

Eero Saarinen Style: GM Lobby Sofa

Inspired By: Eero Saarinen Sofa for the General Motors Lobby



Item No.: MC-1333

Standard Leather Choices:



Premium Leather Choices:



Product Category: [Sofas](#)

Designer: [Eero Saarinen](#)

Product Group: [saarinen seating](#)

Modernism Style: [Scandinavian Modern](#)

Availability: [Made to Order](#)

DESCRIPTION

In December 1944, a project for the General Motor Technical Center in Warren MI was awarded to the firm of Saarinen, Swanson and Saarinen to create a campus of office buildings and their furniture and fixtures. The initial commission called for 25 building, in which nearly 5,000 people would work. The Model 71 Armchair was used extensively for this project. In addition, Eero Saarinen designed a collection of lounge seating for the lobby of the Center, which were produced locally and never put into mass production.

We created this GM Lobby sofa by sifting through the historical photographs of the GM Lobby and through Modern Classics owner's keen design sense and eye for detail to create a very close approximation of this sofa. This sofa is a modern classics exclusive.

Dimensions (inches):

Overall: 91.5w x 33.5d x 28.5h
Seat Interior: 70w x 22.5d
Seat Height: 18.5h
Arm Height: 28.5h
Weight: 160lbs

LEATHER CHOICES

Below are the leather colors we offer for this product. Our Standard Leathers (denoted with the prefix L1) are top-grain, aniline-dyed, and then color corrected with a slight embossing to create a more uniform grain pattern. Our Premium leathers (denoted with the prefix L2) are also top-grain, aniline-dyed but have a soft feel to them and much of the hides natural grain patterns are retained. All of our leathers are considered equally durable and are ideal for home or commercial use. To read more about leather, read our A Guide to Understanding Upholstery Leather: A Primer. Features of our leather include: Top-grain Italian leather from Grade A hides Corrected aniline-dyed (standard) and semi-aniline dyed (premium) Made at Italian tanneries and sent to our factory Have a UV and Moisture Guard built into the non-toxic vegetable dyes Are not split hides or bonded leather We are happy to mail you a physical piece

of leather so you can hold it in your hands. Swatch Sample Request Form Click on any of these swatches to see an enlarged view. Standard Leathers (Top Grain - Textured) L101- Arctic White Leather Arctic White L101 L103- Polar White Polar White L103 L115- Parchment Parchment L115 L124- Earth Tan Earth Tan L124 L131- Cocoa Brown Cocoa Brown L131 L135 - Java Brown Java Brown L135 L139- Charcoal Gray Charcoal Gray L139 L143- Standard Black Standard Black L143 L147- Standard Red Standard Red L147 Premium Leathers (Top Grain - Smooth) L201 Porcelain White Porcelain White L201 L203- Alpine White Alpine White L203 L213- Buff Tan Buff Tan L213 L215- Sandstone Sandstone L215 L219- Driftwood Tan Driftwood Tan L219 L224- Terra Brown Terra Brown L224 L227- Golden Tan Golden Tan L227 L229- Taupe Taupe L229 L231- Saddle Brown Saddle Brown L231 L235 - Espresso Brown Espresso Brown L235 L237- Navy Blue Navy Blue L237 L239- Cloud Gray Cloud Gray L239 L244- Premium Black Premium Black L244 L247- Premium Red Premium Red L247

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