Builder Banjo Phelan. Joinery Nu Space Joinery. Benchtop/island bench 'Magnesia' quartzite benchtop in leather finish from Artedomus. Splashback 'Yohen Border' variegated glazed ceramic tiles from Artedomus. Wall finish Dowel in Tasmanian oak by Porta with hand-stain. Flooring Polished concrete. Oven DGC7865 Miele steam combi oven in Obsidian Black from Winning Appliances. Sink Oliveri 'Spectra' single bowl single in Gun Metal from Winning Appliances. Tapware Brodware 'Halo' in Weathered Brass finish from Just Bathroomware. Cooktop/rangehood KMDA7633FL Miele induction cooktop with integrated extractor fan from Winning Appliances. Refrigerator/freezer Fisher & Paykel RS9120WRJI and RS9120WLJI 90cm integrated fridge/freezers from Winning Appliances. Dishwasher SCVI XXL Miele integrated dishwasher from Winning Appliances. Lighting 'Flute' ceramic wall light in speckled white gloss glaze from Anchor Ceramics. Furniture 'DC09' bar stools in waxed oak with brass footrest from Great Dane. Accessories Linen from Merci Paris. Cushions from Montmartre Store. Artwork by Leonie Barton.

SERVING AS A SECOND kitchen for a home in a beachside suburb, this design brief envisaged a sophisticated but casual lounge-style area. Michael Kilkeary, partner and design principal at Cadence & Co, wanted a rich textural feel that referenced the raw natural palette of the beach and landscape beyond. He chose a material palette deep in tone as a counterpoint to the extreme brightness of the sunlight and aimed to imbue the space with a sense of refuge. "This is a kitchen designed for entertaining and the capacity of these fridges allow for easy catering," he says. *What luxury items did you choose for this kitchen regardless of budget?* "Magnesia quartzite benchtops with a leather finish," says Michael. "The way the light catches the surface suggests the texture of sand as the waves recede. Also, the half-round oak dowel wall cladding, hand-stained by Nu Space Joinery, for its richness within the space and its casual luxe. The curved profile and waxed finish catch the light beautifully." *cadenceandco.com.au*



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