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# **Alcove Highback**

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Office work today is increasingly being conducted in open-plan office environments. To ensure that these environments meet the needs of their users they must offer retreat zones that make it possible for them to concentrate on individual work, carry on telephone conversations undisturbed and hold informal meetings. The Alcove Highback Sofa product range serves exactly these purposes. The various sofas offer protection from acoustic and visual stimuli. Fitted with writing shelves, they also facilitate working on a laptop or with documents for a longer period of time. The Alcove Highback System even allows for individual configurations. Alcove Highback Work featuring a leathercovered writing shelf and integrated cable guide is perfect for concentrating on individual work.

## Retreat

The Alcove Highback Sofas all have high side and back panels and are more than just pieces of furniture: Sitting in one of these sofas is like being in a space of one's own, hardly visible to others and protected from surrounding office noises.

## Concentrating on work tasks

The integrated writing shelf, the storage space beneath it and the ability to connect cables make Alcove Work a flexible place to retreat to for concentrating on individual work in an open-plan office.

## Meetings

Positioned opposite each other, two Alcove Highback Sofas create a "meeting room" without the need for any permanent components – that can be moved at any time. With a wide selection of colours and covers available, the Alcove Highback Sofas can easily be integrated into existing office environments.

**Ronan Bouroullec** \*1971, France **Erwan Bouroullec** 

Erwan Bouroullec live and work in Paris. Their field of work spans from small

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Alcove Highback System, corner element

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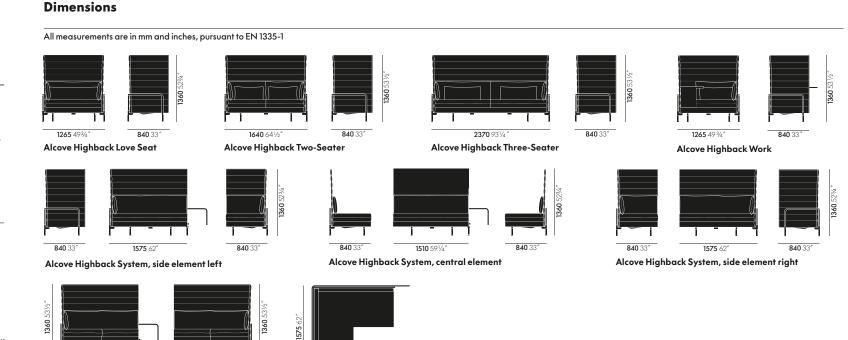
The fact that the Alcove Highback Sofas offer protection from both acoustic and visual stimuli makes them a welcome addition to any open-plan office environment. They are perfect to retreat to and for holding meetings



The Alcove Highback System allows for both shape and size configurations that meet the demands of any given space.



Alcove Highback Two-Seater



Top view of corner element

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Alcove Highback Love Seat



Alcove Highback Work

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#### articles of daily use through to architecture projects. They have worked with Vitra since 2000 and have

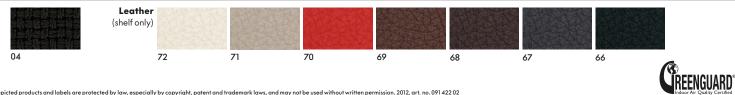
contributed numerous

designs to both the office and home collections.

### **Colours and materials**









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