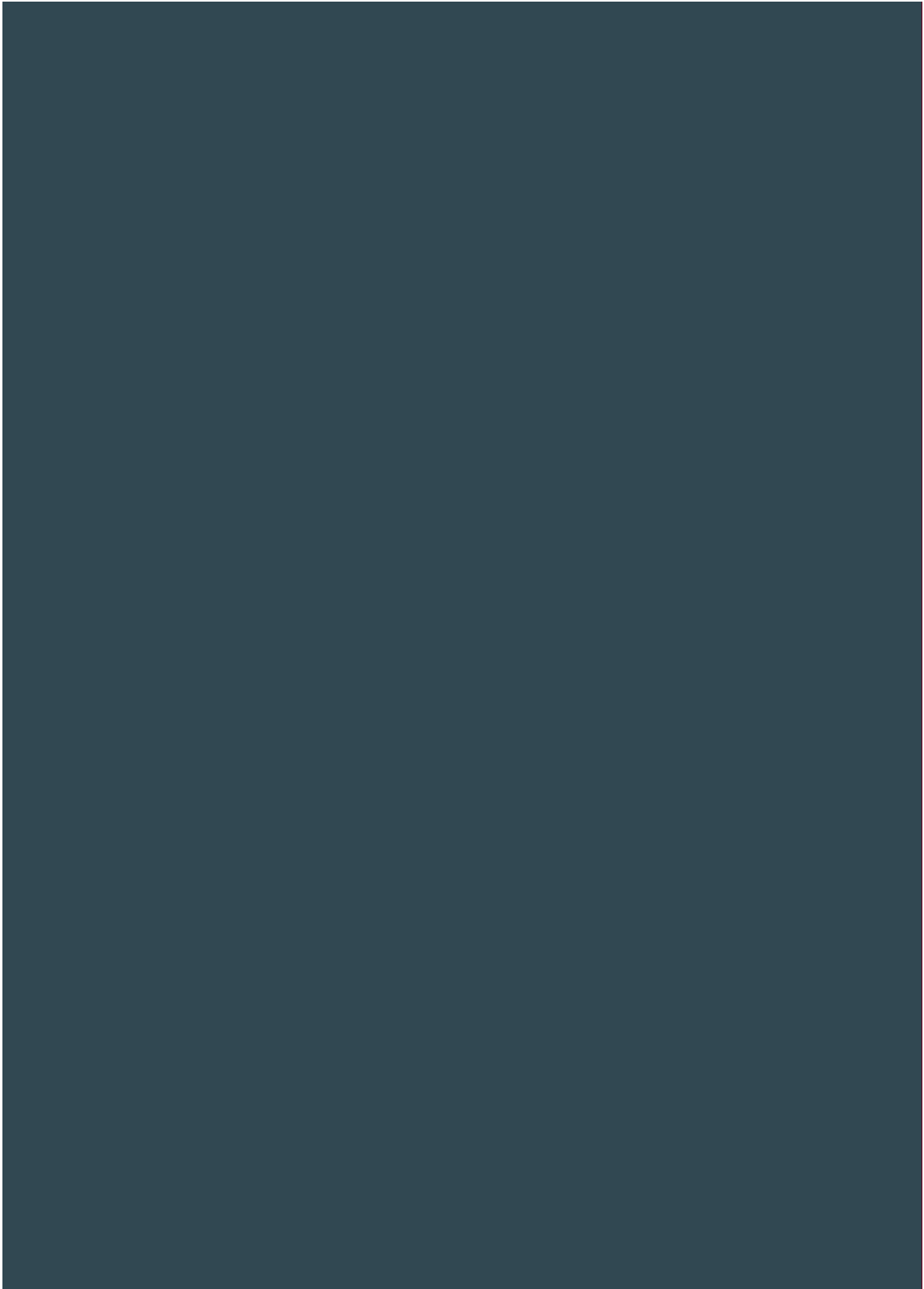


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Dark Grey

This year, we introduce a new dark grey to String System. It's a contemporary and warm shade, that combines perfectly with every other colour and types of wood in our range. Bringing a sense of comfort to any home.



Bedroom. Cabinet with sliding doors in oak, combined with dark grey wall panels, cabinets with swing door and shelves.





Kitchen. Cabinets with flip door in ash, combined with metal shelves high in dark grey.



Chest of drawers in dark grey, as a bedside table.

Floor panels, cabinet with flip door, work desk, chest of drawers, all in dark grey, combined with String Pocket Oxtorgsröd.







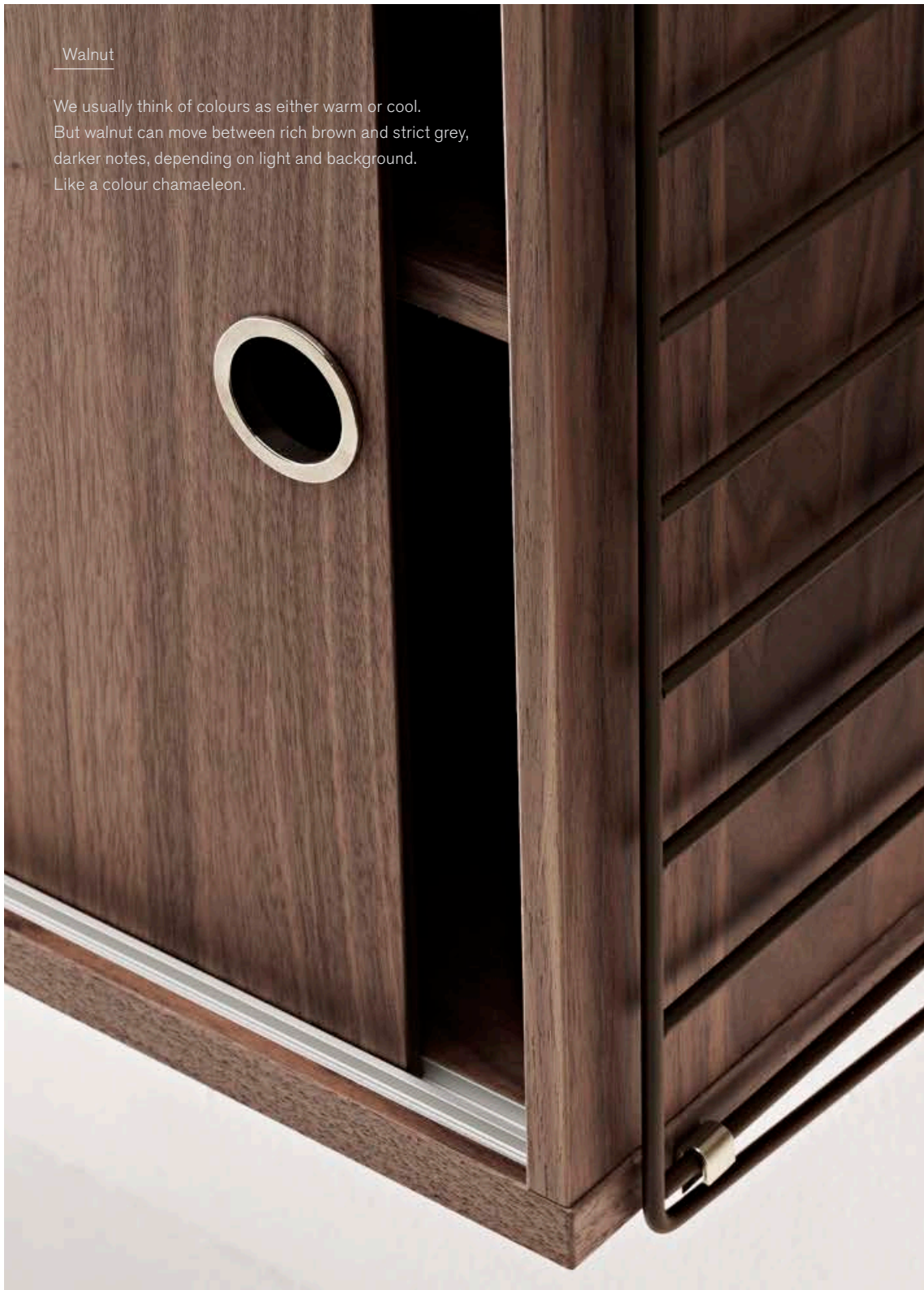
Forest Cabin. Floor panels, magazine shelf, metal shelves high in dark grey. String Pocket Tegnérgrön.

String Pocket Nybroblå.



Walnut

We usually think of colours as either warm or cool.
But walnut can move between rich brown and strict grey,
darker notes, depending on light and background.
Like a colour chameleon.





String Pocket walnut with black wall panels. Shoe shelf in black metal.



Wall panels in brown, combined with shelves in walnut.

Kitchen. Wall panels in brown, chests of drawers in walnut, metal shelves high and low in white.





Living room. Cabinets with sliding doors and shelves in walnut, combined with wall panels in brown, String Pocket in white.

White

When String launched the all-white edition back in 2005 it quickly became a favourite. The design stayed the same as in 1949, as always. But the dazzling all-white surfaces and clean lines became a crisp canvas, for every room and every home.







Workspace. Cabinet with lock, work desk, magazine shelf, floor panels, in white.

Metal desk drawer, in white.



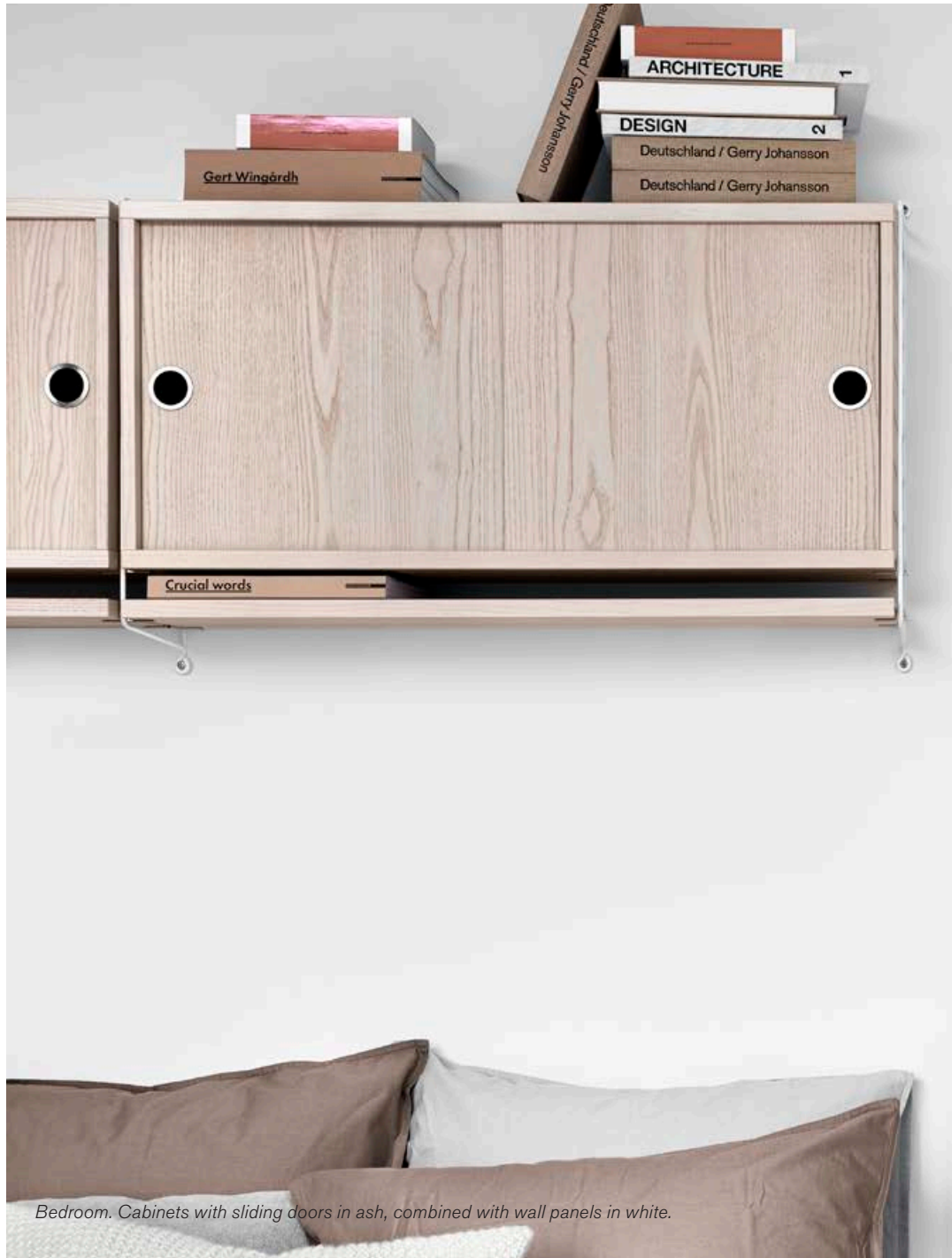


Ash

We're not sure if blonde shelves have more fun. But there is a sense of beauty and joy in the subtle, whitish yellow, combined with the characteristic wood grains. Ash definitely adds a sense of natural poetry to the clean structure of String.







Bedroom. Cabinets with sliding doors in ash, combined with wall panels in white.

Beige

This colour is such a loveable friend. Smooth and intelligent, it mingles effortlessly with everything, in every room.

Beige generously shares its sense of calm, it's one of the most ideal colour companions for your home.





Kids' room. Magazine shelf in beige with wall panels in white.

Play station. Floor panels and work desk in beige, combined with metal shelf high in white.





Living room. Cabinets with sliding doors and display cabinet, in beige. Wall panels in beige and white.

Oak

In the past, chunky oak-furniture was seen as something traditional and solid, for your children to inherit. By contrast, the String version of oak is light, elegant and streamlined. And definitely a design to be passed down through the generations.





Kitchen. String Pocket in oak with panels in white.

Display cabinets and magazine shelf in oak, combined with wall and floor panels.





Workspace. Cabinets with sliding doors and shelves in oak, combined with wall panels, metal shelf low, hooks and rod in white. Bowl shelves felt in light grey.



Black

Black is probably one of the most sophisticated colours. But look closer. This is more than black. Black stained ash, that allows the grain to shine through. A perfect blend of sophisticated and natural.





Kids' room. Wall panels and metal shelves, in black.

Workspace. Floor panels, wall panels and accessories in black. Work desk and cabinet with sliding doors in black stained ash





Hallway. Display cabinets in black stained ash. Metal shelves, wall panels and rod in black.

Galvanized

Rustic and stripped back, metal at its best. String in galvanized, protected from the elements and rust - even if you leave it outside all year around. The good looks are obviously an added bonus!

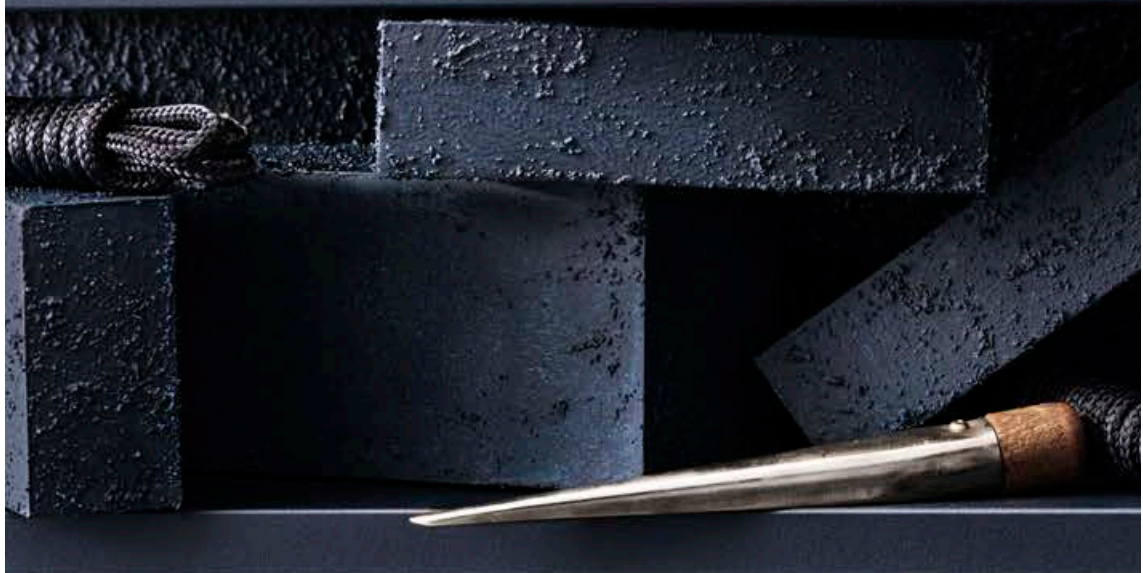




Outdoor. Free standing metal shelf, galvanized.







Nybroblå. Inspired by Nybroviken, one of Stockholm's most beautiful waterfronts.



Oxtorgsröd. A warm colour from the Oxtorget square, a hidden gem with functionalist architecture.



Sergelgrä. This colour captures the modern aesthetic of Sergel's square, a dynamic meeting place.

String – the story

String has earned its place in design history thanks to its elegant simplicity and ingenious construction. Designed by Nisse and Kajsa Strinning, the String shelf won its first design prize in 1949. Based on three simple elements – the shelf, the wall panel and the metal fitting – it can be combined in an infinite number of configurations and is endlessly reinvented as it passes from one generation to the next.

All books and no shelves

In the late 1940s, vast number of books were being sold in Sweden. Even the smallest town had its own bookshop, and salesmen often peddled their wares in the workplace. With Swedish homes overflowing with books, the question naturally arose: where should they all be kept? Bonniers Folkbibliotek, one of Sweden's largest publishers, decided to answer this question by holding a design competition in the spring of 1949. They called for a new kind of bookcase that would be affordable, wall-mounted, expandable and hold at least two metres of books.

Nisse Strinning

At this time, a young Stockholm architect called Nisse Strinning had just begun his career. Although a trained architect, Nisse was actually more interested in designing smaller everyday objects that could have a big impact on people's lives.

As a child, he had designed and built his own bookcase. As an adult, he had all the theoretical knowledge and practical experience needed to recreate that bookcase... making it open, affordable, space-saving, and expandable to any size.

In fact, when Nisse heard about Bonniers' bookcase competition, the idea of the String bookshelf was almost ready to go.

Kajsa cracks the details

At this point, it would be remiss not to mention Strinning's wife Kajsa – also an architect – without whom the String shelf might never have past the prototype stage. Unlike her husband, Kajsa had the artistic talent to refine Nisse's raw industrial designs, and the patience to create





from one generation to the next, its basic construction – the shelf, the wall panel and the metal fittings – remain identical to the 1949 original.

String continues to grow in Europe, the US and Asia, and is currently sold in 48 countries. Manufacturing still takes place in Sweden just as in 1949; with the wall panels being made just a few kilometres away from where the shelves are produced. From here, everything is packaged and shipped worldwide.

Although Nisse passed away in 2006 and Kajsa in 2017, their designs are still very much alive and thriving.

Kajsa Strinning. Architect.

The original blue print.



Discover your String combination

The String System is a series of components featuring the classic wire panels that offer almost unlimited combinations. You can choose among a wide range of colours and materials to build your own, personal shelving system, based on standard widths of 60 cm and 80 cm and two depths, 20 cm and 30 cm.



White
RAL 9016



Dark grey
RAL 7043



Beige
NCS S
3005-Y20R



Black
RAL 9005



Brown
RAL 8014



Plex



Wall panel
50x20 cm



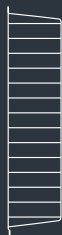
Wall panel
50x30 cm



Plex wall panel
50x20 cm



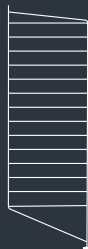
Plex wall panel
50x30 cm



Wall panel
75x20 cm



Wall panel
75x30 cm



Floor panel
85x30 cm



Floor panel
115x30 cm



Floor panel
200x30 cm



White
NCS S 0500-N



Dark grey
NCS S 7502-G



Beige
NCS S
3005-Y20R



Black
stained ash



Ash



Oak



Walnut



Chest of drawers
w58/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 23 cm



Cabinet with flip door
w58/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 28,5 cm



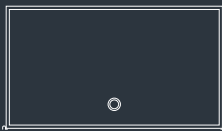
Cabinet with swing door
w58/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 26 cm



Display cabinet with
swing glass door
w58/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 26 cm



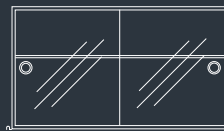
Chest of drawers
w78/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 23 cm



Cabinet with flip door
w78/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 28,5 cm



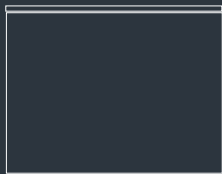
Cabinet with sliding doors
w78/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 26 cm



Display cabinet
w78/d30/h42 cm
Inside depth 26 cm



Cabinet with sliding doors
w78/d20/h37 cm
Inside depth 16 cm



Work desk
78x58 cm



Cabinet with sliding mirror doors
w78/d20/h37 cm
Inside depth 16 cm



White
NCS S
0500-N



Tiny cabinet
w28/d30/h38 cm
Inside depth
28,5 cm



Oak



Walnut



Cabinet with lock
w78xd32xh52 cm



White
NCS S 0500-N



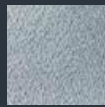
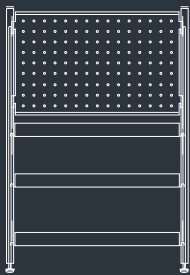
Black
stained ash



Oak

String Outdoor. Wall mounted or free standing

Galvanized metal makes it possible to take String outdoors. Furnish your favourite space freely, without being limited by four walls and a ceiling. The material can withstand any weather, and attains a nice rugged patina over time.



Galvanized



Wall panel
50x20 cm



Wall panel
50x30 cm



Floor panel
85x30 cm



Upright
h87 cm



Back panel
w58/h36 cm



Shelf
58x20 cm

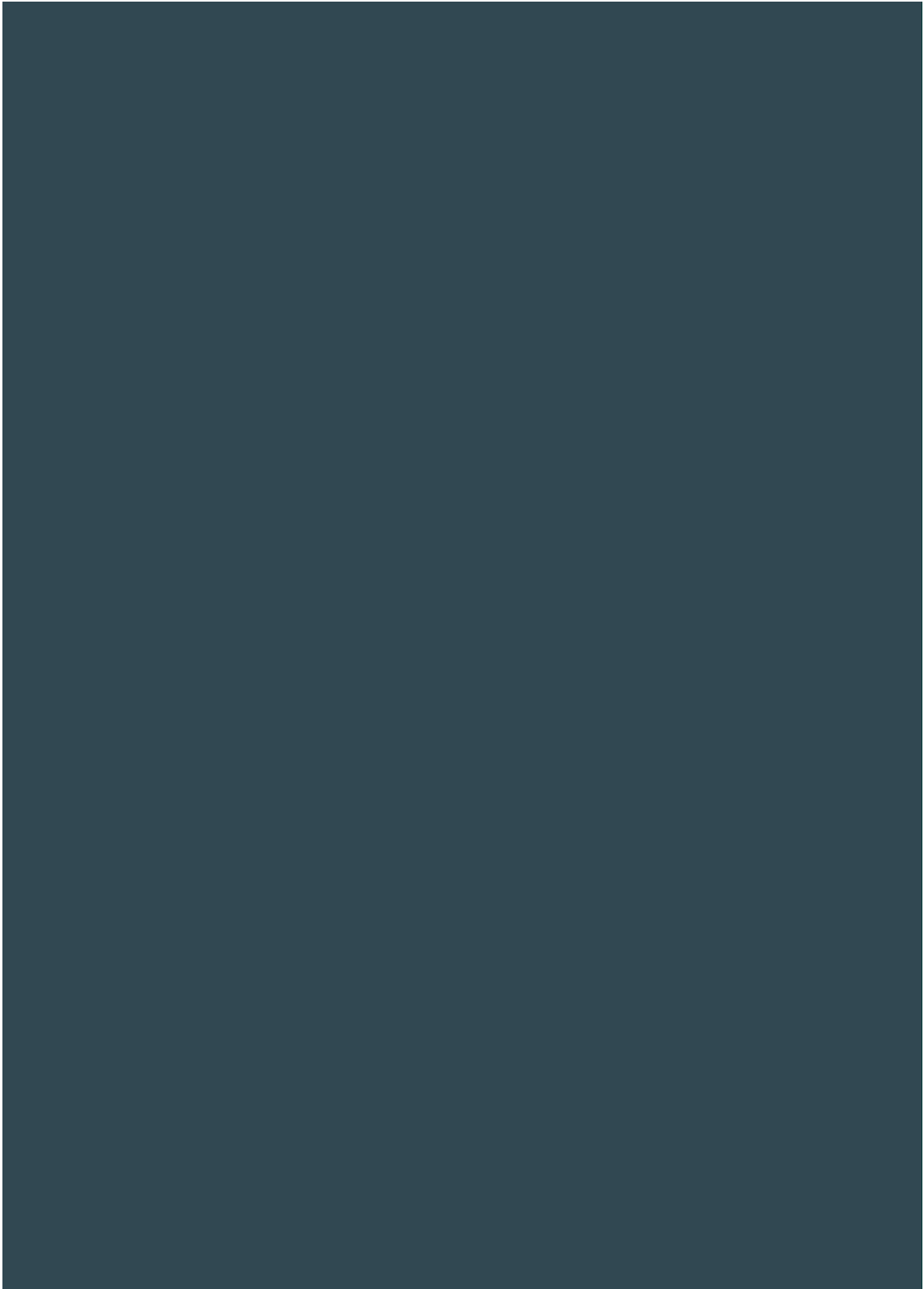


Shelf
58x30 cm

h2 cm

h7 cm

h2 cm



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