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## New edition of GAGO chair About a Portuguese Legacy of 100 Years

Now, the GAGO rocking chair is even more Portuguese, but the story is the same and it is about a Legacy with more than 100 years old!

This special edition is a rocking chair with a new upholstery, made of colored burel fabric and cork fabric in the natural tone. The chair's structure remains crafted with solid wood. And both fabrics are 100% Portuguese materials, 100% natural, environmentally friendly and durable.

Originally designed in 2018 by Hugo Silva and Joana Santos, the GAGO chair and the partner called SACADURA pay homage to the first aerial crossing of the South Atlantic realized by the Portuguese Sacadura Cabral and Gago Coutinho in 1922. Drawing inspiration from the aviator's helmet and the hydroplane floaters, the upholstery of the GAGO chair displays the inscription "1922, 8383 kms" on its back, commemorating this momentous milestone in aeronautics.

Would you like to sit on the Gago chair and take off on an adventure?

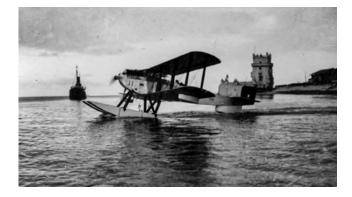
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# GAGO rocking chair

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## More about the cork fabric

Cork fabric is a unique, eco-friendly vegan alternative to leather and other commonly used fabrics. It's waterproof, soft to the touch, abrasion resistant, tough and durable, antibacterial and hygienic. It's a distinctive material, harnessing the material qualities of cork, while maintaining its natural beauty and durability.

This fabric is free of substances that could harm the environment or health and is easy to clean. Now, do you know that cork is the outer bark of the cork oak tree and is harvested every nine years from the cork oak, without cutting down its trunk? The cork oak is the only tree whose bark is self-regenerating, and can be harvested about 17 times over 200 years. Extracting cork is a key contribution to the ecological sustainability of the Mediterranean region and does not cause any damage to the environment.





## More about the burel fabric

Burel Factory is a Portuguese brand, born in Serra da Estrela, dedicated to the preservation and heritage of the industrial heritage that characterizes that same place, its people and its history. The brand ensures the legacy of wool and burel, promoting the mastery of weaving, carding, spinning and weaving on ancestral machines.

So, burel is a rustic fabric, made with the purest wool from Serra da Estrela sheep of the Bordaleira type, Churra and Merina. In the past, it dressed and warmed shepherds in Serra da Estrela. Burel stands out for its quality, good thermal performance and appealing visual appearance. It does not create pills and it is resistant to traction, breakage, pressure and exposure to light, enduring intensive use without changing color and shape.



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