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Bathroom

As designers explore fresh new shapes in freestanding baths and other fixtures, now's the time for a bathroom update. Naturally, quality towels are always in style.

'Towels may be a household basic, but choose a linen blend over pure cotton and they become a luxury.'

PAUL HECKER, INTERIOR DESIGNER,
HECKER GUTHRIE



On taps

'We use a lot of the designs from Brodware Industries. I prefer levers to the old hot and cold handles.'
Thomas Hamel



'I love a bathroom that looks like a bathroom – not overly integrated. Rogerseller's Roma range is good for a modern take on the standard toilet.'

GREG NATALE

'Kaldewei baths are new classics. Their form remains quite traditional, but the square edges bring them right up to date.'

JUDITH BARRETT-LENNARD, INTERIOR DESIGNER

Hooked on (new) classics

Looking for more pieces that are sure to stay in style? Read on for some extra suggestions from industry insiders:

- * The Bloom light by Ligne Roset transforms the chandelier into a modern classic with its lightweight, petal-shaped foam rings. *Frank Novembre, Managing Director, Domo Collections*
- * We are doing some amazing handmade lamps with vellum shades that are blanket-stitched at the top and bottom. They're a new take on a beautiful item from the past. *Jo Smithers, owner, La Maison*
- * We love the Font Clock from Established & Sons (available through Living Edge). It features 12 different fonts, all chosen for their design strength and individuality. *Paul Hecker, interior designer, Hecker Guthrie*
- * Bamboo and cane were big in the 1980s and now their eco-friendliness has seen the arrival of some new classics in these materials – not just furniture, but vases, bowls and picture frames. *Tiffany Jackson, owner, The Perfect Gift*
- * Libeco Belgian bedlinen is simply divine. It's made at one of the oldest linen mills in Europe and is so wonderful to sleep in. *Barbara Hermon, owner, Hermon & Hermon*
- * The Koskela Slimline sofa is sure to be a classic of the future. *Megan Morton, stylist*

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