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Product type

Rug

Materials

100% Fique fibres from Furcraea leaves

Colours

Ulias picante red/warm sand/viola blue lila/blue lila/red ochre moss green/light blue/blue green

Ulias Noche blush pink/black/goldcooper petrol/black/coopergreen

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

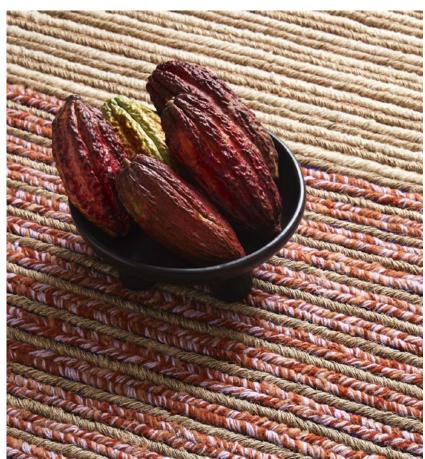
The Uilas and Uilas Noches Rugs are an extraordinary textiles collection using traditional Colombian materials and techniques to create distinctively modern pieces. Textile designer Mae Engelgeer created an abstract shape inspired by the landscapes of the Huila province, which is characterised by the contrast between the Rio Magdalena and the Tatacoa desert. Dry fique fibres are used to recreate the colours and shapes of the desert and the natural virgin wool symbolises the lushness of the river valley. For some extra spark, the Uilas Noche pieces are interwoven with metallic threads that shimmer gently. Each rug is available in three sizes and will add a fascinating texture to any room.

About the designer

Dutch designer Mae Engelgeer felt always drawn to textiles – from her school days through her studies at the Amsterdam Fashion Institute to her Masters in applied art at the Sandberg Instituut. Since opening her studio in 2013, she has been driven by her interest in traditional craft techniques. Using yarns, colours, patterns and fabrics, she pushes the boundaries of textile production to adapt old techniques for the modern day. Mae Engelgeer's signature style combines subtle colour palettes, patterns and linear elements.



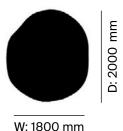




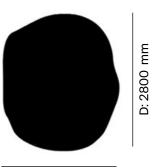
Technical Specifications

ULIAS & **ULIAS NOCHE** Rug

Rug Small

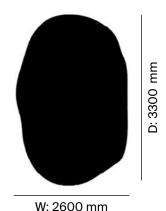


Rug Medium



W:: 1800 mm

Rug Large



Dimensions (mm)

Small

Width: 1800, Depth: 2000

Medium

Width: 1800, Depth: 2800

Large

Width: 2600, Depth: 3300

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

Small

1200 × 800 × 500

Medium

1200 × 800 × 600

Large

1200 × 800 × 700

Item weight (kg)

Small 10,6 Medium 14,6 Large 21,6

Craft and manufacturing

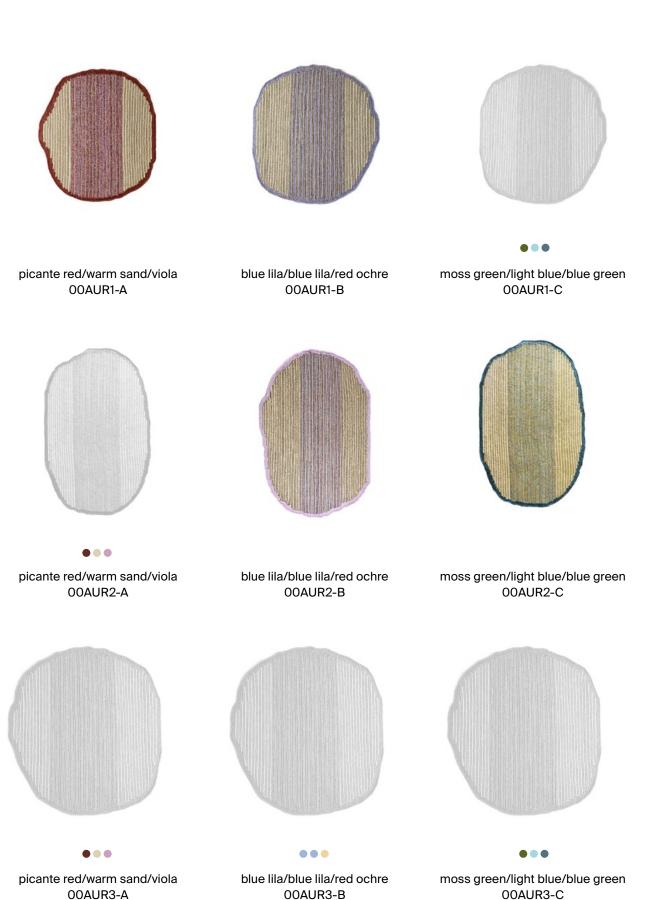
Each rug is woven by hand in production facilities in the provinces Santander and Boyacá. In both regions exists a long tradition of working with fibres that are made from the leaves of the fique plant. For this rug, our artesanos and artesanos combine these natural fibres with dyed wool threads to create the asymmetrical piece. The preparation of the raw materials alone takes up to five days and the weaving and braiding of the rug takes between 20 to 30 days, depending on the size of the final rug.

Care instructions

Some shedding will occur when vacuuming the rug, especially in the beginning. Only vacuum the on a low suction setting. To protect the colours, avoid exposing the product to direct sunlight over long periods and change its position regularly so the colours age evenly. Protect the rain from rain or wet conditions. We also recommend using an anti-slip underlay to reduce dust collection. Only use a professional rug cleaning service for the entire rug. The dimensions can vary minimally as each rug is made by hand.

Do not alter it yourself, as this could damage the knotting.

ULIAS Rug Small, Medium, Large



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ULIAS NOCHE Rug Small, Medium, Large



blush pink/black/goldcooper 00AUR4-1



petrol/black/coopergreen 00AUR5-1



blush pink/black/goldcooper 00AUR4-2



petrol/black/coopergreen 00AUR5-2



blush pink/black/goldcooper 00AUR4-3



petrol/black/coopergreen 00AUR5-3