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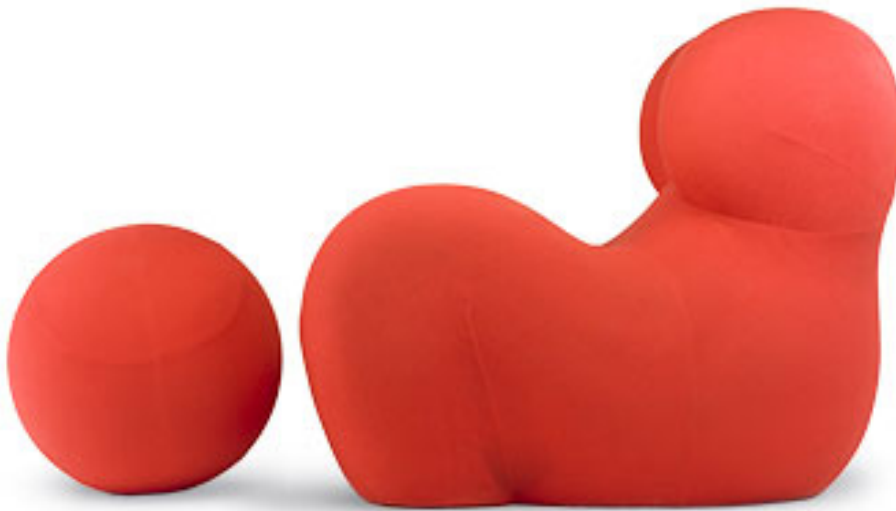
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**GAETANO PESCE****UP5 chair and UP6 ottoman**

B&B Italia | Italy, 1969/1992 | stretch fabric over polyurethane foam and rubber  
41 h x 43½ w x 48 d in (104 x 110 x 122 cm)

This UP5 chair, also known as La Mamma, and UP6 ottoman were made in 1992 by B & B Italia with original 1969 upholstery. Five examples of each were produced for a select group of museums and collectors.

**Provenance:** Specially made by B & B Italia for the present owner

**Literature:** *Gaetano Pesce Architecture Design Art*, Vanlaethem, pg. 52 discusses the UP series  
*Repertorio 1950-1980*, Gramigna, pg. 288  
*100 Masterpieces from the Vitra Design Museum*, von Vegesack, ppg. 50-51

**Estimate:** \$3,000–5,000

**Result:** \$3,600

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