Beautiful KITCHENS

HIDDEN depths

BEAUTIFUL CABINETRY CONCEALS CLEVER STORAGE AND SLEEK APPLIANCES IN THIS SOPHISTICATED KITCHEN Words KYLIE JACKES Styling HOLLY IRVINE Photography RYAN LINNEGAR



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"CONTRASTING TEXTURES, DURABLE FINISHES AND A BOLD COLOUR PALETTE CREATES VISUAL INTEREST FOR THIS HIGH-USE ROOM" COCO REPUBLIC RESIDENTIAL INTERIOR DESIGN TEAM



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"THE KITCHEN CAN BE BOTH FUNCTIONAL AND STYLISH, WITH THE FLOW OF MANY HOUSES TREATING THE SPACE AS AN EXTENSION OF DINING AND LIVING AREAS" WAYNE CAMPBELL, SMEG AUSTRALIA Crucial details

ONCE WEIGHED DOWN BY HEAVY CABINETRY AND GRANITE BENCHTOPS, THE REVITALISED KITCHEN NOW FEATURES CUSTOM CABINETRY IN RESENE DENIM BLUE, SMARTSTONE HONED BLANCO NATURALE ON THE ISLAND AND VEINED NEW SAVIOR HONED LIMESTONE, FROM CDK STONE, ACROSS THE SPLASHBACK AND BACK BENCHES.



TUAL PAINT COLOUR MAY VARY ON APPLICATION

 What's cooking?

 GLAMING APPLIANCES

 Take Pride of Place

 WHERE ALL THE COOKING

 ATTION IS, INCLUDING

 THE SMEG 90CM

 CLASSIC AESTHETIC

 PYROLYTIC BUILT-IN

 OKEN ADD SMEG 90CM

 UNDER CUPBOARD

 RANGEHOOD, ALL FROM

 WINNING APPLIANCES

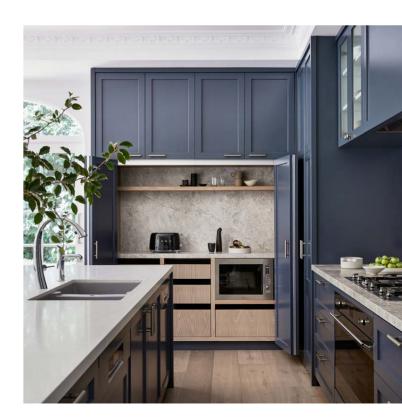
hen the Coco Republic Residential Interior Design Team were approached by a Sydney family to undertake a whole house renovation, the brief for the kitchen was a little different to the norm. Rather than enlarge the kitchen, the clients wanted to reduce its dominant footprint. "The original kitchen design had a disjointed layout, didn't allow for casual dining and took up a large portion of the living space, so the redesign improved spatial planning to enhance functionality," explains the Residential Interior Design Team. By shrinking its footprint, the new open-plan area is more versatile with the option for family meals at the new island bench, or in the sun-infused dining area opposite. The inclusion of savvy floor-to-ceiling cabinetry and an integrated appliance cupboard, which doubles as a prep space, maximised storage capacity, with the deep denim blue palette providing a revitalised punchy backdrop. The finishing touch to the new space was key furniture pieces sourced from Coco Republic. A trio of 'Markson' kitchen stools in Smoke add an elegant feel, while a 'Montara' marble topped dining table and 'Miam' dining chairs suit casual gatherings.

## Source book

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