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**B-Free** Softwork

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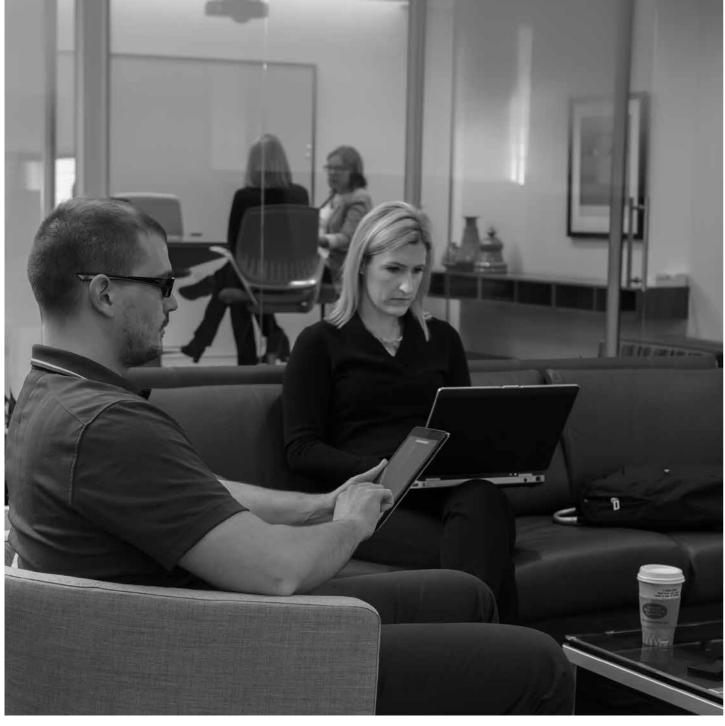
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## B-Free: where ideas collide

B-Free furniture forms neighbourhoods within the workplace. Cubes, beams, screens, desks and tables create spaces where people easily connect and collaborate, and the collision of ideas becomes a natural part of the work day.







**77%** 

Workers who believe creativity will be a critical job skill in the future.

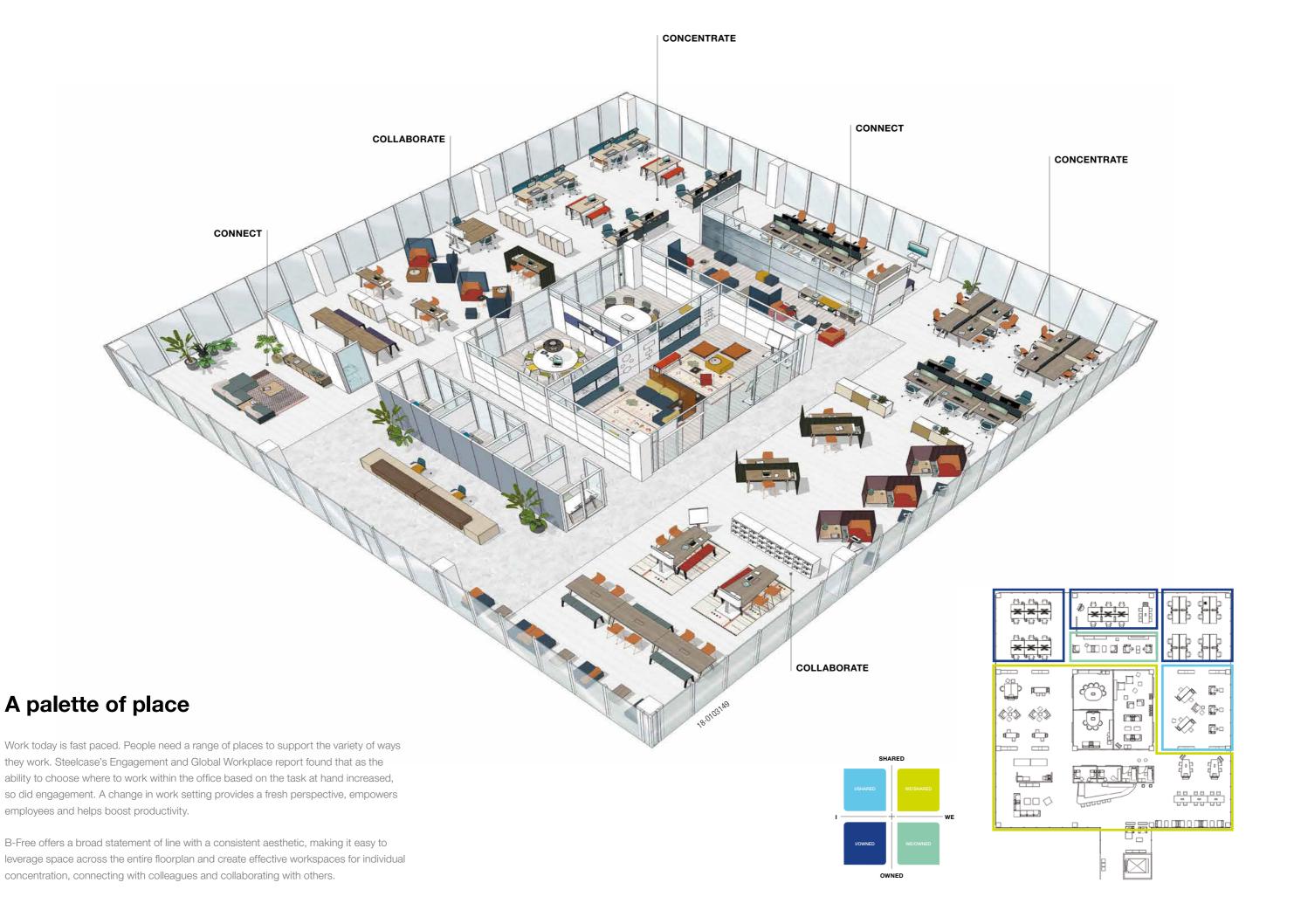
Source: Steelcase Creativity and the Future of Work Survey, 2017

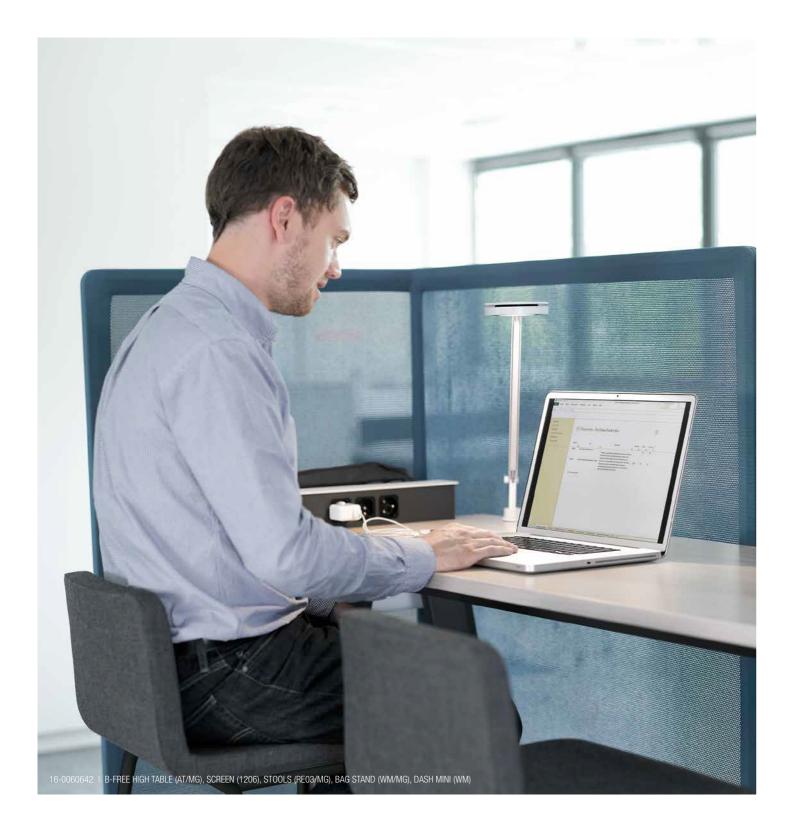
# Does your workplace encourage innovation?

Creativity blossoms in less formal, more casual places where it's easy to connect and collaborate with others. These spaces help foster new ideas and connections, the root of innovation.

In many offices, informal spaces offer limited seating and provide little privacy or support for technology.

To foster innovation, offer a palette of places: spaces where anyone in the organisation can quickly find an ideal place for connecting with colleagues and impromptu collaboration.







Changing posture boosts productivity and wellbeing, and so does B-Free, with spaces catering to work at stool or seated height supporting both short-and-long-term tasks. Screens provide a subtle barrier from distractions, while power outlets and a bag drop support technology and personal belongings.







#### PRIVATE, YET OPEN

Privacy screens anchor B-Free configurations in the workplace and provide visual shelter while keeping workers connected to the surrounding environment.







## **Connect**

Nearby informal spaces provide a welcome change during the work day. Create opportunities to meet informally in a comfortable, relaxed posture, in a private space that is yet still connected to the organisation.

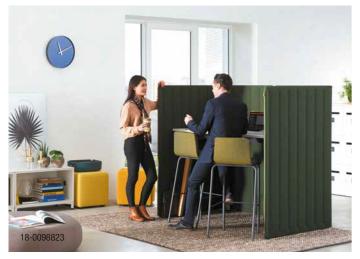
The swivel cube makes connecting with others easier and creates dynamic informal spaces.

## 6 HOURS

In a 24/7 world, the average person needs six hours of social interaction daily. Such connections increase wellbeing and minimise stress.

Source: "Wellbeing: The Five Essential Elements" Gallup Business Journal









## Collaborate

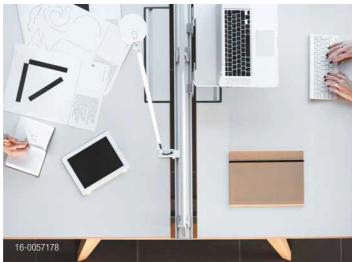
B-Free creates an authentic and informal atmosphere where teamwork comes naturally and collaboration flourishes.

Workers have equal access to tools, displays and digital/ analogue information. Plus, it is easy to reconfigure components as work needs change.

B-Free beam encourages a change in postures — from sitting to perching — and promotes movement to better engage in conversations.







## Customization

Position B-Free worksurfaces on their own, or back-to-back. Create spaces for individual concentration and group collaboration. Add privacy screens, storage, worktools, lighting and other accessories on the integrated rail. B-Free is a complete desk program, including user sliding top for easy access to power, ready to adapt at a moment's notice.





### REFINED COMPONENTS

A host of welcoming touches greet B-Free users — the Seamless Edge on the elegant worksurfaces, natural wood legs on both desks and high tables and comfortable fabrics on seating and screens.

# Enhanced ergonomics, comfort and support

B-Free lounge seating welcomes varied work postures — reading, reclining or leaning in to a conversation.

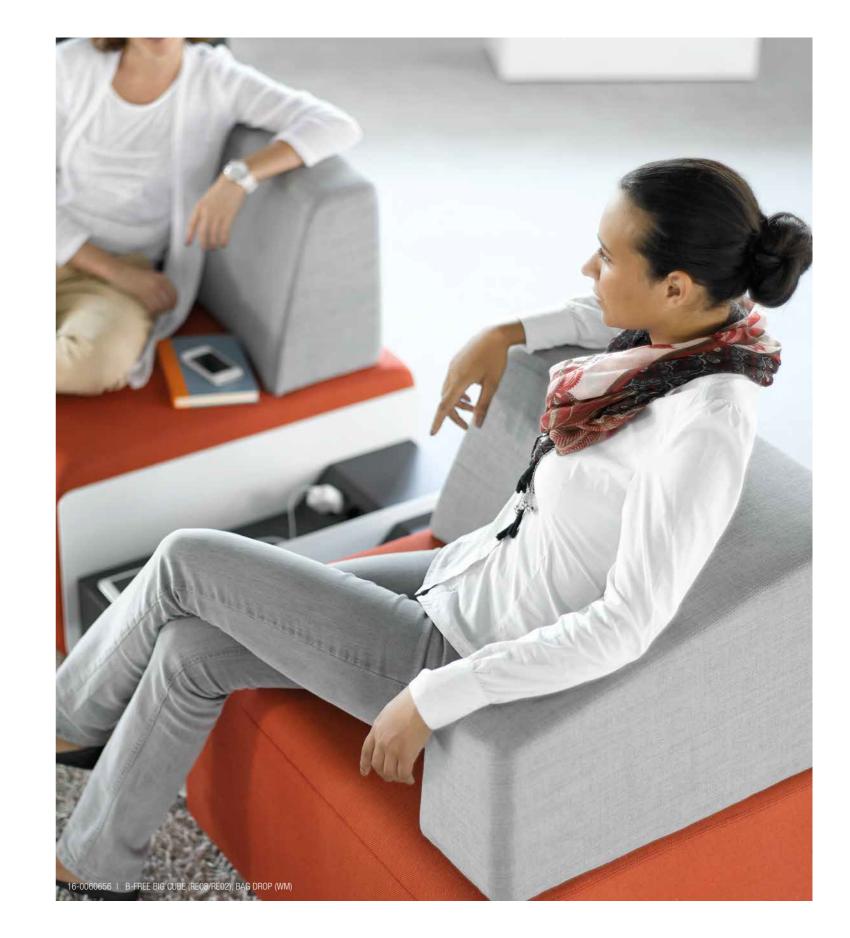
From focused individual work to a casual meeting, B-Free provides thoughtful, comfortable support.



The top block wraps the user with lumbar support and a sense of enclosure. Dense foam provides comfort in any seated position.



A gentle slope to the armrest offers natural support.



## Well-adjusted

Business changes, so B-Free makes it easy to customise the workplace. Users are now offered what they need — privacy screens, power outlets, bag stands/bag drop and lighting — and change it any time.









#### POWER ACCESS

A place to power devices and keep personal belongings at hand in the bag drop.

#### PERSONAL BELONGINGS

The bag stand, attached to a B-Free table, holds bags in an easy-to-reach location.

#### **ENCLOSURE**

Opaque screens provide the right level of privacy for concentrated work and give the user a nice feeling of enclosure.

## **Planning ideas**

B-Free supports individual and group work through a wide range of application possibilities, from spaces for individual concentration to settings for informal connection and both planned and impromptu collaboration.



#### **COLLABORATION SETTING**

A unique table shape for teamwork with an optional media:scape mobile.



#### **FOCUS WORK**

A workspace for focused work that also keeps the individual visible and accessible to co-workers.



#### INFORMAL COLLABORATION

A comfortable setting for two-person collaboration in a small footprint.



#### 18-0103147

#### RELAX ZONE

Places to relax, refuel and reflect.



#### INDIVIDUAL BOOTH

A comfortable space for individual concentration or relaxation.



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#### WELCOME AREA

Waiting time is more enjoyable with convenient power outlets for recharging technology and comfortable seating.



#### NOMADIC ZONE

Open workspaces for nomadic workers with support for their technology and personal belongings.



#### RESIDENT ZONE

Dedicated workspaces with visual privacy, worksurface and tools.

#### STATEMENT OF LINE

#### DESK H740mm

Available in wood leg only Integrated rail available in option



Straight type 10 D600, D800, D900 W800-W2000



Straight type 10 back-to-back D1200, D1600, D1800 W800-W2000



TABLES H1000mm

Available in wood and steel leg

D1100/800 W2000



D600, D800 W1200-W2000

#### **OCCASIONAL TABLES**



Corner table D750 x W750 x H385



Coffee table



Table-stool 



Round table D600 x H1050



Round table D600 x H730



L1200mm x H720mm



Wood or aluminum leg Wood or aluminum leg L1600mm x H720mm

#### **CUBES**



With L-shape armrest. left



With L-shape armrest, right D750 x H435 x W800 D750 x H435 x W800



With I-shape armrest Big cube





Small cube D750 x H435 x W800 D750 x H435 x W800 With and without castors (swivel version in option) D425 x H435

### STOOL



BAG DROP - BAG STAND

High stool D480 x H1005 x W470

#### SCREENS TRANSPARENT / OPAQUE SCREENS



Bia screen Left or right D750



Small screen Left or right H1500 x W1025 x H1500 x W800 x









Corner privacy Left or right H1500 x W1025 x W800 D1025



Right or Left H1500 x D1025 x



Corner privacy Link privacy H1500 x W800



Bag drop right H385 x D225 x W750



Bag drop left H385 x D225 x



W750

Bag stand H400 x D225 x W500

#### **SURFACE MATERIALS**

Surface materials (shown in brochure):

### FABRICS (CUBES, STOOLS AND BEAMS)

TR06 Steelcut Trio Licorice Black TR07 Steelcut Trio Mustard Yellow

TR08 Steelcut Trio Red Current TR14 Steelcut Trio Blue Jay Mix

RE03 Remix Pebble

RE08 Remix Concrete Grey

CODA 2 962 CODA 2 116

#### FABRICS (SCREENS)

1206 B-Free Knit Blue\* 7258 B-Free Knit Light Grey

7273 B-Free Knit Dark Grey 8172 Currant

5306 Leaf 1274 Sky

#### PAINT

MG Merle SL Aluminum

WM Arctic White Mat

#### DECOR - WOOD

AT Acacia WY Snow G0/230 Crystal

### HW Natural Beech (wood leg)

H1 Espresso (wood leg) Wenge Bisque 2LBW

#### \*This fabric is available in Select surfaces only. Colours are representative and may vary slightly from actual material.

#### SUSTAINABILITY

#### DESIGNING FOR THE ENVIRONMENT REQUIRES INNOVATIVE THINKING AND SOLUTIONS.

#### LIFE CYCLE

During our product development process we consider each stage of the product life cycle, from materials extraction, production, transport, use and reuse, until the end of its life.

#### **CERTIFICATIONS (DEPENDING ON PRODUCTS)**

To show continuous improvements, we communicate our products' environmental performance through voluntary environmental labels and declarations. Sustainability related actions and results are communicated in the annual Steelcase Corporate Responsibility report.

#### MATERIALS

Wood from European sustainably managed forests.

#### PRODUCTION

Made by Steelcase and partners in the following locations: Sarrebourg (France), Rosenheim (Germany), Wittelsheim (France), Poznań (Poland).

#### **TRANSPORT**

Made in Europe, close to customers. Optimised packaging to keep transport volumes as low as possible and improve filling rates.

#### USE

Designed for a long product life, with replaceable parts. Materials meet stringent health and indoor air quality criteria. Maintenance information available upon request.

#### **END OF LIFE**

100% theoretically recyclable cardboard and LDPE film for packaging. Quick and easy disassembly.

Plastic parts clearly labelled for easy sorting and effective recycling. Designed to ensure responsible end of use strategies - refurbishing, charitable donation or recycling.

#### PRODUCT

**EPD** - Environmental Product Declaration PEP - Product Environmental Profile **NF Environnement** NF Office Excellence Certifié Blauer Engel

#### MATERIALS

Indoor Advantage

**PEFC** - Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification

**E1** - Low concentration of formaldehyde in wood **E0,5** - Very low emissions of formaldehyde from wood

OekoTex 100 - Confidence in textiles European Eco-Label - for textiles Cradle-to-Cradle - for textiles

#### PLANTS

ISO 14001 - Environmental management system

EMAS - European Eco-Management and Audit Scheme **OHSAS** - Occupational Health and Safety Assessment Series

#### FIND OUT MORE

Sustainability related actions and results are annually communicated in the Steelcase Corporate Sustainability Report. More environmental details available upon request.