

DESIGN IN COLOUR

Patchwork designs a house in a familiar form on a paddock in the Wairarapa. Faced with a flat site surrounded by rolling country, Patchwork Architecture was initially a little flummoxed, given their usual territory involves steep sites, tight budgets and close neighbours.

The house they designed is crisp and minimal on the outside; calm and reflective on the inside. Throughout the living areas, Resene Quarter Merino is a calming backdrop to the owners' distinctive collection of vintage furniture and hand-made ceramics, while Resene Black White is a crisp offset to green tiles in the bathroom.