

Bathroom

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Ideal Standard International Creates a Striking Silhouette



Seamless appeal from LG Hausys

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LG Hausys HI-MACS® natural acrylic stone unlocks potential for highly creative and practical bathroom design schemes. Naturally, as well as cutting-edge design possibilities, the resulting bathrooms are incredibly hygienic and easy to maintain, which of course is a priority in the hospitality sector.

While tiles are difficult to keep clean, HI-MACS® surfacing can provide a non-porous, seamless bathing, showering or spa area without a jot of space for dirt and germs to lurk. This smooth, sensuous, scratch-proof and sleek material is made from 75% natural minerals and pigments which are then set into an acrylic matrix – and can also be thermoformed into sweeping curved shapes to provide striking baths, sinks, benches, seating areas and even beds.

The current trend for smart and pin-sharp internal corners means that bespoke shower areas and basins with back splashes can be achieved with curves of just 6mm internal radius when using the NEW HI-MACS® Ultra Thermoforming Alpine White. This radical advance and departure is the result of new technological and fabrication achievements – the minimum radius used to be 50mm, so this has considerably expanded the design possibilities.

Bespoke wall cladding in en-suites, bathrooms and spa areas can create a ‘whole-room’ look that not only looks striking and glamorous, but which has the very important advantage of straightforward maintenance and minimal signs of use, even in high-traffic areas.

HI-MACS® advisors suggest that high-traffic, often-cleaned areas are suited to matt, semi-gloss and satin finishes. The striking colour range is currently embracing bright and vibrant shades such as Lemon Squash and Festival Pink, which are ideal for adding a ‘colour pop’ to an otherwise subdued or neutral scheme.

If a cosier, more intimate look is required, designers can consider the numerous shades of black, some of which include sparkles. There are also over 20 grey options, from plain solid colours to the five brand new concrete colours. Perfect for creating concrete-style looks in stylish bathrooms.

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