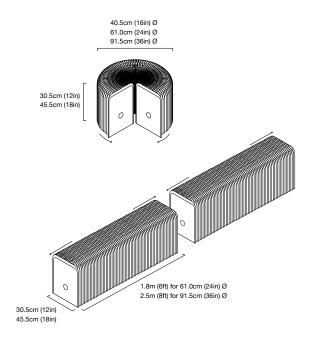




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## softseating fanning stool + bench + lounger



From one softseat element you can alternately construct either a stool or bench and create longer benches by connecting multiple softseating by their magnetic end panels.



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softseating is a fusion of form and function, embodying the dynamic potential of objects that adapt and evolve to meet shifting needs. Designed with collaborative workspaces and events in mind, softseating redefines the spaces it inhabits by becoming a stool, small table, or sculptural landscape. Made from paper or nonwoven polyethylene textile, these lightweight elements use distinctive flexible honeycomb structure to fan open into stools, benches and loungers. Its pleated structure effortlessly folds flat for storage or transport, becoming the size of a book. When unfurled, modular magnetic end panels enable each seat to close into a sculptural circle or extend outward, linking in sequence to form meandering benches and richly textured seating topographies.

Crafted from a durable blend of new and recycled fibers, this paper-like material beautifully supports both people and pets. Fire retardant and acoustically absorbent, paper softseating comes in brown, black, and blue. A textile version is offered in aluminum or white.

Made from recyclable materials, softseating is designed for enduring use. Over time, the material develops a rich patina, like velvet or leather, as crushed facets hold and catch the light. Through varied use and wear, the underlying honeycomb structure remains structurally resilient and intact.

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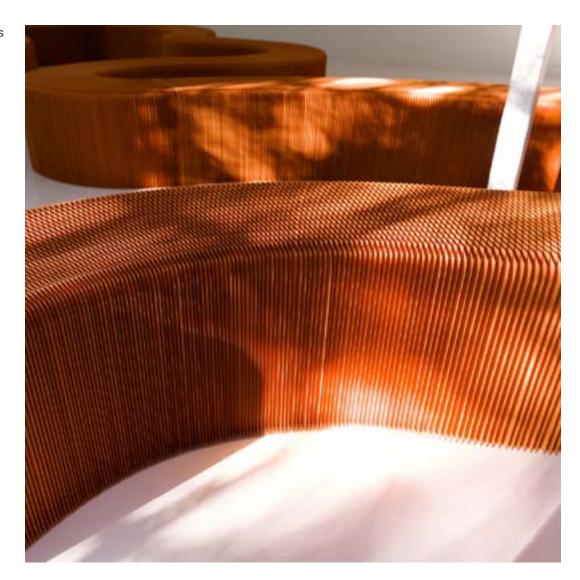
Available in two heights and three dimensions, softseating fanning stools are created for adaptability. Transforming spaces spontaneously, each one unfolds to meet your imaginative needs.



Once stretched into a bench, softseating elements can connect by their magnetic end panels to create long, sculptural seating arrangments.



Light and shadow play across the honeycomb structures, emphasizing depth of tone and colour.



The textile used for softseating is a heavier weight of the non-woven polyethylene used for softwall + softblock. The reinforced material and dense honeycomb offers impressive weight-bearing capacity.



Magnetic end panels form the last layer of each fanning stool, creating a natural, intuitive connection between individual seats or with other modular elements.

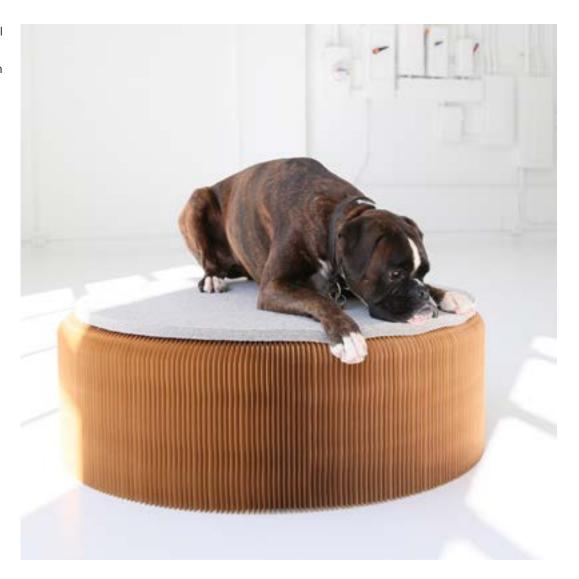


The two smallest sizes of softseating are available with a convenient felt tote, for whisking the paper seats off to a gallery, garden party or concert.





Each diameter of fanning stool has a corresponding wool felt pad, which may be used as an optional cushion or soft table surface.





softseating's pleated form and honeycomb geometry harmonize with the aesthetic, flexible function and acoustic qualities of other elements within the soft collection.





Available for each dimension of softseating, PaperStone® tops create a smooth and durable tabletop surface for more varied use.



softseating ships compressed and can be stored like a book on a shelf. It then unfolds to form a simple stool or any seating configuration you can imagine.



softseating fanning lounger is composed of three flexible segments that join through magnetic end panels.



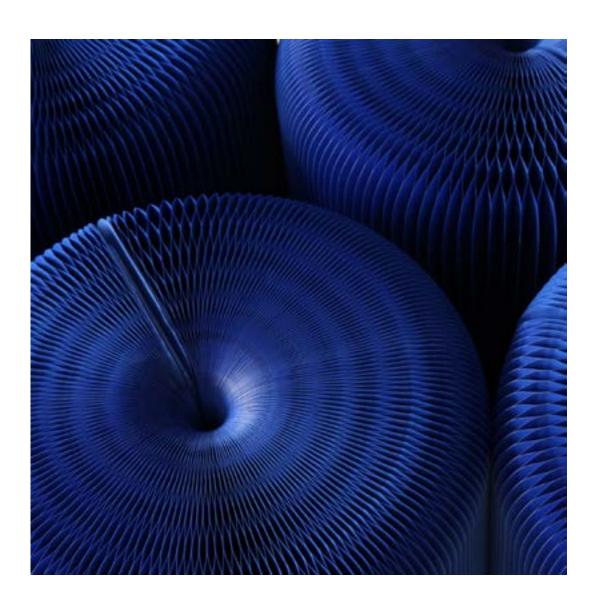
softseating lounger offers a generous seating area for relaxing with friends or colleagues.



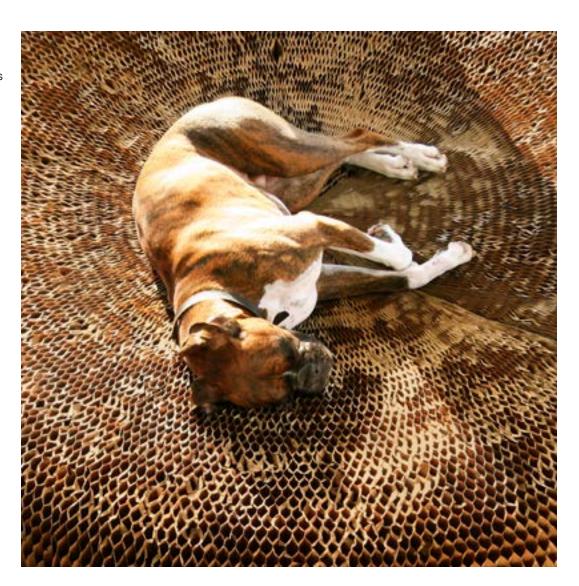


brown and blue paper softseating is made from wood harvested from FSC® Certified responsible sources and is coated with a non-toxic fire retardant.





With time and use, the top surface softens and folds into a unique, organic pattern. This patina, like velvet or leather, catches light in a beautiful, variegated way.



As the surface ages with wear, the underlying honeycomb structure remains structurally resilient and intact.



textile softseating is crafted from a durable, non-woven polyethylene that is resistant to tears, UV rays, and water.



When paired with molo's cantilever table, softseating fanning stools create a cohesive dining, work, or meeting space.

