

# Torii

**DESIGN** NIELS BENDTSEN
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Torii is a simple yet sophisticated timber chair and stool range, defined by its closely spaced back legs, broad seat, and small arched backrest. 'Torii' translates from Japanese to mean 'Bird Perch', which is the name for the characteristic timber arched entrances of Shinto shrines. This motif perfectly describes the chairs distinct proportions, traditional joinery, and the sense of harmony and calm inherent in its beautifully resolved design.

 $Its \, minimal \, appearance \, and \, simple \, construction \, hide \, a \, surprising \, amount \, of \, comfort \, and \, sturdiness, \, making \, it \, suitable \, for \, residential \, and \, commercial \, use.$ 

 $To \emph{rii} is constructed using traditional exposed mortise-and-tenon joinery for the legs. The arched back rest is cleverly joined to each back leg ensuring this critical joint will not fail or crack.$ 

Torii is available as a chair or stool, in both bar and counter heights.

#### PRICING

\$1020 — \$1415 Trade pricing ex GST Min = entry level, max = premium finishes

Contact us for volume pricing

#### LEADTIME

12-14 Weeks

#### WARRANTY

3 Year Structural

### **DIMENSIONS**

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W 500 D 490 H 750 | SH 450 (mm)

### **MATERIALS**

 $Upholstery: Seat \ upholstered \ in \ house \ fabric/leather \ or \ COM/COL$ Frame: Constructed from solid Ashor Walnut timber, to selected finishGlides: Plastic glides

## COLLECTION



Torii CHAIR BENSEN



Torii STOOL BENSEN