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The 50 best sofas to buy

What designs do we want? Bigger, bolder, British... and better for your bottom

Best for comfort: Loaf's new Wodge modular sofa, from £1,830, could not be cosier. Medium size, as shown, in Pinky Peanut plush velvet, £2,270, loaf.com



t's been a testing time for our sofas. A year's Netflix and loll has sorted the good buys from the misspends, sparked a surge in orders and inspired a slew of new designs. According to retailers, the couches in demand now are corner sofas, sofa beds, storage sofas and XXL low-level loungers. After 12 months' rigorous analysis, the nation has decided that what it wants is more — more room for more sitters, more flexible function, more under-arse comfort. This spring's sofa buyers also demand sustainability and longevity. And they want to buy British.



Studio Parisien's Sévigné daybed, handmade in France by Ateliers Jouffre, £16,092 including fabric, <u>theinvisiblecollection.com</u>