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TEAR SHEET



Brota 1, Soapstone Vase by Alva Design

PRICE	€1,650
PRODUCT URL	View online
DESIGNER	Alva Design
DIMENSIONS (CM)	28 x 19 cm
DIMENSIONS (INCHES)	11.03 x 7.49 in
MATERIALS	Stone
EDITION	Limited Edition
LEAD TIME	7-8 Weeks



DESIGNER

Alva Design

ALVA Design is a Brazilian design studio founded in 2012 by siblings Susana Bastos, an artist and fashion designer, and Marcelo Alvarenga, an architect. Bringing together artistic expression and architectural thinking, the studio creates furniture and objects distinguished by their sculptural forms, refined craftsmanship, and strong connection to materiality. Working primarily with locally sourced soapstone alongside wood, metal, and other natural materials, ALVA Design explores the dialogue between tradition and innovation. Their pieces often combine lathe work with meticulous hand-finishing techniques, resulting in softly contoured forms that celebrate the tactile qualities of each material. Drawing inspiration from Brazilian modernism, nature, and everyday life, the studio develops collections that balance functionality with poetic expression, establishing a distinctive voice within contemporary Brazilian design.