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# New PH editions Pastels and Monochrome



### Poul Henningsen

The very influential Danish designer, architect, writer, and cultural critic, Poul Henningsen (1894-1967), has had a huge impact on Danish thinking and design.



Poul Henningsen designed his first lamps back in 1925-1926 for an exhibition in Paris. His work with Louis Poulsen continued right up until his death in 1967.

Poul Henningsen did not just design a lamp, but an entire system – around a thousand different models have been produced over the years.

Throughout his life, Poul Henningsen sought to create glare-free, direct light where it was most needed, and create soft shadows, using incandescent bulbs as a light source.

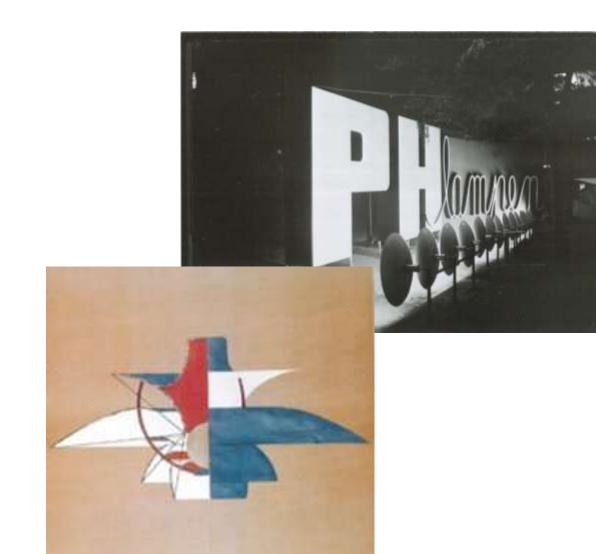


Poul Henningsen drew the first models of the famous three-shade system in 1924 in collaboration with Louis Poulsen.

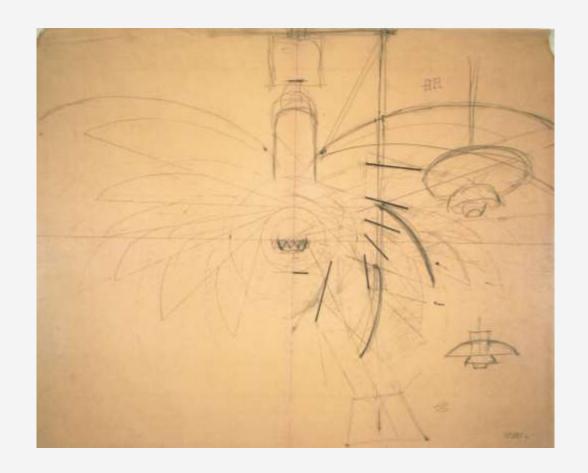
After the launch of the first PH lamp in 1927 he developed several other PH variations throughout the years.

The work culminated in 1958 with the world-famous pendant PH 5 that immediately became an overwhelming success.

The way he functionally utilized the shades was nothing less than revolutionary.



The fixture provides 100% glare-free light. Its design is based on the principle of a reflective three-shade system, which directs majority of the light downwards. The fixture emits both downward and lateral light, thus illuminating itself.





A post-pandemic focus on wellbeing brings a need for calming and embracing space at home.

Restful and comforting pastel colours are a perfect complement for the simple silhouettes and lines of Scandinavian and other more simplistic inspired interiors.

As well as a savvy addition to the more radical and eclectic styles with bolder colours and patterns.





















## Tendencies and forecasting Colour

Tonal blues, pinks, greens, and yellows fade and merge into a drowsy flow and create a dream-like mood.

These soft colours represent a desire for comfort, indulgence, and a restful inner world.





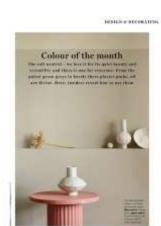




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Finish: Monochrome Pale Rose and Monochrome Oyster. Matt wet painted.

Material: Shades and anti-glare disc: Spun aluminium. Struts: rolled aluminium.

Mounting: Suspension type: White textile cable 2x1mm<sup>2</sup>. Canopy: Yes.

Cable length: 3 m.

Light Source: E27/E26 max. 75W (JP: 150W, US: 22W).

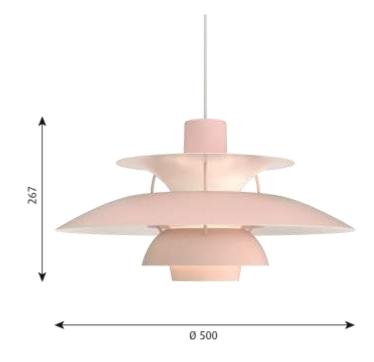
Dimensions (WxHxL): Ø 500 x 267 x 500 mm.

Weight: Max. 2.5 kg.

Class: Ingress protection IP20. Electric shock protection II without ground.

Info notes: Colour of anti-glare disc and struts: Same colour as the pendant.

White textile cable and canopy.



**Finish:** Two combinations of pastel colours.

Oyster, Blue, Rose and Yellow. Blue, Rose, Peach and Yellow.

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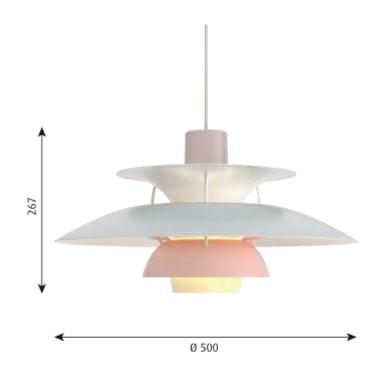
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### Info notes:

Peach anti-glare disc on Oyster Blue Rose. Rose anti-glare disc on Blue Rose Peach. White struts. White textile cable and canopy.



### **Two PH 5 Monochrome**

Pale Rose and Oyster

Same very matte gloss as existing Monochrome variants.

### **Two PH 5 Pastels**

Combination of pastels tones

Pastels no. 1 Oyster, Blue and Rose

Pastels no. 2 Blue, rose and Peach

They are compatible with the new Monochrome as well as the existing range where relevant.

Same semi-matte gloss as the Hues of variants.

### Selling-in package and display

To be combined in a package with the Monochrome White – the new bestselling variant.



### **BtC**

- Kitchen
- Dining room
- Living room
- Hallway

### **BtB**

- Restaurants, cafés and hotels
- Offices and public buildings
- Receptions, meeting rooms, lounge areas, dining areas etc.
- Hallways and corridors





### Designer

- Designed in 1958 by Poul Henningsen
- Great storytelling and craftsmanship

### Light

- Soft, diffused and glare-free light
- Ideal for above the dining table

### **Characteristics**

- Matt painted metal shades
- Beautiful colours, Danish-modern design, iconic shape
- Easy to adapt to most interiors

### **Colours**

- New colours speak to modern interior trends
- The mix of colours is a playful version of a classic design





Poul Henningsen developed the PH 5 in 1958 in response to constant changes made to the shape and size of incandescent bulbs by bulb manufacturers, naming it after the size of the pendant's main shade, which is 50 cm. in diameter.

"I have accepted fate and with Louis Poulsen's permission I have designed a PH fixture, which can be used with any kind of light source, from Christmas lights to 100 W metal filament bulbs. However, a fluorescent tube may be too much to ask in the existing form!"

- Poul Henningsen

PH 5 continues to elevate even the most modern interiors in a range of colours today.



