

WICKER

INFORMATION ON THE MATERIAL

MATERIAL

Synthetic wicker made from high density polyethylene (PE-HD).

PROPERTIES

Synthetic wicker made from polyethylene has all of the exceptional properties required for the outdoors. It is weatherproof (to – 15 °C), UV resistant, stable and low maintenance. Wicker furniture does not have to be treated or painted. The material is also completely recyclable.

Please note that wicker products are unique items that can never appear exactly identical due to the high proportion of manual work involved. Color deviations due to different batches are also possible.

CARE AND STORAGE

Light soils can be removed with a damp cloth and a mild detergent. For stronger contaminations, we recommend using the STERN wicker cleaner. Please do not clean the furniture with a high pressure cleaner, as this can cause permanent damage to the wicker.

If a fiber should become disengaged, nothing will happen because the product consists of many fibers.

A disengaged fiber can usually be easily rewoven into the furniture and glued with hot glue as required.

The individual fibres are created by extrusion. Plastic granules are melted down in the process, mixed with additives and pressed through a shaping opening. The colouring pigments settle on the edge of the fibre and form a colour structure on the surface, which makes the furniture look special. Depending on the colour of the wickerwork, this results in a light to white material core.

Despite its resistance to frost, we recommend storing the furniture under protection at very low temperatures. In any case, the furniture should be covered, however. We recommend our STERN protective covers. You can obtain this from your retailer. The cover should be sufficiently ventilated so that no condensation water forms. A simple plastic wedge can be used as a spacer. Storage in a dry space is ideal.