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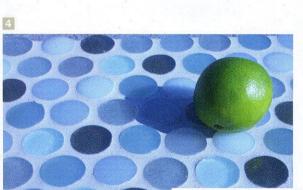
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# Countertops











#### **Kirei Board**

Kirei Board offers a strong, lightweight, environmentally friendly substitute for a wood countertop. The material is made from reclaimed sorghum straw and held together by KR Board, a water-based, polymer-isocyanate adhesive, with no added formaldehyde. It has a number of applications, including wall covering, cabinetry, furniture and flooring, among others. Kirei Board sheets come in sizes of 6, 10, 20, and 30 millimeters; their weight ranges from 4.5-45 pounds.

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# ThinkGlass bar countertops

ThinkGlass' new glass bar countertops are made of 100-percent recycled glass and available in a wide array of shapes and thicknesses. Embedded textures, edge treatments and colors help individualize each design. The non-porous surface hides all marks and avoids mold and mildew. LED lighting is available in a wide spectrum of colors; a remotecontrolled RGB device offers more colors and special effects such as flashing or fading lights.

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# Fireclay Tile Crush recycled glass tile

The new Crush line of recycled glass tile from Fireclay Tile requires only one-fourth the energy of traditional cast glass tile to make. Each piece is created from local, recycled, pre-consumer window glass using Fireclay's proprietary glass fusing technology and state-of-the-art kiln firing. Buyers can completely customize their orders, with 17 sizes and 40 colors available; tiles are also available in both gloss and matte finishes.

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# **LG HI-MACS Galaxy**

LG Hausys has expanded its HI-MACS Acrylic Solid Surface inventory with the new Galaxy line. The expansion features eight new base colors, each evoking a different celestial body, mixed with transparent quartz chips. Tile size is customizable; thickness is consistent at a half-inch for all designs. All versions of the Galaxy line are stain-resistant and thermoformable.

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### **Bendheim Color Coated Glass**

Bendheim has added Honeysuckle to its line of Color Coated Glasses, joining the company's palette of 14 standard colors. Bendheim colors can be bonded to practically any type of glass for a variety of applications from exterior cladding and interior feature walls to backsplashes and countertops. It is available in thicknesses ranging from 1/8 to 3/4 inches and in large sheets up to 60 by 120 inches.

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#### Ashley Norton Apollo

The Apollo is one of a series of contemporary hardware and levers from Ashley Norton. Interior suites and accessories are available to complement all hardware. Ashley Norton Entry sets feature concealed screws outside and are available with any lever or knob inside. All sets come standard with tubular latch and deadbolt.

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#### Panasonic WhisperControl Condensation Sensor

The WhisperControl Condensation Sensor from Panasonic is a wall-mounted combination humidity and temperature sensor designed to anticipate condensation and automatically turn on Panasonic ventilation fans to remove humid air. Panasonic WhisperControl sensors operate by detecting hot air and humidity based on dew point — the temperature at which the water vapor in the air condenses into liquid — for individual climate zones.

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#### Wellborn Elegant Bath Collection

Introducing the latest in the Wellborn line of cabinets, The Elegant Bath Collection. This extensive collection of vanities, free-standing furniture vanities and accessories covers a wide range of price points with door styles including Wellborn's Full Overlay and Traditional Overlay in all wood species from the Wellborn Kitchen product. Wellborn's Elegant Bath Collection also includes inset door styling.

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