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# NELSON SAUCER CRISSCROSS BUBBLE PENDANT



## HIGHLIGHTS

- Part of a progressive and technologically advanced lighting collection
- A family of refined pendants
- CE approved
- Designed for use with a replaceable standard retro fit LED dimmable bulb
- Suitable for both private and office environments

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Designed by pioneering American designer George Nelson in 1947, and first produced in 1952, the Bubble Lamp signaled a revolution in the Modernist lighting industry. Available in an assortment of organic sizes and shapes, these elegant orbs were inspired by a set of silk-covered Swedish pendant lamps Nelson wanted for his office, but found to be too expensive. Employing the resourcefulness that characterized his working process, he decided to use a self-webbing plastic spray developed by the U.S. military, and applied it over a lightweight, rounded-steel frame to produce these soft, glowing fixtures. The Nelson Saucer Crisscross Bubble Pendant is part of the Nelson Bubble Lamp series. Inspired by a set of silk-covered Swedish hanging lamps, George Nelson designed the series in 1952. Beyond the soft light this lamp casts, it features a unique crisscross pattern that adds an interesting contour to the shade.

Born in Connecticut, USA, George Nelson (1908-1986) was one of the most influential figures in the crucial early period of modern design. Trained at Yale as an architect and a fine artist, he believed that a designer's job was to better the world, using the perfection of nature's creations as his guide. Two formative years in Rome following his receipt of the prestigious Rome Prize brought him into contact with the world's leading modernists, including Le Corbusier, Mies Van der Rohe, Walter Gropius, Gio Ponti, and many others, and helped shape his career as a writer and industrial designer, who would change the course of history.



George Nelson



Nelson Saucer Crisscross Bubble Pendant M



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## MATERIALS

### SHADE

Webbing polymer

### FRAME TOP & BOTTOM RING

Coated and brushed metal and nickel

### CORD

White PVC insulation

All Bubble Lamp models have a steel-wire skeleton on the interior which is spray coated with the translucent plastic polymer resulting in a lamp that is both opaque and transparent as it glows.

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

### DESIGN YEAR

1947

### COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

USA

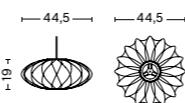
## COLOUR & FINISH

Please note that the colours are indicative

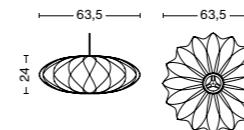


Off white

## DIMENSIONS



**NELSON SAUCER CRISSCROSS BUBBLE PENDANT | SMALL**  
Diameter 44,5 cm  
Height 18 cm  
Weight 1,26 kg



**NELSON SAUCER CRISSCROSS BUBBLE PENDANT | MEDIUM**  
Diameter 63 cm  
Height 25 cm  
Weight 1,7 kg



## NELSON SAUCER CRISSCROSS BUBBLE PENDANT SMALL

### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

RECOMMENDED LIGHT SOURCE  
LED E27 (A15), 5-8W, 500-800lm, 2700-3000K warm white  
Bulb not included

DIMMABLE  
Yes  
If used in conjunction with a wall mounted dimmer and suitable LED bulb. Hardwiring required

POWER SUPPLY  
220-240V AC at 50/60Hz

IP  
20

CORD LENGTH  
300 cm

SWITCH  
No

### TEST SPECIFICATION OUTPUTS

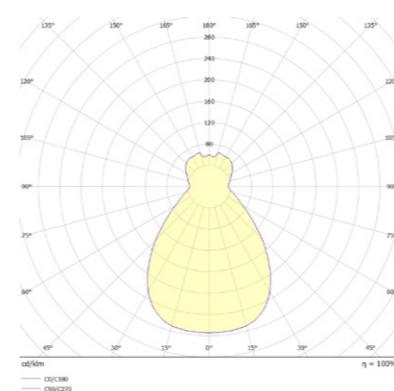
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LUMEN (LM)  
500-800lm

KELVIN (CCT)  
2700-3000K warm white

CRI (I-100)  
Depends on bulb (>80)

### PHOTOMETRICS





## NELSON SAUCER CRISSCROSS BUBBLE PENDANT MEDIUM

### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

RECOMMENDED LIGHT SOURCE  
LED E27 (A19), 10-13W, 1000-1500lm, 2700-3000K warm white  
Bulb not included

DIMMABLE  
Yes  
If used in conjunction with a wall mounted dimmer and suitable LED bulb. Hardwiring required

POWER SUPPLY  
220-240V AC at 50/60Hz

IP  
20

CORD LENGTH  
300 cm

SWITCH  
No

### TEST SPECIFICATION OUTPUTS

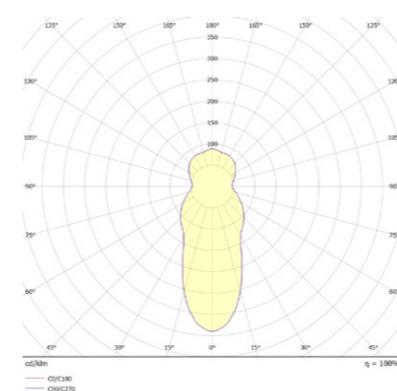
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## CERTIFICATES

### ETL APPROVED

This product has been assessed and complies with the essential requirements of the certificate.

### CE APPROVED

This product has been assessed and complies with the essential requirements of the relevant European directives.



Tested according to the following European EN IEC standards which relate specifically to electrical lighting products including:

- EN 60598-2-4 (portable luminaires)
- EN 60598-1 (general requirements)

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