

## Bykato table T1 and sideboard S1

### Simplicity from the heart of the forest

In forests and sawmills, Andersen Brothers meticulously hand-pick every tree trunk for the production of their handmade furniture. The design company byKATO, designers of the T1 dining table and the S1 sideboard, apply the same attention to detail in the production of their furniture.

Collaboration between the two companies has proven successful. The T1 Dining table recently received the Wallpaper® Design Award 2012 for “Best dining table”.

### A table with character and levity

byKATO’s ambition is to bridge the gap between commercial industrial design and high quality craftsmanship. This is clearly demonstrated in the T1. The table frame is made of solid wood. It reveals outstanding craftsmanship with soft lines and elegant details such as visible dowelling. Classic craftsmanship that stands in contrast to the sharp lines of the table-top, which is available in solid wood or durable, easy-to-clean high-pressure laminate. This contrast produces a design with both character and a sense of levity. The table is suitable for placement in an open space or against a wall.



### Life born of contrasts

The table frame is available in different types of wood and can be combined with a range of coloured table-tops. The timeless style will blend with the interior design of any modern home. byKATO have deliberately created a design that lends itself to an array of dining-room chairs. You can choose fully upholstered, wooden or leather-upholstered chairs. Go for contrasts, it really brings the furniture to life. Choose antique chairs if preferred, but avoid chairs that closely resemble the design of the table, or the contrast will be lost and the result will be too monotonous.

### Plenty of room

The table, which is built with a solid wood extension leaf, comes in two versions. The first is 1.8 meters long and can be extended to a maximum of 3.3 meters by inserting three extension leaves. The second version is 2.2 meters long and can be extended to a maximum of 4.2 meters by inserting up to four extension leaves. The surface is durable and easy to clean using a soft cloth.

### **A sideboard with elegant details**

As with the T1 table, the S1 sideboard also has visible dowelling and other details that reveal the craftsmanship involved in its production. The visible, expertly crafted details are a pleasure to behold, day after day. The sideboard is built without hinges or handles. The doors slide effortlessly in the grooves that hold them in place. There are no metal rails or bearings. And the same applies to the drawers, which run on the shelf that supports them. Again byKATO have gone for a design based on simple, logical, back-to-basics high quality craftsmanship. The type of furniture produced by cabinetmakers in times gone by.



### **Purchase the sideboard a little at a time**

The sideboard is designed so that the drawers and doors can be purchased separately, enabling you to build the unit to suit your own requirements. The drawers are made in a range of wood varieties, and the doors are reversible. Both the drawers and the doors are easy to fit, so you can assemble them in any combination – without having to consult a tradesman. As an extra feature, the drawers are designed to double up as serving trays. The high sides make them perfect for serving breakfast in bed or light meals in the comfort of an armchair.

### **Rugged and comfortable**

Solid wood is becoming ever more popular in modern homes, where its organic characteristics counter streamlined modern forms and provide a warm, earthy ambience that is both cosy and distinctive. Many modern families are looking for something unique. Objects with character and history. This is exactly the authenticity that byKATO aspire to in their partnership with Andersen Brothers. Furniture with real history, born of a passion for fine craftsmanship.

