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Chairs And Stools: Measurements For Seating



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DESCRIPTION

These drawings specify measurements for different seating types presumed to be used in urban dwellings. They include a stool, sofa, armchair, and a foldable chair. The image captions explain that these measurements assume that a person has an average height of ca. 169cm.