IMPACT ACOUSTIC®



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# Soundproof Chatpods

Made in Switzerland from upcycled materials



carefully created and curated for the acoustic exterior cladding.

*100%* **social** 

We manufacture our products in Switzerland in cooperation with local institutions.



*100%* **recyclable** 

Chatpod is built from sustainable materials that can be re-used after the end of life.

25 millions

PET bottles are processed annually by Impact Acoustic, including the Chatpod.



# **Jeffrey Ibañez,** *Designer*

Studies have found that in open-plan offices, contrary to the actual idea, people communicate less with each other: direct conversations are declining, and e-mail activity is increasing instead.

Designer and architect Jeffrey Ibañez had the vision to change this: What if we gave people working in open-plan offices more privacy or a special protected space to think freely? How can we address the massive climate and resource problems on our planet and still create a highquality product? The idea of the Chatpod was born.

A truly sustainable product, made in Switzerland from renewable resources, with the aim of improving quality in offices around the world.

Are you ready for the future of workplaces?

### IMPACT ACOUSTIC®

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# Chatpod 700

# What makes Chatpod so unique



# Production

We manufacture in Switzerland and only use sustainable materials. Our Chatpods are made from cardboard, sawdust, rubber and recycled PET bottles. Local foundations and handicapped professionals support us in the production.



# Acoustics



# Colours

Our carefully curated colour palette offers you the freedom to pick from 32 colours. The frame colour also matches the existing furniture and is available in 32 colours. Which combination would you like?



All Chatpods are delivered pre-mounted. Thanks to the simple assembly instructions, the boxes can be easily assembled with a little manual skill. The smallest configuration can be assembled in 20 minutes, so that you have time for the important things.



An automatic ventilation system ensures a cool head and mind. PET fibres, glass and metal parts can be easily easily cleaned and disinfected.

Trust us, we are experts in room acoustics. The interior of the Chatpod is soundproof, while the acoustic exterior cladding reduces ambient noise. Scientifically tested, of course.

# The future of the workplace now comes in *five* sizes

Side



# Chatpod 185

Compact telephone booth with space for one person standing. Ideal for short phone calls, video calls or short focus breaks.



# Chatpod 300

Thanks to the height-adjustable table, you always have the perfect position for any task. Ideal for concentrated and focused work.









# Chatpod 350

The solution for two-person conversations and short meetings. The benches are equipped with comfortable acoustic upholstery.





# Chatpod 700

Our most flexible configuration with space for up to four people, also available as a variant with standing table and optional whiteboard or screen holder.

Avant



Side







### Side / with benches







# Chatpod 1200

Our largest Chatpod accommodates up to six people and is available with flexible furniture, both for sit-down and stand-up meetings. Of course, the box has power outlet and various USB ports.

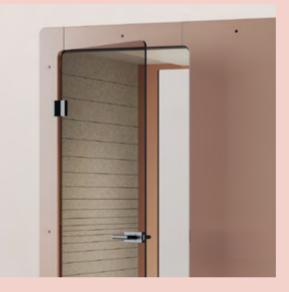
# Highest flexibility

The Chatpod in your office is very easy to move and can also be reconfigured and expanded later according to your needs. In just a few steps, a two-person module becomes a four-person module and can be expanded to an unlimited depth. We also offer a whiteboard or a screen holder as optional features.











- 1 LED lighting module with focused light beam by Bartenbach - optimised for concentrated work
- 2 Automatic ventilation system Fresh, quiet and clean

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- **3** Acoustic interior and exterior cladding from certified **ARCHISONIC®** material Soundproofing from the inside and outside
- 4 High quality furnishing and interior available in seven configurations
- 5 Tinted glass door and windows for more visual privacy
- 6 Swiss made wooden frame in 32 different colours - stable with style



Features 13



As part of our commitment against plastic pollution, we regularly take part in local clean-up campaigns.

# Made from upcycled materials

We give already used materials a new life and recycle them later if necessary. In this way, we ensure that as few resources as possible are consumed.

# The most *sustainable* product on the market

Our entire facility in Switzerland is heated with production waste and our machines are powered by clean water energy. The Chatpods are built from the following recycled materials:



### **Recycled cardboard**

The Chatpod's chassis is made of several layers of super-light cardboard, which give the product its clean and timeless shape.

## PET bottles

The distinct and robust form is further enhanced by an acoustic outer cladding made from recycled PET bottles. The same recycled bottles are also used for the felt-like interior finish, which provides Chatpod's guests with excellent acoustics and absorption of outside noise.



### Sawdust

The frame made of pressed sawdust makes the Chatpod reliably robust and later receives the unique colour.



Connecting elements made from old car tyres seal the box.

# Social responsibility

We co-produce the metal parts used in the Chatpod with local foundations and professionals with support needs, giving numerous people a meaningful daily structure.

In the fight against the use of single-use plastic and the resulting pollution, we support the global Trash Hero movement and regularly participate in local clean-up campaigns.



Acoustics

# **First class** soundproofing

As specialists in room acoustics, we know very well how to control annoying noise. Chatpod has been carefully designed by acoustics professionals and built to provide the greatest possible sound insulation: from the inside and outside.

# **Engineered by** *acoustic* experts

Private conversations do not leak out of the Chatpod, and office noise is not perceptible inside. Depending on the location, the additional acoustic cladding on the outside of the Chatpod also improves the general acoustics in the openplan office. In this way, we create the perfect basis for a productive working atmosphere.

# Scientifically tested

Together with the local Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts (HSLU), we have scientifically tested Chatpod for sound insulation. Speech level reduction is 28.2 dB, according to ISO 23351-1, the standard for this product category. This outstanding acoustic performance allows Chatpods to be placed in close proximity to office workstations without conversations being perceptible from the outside. Ask us for the detailed test report if you are more interested.

# A wide range of colour combinations

In collaboration with London-based trend scouts Colour Hive<sup>™</sup>, we have developed a colour collection of 32 shades. Divided into eight colour families, each tells its own unique story. Choose the exterior colour of your Chatpod from our collection and create a unique design object that blends seamlessly into any space.

# Acoustic material made from *recycled* PET bottles

For every square meter of our ARCHISONIC® acoustic absorber, we can meaningfully recycle 88 plastic bottles and turn them into a high-quality and sustainable building material. In this way, we at Impact Acoustic can turn millions of bottles into a meaningful product life cycle every year. ARCHISONIC® is Cradle-to-Cradle certified and has been awarded the ECO construction label "Eco 1".

# Matching frame colours

The frame colour of our Chatpods can also be customised to suit your individual preferences. Choose from 12 different colours in our colour collection.

We will be happy to send you a free sample box on request so that you can evaluate the texture and colour of our material at your leisure.



**3** Colours



# **ARCHI**SONIC®

# **Quiet Neutrals**

In an ever-connected increasingly urban age, we are all at times in search of a moment of silence. With this in mind, we look to the quieter elements of nature as inspiration for a series of calming and balanced neutrals.

Warm Naturals

While there is much to be hopeful about, we find ourselves living in a

time of uncertainty. To counter the-

to environments that reassure and

hold us in a virtual hug.



# **Living Greens**

Environmental awareness and a deepening appreciation of biophilia drives a desire for ever more green spaces.





Nordic Pine 311

# **Elemental Blues**

From frozen glaciers to ever changing skies and vast oceans, this collection connects on an elemental level with the three states of water.





Pacific Ocean 432







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Midnight 810



Marine Blue 864



Deep Sea 918

# **ARCHI**SONIC®

# **Soothing Pastels**

With the evolution of millennial pinks and the emergence of neomint, the bandwidth of neutrals has increased, and we see diffused soothing pastels take their place as neutrals of the future.



# **Energetic Brights**

Here to make an impact, our boldest, clearest hues are collected in a story of optimism and energy. As a counterbalance to enduring trends for tone-on-tone layers of colours, there is also the welcome return of clear and saturated brights.



Pacific Ocean 432



Electric Orange 464

# **Elegant Darks**

In this collection we bring together the richly saturated and shaded colours of our palette for a mood of indulgence with a touch of theatricality.



Nordic Pine 311



Raven 550



Midnight 810

# **Primary Play**

The Bauhaus centenary has reawakened designers' interest in primary colours and the fundamental building blocks of colour are here in this nuanced red, blue and yellow.



662







Hot Pink 140



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Colours 23

# Frame colours

# **Standard colours**



# Colour of choice

All colours from the NCS colour system can be ordered on request and at an extra charge.



# Easy and quick assembly

All Chatpods come with easy to understand assembly instructions. The components of our products are pre-assembled and ready-made before shipment. On-site assembly can then easily be carried out by two members of the facility management staff or other persons with some manual skills.







# Connect and chat

In just about 20 minutes, our smallest configuration, the telephone booth (Chatpod 185), is assembled and ready for use.

All that is needed for the installation is a small ladder and a spirit level and you're ready to start.

# Assembly times

Configuration	Time (minutes)		
Chatpod 185	20		
Chatpod 300	30		
Chatpod 350	45		
Chatpod 700	90		
Chatpod 1200	120		

# *Hygienic* and clean

PET fibres do not provide a breeding ground for germs and therefore have antibacterial properties, as do the glass and metal parts. The ARCHISONIC® material is made of dyed fibres that do not fade even when aggressive detergents and disinfectants are used. As a result, not only alcohols or aldehydes, but also products containing active chlorine can be used to disinfect the acoustic cladding of the Chatpods.

Hygiene



# **Quick disinfection** without wiping

Due to the strong odor of chlorine-containing agents, we recommend disinfectants with a fastdrying alcohol solution (75%) for daily cleaning of the Chatpods and disinfectants with a long-term effect (e.g. Pantasept disinfectant spray) for weekly cleaning.

Upon request, we offer Microban® antimicrobial protection, which prevents bacteria and fungi from thriving on our material.

# Automatic ventilation system

Clean and fresh air is provided by a powerful automatic ventilation system inside the Chatpod. We have designed the ventilation in a way that it does not cause any disturbing noise during concentrated work.

# **Flexible** *0% Leasing*

All Chatpod models can be used immediately in the configuration of your choice, with no upfront investment. Our attractive 0% monthly rates give you the freedom to make important business decisions. You choose your model and we take care of all the formalities and process your leasing application quickly and easily.



# Your *advantages* at a glance

### Independence

You do not strain your bank's credit lines or your balance sheet, and you retain liquidity for further investments.

### Planning

You spread the cost of the Chatpod over its useful life of four years and pay the instalments with the income you generate from using the Chatpod.

### Flexbility

You work in one of the most modern office spaces on the market and do not tie up your capital in furniture that depreciates over time.

### Service

We take care of the formalities and process your leasing application quickly and easily with our Swiss leasing partner.



# Our conditions

We offer an attractive interest-free lease. We offer all Chatpod configurations for a four-year term. At the end of the contract, you decide whether you want to keep the Chatpod, return it or extend the term.

# **Monthly rates**

Configuration	Monthly rate*		
Chatpod 185	225 CHF		
Chatpod 300	335 CHF		
Chatpod 350	390 CHF		
Chatpod 700 Bench	570 CHF		
Chatpod 700 High Top	545 CHF		
Chatpod 1200 Bench	805 CHF		
Chatpod 1200 High Top	770 CHF		

\*duration 48 months, including installation, offer available in Switzerland, Germany, Austria, France

# **Chatpod Overview and prices**

	185	300	350	700 Bench	700 High Top	1200 Bench	1200 High Top		
Dimensions in cm (W x D x H)									
Outer dimensions (mm)	1020 x 935 x 2290	1600 x 1200 x 2290	2000 x 935 x 2290	2000 x 1830 x 2290		2400 x 2730 x 2290			
Inner dimensions (mm)	790 x 850 x 2035	1370 x 1115 x 2035	1770 x 850 x 2035	1770 x 1745 x 2035		2170 x 2645 x 2035			
Weight (kg)	~240	~360	~450	~840		~1400			
Configuration									
Mode	Phone Call	Focus Work	One-On-One	Creative	Project	Meeting	Briefing		
People	(standing)	(standing or sitting)	• • (sitting)	• • • • (sitting)	● ● ● ● (standing)	• • • • • • • (sitting)	● ● ● ● ● ● (standing)		
Furniture			'	•	'	' 	'		
Glazing	partially glazed on both sides, smoked glass								
Electrification	1x USB-C, 1x USB-A, power socket 230 V								
ighting	Focus by Bartenbach								
Table / Benches	Table in metal (white), 500 x 300 x 1100mm	pneumatic height adjustable table (white), 1080 x 585 x 660 - 1120mm	Table (white), 550 x 600 x 750mm, benches with acoustic upholstery	Table (white), 1200 x 600 x 750mm, benches with ac. upholstery	High table (white), 1200 x 600 x 1100mm	Table (white), 2000 x 600 x 750mm, benches with ac. upholstery	High table (white), 2000 x 600 x 1100mm		
Floor	Carpet made from recycled mate	rial (anthracite)							
nterior cladding	ARCHISONIC® Smoke 442								
Assembly									
Гіme	20 minutes	30 minutes	45 minutes	90 minutes		120 minutes			
People	••	••	•••	•••		•••			
Article No.									
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Price (excl. VAT)			1						
	CHF 10'700	CHF 16'100	CHF 18'700	CHF 27'300	CHF 26'200	CHF 38'500	CHF 36'900		
Optional accessories		Screen holder set	- Screen holder set incl. cable, CHF	51.00					