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HORIZON





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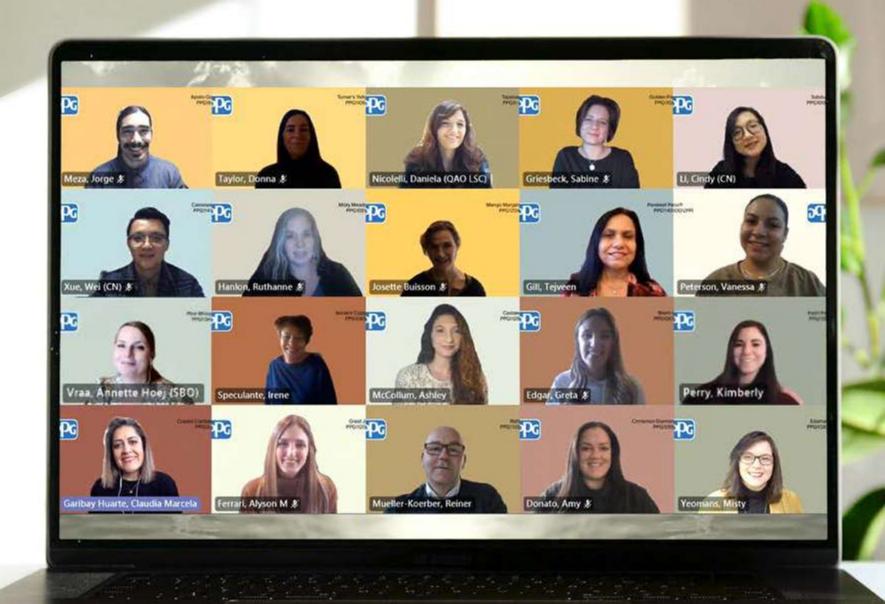
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There is a uniqueness to PPG's forecasting expertise in that we use a fact-based approach to identify colour direction for more surfaces than any company in the world. From automotive to architectural; consumer electronics to aerospace; industrial to packaged goods. The benefit is that every industry informs the other.

Our colour stylists analyze exterior and interior commercial and residential colours, styles and textures four years in advance, and produce hospitality market insights for architects and builders to create spaces for luxury, comfort and impact.

Our annual forecasting workshop is the culmination of months of research and customer intel that provides a truly global, validated palette of colour direction. 2021 was a year of firsts, and our annual colour workshop was no exception. Despite hosting a fully virtual event, we preserved and enhanced the integrity and collaborative nature of our exclusive process, despite being miles apart and separated by numerous time zones.

Our colour experts held lively debates, used new digital collaboration tools, curated a cross-cultural trends direction and ultimately, selected the 2022 Colour of the Year.



Twist of Cotton PPG1020-1 Lettuce Alone PPG1222-4 Island Retreat PPG1073-1 Pine Whisper PPG1134-4 Rose Souffle PPG1054-4 Magic Wand PPG1158-2 Chilled Mint PPG1224-3 Isle Royale PPG1232-4 OLIVE SPRIG

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A Brighter Horizon, with Supportive Colours

OVERARCHING IDEA FOR THE YEAR: HORIZON

We were all experiencing uncertain times, and despite the pandemic, our teams from around the world were converging virtually for the first time to combine our collective research and develop the forecast for 2022.

A single overarching idea became evident - setting the tone for the entire year ahead. We are at the beginning of something new, looking into the Horizon.

We are holding the Horizon image as a symbol for the state of reflection, hope and reverence in which we find ourselves being while contemplating the possible future.

Olive Sprig

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An amicable green 2022 for the perfect Colour of the Year for the perfect refresh.

Green, the natural world symbol, is the rising colour in the design market, hands down.

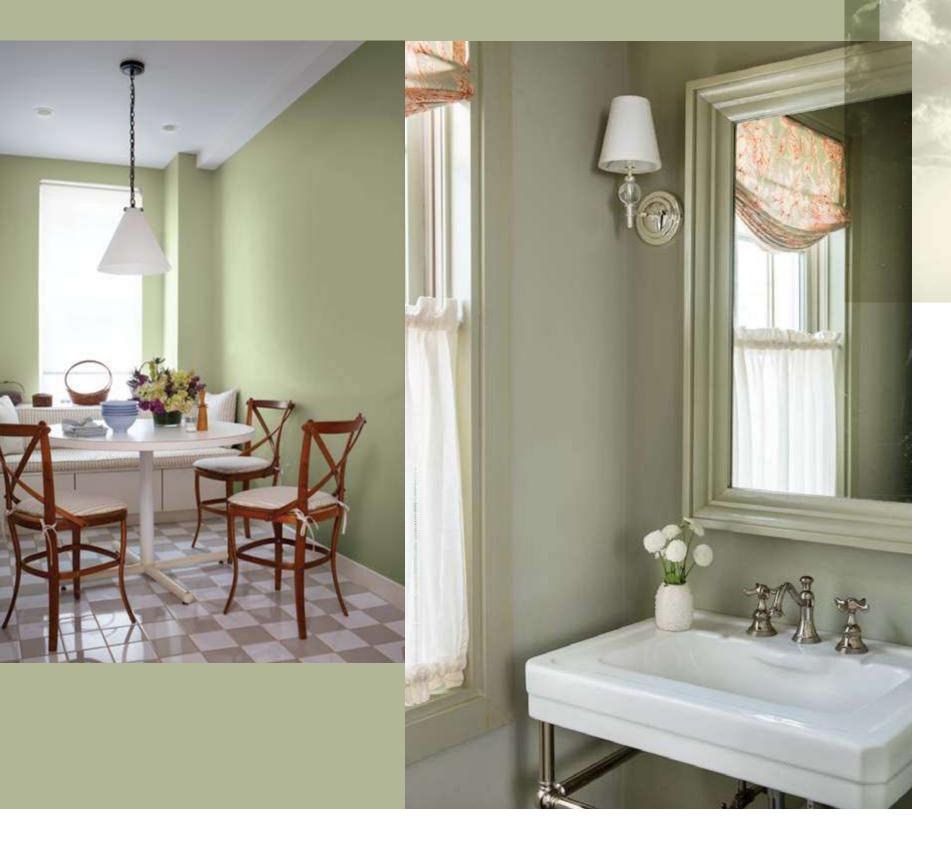
We saw it budding everywhere; whole bathrooms covered in emerald tiles, a cozy sofa dressed in silky green velvet and entire kitchens taking on the nature vibe with sage colour cabinets and walls.

There is, however, one particular shade that kept jumping up at us for its versatile and highly usable disposition; Olive Sprig.

This soft gray-green is soothing, like a fragrant plant, reminiscent of the natural world and it brightens any space with an organic liveliness. It is inside or out, the perfect refresh.



Working almost like a neutral, Olive Sprig is a flexible hue that adapts to most environments, styles and usages.



Mushroom 2022 OLYMPIC® Stain Colour of the Year The return of wood. Cozy by nature, wood offers multiple possibilities for adding warm luxury to the home. Our Stain Colour of the Year is a rich and calming mid-tone; use it with confidence.



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Under this overarching idea of Horizon, we will explore how the three different points of view, the concepts of reflection, hope and reverence, will manifest their unique colour and shape narratives in the world of design.

































Twist of Cotton PPG1020-1

Coral Silk PPG119

These are our three colour and trend directions, each one tells its own story and has its own narrative and personality.

Let's discover them further together.

Ancient Past PPG1093-5	Ancient Copper PPG1063-7	Candlelit Beige PPG1207-1	Castle Stone PPG1128-7	Chocolate Dust PPG14-13	Vining lvy PPG1148-6	Mulberry Milk PPG1047-4
Fruit Lattice PPG1188-7	Rose Souffle PPG1054-4	Silver Service PPG1004-4	Wistful Walk PPG11-15	Causeway PPG10-28	Dry Grass PPG1030-4	Yellow Coneflower PPG1209-5
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2022 Colour of the Year Olive Sprig PPG1125-4

AN ELEGANT PALETTE, GROUNDED IN TRADITION

Refined darks are critical in this colour story, enhancing the composition of highs and lows inspired by glamorous, artistic interiors, where historical references are carefully layered.

Black Leopard PPG1011-7

Yorkshire Moor PPG1019-7

Dark Water PPG10-01

Winter's Breath PPG1038-3

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Mulberry Milk PPG1047-4





Words of Inspiration



Cherished

Heirloom

Seeking

Family Values

Second Hand

Resale

Appreciating the Past

Reuse

History

Her-Story

Elevation of Women

Longevity

Quality

Family Matters

Small Town Life

70's/80's/90's

Learn from History

Humanity

Trust

Authenticity

Stable

Archives

Good Times

Bringing Back

Classic

Retro

Vintage

New Classic

Ancestry

Grounded. Privacy. Nostalgia.

Young & Old

Generations

Daycare/Senior Living

Rituals

Mysticism of Life

Traditions

Sense of Life Again

Find Love

Solution

Human Contact

Human Relationship

Your Close Circle

Choosing

Appreciating

Normality

Altered Society

Reflection

Overcome Loneliness

Who's Important

Social Fabric

Growth

Recording the Past

Remembrance

Balance Life/Work

Intimate Gatherings

Valued

Imperfect

Cautious Reactions

Emotional

Rejuvenate







Persona

Balanced. Supportive. Localist. Conscious.

The invaluable personality consults a rich library of cultural references to imagine its perfect place in this world.

This group prefers to draw elements from the past to create a new era of heritage goods.

Attitude

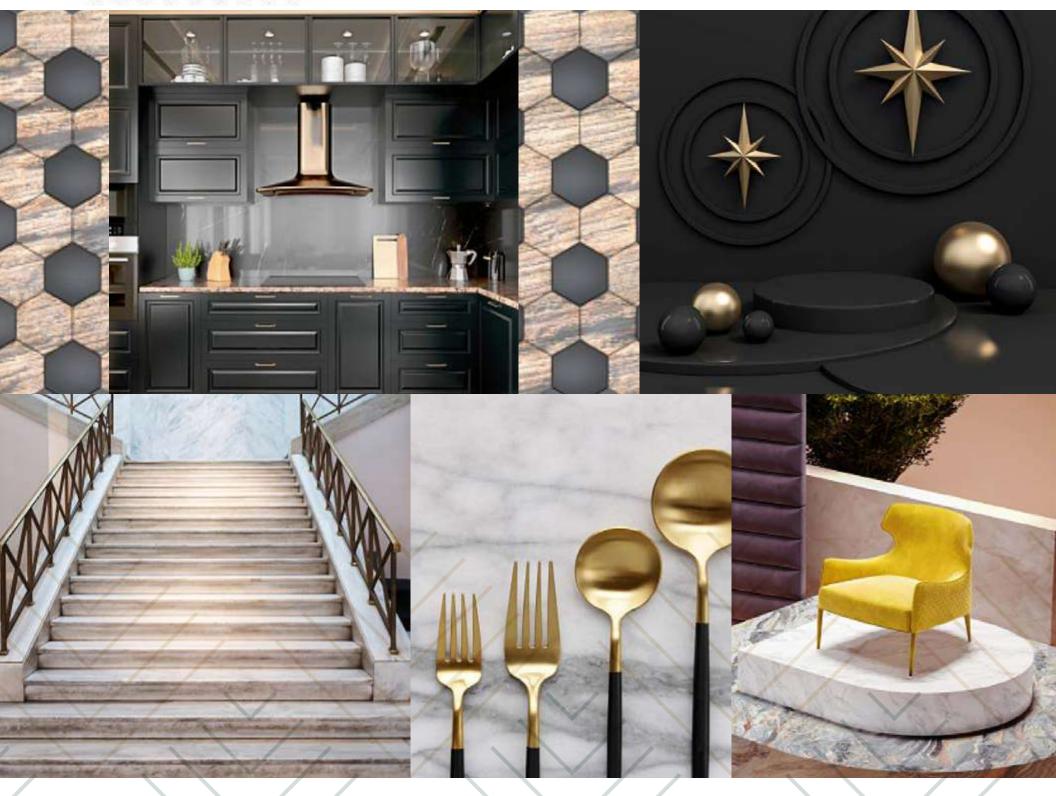
Remembrance.

There is a comforting amount of certainty we get from traditional architectural styles and classical interpretations of design. Our desire to ground ourselves in something solid and something established, has been triggered by the recent time spent living in chaos.

We are craving stability, and we remembered what is tried and true to anchor our new reality.







NOBLE AND LUXURIOUS

With this trend direction, we embrace the exotic, rare stones and detailed patterns that have historically defined luxury.







REDISCOVERING HEIRLOOM A well-known past is looked at with fondness and longing because of its incredibly reassuring power.



REVISITING ICONIC DESIGN The past, heritage and tradition are investigated and reinterpreted with a contemporary twist.

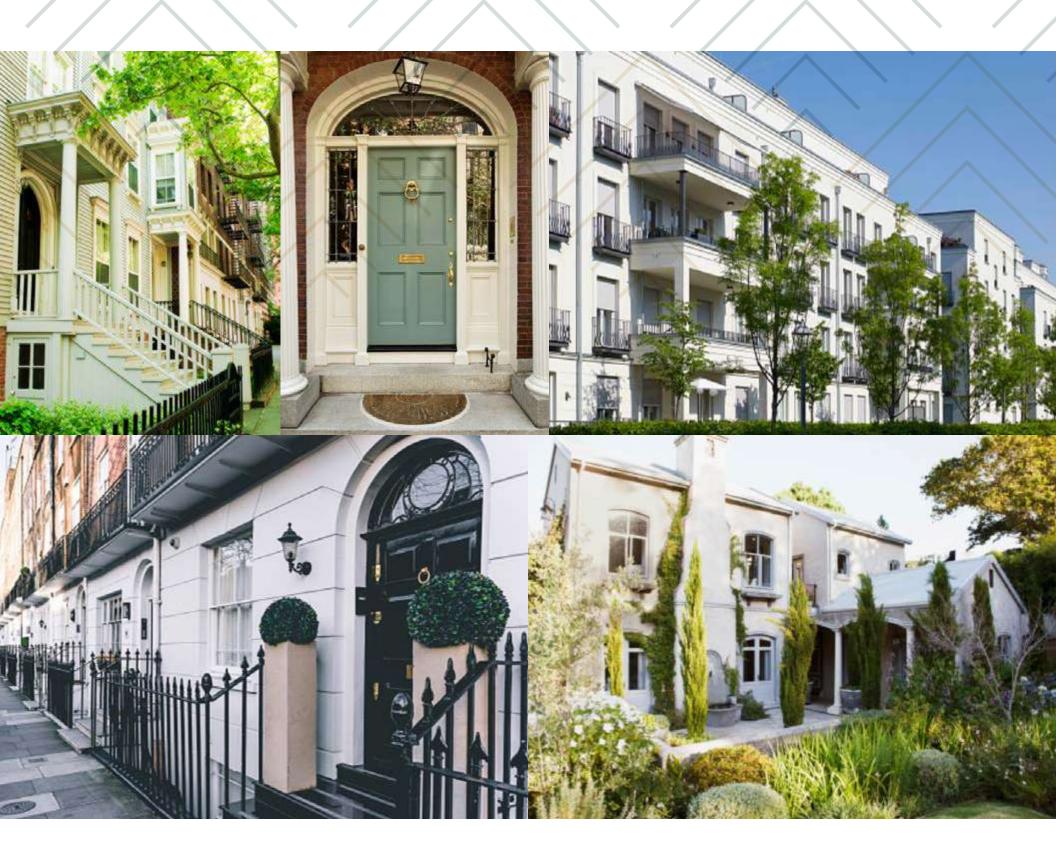
The idea is to take inspiration from past events and eras of history to ground a new aesthetic vision in rich heritage.





This direction lets us rediscover an elegant beauty and skilled craftsmanship that we would recently be more prone to overlook.

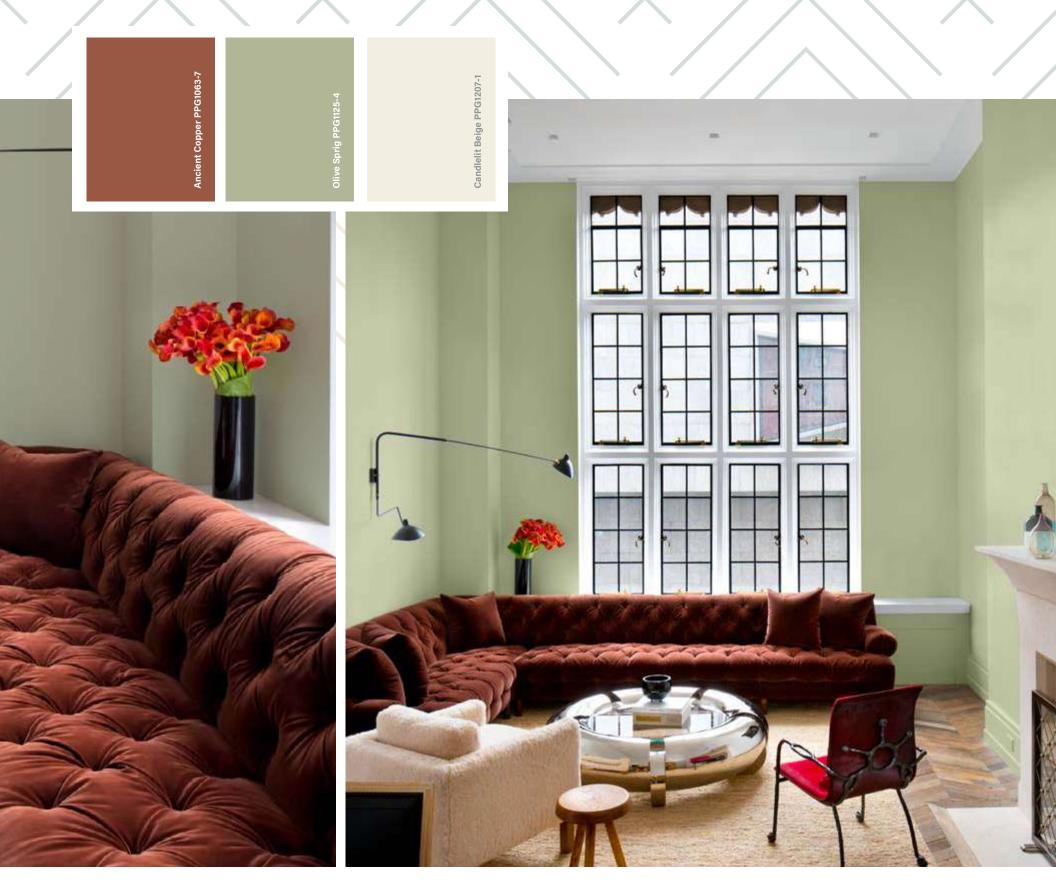












LAYERING WITH TIME The desire to layer styles and periods impacts the rising appreciation of vintage and antiques and the growing number of designers and retailers exploring these for a contemporary audience.





Ancient Copper PPG1063-7

Black Leopard PPG1011-7





Repurposing, revamping and refreshing antique furniture and pieces otherwise discarded are motivated by sustainability and nostalgia.



The palette is welcoming, warm and comfortable. The tone is casual and mellow. A quieter theme that addresses a soulful consumer.

This story is one of privacy, wellness, simplicity and peace. Nature and self-care are most important to this personality, who is always searching for equilibrium, focusing mainly on family and friends. Welcome home.

Island Retreat PPG1073-1	Bulgur Wheat PPG1094-6	Roman Bath PPG1198-5	
Pine Whisper PPG1134-4	Fruit Lattice PPG1188-7	Rose Souffle PPG1054-4	Silver Service PPG1004-4
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Mords of Inspiration



Garden Work

Spiritualism

DIY

Home Decor

Locally Grown

Organic Foods

Crafting

Outdoor/Indoor Space

Disconnection

Re-Connecting

Shed Conversion

Escape

Retreat

Outside

Decluttering

Self-Protection

Self-Care

Comfort/Care

At Home Connection

Digital Connection

Bio Nature

Health Care Tech

Relay of Tech

Needed Tech

Basic Needs

Spiritual Tech

Optimism/Hope

Manifest

One with Nature

Bio-Tech

With Spirit

Family Time

Wellness

Day Dreaming

Simplicity

Comfort. Escapism. Nature.

Rejuvenating

Pet Life

Home

Silence

Reuse

Relax

Compartmentalize

Healing

Slowing Down

Stress Free

Gratitude

Well Being

Live it

Exhale

De-Urbanization

Inner Peace

Mass Migration

Refuge/Refugee

Vacation Homes

Cottage Life

Road Trips

Cleansing

Detox

Crystals

Stay at Home

Organized

More Conscious Consumption

Conscience Tech

Recoup

Solace

Play

Exploring Neighborhood

Simple Pleasures

Creating

Decompress

Minimalism

Cleaning Out/Up







Persona

Simple.
Natural.
Authentic.
Purposeful.
Biophilic.

The introspective character is focusing on self-care, relieving anxiety and appreciating life's simple pleasures.

The introspective group – mainly Millennials and Gen X – prioritize stability across all aspects of their lives in reaction to information overload and feelings of chronic uncertainty.

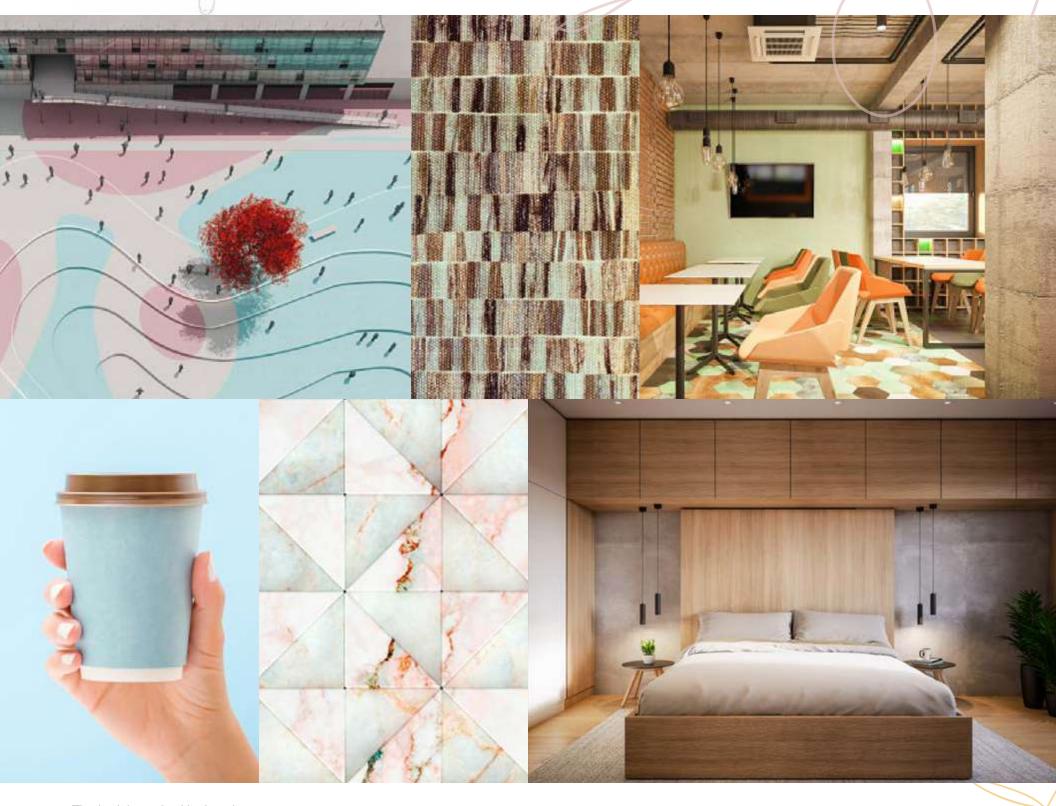
Attitude

Looking for a lifestyle that alleviates stress and soothes anxiety.

The introspectives are looking to reconnect with their feelings, to focus on products, services and initiatives that help people create stronger emotional ties with their inner and outer worlds.



Material and Finishes



The look is crafted by hand.

Celebrating artisanal and handcrafted aesthetics to give designs a unique and carefully made appeal.



The material of choice is cozy, pleasant to the touch and offered in a welcoming, warm and comfortable colour palette.

Consumer Products



LINES OF COMFORT Shapes will continue to be curvilinear. Texture plays a pivotal role in accentuating the tactile quality of these colors.

Pastels and mid-tones call to mind artisans' workshops, where materials are experimented with and pigments explored.



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HEALTH AND SAFETY

The priority is on wellness and well-being as technology is transforming the car industry.

Exterior Architecture



ATTITUDE: NURTURE NATURE. NATURE AS A MUSE

Architecture that elicits a deep sense of comfort. Comfort, practicality and making the home a sanctuary on every level.



SUSTAINABILITY

Architecture is now demonstrating an unwavering commitment to environmental responsibility.

nterior Architecture





Olive Sprig PPG1125-

Bulgur Wheat PPG1094-6

Yellow Coneflower PPG1209-5



CONTEMPORARY COZY INSIDE AND OUT

Modern yet warm with lots of wood and craftsman detailing.

Interior Architecture





The introspectives seek calm and clarity. This can be achieved by using a lightly tinted colour palette.

Delicate neutrals and softened pastels are known to add a calm and serene sensibility to a space, giving it an intimate feel.



By combining a bold accent colour with practical neutrals in a bedroom we conjure up both a sense of rest and optimism. Island Retreat PPG1073-1



2022 Colour of the Year Olive Sprig PPG1125-4

MOOD BOOSTING COLOURS

Colours to refresh and renew. Whether single or layered colours, these hues' intensities are hitting high notes, referencing the pop art movement's primary palette and the brightness of digital art. This optimistic colour narrative is telling a joyful story of renewal.

Paris Pink PPG1181-6

Isle Reyale PPG1232-4

Apple Cheek PPG1157-4

Twist of Cotton PPG1020-1

Coral Silk PPG1195-5

Cenote PPG17-02

Mirabella PPG1176-6

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Aloha PPG1228-5

Calypso Berry PPG1155-7

Lettuce Alone PPG1222-4





Words of Inspiration



Exploration of Space

Self-Expression

Self-Awareness

Empowered

Expression

Unselfish

Inclusivity

More Tolerant

Breaking Free

Care of Others

Elderly Students

Happy

Food Systems

Rethink

Essential Needs

Essential Workers

Renewed Sense

Take for Granted

Appreciation

Science

Solutions

Trust

Creative Solution

Online Game

Virtual Reality

Forward Thinking

Hope

New Technology/ Ideas

Optimism. Individualism. Future.

Tech Driven

Dichotomy

Incorporated New/Different

Flexibility

Smart Home

Controlling Life

Quirky/Fun

Craving for Colors

Attracted to Vibrancy

Break the Rules

Tolerance

Embracing

Exposed

Awareness

Sparks Joy

Mass Gathering

Personal Values

Attitude

Behaviors

Making a Difference

Emerge

Resilience

Speed Change

Overcoming

Appreciate Kindness

Reinvent





Persona

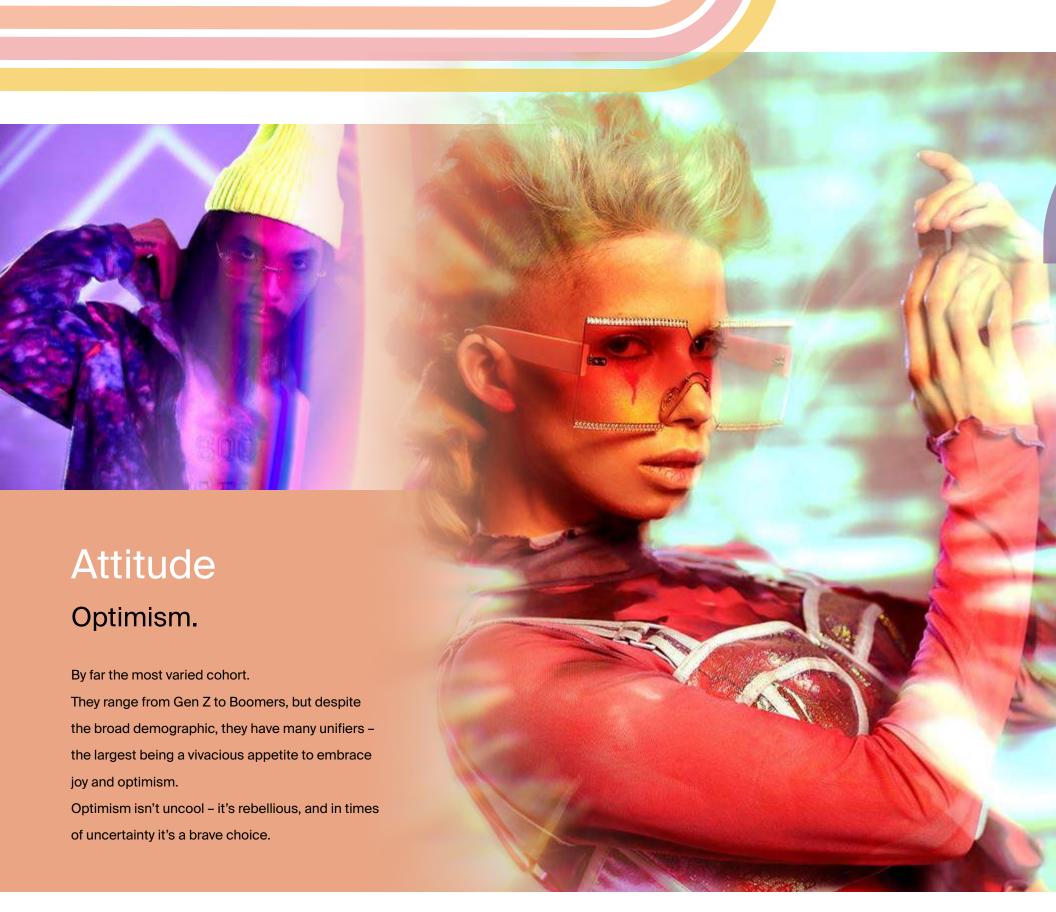
Joyous.

Self-assured.

Hyper-connected.

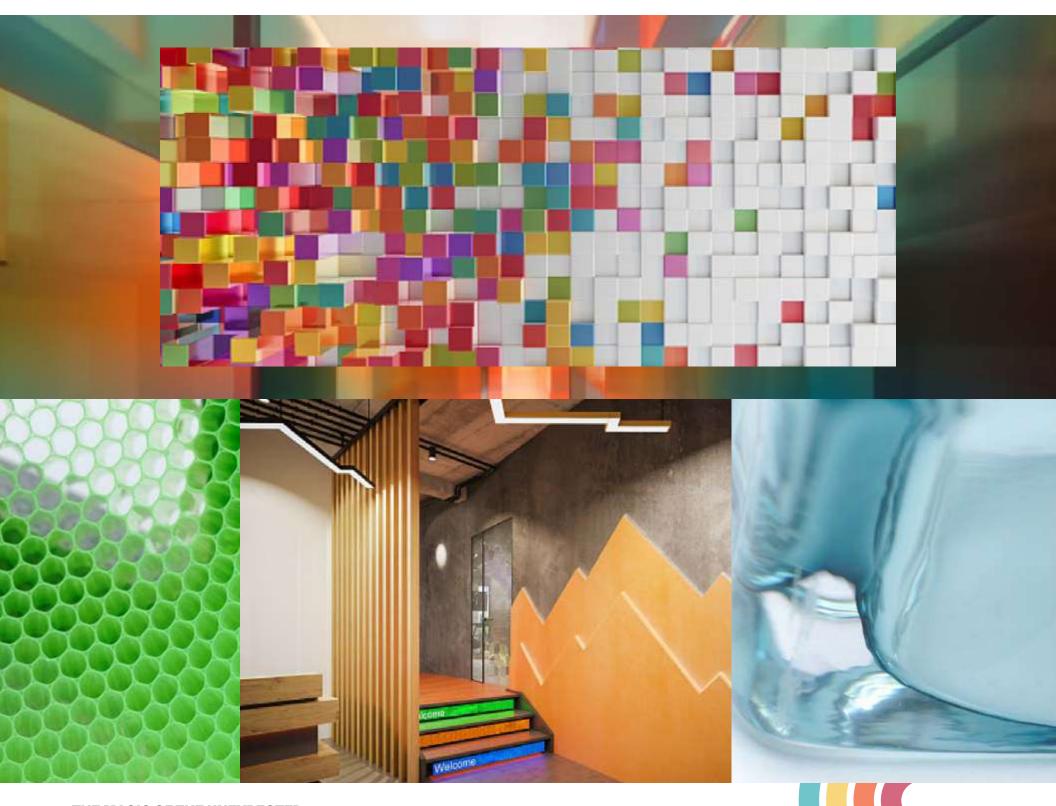
Adventurous.

The inspired group can't be pinned down, either in terms of age range or physicality. This adventurous cohort isn't afraid to stand up for their beliefs, but they do so by spreading joy, not negativity. They want to share and celebrate with their fellow inspired when it comes to consumption, with inclusivity and connectivity high on their list of demands.





Material and Finishes



THE MAGIC OF THE UNEXPECTED

Playing with scales, exaggerated dimensions and surprising elements, the objects are meant to spark joy and curiosity.



Texture. Patterns. Lines.

Express a personal style using meaningful personal touches such as mood-boosting colours and designs that are arresting or raise a smile.

The choice of material, the application and the non-traditional shapes create ambiguity and visual interest.



Consumer Products



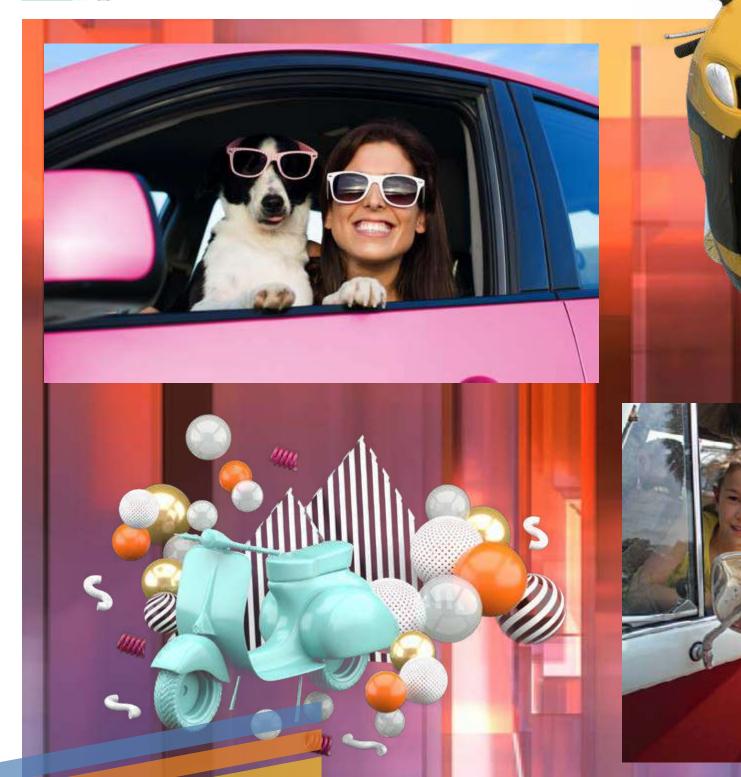
HAPPY SELF EXPRESSION

When made to address a cohort that expects joy and celebration, products must be created to meet their lifestyles and their sense of exuberant aesthetic.





Automotive



ATTITUDE: INNOVATIVE

With innovation as a driving attitude in its creative process, this theme equally embraces what is useful, good for you, and totally weird in the spirit of utmost personal expression.



Exterior Architecture



Painted in vivid colours, these houses are so joyous, yet functional.





Intriguing designs will take inspiration from digitally enhanced aesthetics, blurring the lines between real and virtual.



Interior Architecture



The inspired aesthetic favors original choices like joyful, eclectic-vibrant fabrics and quilts.

The materials come in incredible textures and quirky art pieces and are used to deliver uniqueness.

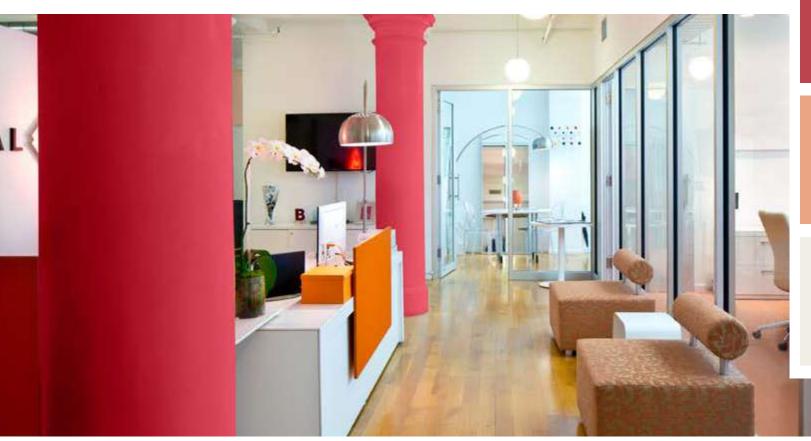




The home refresh takes on a vibrant aesthetic by playing with scale, pattern and colour hacks.



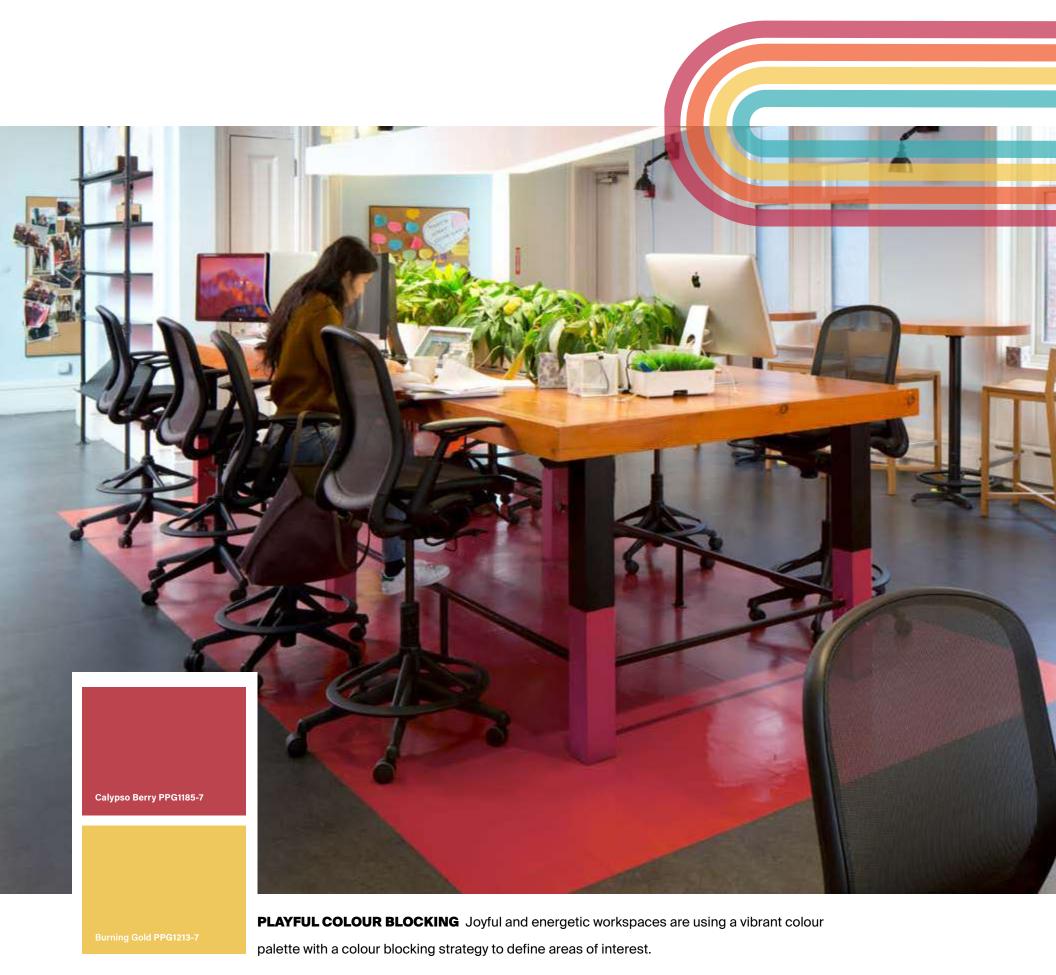
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Calypso Berry PPG1185-7

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YELLOWS

Yellow Coneflower PPG1209-5



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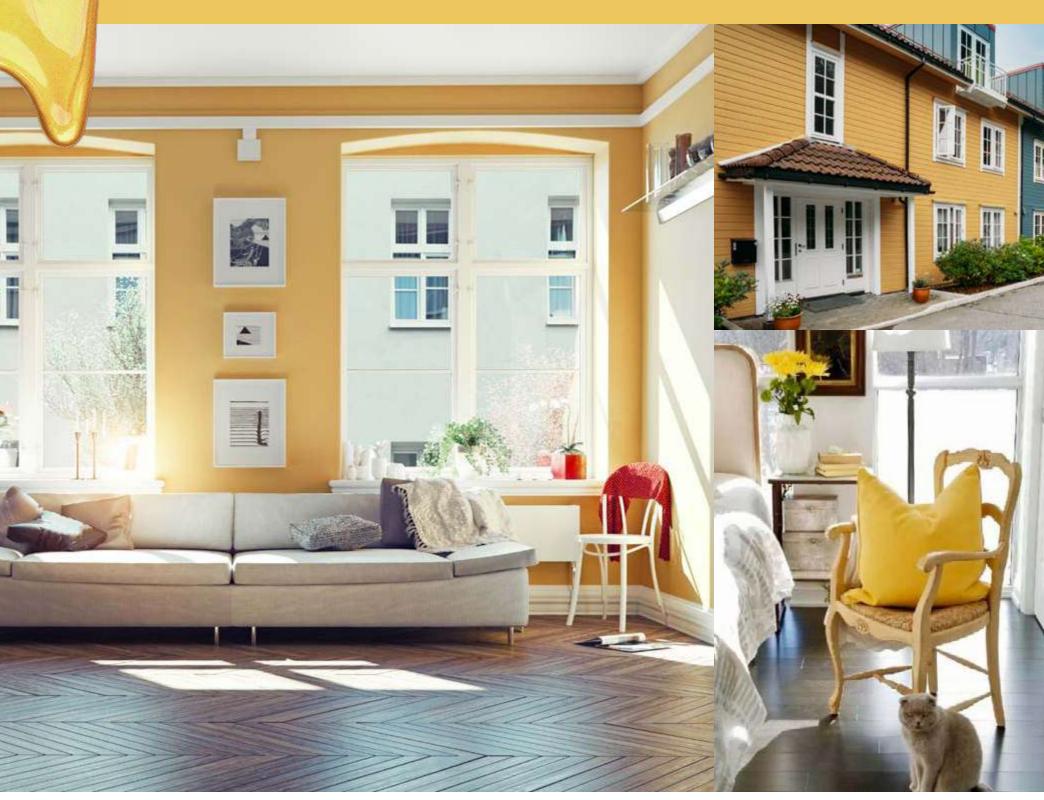
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Ancient Past PPG1093-5

DIRECTIONS PER COLOUR FAMILY



ORANGES

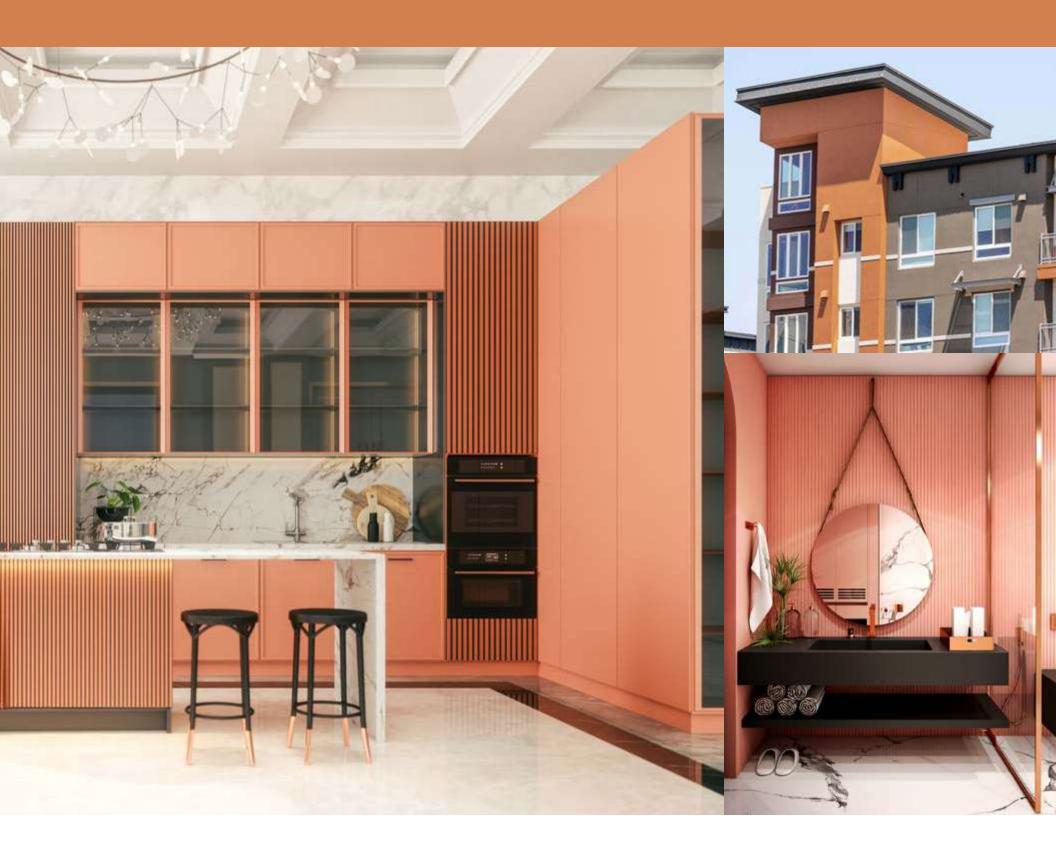
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Roman Bath PPG1198-5

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Ancient Copper PPG1063-7

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REDS

Calypso Berry PPG1185-7

Fruit Lattice PPG1188-7



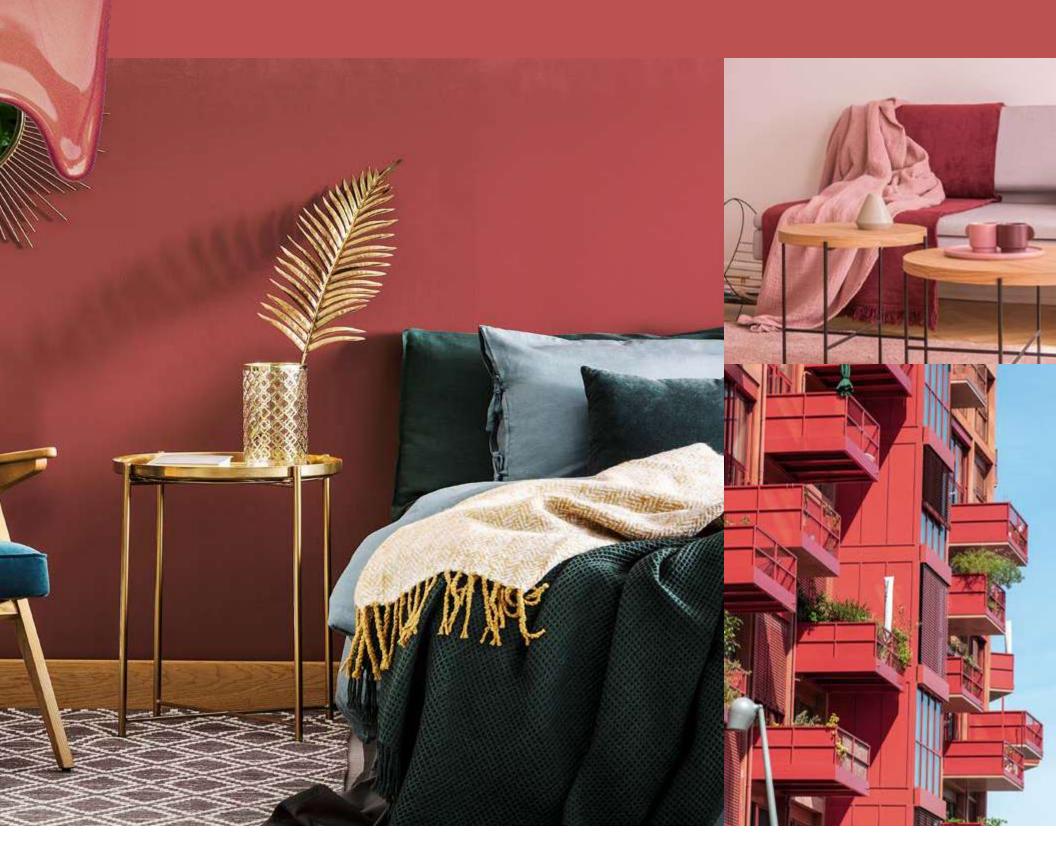
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SOFT PINKS

Mulberry Milk PPG1047-4

ose Souffle PPG1054-4



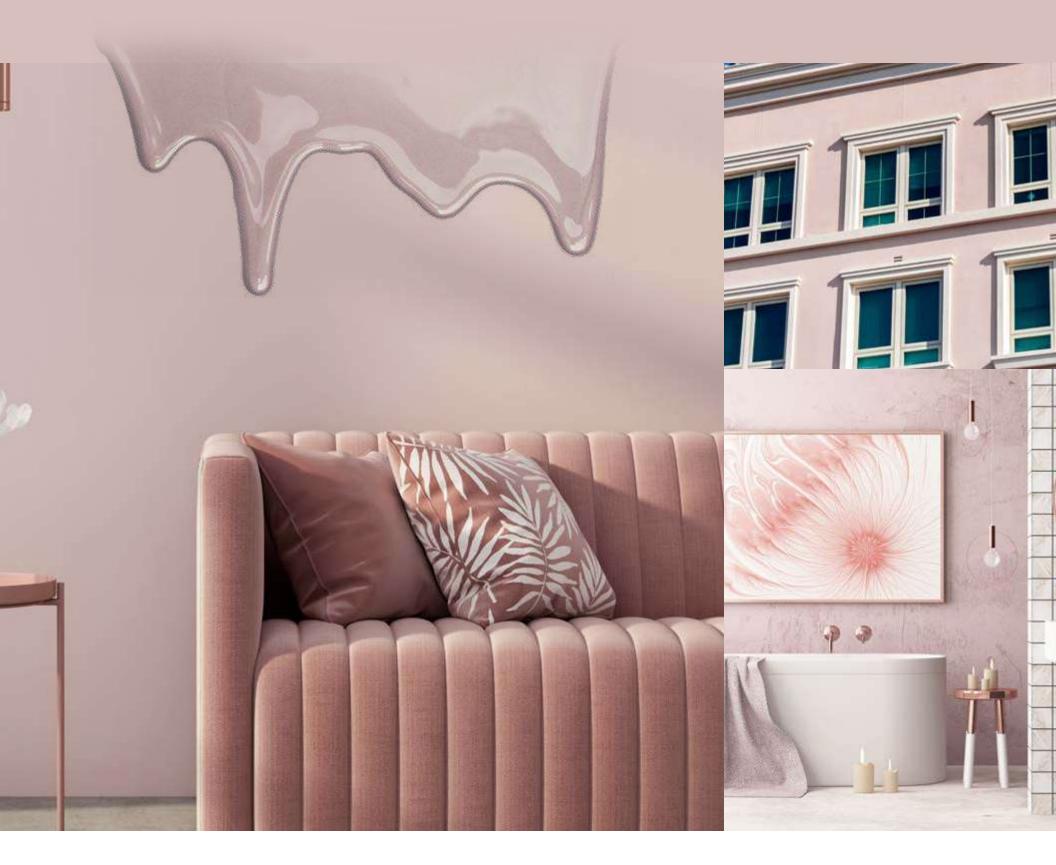
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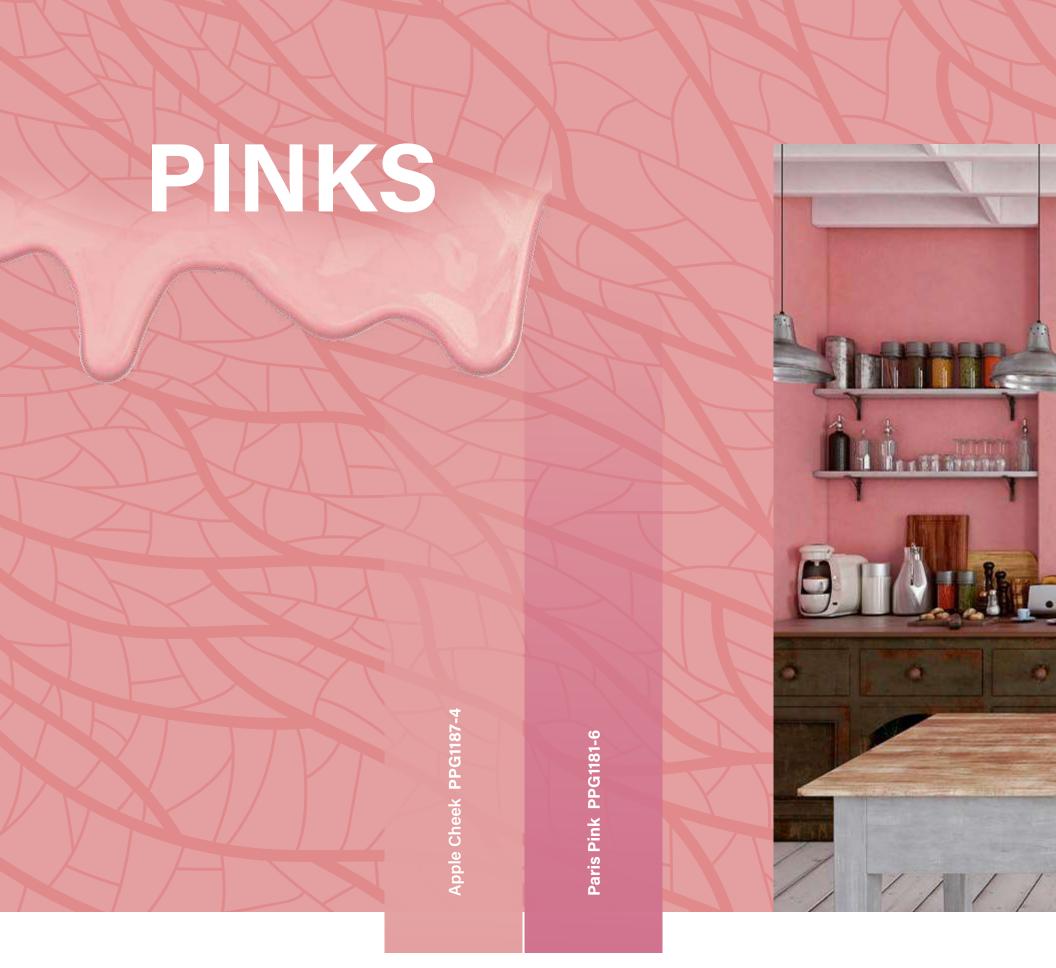
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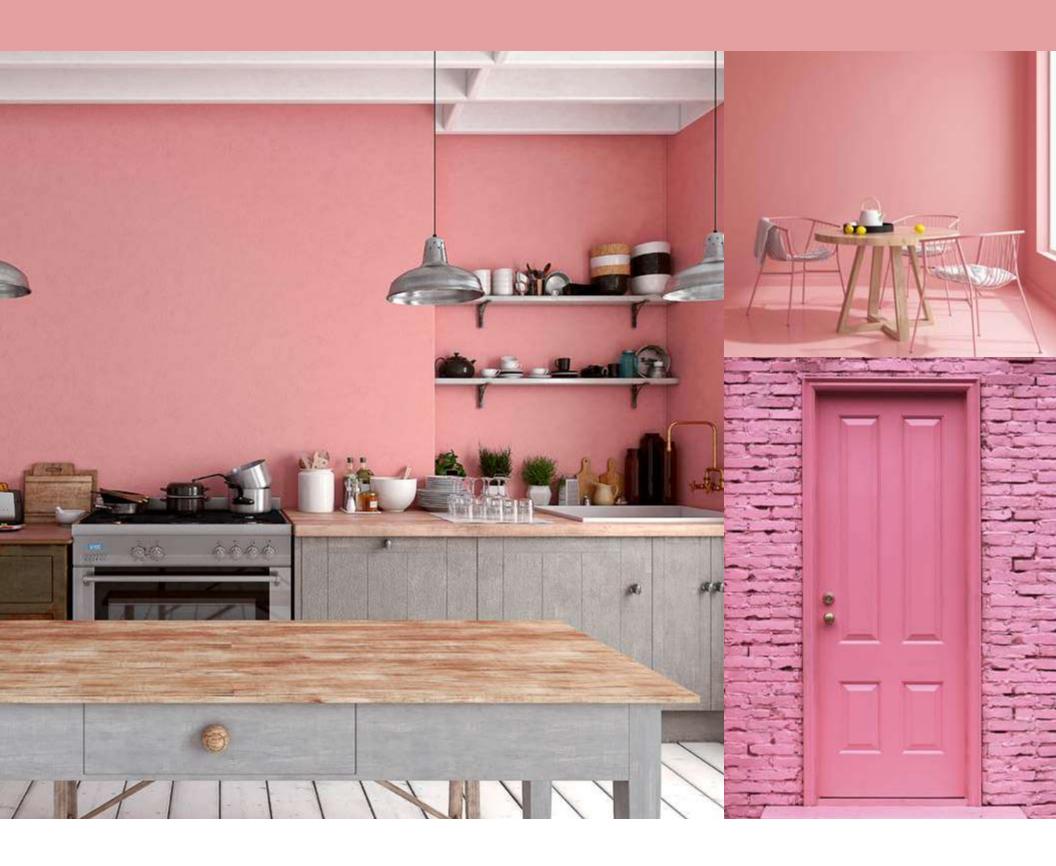
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DIRECTIONS PER COLOUR FAMILY





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BROWNS

Yorkshire Moor PPG1019-7

Patches PPG1024-6



PURPLES

Mirabella PPG1176-6

Silver Service PPG1004-4



Black Lily PPG1048-7



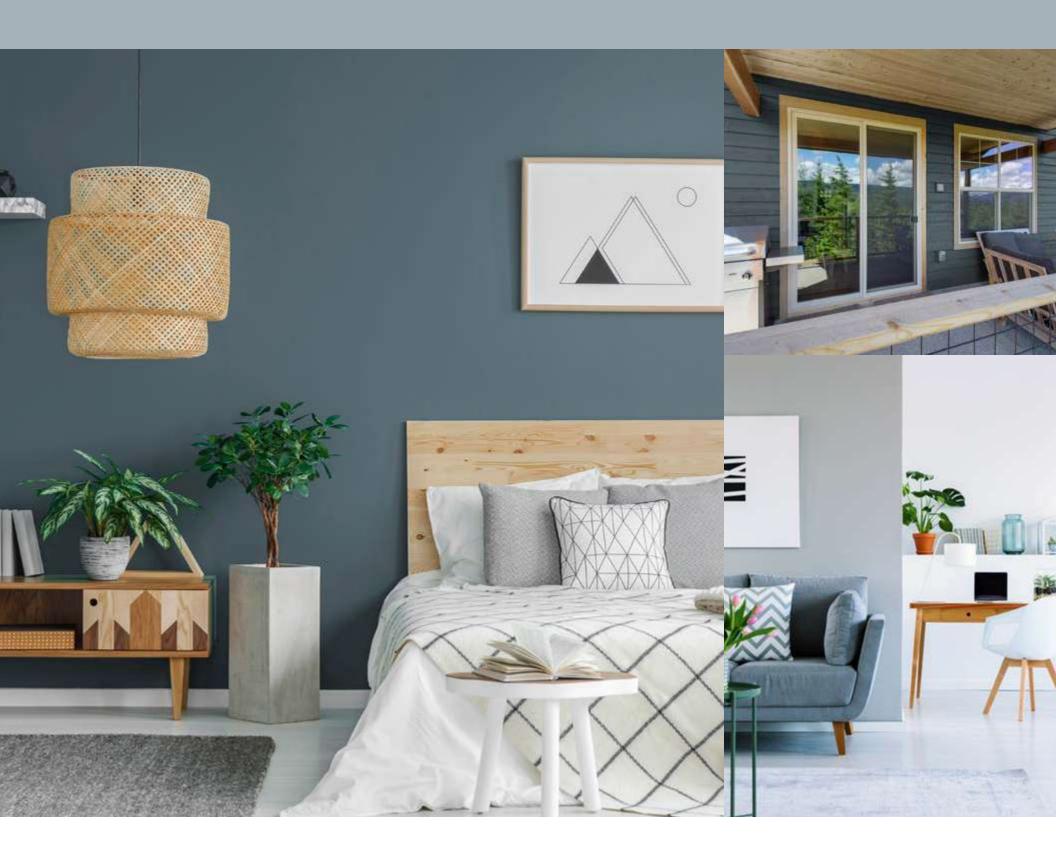
MUTED BLUES

Causeway PPG10-28



Dark Water PPG10-01

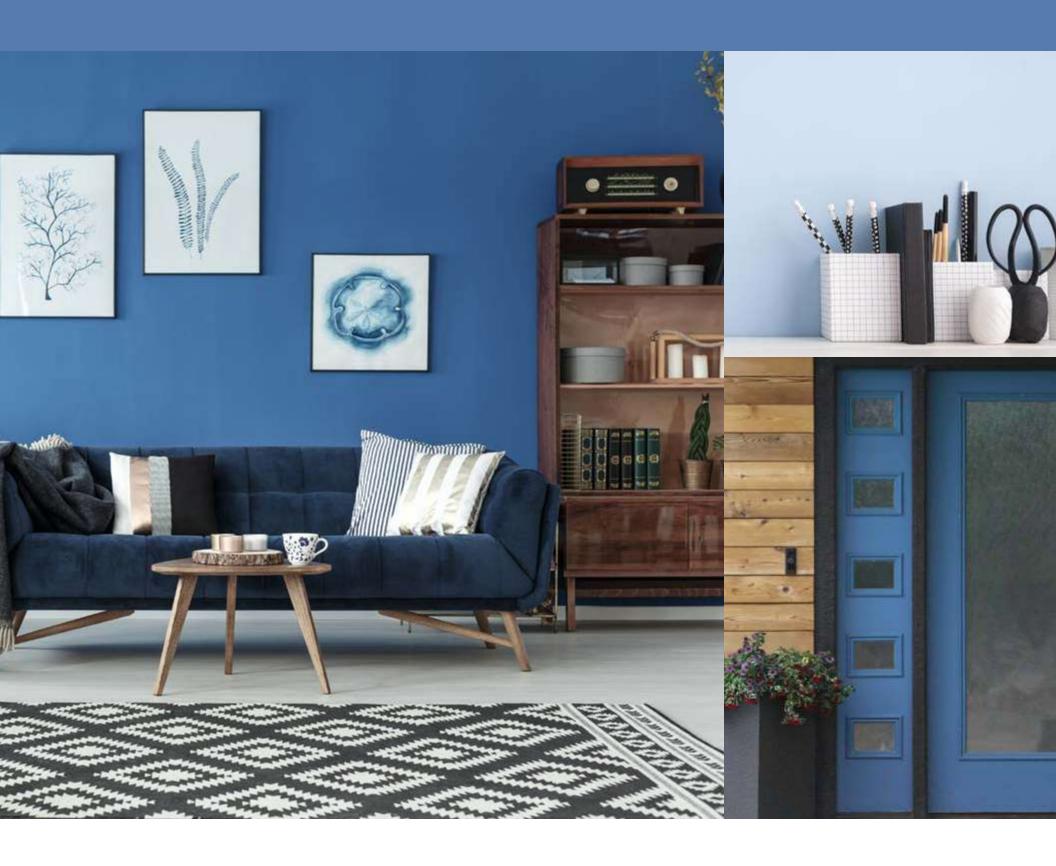
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BRILLIANT BLUES

Cenote PPG17-02





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VIVID AQUAMARINE

Isle Royale PPG1232-

Aloha PPG1229-5



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GREENS

Wistful Walk PPG11-15

Castle Stone PPG1128-7

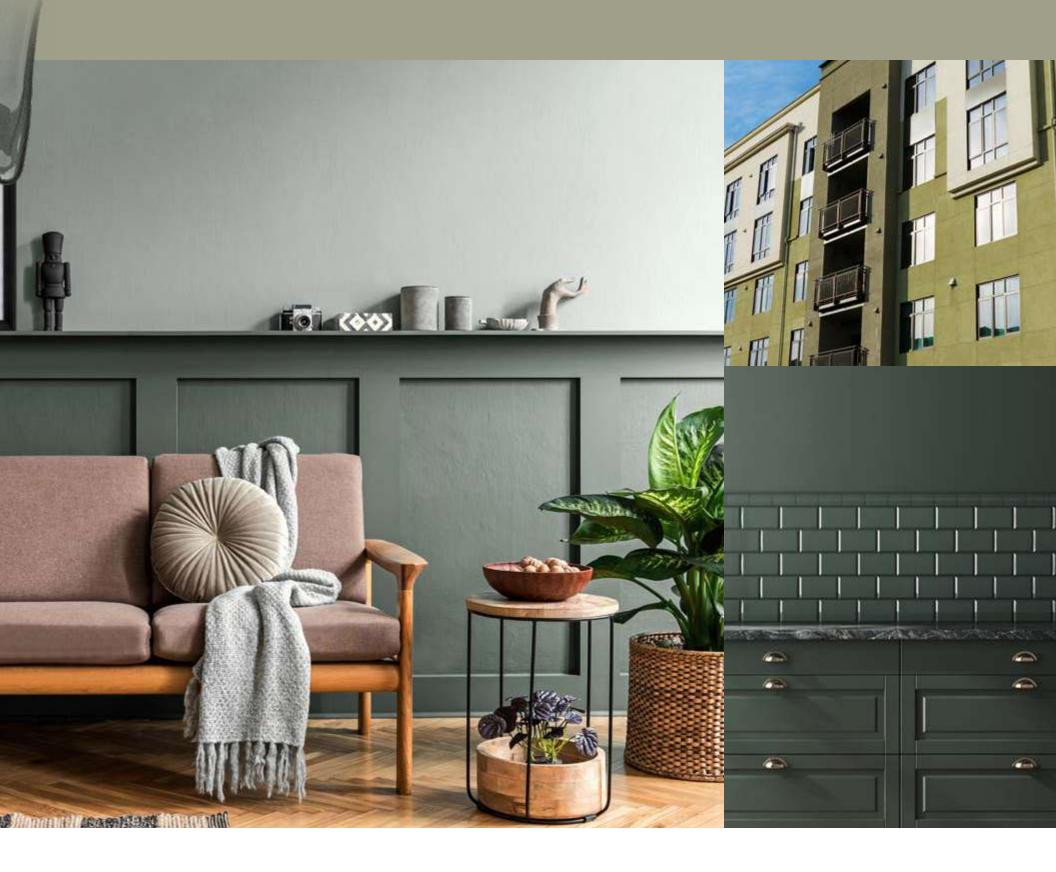
Dry Grass PPG1030-4

Follow The Flow



Maiden Grass PPG1121-5

Olive Sprig PPG1125-4



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Sweater Weather PPG0999-5

Stonehenge Greige PPG1024-5



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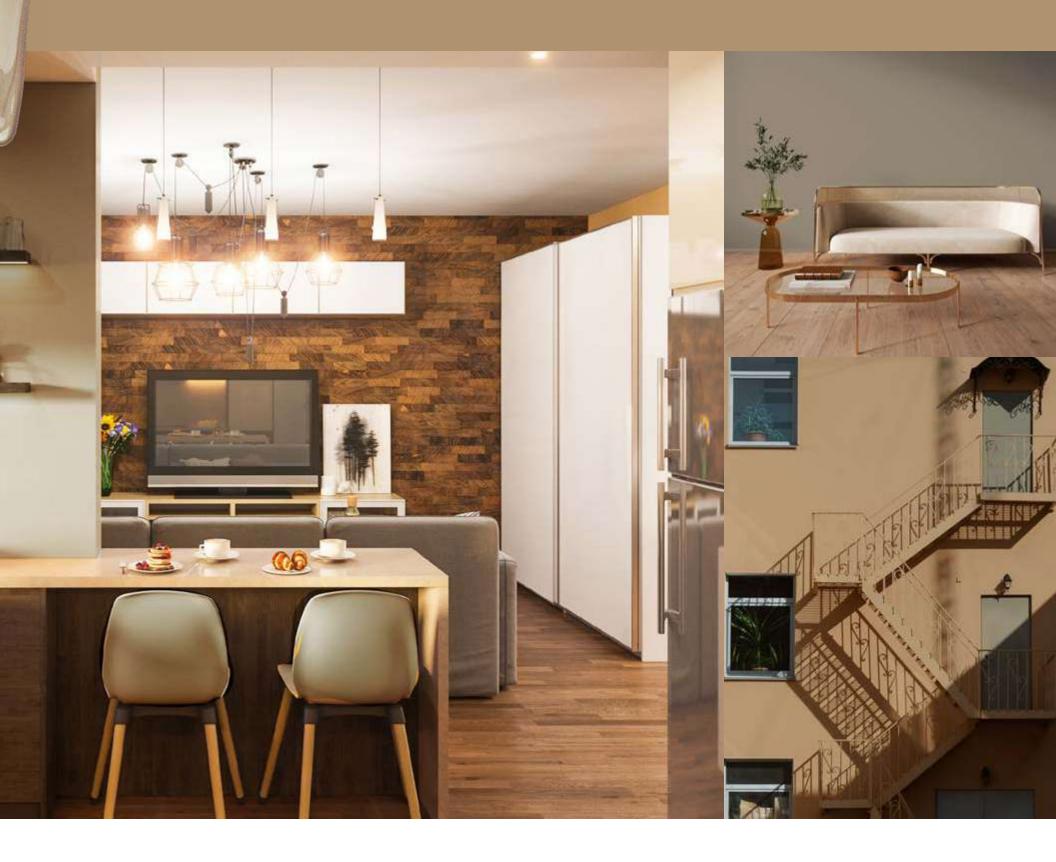
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WARM NEUTRALS

Bulgur Wheat PPG1094-6

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WHITES

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Cotton Tail PPG0998-1

Garlic Glove PPG18-09

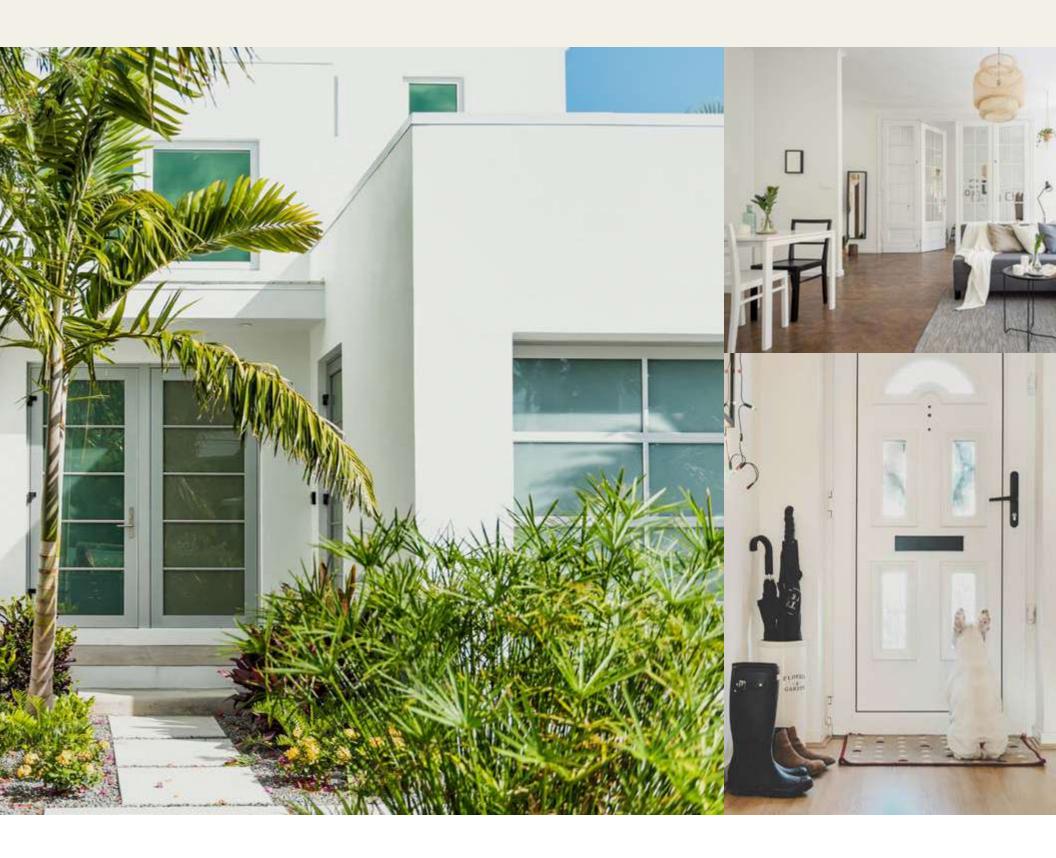
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BLACK & GRAYS

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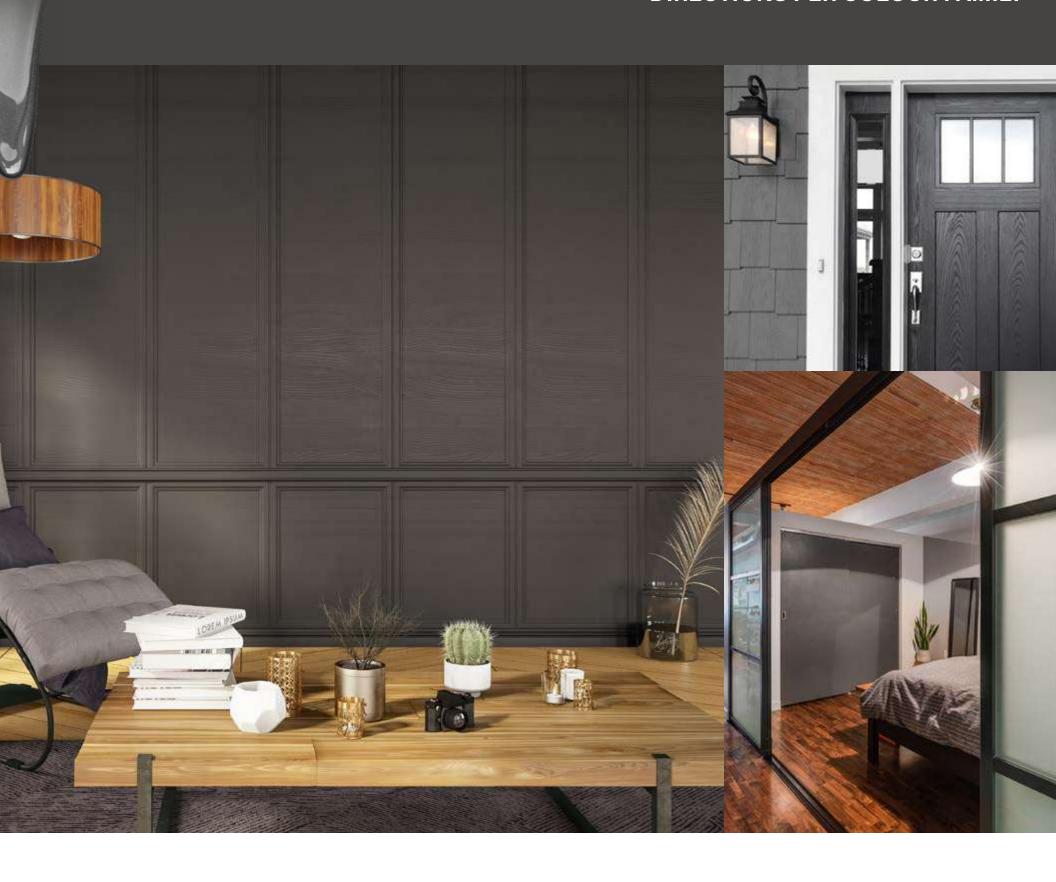
Spanish Cotton PPG1024-4

Ghost Writer PPG1007-3

Knight's Armor PPG1001-6

Half Dome PPG0994-3

Whiskers PPG1025-3



ESSENTIAL NEUTRALS

On the heel of our 2022 trend direction, we're highlighting 12 essential neutrals hand-picked by our team of colour experts.

These neutrals represent our most versatile and valuable canvas colours. Our experts chose each one of them for intrinsic quality.

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Whiskers PPG1025-3

Half Dome PPG0994-3

Patches PPG1024-6



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