



Using a byproduct to tan a byproduct, the leather in this collection has been created from fallen olive leaves in the Mediterranean region that have been collected and processed in compliance with socially sustainable standards.



THE INTERSECTION OF
Innovation & Sustainability



COLLECTING THE
OLIVE LEAVES

Olive leaves are a byproduct of olive production. These olive leaves are typically burned, but now are collected in the Mediterranean region in an effort to make use out of what is traditionally discarded.



CRAFTING THE
TANNING AGENT

These collected olive leaves are then brewed like a tea to create a natural tanning agent. This non-toxic olive leaf extract is 100% organic & mineral free.



TANNING THE
HIDES

Select hides are then soaked in this tanning agent to create a natural leather product in a broad spectrum of colors and styles.



CRAFTING SUSTAINABLE
LUXURY

Ideal for furnishings, accessories, and designer-focused applications in residential, hospitality and commercial projects where the most sustainable leather, from start to finish, is desired.



"Our tanning agent is recovered from the leaves of the olive tree by using a method similar to brewing tea."

Thomas Lamparter,
wet-green® GmbH



Sustainable, Start to Finish.

Olive Tanned Leather uses 100 percent natural wet-green® technology in the tanning process to achieve mineral-free tanning. wet-green® tanning extract is made from fallen olive leaves, much like making tea. These olive leaves are a byproduct of olive production.

Traditionally, these leaves are burned but now are collected in the Mediterranean region which creates a sustainable wage for many adults. The wet-green® Olive tanning agent is certified 100% biobased.

THE HIGHEST POSSIBLE STANDARD

Select leathers in our Olive Tanned Collection are the world's first and only leathers to have received a Declare Red-List Free Label

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BUILDING
CHALLENGE



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