

## DUKDALF CONFERENCE TABLE

### Sturdy design

Dukdalf is a sturdy multipurpose table programme which features a characteristic frame. While designing Dukdalf, Peter de Boer took inspiration from the wooden mooring dolphins (dukdaľs in Dutch) where boats berth. The eye-catching legs are sturdy and rugged-looking and contrast well with the slender look of the tabletop. The Dukdalf table comes in many shapes and sizes, which makes it a comprehensive table programme.

### Application

The Dukdalf conference table is well suited for business environments, but its design makes you feel right at home. Dukdalf comes in many variants which combine well when placed in the same room. Place a stand-up stable next to a conference table for instance, and the harmonious look of the room will be retained.

## DUKDALF TABLE PROGRAMME



THE DUKDALF TABLE IS AVAILABLE  
WITH EITHER A **ROUND, SQUARE** OR **OVAL** TABLETOP

**Circular economy**

Dukdalf's steel frame and chipboard tabletop can be disassembled and are therefore interchangeable. As a result, the design has many applications which will allow you to give your Dukdalf a second life at some point. The steel frame is recyclable and the chipboard tabletop can be returned to Gispen in time to be reused for the manufacturing of new products, such as dividing screens or wall linings.

**Designer**

Peter de Boer

**Dimensions table**

Round: 80/100/120/140/160/180 cm

Square: 80/100/120/140/160 cm

Oval: 150x300/160x480 cm

**Dimensions bar-height table**

Round: 80/100 cm

Square: 80/100 cm

**Materials**

Steel frame, 18 or 25 mm chipboard tabletop with ABS edging



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## PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

### DUKDALF SIDE TABLE

#### Solid as a rock

The Dukdalf side table has a strong and outspoken personality. The top has a detachable, protruding steel edge which prevents things from sliding off. The legs have levelers to stabilize the table on uneven surfaces.

#### Models

The Dukdalf side table comes with a round or square top and in two heights (either 40 or 50 cm), which also look well together when placed in one room.

#### Specifications

The frame is constructed out of 2 mm thick steel with a textured paint finish. The top is made out of 12 mm high pressure laminate. The edge is constructed out of 2 mm thick steel with a high-gloss finish.

#### Dimensions

Round top: Ø 40/50 cm

Square top: 40x40/50x50 cm



white  
RAL 9010



black  
RAL 9005



red  
RAL 3002



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## DUKDALF FOLDING TABLE

### Versatile design concept

The Dukdalf folding table is well suited for multi-purpose rooms. The easy click system allows you to flip the tabletop vertically with a flick of the wrist. The Dukdalf folding table has also been equipped with castors to allow for easy stowing. Fold it vertically, and the table will take up very little space. The folding table combines well with other tables from the Dukdalf programme because they have been given a uniform look.

### Models

The tabletop of the Dukdalf folding table comes in various lengths and is either 70 or 80 centimetres wide.

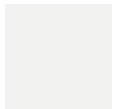
### Specifications

Steel frame with a textured paint finish. The tabletop is made out of 25 mm chipboard with a high pressure laminate finish and ABS edging, same colour as the top.

### Dimensions

120/140/1560/180/200 cm long  
70/80 cm wide

#### Tabletop



white 111



black



oak



birch 512



beech 513



walnut 515

#### Frame



white  
RAL 9016



black  
RAL 9005



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DUKDALF IS A STURDY AND VERSATILE  
TABLE PROGRAMME

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# PETER DE BOER



Peter de Boer (1952) studied Mechanical Engineering and Industrial Design at the Rietveld Academy. He worked as a freelance designer for a short while before he became affiliated with Gispen, for which he has been working as a product designer since the 1980s.

‘AS A DESIGNER, **QUALITY AND DURABILITY**  
ARE MOST IMPORTANT TO ME’

**What is the idea behind the Dukdalf table programme?**

While sailing, I was struck by the shape of a tough- and sturdy-looking mooring dolphin in the water, which gave me my inspiration for the design of the extraordinary frame of the Dukdalf table. It only took a small investment, and some excellent welding skills from our welders I must add, to get the Dukdalf table programme off the ground, which Gispen has now marketed in many variants. The square steel frame is at the centre of it all, adding support to the four symmetrical table legs.

**Which designer could still teach you a thing or two?**

I have been impressed by Leonardo da Vinci for as long as I can remember. His forward thinking and ability of getting his ideas out on paper has always astonished me. I often leaf through books about him

or his work and I learn from him every single time.

**What do you stand for as a designer?**

I consider quality and sustainability to be of vital importance. The latter might sound a little strange, because you probably expect that a company such as Gispen would want to keep tempting its clients with new products. I believe, however, that clients will continue to come back when your products have proven to withstand the test of time, retaining their quality and value. Gispen celebrates its 100th anniversary this year. This incredible accomplishment was achieved because we offer lasting quality, which I am proud of partaking in as a designer.

**What does the Gispen brand mean to you?**

When I think of the Gispen brand, I think of continuity, quality and sustainability.

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**A WORD OF ADVICE FROM THE DESIGNER**

- Use the know-how that is already at hand and learn from it
- Be creative and think outside the box when in search for answers