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**valerie\_objects** is an Antwerp-based design label initiated by Axel Van Den Bossche and art director Veerle Wenes, combining their professional and personal taste for all things good and beautiful.

By allowing designers, architects and artists to translate their signature style into tangible objects, valerie\_objects has become a unique collection of everyday items with out-of-the-box aesthetics. These are objects people truly get entangled with.

**authentic  
thinking  
and creative  
minds  
are at the heart  
of the label**



**Muller Van Severen** consists of the Belgian couple Fien Muller and Hannes Van Severen. Since 2011 they work together to create highly stylized objects that appear to be produced with total effortlessness. With both Fien Muller and Hannes Van Severen being artists, it's natural that the collection sits somewhere between design and art. The design practice has been on an inspired quest for sculpturally interesting furniture objects, without losing track of its functionality.

It looks as if the designers draw with crayons in space. "We create furniture with a certain lightness so the background becomes part of the image", they say. After winning countless awards and collaborating with prestigious museum and galleries worldwide, Muller Van Severen is considered one of the most image-defining European design teams of today.

photo by Mirjam De vriendt

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# muller van severen

Muller Van Severen has designed a set of cutlery which looks pure and functional yet uncompromisingly adapted to their signature style.

Every utensil consists of two parts: a shaft and a coloured metal plate on top which creates the handle.

Muller Van Severen, renowned for their strong colour selection, chose for blue, copper, brass and steel. A cutlery set entirely in one of these colours will appear classic, when the colours are combined, the tableware gets that typical playful Muller Van Severen feel.

The simpler the object appears, the harder it is to make. It took us three years to stick the coloured metal plate on top of the handle which had to be laser-welded on the inside. The technique is laborious but did ensure us no visual disturbance on the outside, making this cutlery a refined set of design.



blue brushed  
brushed stainless  
copper brushed  
brass brushed

photography by  
Fien Muller







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**\_we make sure  
our designs  
remain objects  
and don't become  
'products'.** —muller  
van severen

photography by  
Fien Muller



**Maarten Baas** is considered to be one of the most influential Dutch contemporary designers. He is often described as an “author designer,” of which his works lie on the boundaries between art and design. His work is known as rebellious, playful, intellectual, theatrical and artistic. Baas’ designs contain a huge amount of spontaneity and naivety. He translates the human touch into a mechanically produced design objects. “In a quick sketch, beauty is often found”, he says. “But those spontaneous lines are often lost in an industrial process.” And so, Baas adds organic forms and wobbly lines to an otherwise very straight-lined design world. His work has been collected by leading museums such as MoMa (New York), Victoria and Albert Museum (London), Les Arts Décoratifs (Paris), Stedelijk Museum and Rijksmuseum (Amsterdam) and other prestigious galleries worldwide.

photo by JJ Schlingemann

# maarten baas

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Dutch designer Maarten Baas shapes objects in a sketchy and nearly childlike way. The cutlery he has designed for valerie\_objects materialises the spontaneous hand-drawings of the designer. In a world where machines are built to produce straight lines, Baas’ irregular shapes,

like the wobbly knife-edge for instance, are quite hard to manufacture. The cutlery set consists of seven pieces: a table and a dessert version of knife, spoon and fork with an additional coffee spoon. All items are seperately available as well.



brass brushed

cutlery by  
maarten baas

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of beauty in a quick sketch,  
but those spontaneous  
lines usually get lost in the  
industrial process.** —maarten  
baas



black brushed ^  
copper brushed >

photography by  
Senne Van Der Ven  
& Inge Rylant





black brushed  
copper brushed  
brushed stainless  
brass brushed



wooden giftbox  
for 16 pieces (4 sets)  
brushed stainless

photography by  
Siska Vandecasteele



**Koichi Futatsumata**

is a Japanese designer who is active in interior design, product design and architecture and has been awarded numerously. He runs both the Koichi Futatsumata Studio, focusing on objects and Case-Real, a firm specialized in space design. His designs are refined and poetic, enunciating an aesthetic of tranquility. "I always try to innovate the beauty of an object while maintaining its functionality", Futatsumata says. He is always exploring new aesthetics, forms and ideas. His work has been included in the permanent collection of the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art and in other public collections.

photo by Koichi Futatsumata Studio

**brushed stainless**

photography by  
Senne Van Der Ven  
& Inge Rylant

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# koichi futatsumata

The cutlery set by Japanese designer Koichi Futatsumata for valerie\_objects combines a flat surface with an octagonal section. With this cutlery, the flat surfaces remain at the ends; the main part of the body is octagonal in shape. The set includes a table knife, fork, spoon and coffee spoon, made from stainless steel.



\_for this  
cutlery  
I was  
inspired by  
my favorite  
technical  
pencil.

koichi  
futatsumata

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koichi futatsumata



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**Nendo** is the alias of Japanese designer Oki Sato (1977). From 2002 on, he has grown into being one of the most famous designers of the world today. He won countless of awards from magazines and institutions such as Dezeen, Wallpaper and Maison & Objet and his work has been collected by Museum of Modern Art (New York), Musée des Arts Décoratifs (Paris), Victoria and Albert Museum (London) and many others. Sato is known to work at four hundred projects at the same time and creates poetic minimalist objects with a humorous twist, often consisting of nothing more than the contours. 'I see outlines everywhere'.

# nendo

The cutlery "skeleton" has been reduced to the absolute minimum, limiting the amount of material used whilst still retaining its functionality, left remaining is the outline of the cutlery like the image of a skeleton reflected in an X-ray.

It can be hooked and stored in various places in the kitchen and the teaspoon can be hooked onto the rim of the cup.

There are four items, a spoon, fork, knife, and teaspoon, the set also has a dedicated stand and wall hook to display the set.

The cutlery is also available with a black PVD coating.

brushed stainless  
black brushed

photography by  
Siska Vandecasteele







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cutlery  
by muller van severen



cutlery —

**core material:**  
18/10 matt polished stainless steel





**4 options:**  
1— brushed stainless steel  
2— brushed stainless steel, blue pvd coated  
3— brushed stainless steel, copper pvd coated  
4— brushed stainless steel, brass pvd coated

packed in a beautiful giftbox.

the coloured layers on the handles are made of PVD-coated 18/10 matt polished stainless steel and are stuck on the shaft by three pins which are laser-welded together.

all utensils are dishwasher proof and suited for horeca use.

colours & sizes —

	knife	fork	table spoon	tea spoon
	1,8 cm 0,71 inch	2,4 cm 0,94 inch	4,1 cm 1,61 inch	3,2 cm 1,26 inch
	23,6 cm – 9,29 inch	19,5 cm – 7,68 inch	20,1 cm – 7,91 inch	14,2 cm – 5,59 inch
	1,5 cm 0,59 inch	1,3 cm 0,51 inch	1,5 cm 0,59 inch	1 cm 0,39 inch
	weight (gr) 80	weight (gr) 68	weight (gr) 90	weight (gr) 42
 brushed stainless	V8017017	V8017015	V8017016	V8017018
 blue brushed	V8017017B	V8017015B	V8017016B	V8017018B
 copper brushed	V8017017C	V8017015C	V8017016C	V8017018C
 brass brushed	V8017017M	V8017015M	V8017016M	V8017018M
giftbox	B7218500B			

cutlery  
by maarten baas



cutlery —





**core material:**  
stainless steel 18/10

**4 options:**  
1— brushed stainless steel  
2— brushed stainless steel, black pvd coated  
3— brushed stainless steel, copper pvd coated  
4— brushed stainless steel, brass pvd coated

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colours & sizes —

	knife	fork	table spoon	tea spoon	dessert knife	dessert fork	dessert spoon
	2,1 cm 0,82 inch	2,7 cm 1,06 inch	4,6 cm 1,81 inch	3,2 cm 1,25 inch	1,9 cm 0,74 inch	2,2 cm 0,86 inch	4,3 cm 1,69 inch
	22 cm – 8,66 inch	19,1 cm – 7,51 inch	19,9 cm – 7,83 inch	13,9 cm – 5,47 inch	20,6 cm – 8 inch	18 cm – 7 inch	18,7 cm – 7,36 inch
	1,5 cm 0,59 inch	1,3 cm 0,51 inch	1,3 cm 0,51 inch	0,9 cm 0,35 inch	1,3 cm 0,51 inch	1,2 cm 0,47 inch	1,2 cm 0,47 inch
	weight (gr) 88	weight (gr) 68	weight (gr) 96	weight (gr) 36			
 brushed stainless	V8016001	V8016002	V8016003	V8016004	V8017011	V8017012	V8017013
 black brushed	V8016001B	V8016002B	V8016003B	V8016004B	V8017011B	V8017012B	V8017013B
 copper brushed	V8016001C	V8016002C	V8016003C	V8016004C	V8017011C	V8017012C	V8017013C
 brass brushed	V8016001G	V8016002G	V8016003G	V8016004G	V8017011G	V8017012G	V8017013G
giftbox	B7216956						

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by koichi futatsumata



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
core material:  
stainless steel 18/10

- 4 options:
- 1— brushed stainless steel
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  - 3— brushed stainless steel, copper pvd coated
  - 4— brushed stainless steel, brass pvd coated

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colours & sizes —

	knife	fork	table spoon	tea spoon
	2,7 cm 1,06 inch	2,7 cm 1,06 inch	3,6 cm 1,41 inch	2,7 cm 1,06 inch
	21,5 cm - 8,46 inch	19,1 cm - 7,51 inch	19,1 cm - 7,51 inch	14 cm - 5,51 inch
	0,95 cm 0,37 inch	0,95 cm 0,37 inch	0,95 cm 0,37 inch	0,95 cm 0,37 inch
	weight (gr) 66	weight (gr) 74	weight (gr) 82	weight (gr) 54
 brushed stainless	V8016005	V8016006	V8016007	V8016008
 black brushed	V8016005B	V8016006B	V8016007B	V8016008B
 copper brushed	V8016005C	V8016006C	V8016007C	V8016008C
 brass brushed	V8016005G	V8016006G	V8016007G	V8016008G
giftbox	B7216957			

cutlery  
by nendo



the cutlery project —



Core material:  
stainless steel 18/10

- 2 options:
- 1— brushed stainless steel
  - 2— brushed stainless steel, black pvd coated

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giftbox.

colours & sizes —

	knife	fork	table spoon	coffee spoon
	2,9 cm 1,14 inch	2,9 cm 1,14 inch	3,6 cm 1,42 inch	3 cm 1,18 inch
	22 cm - 8,66 inch	19,3 cm - 7,60 inch	19,3 cm - 7,60 inch	14 cm - 5,51 inch
	0,55 cm 0,22 inch	0,50 cm 0,20 inch	0,50 cm 0,20 inch	0,50 cm 0,20 inch
	weight (gr) 46	weight (gr) 42	weight (gr) 54	weight (gr) 36
 brushed stainless	V8018100	V8018102	V8018101	V8018103
 black brushed	V8018100B	V8018102B	V8018101B	V8018103B
giftbox	B7218499B			



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