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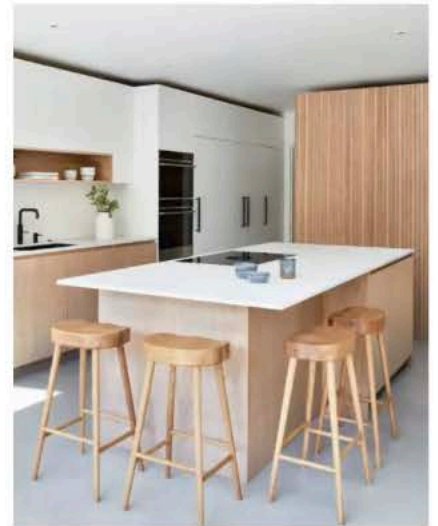
*The latest FABRICS... the HOTTEST NAMES...
and the most BEAUTIFUL HOUSES*



ADDRESS BOOK : Contemporary kitchen units, surfaces and accessories

Caesarstone

Specialising in work surfaces and material innovation, Caesarstone produces an extensive range of porcelain countertops that are all highly resistant to heat, scratches and stains, as well as being non-porous and easy to clean. '507 Marbannova' porcelain, seen here, complements the neutral scheme perfectly, but there are also darker alternatives for a more dramatic look; from £520 a square metre, including installation. caesarstone.co.uk

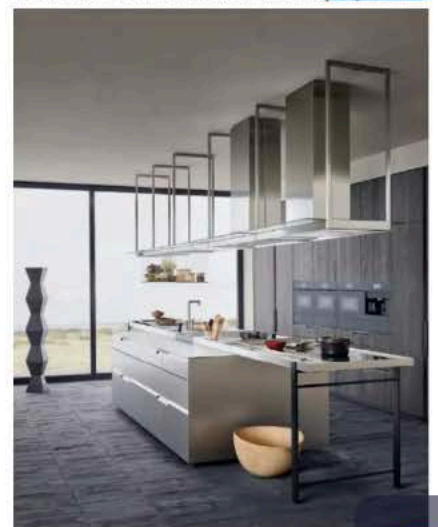


Sola Kitchens

For a pared-back Scandi aesthetic, the chic minimalist designs by Sola Kitchens fit the bill. Pictured are 'Sletten' units spray-painted white and 'Skog' cupboards with slatted solid oak accents, complemented by 'Cloudburst Concrete' quartz worktops from Caesarstone. Kitchens start at £54,000. solakitchens.com

Poliform

The Italian brand is known for its refined modern kitchens. 'Shape' combines a clean-lined aesthetic with functionality, including recessed handles. There are many finishes to choose from – glossy, matt, metallic and embossed lacquers, woods, and scotch brite steel, as shown. From £80,000. poliform.it



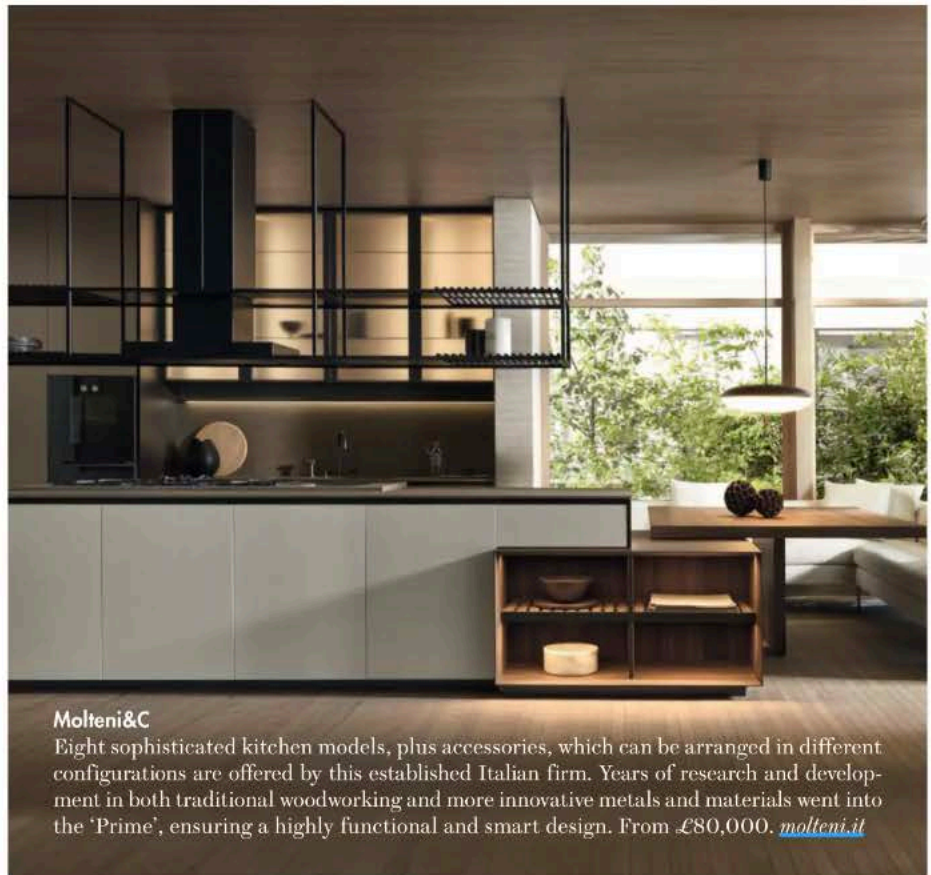
Handles with care: three shapes for cabinets

FROM LEFT The 'Kilburn' furniture knob from **Corston** in antique brass is a classic choice; £12. corston.com. For a distinctive look, try the 'Barwick' cabinet pull with backplate by **Armac Martin**. In polished nickel plate, it costs £217. armacmartin.co.uk. With a diamond-cut, cross-knurl pattern, **Buster + Punch**'s 'T-Bar Plate' is striking in smoked bronze; £61. busterandpunch.com ▷



Fisher & Paykel

This 90-year-old home appliance company has a range of high-tech options, including the 90cm 'Integrated French Door' fridge freezer. It can be supplied with a paintable front to match your cabinets, or in stainless steel as shown here. It has a 467-litre total capacity and costs £4,535 (excluding the stainless-steel door panel). fisherpaykel.com



Molteni&C

Eight sophisticated kitchen models, plus accessories, which can be arranged in different configurations are offered by this established Italian firm. Years of research and development in both traditional woodworking and more innovative metals and materials went into the 'Prime', ensuring a highly functional and smart design. From £80,000. molteni.it



Joseph Joseph

The latest offering from the brand – best known for its modern kitchen utensils – is the 'Space' pan collection. Ceramic and non-stick, they have ingenious folding handles, making them much easier to store. From £90 for a 15cm saucepan with lid. josephjoseph.com



Smeg

With a spacious 115-litre wide oven cavity – useful when cooking a Sunday roast – and six gas burners including one for a wok, the 'Portofino' 90cm dual-fuel range cooker from Smeg would make a useful addition to a busy family kitchen. Seen in white, it also comes in stainless steel and six other colours to suit your scheme and is priced at £2,999. smeguk.com □

Ledbury Studio

By legendary designer Charlie Smallbone, Ledbury kitchens fuse modern design with natural materials and artisan craftsmanship. Considered details in this bespoke scheme include the fluted glass on the wall unit and hand-crafted handles in brass. Kitchens cost from £70,000. ledburystudio.com

