

IMPORTANT DESIGN SESSION 1



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GIO PONTI

custom armchairs, pair

Italy, c. 1958 | walnut, cotton boucle, leather, brass

27 h × 26 w × 32 d in (69 × 66 × 81 cm)

Part of a private commission for an apartment in Florence, Ponti combines the salient effects of the *Superleggera* side chair with the typology of his *Distex* armchairs. Sold with a certificate of authenticity from the Gio Ponti Archives.

Provenance: Private collection, Florence

Estimate: \$50,000–70,000

Result: \$90,000

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