

## ANNEX A – Participating European Companies

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Friedhelm Loescher Gardinenfabrik <a href="http://www.loescher-tirol.com">http://www.loescher-tirol.com</a>	Austria	Curtains	Friedhelm Loescher Gardinenfabrik specializes in the textile sector with its many different offers and respective trends not only in the bales and coupons but also in the sewing sector with high quality. Products under them include coupon, piece goods (from classic to modern) and custom-made clothing of finished products such as finished curtains. Examples of their products include curtains, blankets, pillows, tablecloths, bath curtains, bath mats, kitchen textiles, children's products and accessories such as tiebacks and placemats.
ANGELO Rugs & Carpets <a href="http://www.angelorugs.com">http://www.angelorugs.com</a>	Belgium	Carpets	Angel Rugs & Carpets is an editor and distributor of hand manufactured rugs and carpets. Founded in 1999, the Belgian brand ANGELO designs, creates and commercializes handmade contemporary rugs. Collections are designed to fit retailers' targets while specific designs and consultation services are provided to answer to contract or residential projects. ANGELO designs are creative with custom sizes, colours and designs available.
Casalis <a href="http://www.casalis.be">http://www.casalis.be</a>	Belgium	Finished home textiles	Casalis designs and produces contemporary interior applications based on textiles, for private dwellings as well as for public spaces. Carpets, objects and acoustic panels which are functional as well as artistic meet the very highest standards.
Depoortere Deco <a href="http://www.louisdepoortere.com">http://www.louisdepoortere.com</a>	Belgium	Carpets	Depoortere Deco prides themselves in bringing upmost pleasure to customers through creative designs and collections that are modern and accessible to meet the increasing demands from home owners seeking beauty, elegance, value and comfort for their homes. Depoortere also develops simple and attractive bold concepts for sophisticated floorcovering to satisfy the specific needs and preferences from customers.

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Durlet <a href="http://www.durlet.com">http://www.durlet.com</a>	Belgium	Furniture	Durlet prides themselves in creating top quality and innovative designs and is open to cooperation with other designers which may seem to be a revolutionary concept back then. Examples are product models which are creations of the trend-setting German designers Waldmann, Gölz and Schmidt. Durlet is also known for the high standards in production and finishing where their craftsmanship and flexibility are also great assets. They produce and sell sofas, chairs, tables, benches, made-to-measurement recovered elements in the residential and project markets.
Gardeco <a href="http://www.gardeco.eu">http://www.gardeco.eu</a>	Belgium	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Gardeco is a Belgian wholesaler in art and high end decoration which could be considered as an art publisher – or editor – that represents artists and craftsmen. It is also a place where new ideas in art meet high-end decoration with the objective in bringing affordable pieces of art for a broader public. While Gardeco stand for anonymous, it also represents authentic and pared-down art-decoration objects. Made from fine quality materials such as ceramics, bronze and glass, Gardeco products are created by local artisans, real people who have feelings and respect for the Earth and express their ideas through their craftsmanship.
Jori <a href="http://www.jori.com">http://www.jori.com</a>	Belgium	Furniture	Jori believes in the art of fine seating and aims for 'Mental Comfort', a unique world of unlimited comfort where design and quality create a universe in which the body can relax endlessly. Driven by this philosophy, Jori aims and remains to be the 'innovative partner in high-end seating' for customers. Jori manufactures a range of contemporary seats and sofas carrying their own DNA; sophisticated design combined with unlimited customised seating comfort, styling by leading designers and product execution with exclusive quality leader or fabric.
Maison Vervloet <a href="http://www.vervloet.com">http://www.vervloet.com</a>	Belgium	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Maison Vervloet specializes in Belgian craftsmanship and offers a collection of more than 45,000 models of architectural craft hardware. The collection consists of complete panoply of products ranging from door knobs and door-knockers to casement bolts, espagnolettes and window catches, locks, doorstops and even stair rails and bannisters.

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Moca <a href="http://www.mocaline.com">http://www.mocaline.com</a>	Belgium	Furniture	Moca, short form of Modern Objects Creating Atmospheres, aims to surprise customers with their new designs which reflect a balance between man and his environment. The company prides itself to use only the highest quality materials with the goal of giving customers furniture that they can enjoy for lifetime. With exceptional design and flexible use of natural high materials, Moca produces high quality finished products for the home market and the product markets such as offices, entrance halls of companies, hotels and etc...
tossB <a href="http://www.tossb.com">http://www.tossb.com</a>	Belgium	Interior lighting	tossB is a Belgian manufacturer of contemporary design: suspension luminaires, spots, wall and ceiling luminaires and floor and table lamps. The company offers made-to-measure products according to the client's wishes and has its own typical style which is difficult to compare to other brands. Besides offering high quality design products, tossB also creates simplistic and straightforward designs which are very recognizable.
Nordstjerne <a href="http://nordstjerne.eu">http://nordstjerne.eu</a>	Denmark	Decorative Items (e.g. clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware, cutlery, wallpaper)	Nordstjerne designs home accessories which combines functionality with a hint of decadence. The company is greatly inspired by the rawness of the Scandinavian and Nordic landscapes and wishes to bring that unique feeling indoor with Nordstjerne's simple and yet elegant items that can fit any interior. Nordstjerne does not compromise on quality and positions themselves in a niche area in terms of price level. Today, Nordstjerne is known to be a pioneer in marble and has spread its business worldwide to more than 15 countries around the world.
Arvo Piironen <a href="http://www.piironen.com">http://www.piironen.com</a>	Finland	Small furniture	Arvo Piironen is the manufacturer of furniture for public indoor places such as chairs, stools, sofas and tables. Typical locations are lobbies, cafeterias, restaurants, learning environments and auditoriums. The company also has seating systems for sport arenas and auditoriums. Aside from the design collection that Arvo Piironen has, they are also the supplier for high-quality metal components for manufacturing, metal plating, form pressing and upholstery. Arvo Piironen has 16.000 metres square of production area located at Salo, Finland.

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Hukka Design <a href="http://www.hukka.fi">http://www.hukka.fi</a>	Finland	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Hukka Design manufactures and markets wellness, sauna, cooking and gift products made of soapstone. The soapstone is made from natural stones which are over two billion years old and can accumulate heat or cold better than any other natural materials. These products are marketed under the brand name Hukka in over 20 countries around the world. Hukka has become the leading manufacturer in their unique field and is well known among their customers for innovative, good quality and reliable products.
ADJAO MAISON <a href="http://www.adjao.com">http://www.adjao.com</a>	France	Furniture, Interior Lighting	Adjao Maison designs and manufactures furniture, lighting and unique pieces created from sensuous, quality and natural materials. Adjao Maison believes in busking in the luxury of simplicity to enhance, illuminate and create warm, unique and contemporary atmosphere at home, just like how the company's workshop is nestled under the trees in France. The company's best-seller is the lamp "tree" made from a mixture of driftwood and plexiglass. Whether it's outdoor or indoor, the lamp "tree" is wonderful in the villas and hotels.
Fermob <a href="http://www.fermob.com">http://www.fermob.com</a>	France	Small furniture	Fermob has established a reputation as a genuine outdoor design and layout specialist. Initially, Fermob manufactured dining sets (tables and chairs) for gardens, terraces and patios. Today, the company offers a vast array of products designed to create genuine living spaces in the garden. Fermob's collections now include planters, pedestal tables, outdoor lounge sets, light fittings and showers.
GARNIER THIEBAUT <a href="http://www.garnier-thiebaut.fr">http://www.garnier-thiebaut.fr</a>	France	Finished home textiles	GARNIER THIEBAUT specializes in table linen for retail market and all linens (table, bath, bed) for hospitality. Their luxury products are "Made in France" with the best material and elegant European design. GARNIER THIEBAUT positions itself as high quality and value for money linen with a lot of variety in designs.

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SAS COD <a href="http://www.codfurn.com">http://www.codfurn.com</a>	France	Small furniture	SAS COD creates furniture inspired by Scandinavian design of the fifties. Every piece of furniture is handmade and the company does everything they can to guarantee a high quality level. All products are created in France and produced in the United Kingdom. SAS COD offers personalization of orders where clients and customers can choose their preference of colours, type of wood and other options they like.
APELT <a href="http://www.apelt.com">http://www.apelt.com</a>	Germany	Finished home textiles	APELT is a German-based, family owned textile company. They create textile concepts which bring beautiful products to the people. APELT uses their own weaving mill, cutting and sewing factory, coupled with their design capability and long-term experiences, to create unique and high quality products that separates them from their competitors. This sets a benchmark for others to match in terms of art design, product quality and speed.
BULL & STEIN <a href="http://bullstein.com">http://bullstein.com</a>	Germany	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	BULL & STEIN has been in the business of manufacturing and distributing of premium quality ceramic sculptures worldwide for a decade. The company uses precious materials to produce handmade-on-demand objects, creates authentic designs with uncopiable finishes and patterns and has a pool of skilled workers with the know how in the area of manufacturing. Products produced are unique, outstanding and eye catching sculptures in the field between design and art which are easy to understand in any society.
Carl Mertens International <a href="http://www.carl-mertens.com">http://www.carl-mertens.com</a>	Germany	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Carl Mertens International is in the business of producing stainless tableware since 1919. Till date, the company has a wide line of products including cutlery, kitchen tools, cooking knives and table decoration. The company believes in keeping their proposition of developing and producing only products which fit the contemporary demand of customers. With its products produced in Solingen, Germany, Carl Mertens believes in upholding their product quality and design with unique and authentic manufacture without compromising functionality.

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liv interior <a href="http://www.liv-interior.com">http://www.liv-interior.com</a>	Germany	Carpets	liv interior designs patterns for home textiles as well as a range of other home accessories. The products are produced mainly in India, Vietnam and the Philippines. Products from the company are stylish and reflect a mix of cultures as they are designed by its owners, a couple with roots from Indian origin and Danish, creating a unique mix of Scandinavian and ethnic chic. liv interior offers flat woven rugs with contemporary design patterns - made from recycled PET bottles. As all colours used in the process are UV-treated for outdoor use and are available in any customized sizes, it is definitely suitable for home and hotel use.
SHAPES <a href="http://www.shapes.info">http://www.shapes.info</a>	Germany	Interior lighting	SHAPES develops and produces High-End Decorative Lighting products, designed by top Design Studios or designers in Europe with a Nordic touch. The products are mainly for Private Homes and the hospitality sector. SHAPES add a playful yet simple uniqueness to the traditional Nordic design through understated yet edgy details, providing a lighting range that is adaptable to any environment, lasting beyond the trends of today.
CIZETA - L'ABBATE <a href="http://www.cizetasedie.it">http://www.cizetasedie.it</a>	Italy	Small furniture	CIZETA - L'ABBATE is a robust firm, with over thirty years of experience under its belt. The firm upholds values that are even more deep-rooted: carpentry culture, craftsman-like attention to detail and processes, seeking beauty and practicality, following the finest of Italian design and industrial tradition. But CIZETA - L'ABBATE also means technological research, flexible productivity and style, rapid availability of products, guaranteed durability and serviceability, ergonomics and eco-friendly ethics. All these in a collection of versatile and high-quality chairs, created to add new sensations and possibilities to highly diverse settings: from contract to home, from the traditional locations to the contemporary architecture.

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<p>MAZZEGA1946 <a href="http://www.mazzega1946.com">http://www.mazzega1946.com</a></p>	Italy	Interior lighting	<p>MAZZEGA1946 supplies decorative Murano lights for a high level of the market, pretentious customers who want to decorate with exclusive lights in their houses. Indoor lighting fixtures from Murano are designed by top Italian and European designers. They are 100% made in Venice, Italy, designated to a high end public (residential and commercial) and customizable to the customers' needs. MAZZEGA1946's clients are Private Villas, fashion ateliers, 4 to 5 star hotels and occasionally, cruise ships.</p>
<p>ARS TELA <a href="http://www.arstela.lv">http://www.arstela.lv</a></p>	Latvia	Curtains, Finished home textiles	<p>ARS TELA is a Riga-based company creating Latvian contemporary design premium class hand woven textiles for interior, accessories, clothing, fabrics and upholstery fabrics mainly from Baltic grown linen in combination with other fibres like cashmere, silk, baby royal alpaca and others. Pursuing traditional hand weaving techniques which Latvia has been world-known for many years and by combining versatile fibres ARS TELA designers have managed to gain outstanding textures in its home interior textiles which today has been already outlining Latvian contemporary textile design.</p>
<p>Decoflux <a href="http://www.decoflux.com">http://www.decoflux.com</a></p>	Lithuania	Finished home textiles	<p>Decoflux specializes in producing home textile, bed linen, blankets, bedspreads, table linen, bath robes, towels etc. The company provides services in product design, dyeing process, embroidery, stitching and digital printing. Its mission is to create unique and charming products in high quality matters that would last and have additional value. Decoflux works with natural fabrics - linen, wool, cotton, as their country is famous for the fibers and production in natural finishing. The company brand is Decoflux, but due to exceeding production capacities, the company works with private labels as well.</p>



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EMKO <a href="http://www.emko.lt">http://www.emko.lt</a>	Lithuania	Carpets, Interior lighting, Small furniture	EMKO is a Lithuanian-based furniture design and home-accessory company. Their roots are set in the ancient Baltic tradition of craftsmanship, at the intersection of three distinct cultural spaces: the Northern Scandinavian, the Western European and the Eastern Russian. EMKO's present is open and inviting, welcoming talented designers from all over the globe. EMKO designs and manufactures for an active, modern, responsible market. The company's customers' base ranges from the dynamic professionals interested in inviting fresh ideas inside their life, making choices outside the box, to the creative artists who wish their workspace to be a reflection of the passion put in their own creations.
NorraVilla <a href="http://www.norravilla.com">http://www.norravilla.com</a>	Lithuania	Finished home textiles	NorraVilla designs and makes beautiful luxurious home textiles. The variety includes bed linen (duvets, pillows, flat and fitted sheet), spa towels, kitchen towels, table linen (tablecloths, runners, placemats and napkins). They can be minimalistic or decorated with high quality European made linen lace, creating romantic vintage feel. The company uses only the highest quality European linen with long fibres. All of their collection is entirely made in Europe.
GHYCZY <a href="http://www.ghyczy.nl">http://www.ghyczy.nl</a>	Netherlands	Interior lighting, Small furniture	GHYCZY is a luxury furniture company for the culturally discerning customer. Committed to creating life's essential furnishings, GHYCZY forms the premium basis of function for every space, everywhere, eternally. A family business over 40 years' experience, the company is professional in design, production and distribution.
ACL Impex <a href="http://www.amaliahomecollection.com">http://www.amaliahomecollection.com</a>	Portugal	Finished home textiles	ACL Impex specializes in supplying and meeting the expectations of high demand orders in terms of product quality, lead times and fully customized items. The company's brand Amalia Home Collection is fully produced in Portugal and showcases very exclusive European roots, origin and culture, always very appreciated in Asian markets. ACL Impex offers Bed Linen products with an European design made in Europe, European quality in very competitive Lead Times and with well-balanced minimum order quantities. The brands represent the spirit, history and culture of Portugal, recognized and respected worldwide.



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Herdmar <a href="http://www.herdmar.com">http://www.herdmar.com</a>	Portugal	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Herdmar is one of the biggest producers of table cutlery in the world with over 100 years of existence. With recognized merits everywhere, and the entire production process taking place indoors, Herdmar adds to the market a distinct philosophy that deeply turns cutlery pieces, on fashion items for customers' table.
GABRIELA SERES <a href="http://www.gabrielaseres.ro">http://www.gabrielaseres.ro</a>	Romania	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Gabriela Seres produces and distributes high-end decorative glassware under its luxury handmade brand: Gabriela Seres. Mrs. Gabriela Seres' designs include a variety of products like: high end tableware (glasses, carafes, teapots, teacups, coffee cups, decanters etc), candlesticks, candelabra, candleholders, vases, perfume bottles. Designs also include: lighting objects, chandeliers, table lamps, floor lamps etc. Gabriela Seres also produces and manufactures glassware products and lighting objects with glass based on clients' designs. The company also works in contract business for special custom made products for hotels.
MINDTHEGAP <a href="http://www.mindthegap.com">http://www.mindthegap.com</a>	Romania	Finished home textiles, Interior lighting, Wallpapers	MINDTHEGAP creates and produces a wide range of premium wall decor and accessories such as framed prints, embellished art, digital wallpaper, mirrors, printed lampshades and many more. The company's unique designs and high end products are manufactured 100% in the European factory and sold all over the world. The main advantage the company has is the combination of a very skilled design studio with a well-established production facility. With this advantage, the company can have a quick reaction to market needs by creating new designs or products that can be manufactured in our own factory.
ALONDRA INFANTIL <a href="http://www.alondrababy.com">http://www.alondrababy.com</a>	Spain	Finished home textiles, Interior lighting, Small furniture	ALONDRA takes pride in creating and manufacturing design pieces that will allow customers to furnish and decorate the perfect bedroom for the little ones. The company has a wide range comprising of furniture, accessories and textiles, which are designed with a sophisticated twist. ALONDRA handcrafts wood and uses innovative materials such as stainless steel in order to add that extra touch of glamour to customers' nurseries or children's rooms.

<p>Castilla Textil <a href="http://www.castillatextil.com">http://www.castillatextil.com</a></p>	<p>Spain</p>	<p>Curtains, Finished home textiles, Wallpapers</p>	<p>Castilla Textil manufactures fabric for curtains, home decoration, wallpaper, upholstery, digital and rotative designs. The company has many designs in rotative and digital printing fabric and focuses all their products on the digital printing for upholstery. Being a high technology company, Castilla Textil has great ability to adapt their productions to satisfy any new market's demand. With this advantage, they innovate yearly to explore new design conceptions for the current markets.</p>
<p>RIOMA <a href="http://www.rioma.com">http://www.rioma.com</a></p>	<p>Spain</p>	<p>Finished home textiles</p>	<p>Rioma has been designing and manufacturing textiles for upholstery and home decoration for more than 40 years. With proven experience in more than 80 countries, the company stands out for the enthusiastic and specialized dedication for design. A hundred proposals received resulted in the creation of new collections within the contemporary, classic and children areas –youthful lines are developed every year by the department of Design. Rioma is internationally recognized thanks to the hallmark of their designs, as well as for creating trends with a contemporary style of intense colours, together with their classic and minimalist collections.</p>
<p>BAUX <a href="http://www.baux.se">http://www.baux.se</a></p>	<p>Sweden</p>	<p>Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)</p>	<p>BAUX is founded on the belief that building materials should be surprisingly functional and remarkably beautiful. BAUX designs, produces and markets functional construction materials that meet the contemporary expectations of architects, engineers and builders – without compromising tomorrow's safety and environmental standards. BAUX Acoustic WoodWool Panels &amp; Tiles contain two of the world's oldest building materials. The combination is simple and ingenious.</p>
<p>Capti Design <a href="http://www.captidesign.com">http://www.captidesign.com</a></p>	<p>Sweden</p>	<p>Furniture</p>	<p>Capti Design creates designs for both the public room and home environment. Their collection consists of tables, shelves, clothes hangers and brochure racks. The company follows the Scandinavian tradition of making non-complex furniture. Capti Design's collection often includes straight lines in its design and can be described as simple yet advanced. They mix the traditional touch with a modern twist. The price range is in the high-end region.</p>

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Greenworks <a href="http://www.greenworks.eu">http://www.greenworks.eu</a>	Sweden	Furniture, Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Greenworks has developed European design patented products Moving Hedge, Bridge pendant and Babylone pendant. Moreover, the name is also protected. Greenworks manufactures and markets living furniture. These are products are made as carriers of indoor plants. All products have a unique design by well renowned designers and are currently made in Europe; Sweden and Italy. Assembly is done at the warehouse in Sweden.
Avenida home <a href="http://avenidahome.com">http://avenidahome.com</a>	United Kingdom	Decorative items (such as clocks, pottery, high-end design tableware and cutlery)	Avenida home designs and produces table and kitchen accessories. After production, the company also markets and sells the products under their own exclusive brand. Sale of products is done via Avenida home's wholesale operation where customers are directed to the website and showroom in bath.