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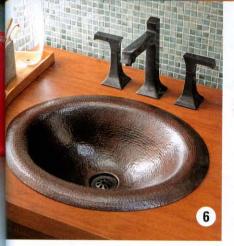




Sinks for the Bath

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NDERMOUNT OR DROP-IN, console, vessel, or wall-hung, bath sinks are overflowing the market. Materials range from the classic vitreous china and porcelain to glass, stone, stoneware, and metals. Porcelain and china basins are hand-painted or modeled with relief decoration; glass is etched, reverse painted, or frosted in colors; vessel sinks are hand-thrown; copper is hand-patinated. Price points begin well under \$100 and—depending on design, materials, and plumbing fittings—ricochet upwards from there. +











1 Console table with 'Retrospect' sink. \$1,083-\$1,276, American Standard 2 Washbasin, marble countertop, and stand, \$1,990, Stone Forest 3 Conical Bell vitreous china sink with 'Gilded Meadow' design in translucent blue for countertop or above-counter installation, \$1,300, Kohler 4 Uptown stoneware vessel sink in Torch Red. \$548, Ed Racicot-Art Sinks 5 Faience hand-thrown and hand-painted Iznikpattern vessel sink from the Smithsonian Collection, \$1,300, Linkasink 6 Maestro 'Lotus' lav sink in copper with antique finish, \$621, Native Trails 7 'Carline' vitreous china wall-hung corner sink in white, \$615, Herbeau 8 Above-counter round vessel etched glass sink, \$450, Lenova 9 'Wide Blues' double console sink, \$8,257, Devon & Devon 10 Sunrise pedestal lavs are \$380 to \$490, Sunrise Specialty

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