Taraxacum 88 - Specification Sheet by Achille Castiglioni, 1988

Mounting Ceiling Pendant

Lamp (Bulb) Description 60 x 25W G-40 Medium Clear Incandescent (Included)

Environment Indoor - Dry Location

Dimming Dimmable Finish Transparent

Technical and Product Description The Taraxacum 88 lamp was created in 1960. The original design contained bulbs hidden under a transparent diffuser. In 1988, the design was revamped into a mixture of deep incandescent lighting adding cool, polished triangular aluminum features. Marking the year of its new design the Taraxacum was re-named the "Taraxacum 88".

> The core of this Achille Castiglioni designed decorative hanging light fixture comprises of 20 pressed and polished aluminum equilateral triangles fitted with electrical sockets. These sockets are filled with 60 clear 25 watt globe lamps. The suspension fixture provides direct and reflected incandescent light. The finish is transparent. See the video here.

> As put by Castiglioni himself, "It is a bit of a blow to energy-saving but a big chandelier is meant for community areas, lobbies and rooms that need a lot of light for special occasions and so it also needs to be decorative."

Inspiration Behind the Design:

The name "Taraxacum" comes from the scientific word for the very common plant -the dandelion. Castiglioni has managed to encapsulate the very shape of a dandelion in this modern pendant light design.

Electrical

Voltage	120
Switching	NA
IP Rating	IP20

Physical

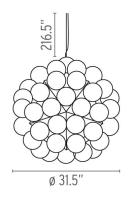
196.85" - Black Cord Length (inches) Construction Material Aluminum, Steel





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Dimensional Image



Lamping (Bulb)



25W G40 Clear Incandescent