

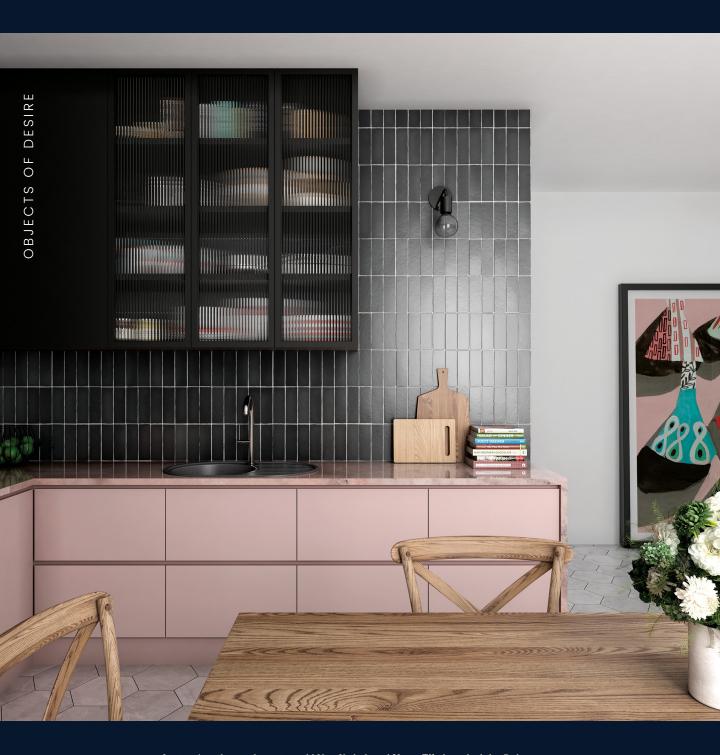
MAKING A SPLASH

Kitchens and bathrooms are the workhorses of every home, but don't let their utilitarian function repress your urge for playful design. You can be both practical and adventurous with these options, including an emerald-green refrigerator, a petal-pink washbasin, and geode-inspired bars of soap.

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Available in sleek columns ranging from 30 to 48 inches, **True Residential**'s refrigerators are customized in-house with 48 combinations of powder-coated doors and stainless-steel handles. The 36-inch column, shown here in emerald green with gold-toned hardware, offers more than 25 cubic feet of storage space. *true-residential.com*



Last spring, the nearly century-old New York-based **Nemo Tile** launched the Cadence collection, a series of ceramic tiles in both jewel tones and neutrals, all with subtle color variations inspired by handmade stoneware. Available in rectangular and square cuts as well as special trims, the chemical- and stain-resistant tiles are kitchen and bathroom staples, standing up to even the greatest of messes. *nemotile.com*











After four years of product development, the Australian furniture brand Nood Co. has perfected the ultrahigh-performance concrete bathroom sink. Available in 14 finishes, ranging from sand and custard to mint and charcoal, the variously shaped basins (ovals, rectangles, bowls) blend the industrial aesthetic of concrete with the performance of high-quality ceramic.

noodco.com.au



French designer Xavier Dupuy took a hint from 20th-century French copperware when creating his contemporized Narcis washbasins. Designed in collaboration with Laurent Basseas for Bassines, the stainless-steel basins merge modern technology with timeless French craftsmanship—each one is finished with physical vapor deposition coating, which makes the metal permanently scratch-resistant. bassines.com



Available in monochromatic and multicolored hues, and scented with natural fragrances such as sweet almond and green tea, Seem Soap's geode-shaped cleansers are equal parts form and function. Launched in collaboration with French artist and designer Garance Vallée, the vegetable-based bars are inspired by nature's own colors and rock formations. seemsoap.fr

