Lite, table design Marc Sadler 2000



The collaboration between Foscarini and Marc Sadler began with Mite; a floor lamp so innovative that it was awarded the Compasso d'Oro (Golden Compass) in 2001. The company and the designer even developed a special patent for Mite: a mix of fibreglass and carbon thread or Kevlar® that acts as both decoration and a supporting structure at the same time. Technology previously used to produce fishing rods, oars and golf clubs was introduced to the lighting world for the first time. The extreme flexibility of this material – which is

light and resistant at the same time – has enabled the design of an entire collection of lamps for various different uses.

Nasce così Kite, la lampada da parete che anche nella forma sembra riprendere una sezione del corpo di Mite, il cui volume si appiattisce leggermente alla parete. This is how Lite came to exist, a table lamp available in two dimensions that also seems to recall Mite in its shape: from the circular chromed base to the stem and the diffuser, whose shapes broaden respectively upwards and downwards.

The light source enlighten evenly the diffuser, giving prominence to the decoration and projecting downward a warm light.

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technical info

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Description

Table lamp with direct and diffused light. Diffuser rod and body achieved using an artisanal process that entails the application of a Kevlar® thread for the yellow version and a carbon thread for the black version onto a fiber glass fabric. Internal steel structure, injection moulded polycarbonate diffuser support, nickel-plated steel base. ON/OFF switch on the transparent cable.

Materials: Fiberglass fabric with Kevlar® or carbonium thread and chrome matal. (Kevlar® is a Dupont registered trademark)

Colours: yellow, black

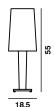


Brightness semi-diffused and direct down light



Model

Lite large



Weight net kg: 1,30 gross kg: 2,00

Confezione vol.m3: 0,028 n.boxes: 1

Bulbs

- halogena energy saver 1x77W E27



- compact fluorescent 1x20W E27



Cable length



Certifications



Lite small



Weight net kg: 0,70 gross kg: 1,20

Packing vol.m3: 0,015 n.boxes: 1

Bulbs

- halogena energy saver 1x46W E14



- compact fluorescent 1x12W E14



Cable length



Certifications

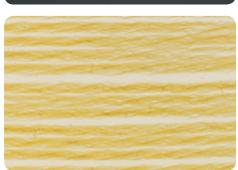












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Marc Sadler

A designer, he's worked a long time in the sports sector, where he's experimented with new materials and innovative production processes. Has also worked successfully in furnishing and consumer products.

In 2001 he has won Compasso D'Oro with Mite and Tite of Foscarini.



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Lite Collection



