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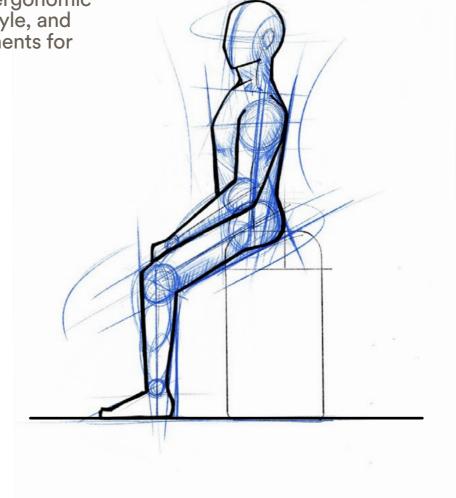
Design and Engineering Team



Introducing XOXO

Created by the award-winning teams at Thinking Works & Square Bear Acoustics, the XOXO Modular Lounge is the result of a collaboration between talented designers and skilled craftsmen.

This innovative system seamlessly integrates traditional soft seating with fast-paced modern workplaces and public spaces, delivering ergonomic comfort, contemporary style, and versatile seating arrangements for dynamic environments.



Ergonomic & Soft Seating Design for versatility

Dean Kuch

Managing Director of Thinking Works & Square Bear Acoustics

What was the starting point for developing XOXO?

Through conversations with interior designers and furniture sellers in the commercial space, we recognised a need for products that offer flexibility and adaptability in ever-changing workplaces, ones that encourage collaboration and interaction, but still allow designated areas to do so.

Why is soft seating important for today's workplace design?

Today's workplace is much more versatile than 20 years ago. Through changes in technology, the way in which we work looks completely different, and the picture of the classic office worker that sits at one desk for 8 hours has changed.

Today's workday is split up into lots of different tasks like focused work, collaborating and networking. All of these tasks require different environments, therefore, today's workplace must be loud but quiet, open but private, exciting but calm all at the same time.



We see people not only working in the office, but they also work in cafés or hotels, at home or at the airport.

As a furniture manufacturer, we need to understand the different work environments, and soft seating is a very important part of today's workspace environment and its ability to foster collaboration while promoting well-being and productivity.

What happened to ergonomic workplace design?

More movement throughout the day is important, and that's what has improved since I started working in the commercial furniture industry in the late 1980s.

Soft seating is certainly a lot more relevant and adds to the mix of workplace settings where office workers in a hybrid work environment can choose different locations for different tasks.

Ergonomic monitor arms and task chairs are very important for desk-based work, however, in a hybrid workplace where collaborative zones are more important than ever, sometimes more casual settings for collaboration and connecting people are the most appropriate and adaptable.

We recognise that soft seating for the office must be different to the couches in our homes, they must be more comfortable to work at, and at the same time, easier to sit in and get up from. That's achieved with details such as more upright seating positions and firmer upholstery foam.

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Ergonomic & Soft Seating Design for versatility cont'd

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Head of Design at Thinking Works & Square Bear Acoustics

What is modular design to you and why is it important?

Modular design involves creating products using standardised, interchangeable components or modules.

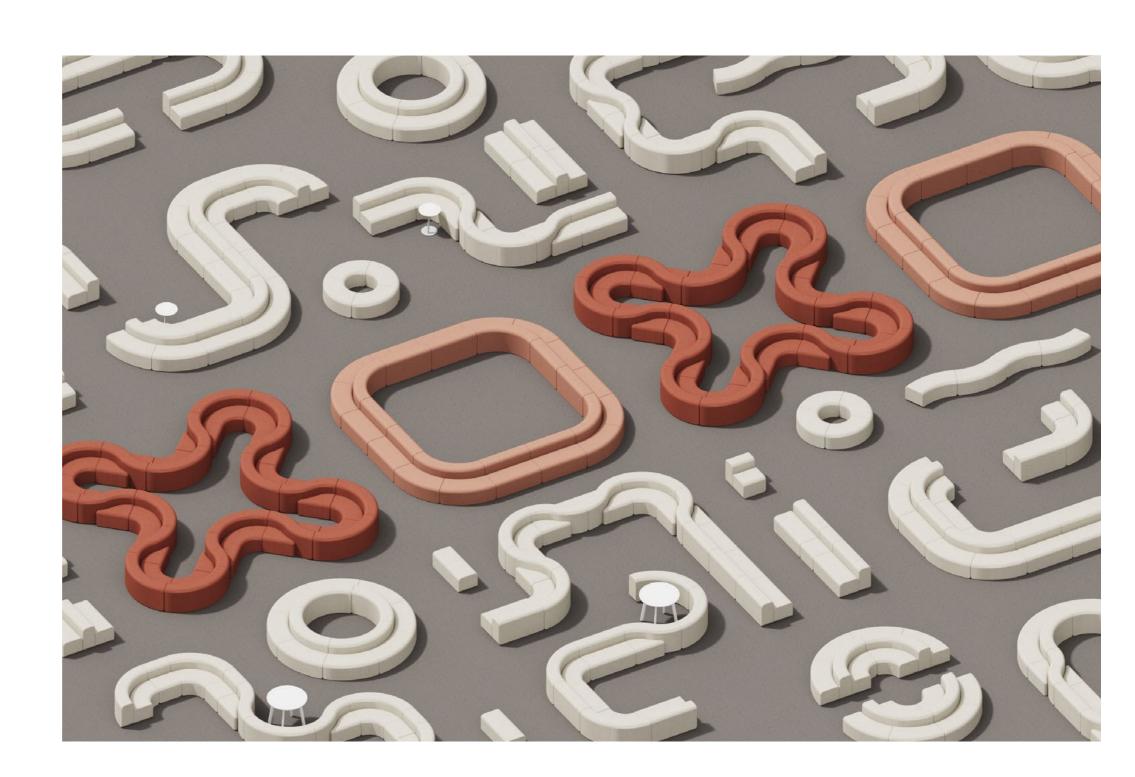
This design philosophy is important to us as it allows for flexibility, adaptability, and scalability, enabling users to easily reconfigure product to meet changing needs.

Additionally, it is beneficial for us as a manufacturer as it promotes streamlined production processes, reducing manufacturing costs, lead times and enhancing overall efficiency.

How important is it to reconfigure workspaces?

A modular approach allows for inclusivity, accommodating different needs and preferences, whether for collaborative work, relaxation, or focused tasks.

Modular systems are often a more cost-effective solution as they can be easily reconfigured and adapted.





Craftmanship In-house

The Makers

Creating XOXO required seamless collaboration between Thinking Works design, joinery and upholstery teams, with each group bringing their own unique expertise to the product. Throughout the development of XOXO, the teams refined the structure and upholstery to achieve a cohesive look.

Our CNC machining and joinery team efficiently craft XOXO understructures, producing only what's needed per order. This reduces waste, shortens lead times, and ensures faster delivery. With full control over production, we maintain higher quality, guaranteeing durability and a high-quality product — something that is more difficult to achieve when using external suppliers.

All XOXO pieces are upholstered by our talented and experienced in-house team. Each piece of fabric is expertly sewn, carefully fitted, and checked thoroughly to ensure it meets Square Bear's high standards. This attention to detail guarantees that our products not only look great but also stand the test of time.

XOXO is designed and constructed with durability in mind by our talented family of craftspeople. With quality control protocols at each step of production, this ensures XOXO provides continual value to the end user by providing a robust seating-perching solution that is tough enough to withstand the rigours of a commercial space.





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XOXO Meet the Range

01 **Seating**450mm sitting height
6 different modules
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02 **Perching**680mm perching height
5 different modules
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Warranty

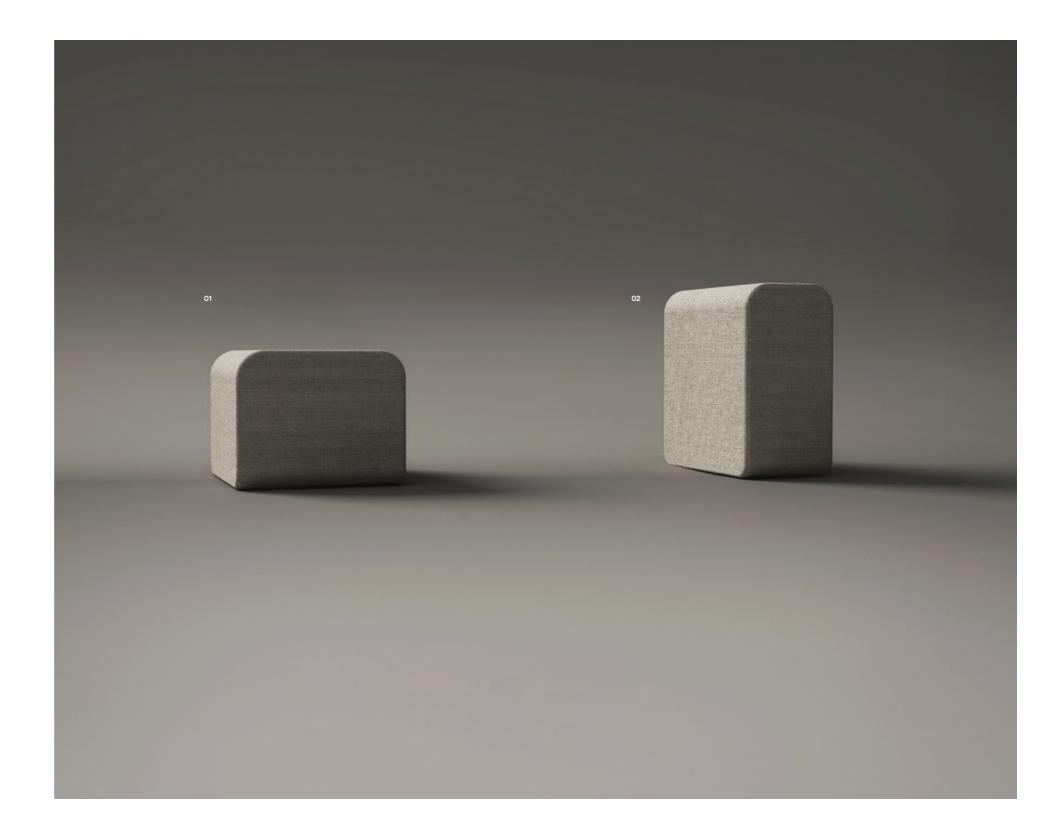
7 year structural warranty

Sydney, Australia

Designed and manufactured in

XOXO transforms workplaces into inviting collaboration zones where ideas and inspiration can flow freely, allowing every interaction to strengthen bonds and foster a thriving work culture.

With a mix of straight and curved modules in two heights, XOXO's playful and functional design makes it the perfect solution for creating dynamic environments for both planned or impromptu meetings where ideas can be shared.



XOXO **Seating Range**

Designed with a deep, low seat, the XOXO seating range enables customisable informal collaboration areas with connectible modules.

These modules can be linked to provide flexible options for public spaces, reception areas, and futureproof collaboration spaces.

The freedom to use them on their own or in conjunction with the Perching range belongs to the end user, making the range entirely modular.

- 01 XOS-L-1100
 - XOXO Loose Single Seat, 650x550x450mmH
- 02 XOS-L-1200 XOXO Loose Double Seat. 1300x550x450mmH
- 03 XOS-L-1300 XOXO Loose Inner Curve Seat, 1325x550x450mmH
- 04 XOS-L-1400
 - XOXO Loose Outer Curve Seat, 1405x550x450mmH
- 05 XOS-L-1600 XOXO Loose Chicane LHS Seat, 840x550x450mmH
- 06 XOS-L-1700 XOXO Loose Chicane RHS Seat, 840x550x450mmH
- 07 **XOS-L-1800** XOXO Small D-End Seat,
- 08 **XOS-L-1900** XOXO Large D-End Seat.

875x470x450mmH









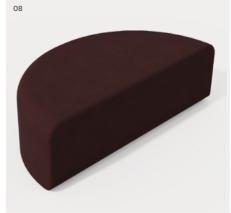
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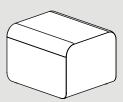
XOXO Seating Range



XOS-L-1100

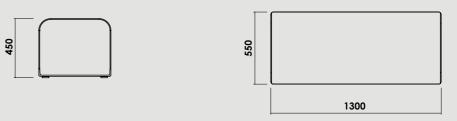
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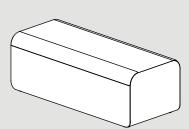
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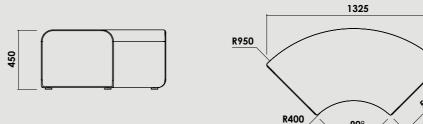
XOXO LOOSE - DOUBLE SEAT

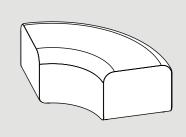




XOS-L-1300

XOXO LOOSE - INNER CURVE SEAT



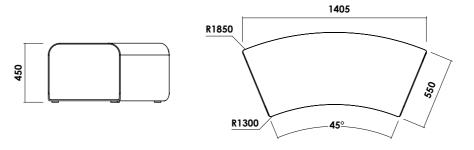


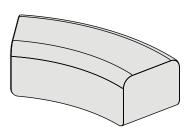




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XOXO LOOSE - OUTER CURVE SEAT



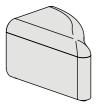


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XOXO LOOSE - CHICANE LHS SEAT

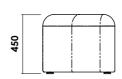


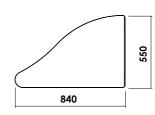


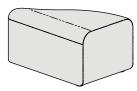


XOS-L-1700

XOXO LOOSE - CHICANE RHS SEAT





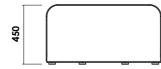


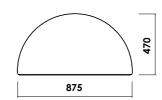


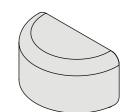


XOS-L-1800

XOXO LOOSE - SMALL D-END SEAT



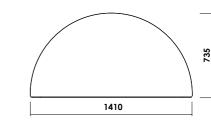


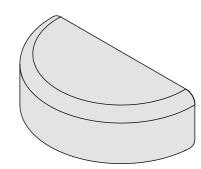


XOS-L-1900

XOXO LOOSE - LARGE D-END SEAT







XOXO Perching Range

Designed to promote good posture and prevent fatigue, the Perching component of XOXO provides an ergonomic solution for impromptu catch-ups and fast-paced meetings.

The typical ergonomic position of perching provides several benefits, as it opens the hips and engages the core which can protect against and provide relief from lower back pain.

The engagement of core muscles can restore strength that is lost when in traditional seated positions for long periods of time.

- 01 XOS-L-2100 XOXO Loose Single Perch, 650x350x680mmH
- 02 XOS-L-2200 XOXO Loose Double Perch, 1300x350x680mmH
- 03 **XOS-L-2400** XOXO Loose 45° Corner Perch, 985x350x680mmH
- 04 XOS-L-2500 XOXO Loose Mid Curve Perch, 1820x350x680mmH
- 05 XOS-L-2600 XOXO Loose Chicane LHS Perch, 1300x350x680mmH
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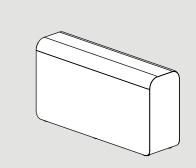
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XOXO Perching Range



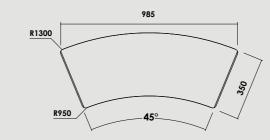
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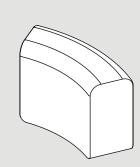
XOS-L-2400 XOXO LOOSE - 45 ° CORNER PERCH

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XOXO LOOSE - DOUBLE PERCH



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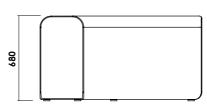


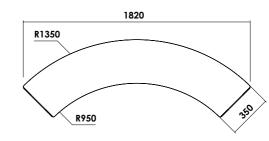


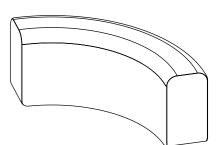


XOS-L-2500

XOXO LOOSE - MID CURVE PERCH

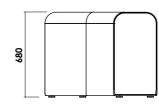


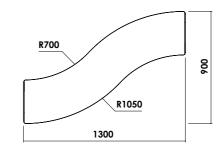


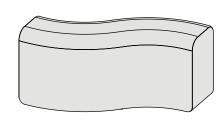


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XOXO LOOSE - CHICANE LHS PERCH

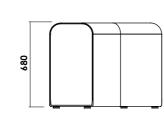


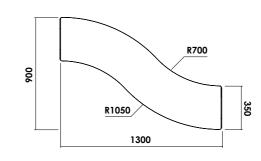


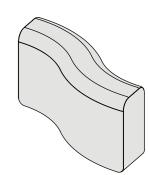


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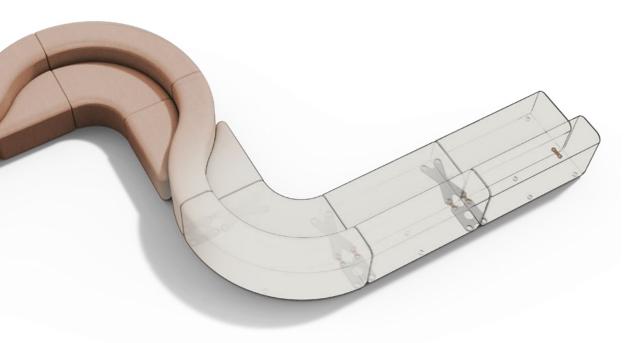








XOXO Reconfigure through Flexible Linking



Reuse rather than Replace

The XOXO modular seating system offers three versatile connection types:

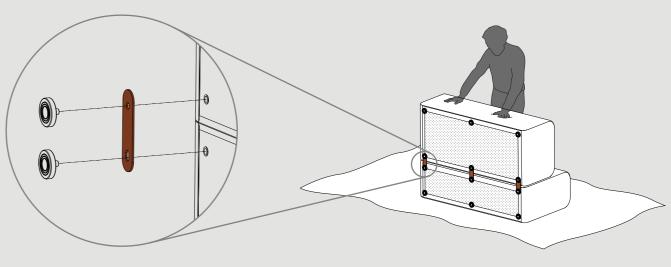
- Seat + Perch (Front to Back)
- Seat + Seat (In-Line)
- Perch + Perch (In-Line)

Each connection uses discreet, low-profile linking brackets positioned beneath the modules. These brackets lock the modules together preventing separation during use. This linking method enables effortless reconfiguration, ideal for today's dynamic work environments. XOXO modules can be rearranged without tools, adapting seamlessly to the requirements of a flexible workplace.

Modules can easily be added or removed, making XOXO a sustainable choice as it allows for reuse rather than replacement. This flexibility supports a truly modular soft seating solution built for versatility and longevity.

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SEAT + PERCH CONNECTOR



XOS-X-0003

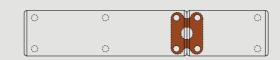
SEAT + SEAT CONNECTOR





XOS-X-0004

PERCH + PERCH CONNECTOR







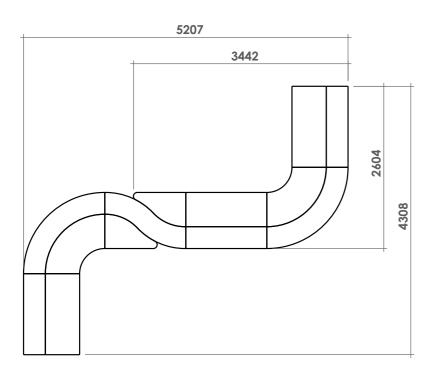
Design Support

Thinking Works in-house design support offers tailored solutions for workspace needs.

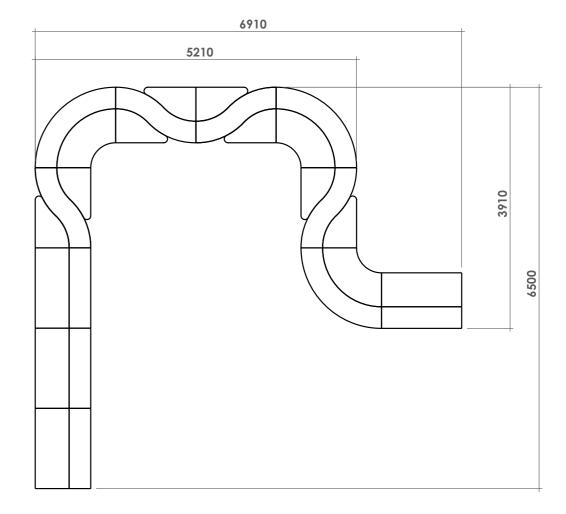
Clients benefit from direct access to our designers, receiving personalised assistance in creating custom pieces, adapting designs, or optimising layouts.

Our design team provides technical communication, including shop drawings, renderings, and installation instructions, ensuring projects align with the client's vision.

Streamlined communication accelerates timelines and guarantees high-quality results, making the design and manufacturing process smoother and more efficient.









Rosie Workstation

If you would like a sample set of any of our finishes, please contact us on the details below.

Due to our policy of continuous product development, specifications and finishes may change without prior notice.

Sustainability

Our commitment to sustainability isn't driven by trends, it is guided by our belief that doing the right thing is the only way forward. From product certifications to responsible sourcing, we are committed to taking meaningful action across every part of our business. To learn more about our sustainability journey, visit the Thinking Works website or contact our Sustainability & ESG Manager using the details below.

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