

Contessa

**Sparking creative inspiration
in offices the world over**

The Contessa chair represents the ultimate in stylish elegance that is worthy of the name. The color of the mesh is soft and lively. The superb design merges seamlessly with any work environment and sitting posture. The "smart operation" concept achieves simple and responsive operation. The Contessa Ergonomic Mesh Chair brings inspiration to everyone who experiences its extraordinary comfort. Offices all over the world are making way for the Contessa revolution in style, comfort, and design.



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Ergonomic Mesh Chair from Japan





Moving beyond traditional concepts to “smart operation”



Graceful and sleek merging of design and function



FBG1 Black Leather



FBH9 Red

Designed by GIUGIARO

Contessa combines beautiful and sleek frame designs with the most advanced operating functions. Giugiaro Design, a leader in Italian industrial design, and Okamura created this revolutionary office chair. Contessa synthesizes state-of-the-art Italian design with Japanese technology to bring office seating to a new level of comfort, style, and function.



Giorgetto Giugiaro

Born in Italy in 1938, Giugiaro began his career at the age of 17 at the Fiat Style Center. At 21, he went to the Bertone Styling Center. In 1968, he went freelance and soon established Italdesign Corporation. In 1981, he founded Giugiaro Design company. His numerous and prestigious designs have earned him a reputation as one of the world's leading designers.



Ergonomic Design

The elegant and natural form of Contessa's aluminum frame is perhaps its most arresting feature. The wide mesh back design effortlessly conforms to any posture for a perfect fit. Giugiaro's quest for the lightest and thinnest possible frame design and Okamura's expertise come together to set a new standard for office chair comfort and personal style.



Ergonomic Concept

The Contessa series features comfortable seating and a synchro-reclining mechanism, as well as Okamura's own "smart operation" that enables the user to make adjustments to match the user's natural posture while sitting. Levers at the front of the armrests adjust the seat height and reclining angle, achieving a level of comfort and ease of use far superior to other office chairs.



You can easily adjust the reclining angle with the lever located in the left armrest.



A dial for adjusting rocking resistance enables you to set the reclining resistance to meet your body shape and posture while sitting.



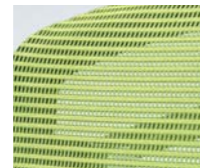
You can easily adjust the seat height with the lever in the right armrest.



The lumbar support gives your back comfortable support. You can adjust the lumbar support backward and forward up to 15mm, and up and down up to 60mm.



The left armrest lever adjusts reclining angle. You can choose either free rocking or your favorite angle (in five positions).



A newly developed mesh reduces fatigue from long hours of work.



You can easily adjust the ratchet-style armrest up to 100mm while sitting.



The chair rolls on large-diameter 75mm casters to minimize resistance when moving while seated and reduces strain on the lower back.



You can adjust the arm pads up to 30° (20° inward and 10° outward) to give you comfortable elbow support when using a computer or doing other tasks.



You can precisely set the headrest up and down as well as forward and backward to fit your favorite and most relaxing position of the neck.



A lever positioned underneath seat for easy reach enables you to easily slide the seat backward or forward up to 50mm.



An optional hanger is available for stylishly hanging your jacket.



12 Contessa Colors





Black



Light Gray



White



Dark Blue



Light Blue



Lime Green

Colors and Materials

Mesh and fabric are available in 12 color variations. What's more, you can coordinate frame, body, and seat colors to create your own unique color combination.



Pistachio Green



Sand Beige



Mango Yellow



Orange



Red



Dark Brown



Frame Color: Polished

Frame Color: Silver

Frame Color: Black



Seat Type: Mesh

Seat Type: Fabric

Seat Type: Leather



Body Color: Black

Body Color: Gray



FBH2 Dark Gray



FBG1 Black Leather



Contessa Guest Chair

A cantilever guest chair is available based on the Contessa design concept. The back has 10 mesh color variations. The seat is also available in 10 colors as well as leather.



Ecology

Okamura uses environmentally friendly materials and modular designed parts. Additionally, major resin parts are labeled for easier recycling and disposal.

In October 23, 2003, Contessa satisfied all low emission requirements under the standards of the GREENGUARD Environmental Institute in the USA.





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