

Volage EX-S, a new generation of the sofa by Philippe Starck.

The evolution of the *Privé/Volage* fixed sofa to a versatile sectional sofa.

For more than twenty years, Philippe Starck has undertaken with Cassina **the task of rethinking the classic sofa**. *Volage EX-S* is the result of this research. It is the center of gravity of the home, a platform of energy where its user can freely live.

Thanks to a complete range, this sectional sofa is the refined answer for those who are looking for timeless elegance in all living environments.

"Timelessness always has this subtle elegance, this 'je ne sais quoi' called charm. Volage EX-S is the essence of timelessness." Philippe Starck.

The quilted *capitonné* workmanship, an innovative process exclusively developed on an industrial scale together with Starck for the *Privé* and *Volage* sofas, has been redesigned and evolves in the *Volage EX-S* project. The even effect of the padded backrest is maintained thanks to the use of a preformed polyurethane insert, however, following his instinct that **'less is always more'**, the designer changes the appearance of this model by replacing the traditional button with a simple and elegant stitch that hides the fastener inside the cushion.

As a result its bourgeois aspect is stripped away and the sofa assumes a fresh and contemporary look.

The evolution of *Volage EX-S* is particularly evident in its **increased comfort**, as highlighted in its name EX-S, extra soft: the sofa has a comfortable single cushion-seat and a wide armrest which both have a polyurethane core padded with feathers, a tempting invitation to gather and relax in the home. As with all Cassina products, meticulous attention has been paid to detail, for example in the visible stitching around the sofa's perimeter and in the saddle-leather workmanship of the integrated functional tables.

Measurements:

2 seater sofa	227x96xh.40/73cm
2 seater terminal element (right/left)	193x96xh.40/73cm
2 seater corner element (right/left)	161x96xh.40/73cm
2 seater central element	157x96xh.40/73cm
3 seater sofa	267x96xh.40/73cm
3 seater terminal element (right/left)	232x96xh.40/73cm
3 seater corner element (right/left)	201x96xh.40/73cm
3 seater central element	197x96xh.40/73cm
corner terminal sofa (right/left)	236x96xh.40/73cm
modular chaise-longue element (right/left)	114x177xh.73/40cm114x117xh.73/40cm
pouf	114x96xh.40cm, 157x96xh.40cm.

Materials:

structure	metal with elastic belting
padding	expanded polyurethane in different densities and polyester down
seat cushion	expanded polyurethane in different densities with feather padding
upholstery	removable leather or fabric
base	polished or anthracite coloured die-cast aluminium
tables	metal frame with upper padding in expanded polyurethane, saddle leather upholstery in black, brown,
	Russian red, natural, white, taupe and China red.