Jipi palm leaves fibres

#### Colours

cacao melange/brown melange light grey melange/brown melange greenrose/terracotta yellow melange natural rose/terracotta yellow melange greenrose/light grey melange

## Country of origin

Colombia

## Place of use

Commercial and Residental

## Environment

Indoor

## **Customise product**

Please contact shop@amesliving.de for bespoke version

### **Design and inspiration**

Earthy colours and subtle colour-blocking characterise the Par Rug by Sebastian Herkner. The shades of the pattern mirror the earthy, warm tones the designer saw when he visited the Huila region in Colombia. The rug is knotted with fibres that come from the leaves of the fique plant, a wild-growing agave-like tree. The rug is available in five different colour combinations and in three sizes.

### About the designer

German designer Sebastian Herkner is a long-term collaborator of ames and has visited Colombia multiple times to experience the country's cities, nature and people first hand. He also visited many of the ateliers that ames has partnered with to learn about the unique traditional crafts of Colombia's regions. A sought-after contemporary designer and recipient of many industry awards, he has worked with many international design brands, creating intriguing pieces that showcase his intuition for interesting material, colour and texture combinations.







## **Technical Specifications**

## **PAR** Rug

Rug Small



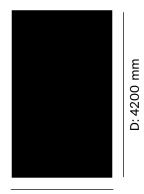
W: 1600 mm

Rug Medium



W:: 2000 mm

### Rug Large



W: 3100 mm

## Dimensions (mm)

Small

Width: 1600, Depth: 2200

Medium

Width: 2000, Depth: 3000

Large

Width: 3100, Depth: 4200

## Packaging dimensions $(H \times W \times D)$ (mm)

Small

 $650 \times 650 \times 500$ 

Medium

 $860\times850\times500$ 

Large

1200 × 800 × 700

### Item weight (kg)

Small 13 22

48

Medium Large

## Craft and manufacturing

Each rug is knotted in small ateliers in the Santander region. The yarns are made up of 28 individual fibres, which are prepared in an elaborate process that takes seven days, which includes washing the leaves and soaking them for 15 hours before they are dried and brushed by hand. These hardwearing, long fibres have even flame retardant qualities. Then it takes one experienced artesano 20 days to make the actual rug, setting knot next to knot on a vertical loom.

### **Care instructions**

Some shedding will occur when vacuuming the rug, especially in the beginning. We recommend cutting loose threads with a scissor or pull them in with a crochet needle. Vacuum rug regularly. As the fibres have been dyed by hand, each model's colour varies slightly. To protect the colours, avoid exposing the product to direct sunlight over long periods and change its position regularly so the colours age evenly. We also recommend using an anti-slip underlay to reduce dust collection. Please protect these rugs from rain and wet conditions. Their surfaces can be wiped with a damp cloth. They are heat and fire-resistant. Only use a professional rug cleaning service for the entire rug. The dimensions can vary minimally as each rug is made by hand.

## **PAR** Rug Small



cacao melange/ brown melange 00AFR5-A



light grey melange/ brown melange 00AFR5-B



greenrose /terracotta yellow melange 00AFR5-C



natural rose/ terracotta yellow melange 00AFR5-D



greenrose/ light grey melange 00AFR5-E

## **PAR** Rug Medium



cacao melange/ brown melange 00AFR6-A



light grey melange/ brown melange 00AFR6-B



greenrose /terracotta yellow melange 00AFR6-C



natural rose/ terracotta yellow melange 00AFR6-D



greenrose/ light grey melange 00AFR6-E

## **PAR** Rug Large



cacao melange/ brown melange 00AFR7-A



light grey melange/ brown melange 00AFR7-B



greenrose /terracotta yellow melange 00AFR7-C



natural rose/ terracotta yellow melange 00AFR7-D



greenrose/ light grey melange 00AFR7-E