

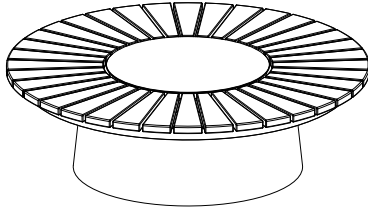
AXL BENCH & PLANTER RANGE

Circular bench + optional integral planter

These unique circular benches were first developed by Furnitubes' in-house designers for the High Street improvement scheme in Lincoln city centre. The city council required seating with a significant visual presence to be used as part of traffic-calming measures as well as providing useful short term seating for shoppers. Manufactured in two sizes - to suit the available space and for visual variation - the steelwork was supplied in a hardwearing corten effect nylon coating, with the iroko hardwood slats in a finish coat to maintain good long term colouration. Following positive feedback received from the Lincoln installation, a complete new range - named Axl - has since been developed to offer seating in three different sizes, in four different forms (full, half and three quarter circles and a quadrant) and with the central pedestal available as a planter on larger full circle versions. Standard specification is a polyester powder coated finish over anti-corrosion zinc thermal sprayed steelwork and smooth planed iroko timber slats, though the unusual combination used at Lincoln and other scheme-specific finish requirements can be supplied on request.

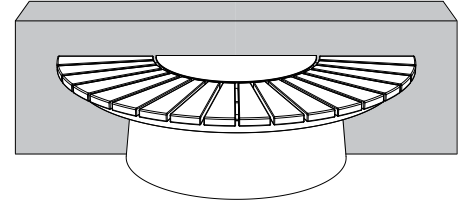


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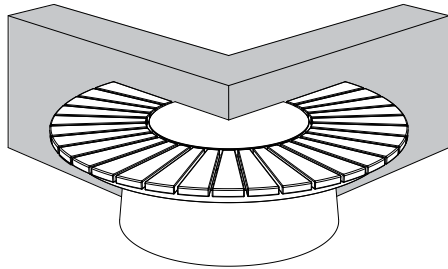
Full circle bench

For open spaces where seating can be accessed from all sides



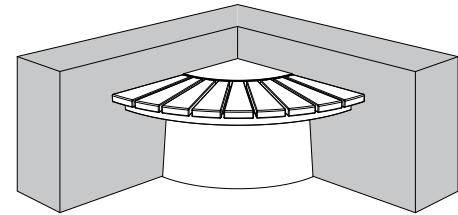
1/2 circle bench

For placement against straight walls



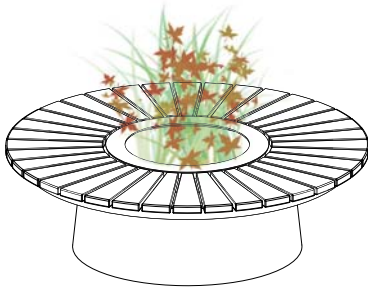
3/4 circle bench

Wraps around external 90° corner walls



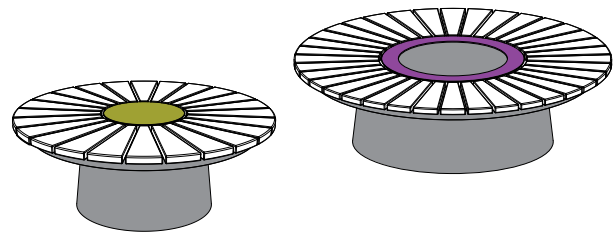
1/4 circle bench

Fits between internal 90° corner walls



Full circle planter bench

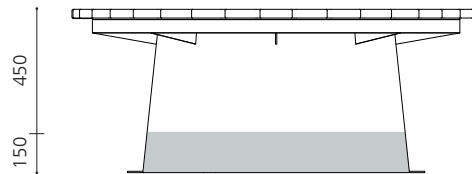
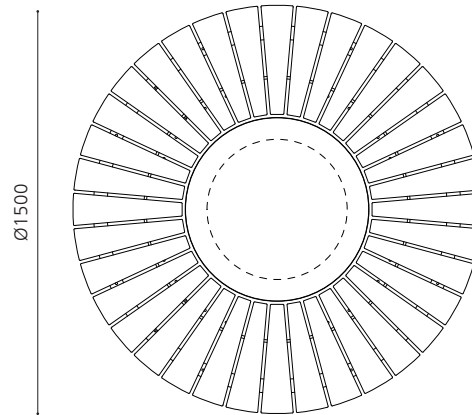
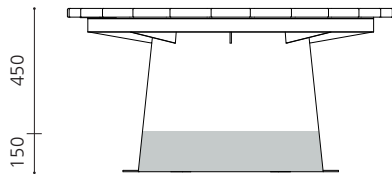
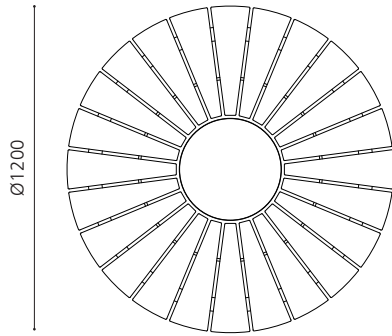
Open centre allows central pedestal to be used as a planter



Colourway options

Bolt-on top plate / ring allows contrasting colours to the pedestal

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Full / part circular benches with steel base, zinc thermal sprayed and polyester powder coated to any RAL colour ref, iroko timber slats in smooth planed finish

AXL 120

Full circle Ø1200mm (R600mm)

AXL 120 PL

Full circle Ø1200mm (R600mm)
with open top for internal planting

AXL 120 34

3/4 circle R600mm (Ø1200mm)

AXL 120 12

1/2 circle R600mm (1200 x 600mm)

AXL 120 14

1/4 circle R600mm (600 x 600mm)

AXL 150

Full circle Ø1500mm (R750mm)

AXL 150 PL

Full circle Ø1500mm (R750mm)
with open top for internal planting

AXL 150 34

3/4 circle R750mm (Ø1500mm)

AXL 150 12

1/2 circle R750mm (1500 x 750mm)

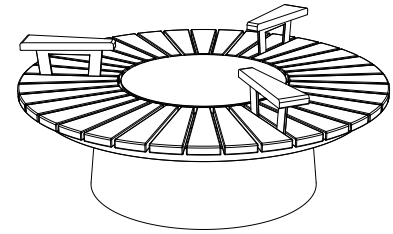
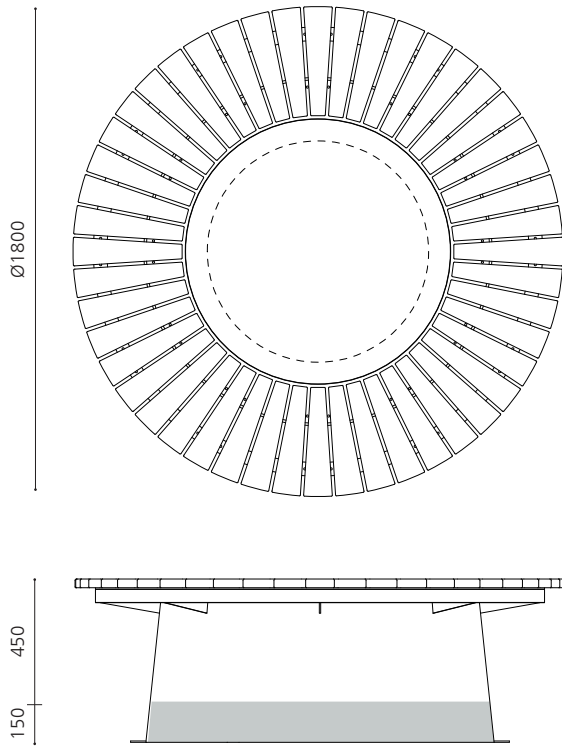
AXL 150 14

1/4 circle R750mm (750 x 750mm)

OPTIONS:

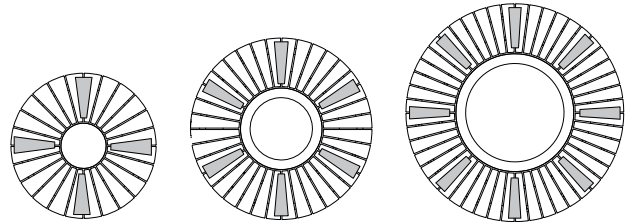
- Armrests
- Steelwork in nylon coating
- Oiled timbers

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Armrests

All benches are available with armrests which comprise a tapered timber pad discretely fixed to a supporting steel fabrication, which itself is welded to the bench sub-frame. Illustrated below are the positions that armrests can be placed to maintain appropriately-sized gaps between for an average sitter. It is not necessary to have all the armrests as shown, for example on the Ø1500mm bench 3 equally spaced armrests would give 3 seating segments, each accommodating 2 people.



Ø1200mm
4 arms maximum

Ø1500mm
6 arms maximum

Ø1800mm
8 arms maximum

AXL

Full / part circular benches with steel base, zinc thermal sprayed and polyester powder coated to any RAL colour ref, iroko timber slats in smooth planed finish

AXL 180

Full circle Ø1800mm (R900mm)

AXL 180 PL

Full circle Ø1800mm (R900mm)
with open top for internal planting

OPTIONS:

- Armrests
- Steelwork in nylon coating
- Oiled timbers

AXL 180 34

3/4 circle R900mm (Ø1800mm)

AXL 180 12

1/2 circle R900mm (1800 x 900mm)

AXL 180 14

1/4 circle R900mm (900 x 900mm)

Installation

Given the width of the pedestal it is unlikely that paving will be sufficiently flat to allow for an above-ground bolt-down installation that achieves a level seating surface.

Benches are therefore designed to be bolted down to a below-ground foundation, via tabs welded to the pedestal, pre-drilled for M12 ground fixings (not supplied).

Note: planter pedestals are open-based as standard to allow through-drainage.

