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Initiating production of the frames in 1953, the Papa Bear was the first Wegner design to be produced at PP Møbler. It marked the start of a life-long collaboration involving generations of craftsmen and countless hours of work in the workshop developing production techniques and prototypes for numerous Wegner models.

To ensure a lifetime of comfort individually spung pocket springs are combined with four natural materials. It requires great skill and at least two weeks to upholster a Papa Bear chair.

The chair remains the most exclusive of all Wegner designs with a price that matches that of a small car.

"The Teddy Bear Chair, has been copied by no less than ten manufacturers. This is reprehensible, still we must all admit to having learned something from our predecessors"









