Hans Coray, 1938



Developed for the 1939 Swiss National Exhibition (Schweizer Landesausstellung), the Landi Chair occupies an important place in the history of twentieth-century design: this classic by Hans Coray established the new typology of a three-dimensionally moulded seat shell on a separate base. The clear structure of the all-aluminium chair consists of two parts. First, a pair of U-shaped profiles connected by welded crossbeams form a self-supporting frame and simultaneously serve as the legs and low armrests. This base supports a seat shell, which makes ideal use of the material's possibilities: the 91 punched holes not only ensure the modest weight and flexibility of the comfortable shell, but also give the graceful Landi its trademark appearance.

The lightweight, stackable Landi Chair is robust and weather-resistant. Technical innovation, optimal use of materials, minimalist forms and understated elegance are the elements that have made the Landi Chair into a classic over the years, which looks as fresh and vital today as ever.

Materials

- Seat shell: seat shell in pressed aluminium sheeting with 91 punched holes, matt anodised surface.
- Base: armrests and legs from bent aluminium profiles, with welded aluminium cross braces, matt anodised surface.
- Glides: glides in light grey injection-moulded

 TPF



Outdoor use: suitable for unrestricted use outdoors.

Note: as in the original design, the Landi
 Chair can be stacked up to 6 units high.
 Vitra's re-edition of the classic stays true to
 the original while making the most of the
 latest technical possibilities. The anodised
 aluminium surface of the chair is durable and
 weather-resistant but may develop signs of
 wear and tear if the chairs are stacked.

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The Landi Chair is designed for outdoor use: it is lightweight and easily stacked, weather-resistant and simple to clean, does not get hot in the sun and allows rainwater to drain through its trademark holes.

DIMENSIONS (in accordance with EN 1335-1:2000)



Landi Chair

SURFACES AND COLOURS



matte anodised aluminium

Chair