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introducing

# ease portable lamp

*by Johan van Hengel*

**MUUTO**

**“I wanted the Ease Portable Lamp to have a remarkable quality of light, striking a versatile balance between atmospheric and functional light — after all, that is the wonderful thing about a portable lamp — you can bring a distinct ambience to literally anywhere. I landed on the idea of the top and bottom gently touching, softly meeting each other. There is a sense of lightness to it. This feature allows a large surface to emit light, while the flared bottom firmly stabilizes it. It is these details that give the lamp a sort of human quality, making it a friendly and reliable friend.”**

**— Johan van Hengel on the design**



### **The ease of light**

Inspired by shapes of traditional table lamps, Ease Portable Lamp transforms this typology into a carryable size suitable to take wherever. The lamp offers a high-quality dimmable, no-glare light with three levels, striking a balance between atmospheric and functional light.

The design has a distinct lightness to it, with the top and bottom gently touching. A slightly flared bottom mimics the lip of a vase in a grounding gesture that allows the base to be slimmer and easier to grab. These gentle ways give the lamp a human-like quality, standing confidently with precisely ease.

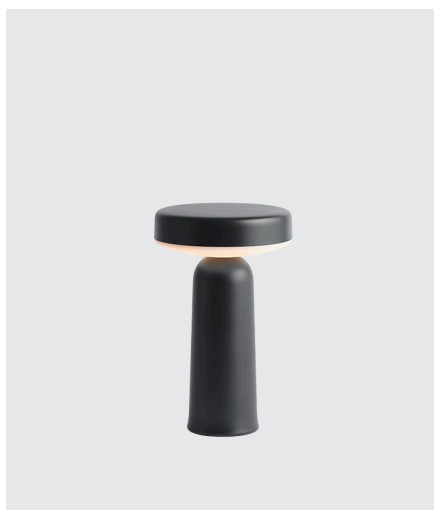
In other words, Ease Portable Lamp is a humble friend with a strong character that works alone or in repetition in any setting; from the bedside, reading nook and home office to the restaurant table, co-working space or library. It has a small footprint, yet gives off a lot of light. Wherever you take it, Ease Portable Lamp creates a space within a space — it draws an intimate sphere around itself.

### **About Johan van Hengel**

Johan van Hengel is a Dutch designer, based in Rotterdam. With a technical background in industrial design, he worked on both consumer electronics and furniture before launching his own studio in 2013, focused on furniture, lighting and living accessories.

### **About Muuto**

Muuto is rooted in the Scandinavian design tradition characterized by enduring aesthetics, functionality, craftsmanship and an honest expression. By expanding this heritage with forward-looking materials, techniques and bold creative thinking, our ambition is to deliver new perspectives on Scandinavian design.



## Materials

Body and lampshade made in injection-molded ABS plastic, with an integrated LED light source. Diffuser in opal acrylic. Charging dock made in injection-molded ABS plastic with USB-C cable.

## Colors

Grey, Light Blue, Taupe, Black

## Prices

From € 199 / £ 179 / USD 319 / DKK 1.495 / SEK 2.049 / NOK 2.049 / CAD 409 / CNY 2.349

*Please note that the launch date in North America is still to be confirmed.*

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