off the shelf

New products and ideas for the home.



crystal clear

From the stylish new Villeroy & Boch crystal range, Finery, this decolight comes in burgundy, olive and clear and is designed for tealights and block candles. There is also a hurricane lamp which can also be used as a vase or for floating floral displays. See www.villeroy-boch.com.

eco decorators

Not quite eco warriors, but the new Resene Eco Decorator programme is designed to recognise a nationwide network of environmentally responsible, quality-focussed painting contractors. Contractors are assessed for principles in practice, sustainable work practices, waste management, project plans and sign-off processes, giving homeowners and architects eco-friendly choices not just of products but of people. For more information, see www.resene.co.nz/ ecodecorator.htm or your Resene ColorShop. (Available in NZ only.)

Resene Matterhorn

hooked on summer >

Known for its superb bean bags, Coast New Zealand has now developed two new outdoor ranges - Cayo Collection and off the Hook. The ranges are made from sustainably-grown NZ timber and finished with Resene Lustacryl. Off the Hook includes this funky 1.9m-high Easel for portable and flexible beach storage - just hang up your damp towels and beach bags.

The Cayo Collection includes a three-seater sofa, a two-seater, a chair and coffee tables. The squabs are all-weather foam inners with Sunbrella fabric. Coast also makes deck chairs, bags and other accessories. See www.coastnewzealand.com.

Resene Kermadec



< paint colour cues for 2010

Contrast and contradiction drive the latest colour trends - bringing old and new, and cool and warm together, blending layers, textures and colours in unique combinations. This is reflected in Resene's The Range 2010, with its warm greens, truer yellows, misty blues, ambiguous greens and frosty aquas. And to make putting your colour scheme together easier, the back of each colour chip includes three complementary colour suggestions to get you started.

You'll find all this and more in the new The Range 2010. See the 'paint colour cues for 2010' brochure or visit the Resene website. The Range 2010 is available from Resene ColorShops and resellers nationwide.

good and green

The Good Environmental Choice Label is an Australian initiative which indicates the environmental performance of a consumer product from a whole-of-product-life perspective. The voluntary environmental performance standards have been created and assessed in conformance to international standards.

A selection of Resene products now meet Good Environmental Choice specifications. See the Resene website, www.resene.com.au.



Resene Secrets

hunting at home >

Avoid accidental shootings; why not stay home and take aim at your wallpaper? This aptly named design, Target Practice, is from the Vision NEO collection, a fascinating collection inspired by nature that gives the feeling of being on safari in your own home. Available now from Resene ColorShops.

Resene Triple Stack

nod to nostalgia >

As a nostalgic nod to a favourite ice-block, these Jelly Tip Bowls by Susannah Bridges come in apple green, red and black. From Essenze, visit www.essenze.co.nz.



deck dress

< clever cover colour

Fairydown's versatile Espresso Feather & Down Blanket now comes in eight new fashion colours, selected in collaboration with Resene to simplify the planning of your interiors when matching fabric to paint. The blankets are an extra layer of winter warmth or a lightweight duvet alternative for summer. The new colours also come in pillow cases and include Alabaster, Perfect Taupe, Mondo, Casper, Matakana, Double Foundry, Pohutukawa and Bounce. Available in a range of sizes from mid October from leading bedware retailers or see www.fairydownbedware.co.nz.

Resene Stonewashed

Tired timber decks can be quickly rejuvenated with new Resene Woodsman Decking Stain, a waterborne modified oil-based stain developed especially for new and weathered decking. A new addition to the popular Resene Woodsman woodcare range, Resene Woodsman Decking Stain is available in a selection of the Resene Waterborne Woodsman colours. Clean up is quick and easy with water and without the solvent fumes associated with traditional solventborne stains. Available from Resene ColorShops and Resellers.

> a touch of Europe

Inspired by the effortless style and timeless architecture of Europe? These new Sunline shutters from Venluree are a stylish and costeffective way to recreate the look.



The shutters are available in three different timbers – cedar, basswood and silkwood – and in a range of sizes and configurations to suit both doors and windows. Shutters are an attractive way to control light and heat in your home.

See www.venluree.co.nz.

Resene Double Thorndon Cream

cool underfoot

Resene Cool Colours have gone from roofs and walls to trim, joinery, decks... and now to the ground. Resene Cool Colours can now be requested in selected



Resene Waterborne Sidewalk paving paint. Resene Waterborne Sidewalk is a lowsheen pigmented paint finish designed for trafficable areas inside and out while Resene Cool Colours are used outside to help reduce heat buildup, thereby reducing the stress on the coating and substrate.

Resene Cool Colours are also available in a wide range of other exterior finishes and colours. Resene colours available as Cool Colours are marked with CC next to the colour name on Resene colour charts or see www.resene.com/swatches/index.php for the latest list.

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< fresh air at your fingertips

If the raindrops don't get to it first, the VSE Electric Opening Skylight can be operated using this stylish slimline remote for fresh air at the touch of a button. The 'plug and play' skylight has built-in rain sensors which automatically close the window when the first rain drop falls. Visit www.velux. co.nz or phone 0800 402 080.



^ blinds control temperature

Resene Streetwise

Choosing the right window protection can help regulate your house's internal temperature and reduce heat loss through windows by up to 70%. DUETTE® Architella Shades feature a patented honeycomb-within-a-honeycomb construction dramatically increasing the product's ability to insulate in the winter and cool against summer heat.

Three distinct air pockets give superior energy efficiency and increased insulation. The inner TruPleat construction keeps every shade crisp and consistent from front to back and top to bottom. Layers of fabric give more luminous colour and the blinds are made from anti-static, dust-resistant polyester, to make them easy to clean. See www.luxaflex.co.nz.



laundry troughs for tricky spots

Abey's new Laundry Trough range is an easy solution for awkward laundry areas. Made from commercial-grade stainless steel, with soft styling radius corners and polished bowls as standard features, the range has single or double bowls with huge sizes of up to 72 litres. All laundry troughs are supplied with designer wastes and are available plain or with an optional left or right hand side bypass, overflow and tape hole. For details on where to buy, phone Hydroflow on 0800 488 444.

< standing tall

Free-standing baths are becoming increasingly popular as a feature in large bathrooms but finding a suitable free-standing floormounted bath mixer is not easy. Foreno Tapware's X-Factor Floor Mount Bath Mixer (XFCFB) solves that problem with a minimalist look that compliments any style of bath and which stands 980mm high with a 220mm reach. Available from plumbing and hardware merchants. Contact Foreno Tapware at www. foreno.co.nz or 0508 367 366.



< vanity luxury

The luxurious new 2009 Sistema Collection has just been released by Plumbline. Manufactured locally from American Oak and coupled with some of the world's best vitreous china basins, each cabinet is available in six stain colours. All units also feature soft closing drawers and doors, and are protected with a marine-grade moisture resistant sealer. Call Plumbline for a copy of their catalogue, 04 568 9898.

Resene Whiteout

retro chic >

This smart new Circa sideboard from Neo Design features American Oak sliding doors within a white painted carcass, custom solid timber handles and a solid timber base. Made to any configuration with timber and paint options, these will look superb in any contemporary space. Visit www.neodesign.co.nz.

v minimal magic

Resene Reserver

Real Fires is spreading its warmth across the Tasman, with the Real Fire 800mm Minimal Gas Fireplace soon to be released in Australia. The Real Fire 800mm Minimal Gas Fireplace is remote control operated and features fully modulating flame controls and a two-speed fan set. It's part of a range that includes 1000mm-wide and 1200mm-wide models.

The Real Fires range of New Zealand-made gas fireplaces feature fully insulated fireboxes, eliminating the need for fireproofing and ventilation within the fireplace cavity. All fires come with comprehensive warranties and full service and back-up. Stockists are available on www.realfires.co.nz.



wet stain? No problem >

Armed with research that indicated 70% of all carpet stains are 'wet' such as tea, coffee and red wine, carpet maker Cavalier Bremworth



has come up with a new carpet stain remover for wet stains to complement the dry stain remover the company has produced for 20 years. Designed as an emergency stain remover, the product is extremely effective and available at your local supermarket.

Resene 🔄 Kumutoto

on top

With an increasing interest in lower paint sheen options for exterior use, new Resene Summit Roof is a waterborne satin roof paint, which in some situations can be applied without the need for priming. It's available in a wide range of colours including Resene paint matches to popular COLORSTEEL®/ COLORBOND® colours. Resene Summit Roof can also be tinted to a range of Resene

Cool Colours to minimise heat buildup in the paint, substrate and building. See your local Resene ColorShop or Reseller.



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\wedge on the table

This parquet table from Rose & Heather is one of only four made in this design, crafted from shimmering swamp kauri found in the north of New Zealand. Featuring jarrah beading, exquisite detailing and peg and dowel construction, a sister table in darker swamp kauri was recently exported to France. Rose & Heather prides itself in offering one of the most engaging furniture collections in the world, all made locally. See www.roseandheather.co.nz.



overflowing with bliss

Ever wanted the truly decadent experience of sliding into the bath and having the water flow over the edges? The Sok overflowing bath from Kohler is like an infinity pool, but inside, where water gently bubbles up and then continuously cascades down all sides with a gentle flowing rhythm to soothe the senses. If it sounds too good to be true, check it out at Kohler's new Auckland showroom. See www. kohlershowroom.co.nz. Also available from Mico stores nationwide.

Resene Barely There

history repeats

Resene

The Resene Heritage chart has undergone a sympathetic makeover, with a few new additions to broaden the colour options and a change in design to enable colours to be displayed in technical colour groupings. This simplifies and expands the colour your free colour chart online from the Resene website.



< coming clean

Electrolux has launched what it calls its best vacuum cleaner ever, the UltraOne, after three years of European styling and designing.

Both UltraOne models are easy to manoeuvre (there is air in the wheels), extremely quiet, and deliver outstanding dust and dirt pick up and cleaning performance. They have a maximum power of 2200w, and come with soft wheels and a bumper handle to protect hard floors and furniture. There is a large ergonomic carry handle, a sealed washable filter, three-in-one accessory nozzle and a 12m cleaning reach.

Models retail for \$899 and \$999. For more information, call Electrolux on 0508 730 730 or visit www.electrolux.co.nz.

durable, renewable floors

New Teragren Bamboo flooring is comparable to any traditional hardwood flooring, with top durability for high traffic areas. Offering a seamless look, Teragren is available in a wide variety of grains, colours, stains and widths. It is harvested from rapidly renewable Moso bamboo and manufactured with environmentally safe materials. Available exclusively from Tileworks, call 0800 688 788 or visit www.tileworks.co.nz.





< book honours villas

A new book celebrating the villa and

some of the ingenious solutions used to transform these old houses into modern workable spaces has been published by Random House NZ. Featuring the stunning work architectural photographer of Patrick Reynolds, Villa showcases more than 25 architectural villa renovations from around the country, as well as villas which have remained untouched over the years. Available in bookstores from October, RRP \$75.

Resene 🔄 Matakana

strength of choice >

Neutrals has always provided for up to five colour strength variations of one hue. Now the new The Range Whites & Neutrals increases this choice to up to six colour strength variations, from triple strength through to eighth strength. Colours such as Resene Perfect Taupe, Resene Craigieburn and Resene Gargoyle join the collection, which now includes 360 whites and neutrals.

Available from Resene ColorShops and Resellers or view larger samples of the new colours in-store.

Resene Double Perfect Taupe

colours of the Pacific

Resene has launched new colours to celebrate the Westfield Style Pasifika extravaganza.

Selected and designed by Westfield Style Pasifika creative director, Stan Wolfgramm, the palette features 34 colours such as the punchy Resene Purple Flax, Resene Red Soil and Resene Lagoon Blue, and neutral hues such as Resene White Cloud, Resene Sand Frond and Resene Dry Bamboo.

Available from Resene ColorShops or see the Resene website.

top twenty

For the second time in Resene's history, Resene has launched an official top 20 paint colour list based on Resene testpot sales. The top 20 is dominated by whites and neutrals, reflecting their broad acceptance and use on a vast array of projects. These hues are generally teamed with brighter accents and features for a complete colour scheme.

The top 20 are:

- 1. Resene Tea
- 2. Resene Spanish White
- 3. Resene Half Tea
- 4. Resene Half Spanish White
- 5. Resene Quarter Tea
- 6. Resene Pearl Lusta
- 7. Resene Quarter Spanish White
- 8. Resene Alabaster
- 9. Resene Black White
- 10. Resene Napa

- 11. Resene Sisal
- 12. Resene Half Napa

Resene Tea

- 13. Resene Double Spanish White
- 14. Resene Parchment
- 15. Resene Double Tea
- 16. Resene Biscotti
- 17. Resene Half Pearl Lusta
- 18. Resene Sea Fog
- 19. Resene Half Sisal
- 20. Resene Mondo

