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Beanbag

■ **WHY DO I NEED IT?** When it's not convenient to use a tripod, a beanbag offers a great option for steadying your camera. This one, called the pod, is a new spin on this age-old design and features a built-in tripod bush, so you can fix your camera solidly and safely, while giving yourself much more freedom of movement. Use it on the windowsill or any other convenient structure and there'll be no excuse for blurred pictures.

■ **WHERE CAN I BUY IT?** The pod is available from Jessops priced £14.99, phone 0116 232 6000. Alternatively, check out www.thepod.ca