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From easy accessory ideas to smart reupholstering tricks, here's everything you need to totally refresh your sofa **BY EMILY HSIEH**

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Follow These Can't-Fail Equations

Top decorators reveal their favorite combinations for an exuberant play of color, texture, and pattern



Linen with jute fringe D430 pillows, Lacefield Designs, \$180 each; lacefelddesigns.com.

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Linen and velvet Kerisso Medallion O pillow, Sabira Collection, \$220, 214-631-1400.

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Color Balance

Atlanta decorator **SUZANNE KASLER** teams punchy solid squares with a geometric neutral: "Using pattern in a more muted tone makes the scheme sophisticated and striking," she says. Repeat pairs of bright and neutral pillows to fit the length of the sofa.



Hand-printed linen Soba pillow, John Mahoney Designs, \$124; johnmahoneydesigns.com.

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New Zealand wool hand-embroidered Acrobat pillow, Judy Ross Textiles, \$195; judyrosstextiles.com.

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Italian wool and alpaca lumbar pillow, Restoration Hardware, \$99; rh.com.

Mixed Texture

Designer **THOM FILICIA**'s surefire formula blends one part all-over small geometric with one part bold graphic and one part soft, cozy knit. The variety offers up an "interesting face-lift that feels modern and inviting," he says. Arrange both square pillows on one end of the couch, and place the lumbar on the other.



Hand-blocked linen and cotton Ipek Tika pillows, Michaelian + Kohlberg, \$130 each; 212-431-9009.

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Hand-blocked cotton Jasper bolster, John Robshaw, \$190; johnrobshaw.com.

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Lambswool blanket, Nina Campbell for Johnstons, from \$285; 952-929-2927.

Multiple Patterns

To make even the plainest couch look "charming, layered, and unique," pattern-mixing aficionado **PETER DUNHAM** swears by a bold statement bolster flanked by matching side pillows (in shades that mimic those of the sofa) and a soft striped throw for extra visual appeal.