



  
COSTA NOVA  
PORTUGAL

RIVIERA



*Christian  
Tortu*

## ***About***

Designed by the prestigious French floral designer Christian Tortu, this collection is inspired by the French and Italian Riviera. By mixing shapes and colors of its landscape, Tortu created a captivating collection by recreating the sublime features of this region.

## ***Shapes & Finishes***

This botanical collection presents an extensive range of different shapes and colors that combined create an outstanding and unique table;

Cracked surfaces in an extensive range of colors: forêts, tomate, vigne, vert frais, azur, terra;

Selected glazed pieces in the colors lantana and ocre.

Dinnerware sets in the colors: vert frais, azur, terra and sable noir (matte glaze);

Serveware shapes in the colors: vert frais, azur and terra;

Botanical shapes in the colors: forêts, tomate, vigne, vert frais and 18-Karat gold finish;

Decorative pieces.

## ***Special features & benefits***

Organic and botanical shapes;

Cracked surfaces in an extensive range of colors.

Unique glazes.



## ***FINE STONEWARE. Made in Portugal.***

At COSTA NOVA we create unique and sustainable stoneware collections made from the best local clays.

Using the best natural resources in Portugal, COSTA NOVA products are manufactured in a single-firing system heated up to 1180 °C (2160 °F) which creates a unique ceramic body with a special bonding between the clay and the glazed surface. An original formula which makes our stoneware more durable and resistant to both thermal and mechanical shocks.

### ***Authenticity***

Our stoneware collections are made by the hands of skilled artisans in the ceramic craftsmanship, one of the oldest traditions in our country. Each one of our pieces tell a story of labor and love. They are truly unique.

### ***Craftsmanship***

All COSTA NOVA fine stoneware products are hand-finished which provides them unique character. Any irregularities, color variations or small imperfections should be considered defects, but unique marks of authenticity.

### ***Sustainable ceramics. Sustainable industry.***

We commit ourselves daily to protect the environment, avoiding unnecessary harm through the resources we use and the products we manufacture.

Our products are made from the best natural resources in Portugal at one of the most environmentally-friendly facilities. They are eco-friendly, reusable and recyclable.

Our packaging also embraces our sustainable commitment. It is 100% plastic-free.

### ***Care for Stoneware***

#### **Oven, freezer and microwave safe**

All pieces manufactured in fine stoneware have high thermal shock resistance, withstanding temperature variations between -20 °C and 250 °C (0 °F to 500 °F).

The maximum thermal variation advised is 180 °C (350 °F). All stoneware products can be safely used in the oven, microwave, and freezer.

As a precaution, you should avoid placing pieces straight from the oven on a cold surface. Do not use it over a direct flame. Avoid the use of products with craquelée surfaces such as Cristal (grey), Lisboa, Madeira, Pearl Aqua and Riviera in the oven and freezer.

#### **Gold leaves**

Featuring a hand-painted 18-Karat gold finish.

Not microwave safe.

Hand wash recommended.

#### **Dishwasher safe**

All our pieces are easy to wash and clean and abrasive cleaners can be used without the risk of damaging the surface due to its high durability and low porosity. Most items can be washed daily in the dishwasher.

To ensure the items last longer we advise you to make sure that no item rubs or bumps against another during the wash cycle, preventing damage.

As a precaution we recommend you wash oversized items and more delicate pieces by hand.

#### **Food safe**

All COSTA NOVA products meet the standards established by International Standards including the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) with regard to lead and cadmium. They are food safe.

### ***About Costa Nova***

The love of life, family, friends and good food has inspired COSTA NOVA to create fine stoneware collections that combine quality and design with the best in ceramic craftsmanship.

The brand produces innovative and sustainable stoneware, made from the best natural resources in Portugal.

We embrace "handmade" and preserve our European heritage in the manufacture of our stoneware collections, bringing to the table and to the home unique and elegant pieces that suit perfectly in today's way of living and are able to last for generations.

Nowadays, carrying Portugal's name and heritage all over the world COSTA NOVA is present across the 5 continents, in prestigious department stores and boutiques, hotels and renowned restaurants.