



Rattan Furniture Collection



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WHAT IS CANE?

Cane furniture may comprise many pieces in various shapes and sizes including:

- Sea grass cord, plait and matting
- Rattan
- Core, sheet, split, binding, plaited and chair cane
- Willow
- Bamboo
- Oriental painted lacquer-work
- Timber

What is rattan? Rattan is a naturally renewable plant from the tropical regions of Africa, Asia and Australasia. It grows best under the cover of trees in plantations, fruit orchards, rubber estates, etc. Rattan is lightweight, durable, and relatively flexible. Once cut into sections, rattan can replace wood to make furniture. It can be painted or stained and formed into many different designs. Furthermore, the inner core can be separated and worked into wicker for furniture, such as dining chair seats and basketry.

What is wicker? Wicker is not a material but an ancient technique used to manufacture products out of natural materials. Wicker furniture may be crafted out of materials such as bamboo, straw and rattan. Synthetic materials are now being used to manufacture some wicker furniture, making it suitable for use outdoors. Always check if your furniture is suitable for outdoor use before purchase.

CARING FOR CANE FURNITURE

When positioning cane furniture in your home, do not place it in direct sunlight or close to heaters. Sunlight can affect the colour and dry air can cause it to become brittle and break. On the other hand, high humidity can encourage the growth of mould and mildew so remove any natural cane furniture from verandahs, etc. as required.

The best tool for removing dust and dirt from cane furniture is a vacuum with a brush attachment. After vacuuming, wipe the cane over with a damp cloth dipped into a diluted solution of warm water and mild detergent. Allow to dry for approximately two hours before use.

- Do not use natural cane furniture outdoors.
- Do not stand on the cane.
- Do not sit on the cane in wet clothes or while it is still damp after cleaning.
- Do not use silicone based cleaners.

WARRANTY

Our cane furniture is strong, durable, cool and comfortable – perfectly suited to the Australian climate. 1825 interiors warrants that our cane furniture is free from manufacturing, structural or materials defects for 12 months from the date of delivery. Refer to our website for further details.