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WHAT'S NEW IN KITCHEN FAUCETS, FUNCTIONAL HARDWARE, BATH SURFACES & SMART APPLIANCES

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Beautiful *Satin* Brass

Brass finishes are one of today's most requested materials for bathroom designs and remodels. Isenberg® is spot on when it comes to this popular trend with their own iteration – a beautiful Satin Brass. With just a hint of sparkle, this glamorous finish brings a warm gleam to the bathroom and has a distinctive satin finish that neatly conceals water spots and fingerprints. Isenberg offers Satin Brass on their extensive line of shower fixtures, all designed to exacting standards using precision engineering and state-of-art technology. With hundreds of thermostatic and pressure balance valves and coordinating shower heads and accessories to choose from, Isenberg makes it easy to design the ultimate showering experience.

- Created in the award-winning Isenberg Design Lab in Dallas, their epicenter of innovation.
- Crafted from premium solid brass and featuring fine ceramic cartridges.
- Complete the look with a host of coordinating faucets and accessories.



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WHAT'S HOT IN Bath Surfaces

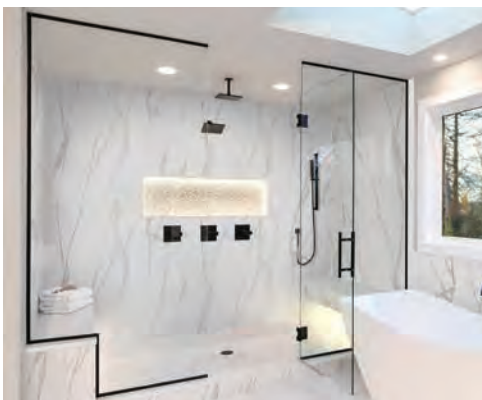
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The durable **DEKTON GOCCE** Shower Tray Collection is treated with Dekton Grip+ for safety and slip-resistance. The lightweight 28mm-thick tray is sloped for optimal water flow. Available in three colors in 36-in. by 48-in. and 32-in. by 60-in. formats, with cut-to-size models available. cosentino.com

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Available in smooth or textured surface options and with a variety of drain configurations, **DUPLACH GROUP** shower bases offer zero water absorption, 45 Barcol hardness, antibacterial properties and anti-slip coating. Bases can be cut to size on site. duplach.com

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From **ACQUABELLA**, the Base Slate Shower Tray is available in 20 sizes for oblong, square and corner installations. The textured surface is offered in 19 colorways, with custom colors optional. In addition to standard traps, extra-flat, vertical and high-flow designs are available. acquabella.com

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Offered in stone and wood looks, **WETWALL**, a Wilsonart company, introduces new Pro Designs wall panels for use in showers, tub surrounds, accent walls and cladding. The product is grout-free, simplifying installation and maintenance. Greenguard Gold certified. wetwall.com

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Designed by Marcel Wanders for **DEVON & DEVON**, the Secret Gardens Collection of 47-in. by 94-in. ceramic slabs brings decorative impact to bathroom walls. Coordinating wallpapers, ceramic accessories and a vanity table complete the line. devon-devon.com

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Fabricated of solid surfacing in a seamless design, shower components from **DURASEIN** include standard- and custom-sized wall panels and shower bases. Stock trims include L-profile, dado, corner cove and beveled configurations, broadening design possibilities. durasein.com

WHAT'S HOT IN Kitchen Faucets

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BUSTER + PUNCH brings its signature metalwork to a new sector. The single-lever Kitchen Faucet Collection features a rough cast base and sleek handle stems and offers the option of a fixed aerated spout or pullout spray variation. Cross and linear knurling details include the lever handle and filter cap. busterandpunch.com

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The *Étre* Kitchen Collection by **DXV** draws its design inspiration from the Machine Age Modernism Movement. The pull-down kitchen and bar faucets, as well as a coordinated soap dispenser, are available in five finishes, including a split matte-black/satin-brass look. dxv.com

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From **ISENBERG**, the Velox K.1800 brings a spectrum of color to the kitchen; it's offered in 20 ceramic-based shades, and custom hues are optional. The pull-down faucet features single-hole installation and is ADA and WaterSense compliant with a flow rate of 1.8 gallons per minute at 60 psi. isenbergfaucets.com

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The Avado 2 in 1 Faucet with Filtration by **ELKAY** features a quick-change water filter that lasts approximately one year. With three spray patterns, it is offered in three finishes. It offers standard hot and cold water, as well as high-quality filtered water straight from the tap – without installing a second tap or additional equipment. elkay.com

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The Tulham Kitchen Collection by **BRIZO** uses vintage-inspired details like fluted handles and robust contours to make a design statement at the sink. Available in six finishes – including tone-on-tone splits – in a full range of models, including pull-down and bridge fittings. brizo.com

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PEERLESS introduces the Flute Kitchen Collection. The faucet has a three-function, pull-down sprayer with POWERinse technology for an extra blast of cleaning power, and its high-arc pull-down swivels 360 degrees for effective task management. Available in three finishes. peerlessfaucet.com

WHAT'S HOT Everywhere Else

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In 30- and 33-in. models with a 9-in.-deep basin, the epiStage Workstation Sink from **RUVATI** can be installed as a top- or undermount design. Fabricated of a granite composite, the sink comes with a cutting board, drying rack and a silicone grid to protect the bottom of the basin. ruvati.com

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The Overlay Collection of light fixtures from **BROKIS** combines glass and concrete in a way that emphasizes geometry and materiality. A suspension model, sconce and table lamp comprise the series. brokis.cz

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From **LEGRAND SHADING SYSTEMS**, new runway-inspired fabric collections from Coullisse, Twitchell, Pfifer and more offer decorative, solar screen, sustainable and room-darkening options for window treatments. legrand.us.com

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ROBAM introduces the W412 Ceramic Glass Cooktop to the North American market. The 30-in. drop-in, four-burner cooktop provides a powerful experience with two 2,300-watt burners and two 1,200-watt burners. robamusa.com

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The Professional Companion Series of appliances by **FISHER & PAYKEL** comprises 30-in. models of a speed oven, combi steam oven and coffee maker. Offered in stainless steel, they can be installed separately or grouped together. fisherpaykel.com

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New lower channel heights for **INFINITY DRAIN**'s Linear Drains offer easier installation, greater accessibility and less floor height buildup – especially for renovations. The 24-in. size provides a standardized drain option for compact areas. infinitydrain.com

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TOILETS

Kohler Avoir Toilet

“When they say tankless, they MEAN tankless,” was a quote from one of this year’s judges about this toilet. They love the contemporary Avoir because it is great for small spaces, and it can run on water pressure and batteries for an entire year. The toilet features a Quiet Close Seat and Cover hinge device, chair-height seating for optimal comfort when sitting down and standing, and its skirted design makes it easy to clean. Using only 1.28 gallons per flush, the Avoir meets WaterSense EPA guidelines and includes a backup actuator if the batteries fail. It is affordable and easy to install with its Readylock system and corrugated base template for alignment. us.kohler.com



TUBS

MTI Baths Alva

The judges loved this elegant oval tub fit for two with great color options, calling it a work of art. The Alva soaker features an organic, oval-shaped bowl on top of a low-profile base, which makes it safer to get in and out



of, a semi-rolled rim and a curved interior bowl with two backrests. The nonporous tub is handcrafted in the U.S. with the company’s SculptureStone, which offers the look and feel of molded stone. It is easy to clean and is resistant to mildew, mold and stains. Available in a matte-white or hand-polished, deep-gloss finish, the Alva can be ordered in one of six colors, including Sapphire Blue and Onyx. mtibaths.com



WALL COVERINGS

Shelter Island by Jonathan Adler from Lunada Bay Tile

The judges love that this handcrafted ceramic tile collection was inspired by nature – the clouds, sand and sun. They also appreciate its pleasing colors, textures and shapes. Shelter Island, designed by Jonathan Adler, is also a nod to the architecture of his beachfront home on Long Island. The artful collection, which can be used



in any room in the home, is offered in semi-matte colors and semi-transparent glazes and has the look of hand-sculpted Japanese ceramics. Shelter Island can be used in place of wallpaper for a more dramatic look, and it would also look great on an entire kitchen wall. lunadabaytile.com

