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10 remote cottages for a peaceful break

The best hidden corners, from a lighthouse in Cumbria to a 19th-century gatehouse in the Scottish Borders. By Sean Newsom

Solas, Luskentyre Beach, Isle of Harris

As comfy as a Cotswold five-star, yet set above a wild Isle of Harris beach, this cool minimalist, Scandi-style house is the Outer Hebrides as you never imagined them. Deep sofas, groovy lamps and a yoga terrace are all part of the luxurious scene. A separate spa building is connected to the top floor by a bridge — and even the sauna has a wall of glass so you can gaze out at the white sand and turquoise sea as you sweat.

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