
*Invest in a **tetrad**®*

Traditional hand built craftsmanship combined with the best materials and innovative techniques ensure a level of quality that is second to none.

Founded in the Lancashire town of Preston over 40 years ago in Lancashire, **tetrad** has established a reputation for outstanding attention to detail. As a result, the name **tetrad** has become synonymous with fine quality and expert craftsmanship.

All this means that you can sit comfortably in the knowledge that your sofa will last long into the future.

*Care and Maintenance of your **tetrad** sofa*

At **tetrad** we pride ourselves on the quality of our craftsmanship. By choosing one of our sofas you have demonstrated your appreciation of quality products. We are confident that your sofa will last long into the future, but to ensure durability and long lasting comfort of your **tetrad** sofa or chair; we would recommend you follow these care and usage instructions.

Fabric

General usage & care of fabric upholstery

To keep your new sofa or chair looking good, we would recommend that you vacuum your upholstery at least once a week. If you allow dust and dirt to accumulate the colours will dull and wear will be accelerated.

Avoid exposing your furniture to prolonged sunlight, as even the strongest colours may fade under such conditions.

Washable cotton loose cover

Loose covers can be washed in temperatures up to 40°C and tumble dried. We recommend leaving covers slightly damp for ease when refitting. Although covers can be dry cleaned we advise machine washing, taking care to avoid washing powders or liquids that contain optical brighteners. Do not use bleach and be aware of the bleaching effect that Benzoyl Peroxide, found in most acne creams, can have.

Wash dark colours separately. Steam iron on reverse if necessary. Mop any spillages immediately with a clean white cloth. It is important to completely wash the cover at least twice a year.

Tailored fit chenille loose cover

We recommend brushing lightly or vacuuming each week to keep in good condition. Spilt liquid should be absorbed immediately with a clean white cloth or tissue. A slightly damp cloth may be used to revive the texture. The beauty of a **tetrad** tailored loose cover is that it gives the appearance of a fixed cover, but is removable to allow a full cover clean. We recommend professional dry clean only for these products.

Fixed Cover

As this cover cannot be removed for cleaning, we advise brushing and vacuuming to remove dust and dirt. Stained fabric should be dry cleaned, preferably with a powder cleaner which lifts the stain from the fabric and can be lightly brushed away. It is always advisable to try out a cleaner first on a hidden area.

Seat cushions and interiors

Fabric seat cushions which are covered on both faces should be turned regularly to maximise the life of the fabric. Fibre, feather and down seat cushions should be shaken and plumped every day.

Scatter Cushions

All scatter cushions should be plumped and turned (where possible) on a regular basis. Particular care should be taken with chenille scatters to avoid snagging, for example, when wearing jewellery or high heeled shoes, as they are of a delicate nature.

tetrad loose cover fitting instructions

Removing Covers

Washable covers

- Twist pins must be removed before removing the cover.

Tailored fit covers

- Separate all Velcro strips – under arms and frames if appropriate
- Unfasten the buttons
- Ease off, lifting not pulling, alternating from one arm to the other.
- Remove all feather cushion and scatter cushion interiors.
- Do not put cushions or scatters in washing machine

Washing Instructions

Washable loose covers: these covers have been pre-shrunk using tetrads unique wash and dye process. Wash at 40°C. Avoid washing powders / liquids that use optical brighteners

Applying Cover

- Loosely throw cover over the back and arms
- Evenly distribute the cover across the relevant areas
- Starting with the arms, tuck in individually, working in one direction.
- Smooth out all the wrinkles
- Finish by buttoning up the back.

Seams

Seam allowances should be positioned pointing downwards.

Finished Unit

- Complete all the seat cushions and scatters
- For best results the cover should be fitted slightly damp or steamed on completion

All Tailored Fit models are Dry Clean only