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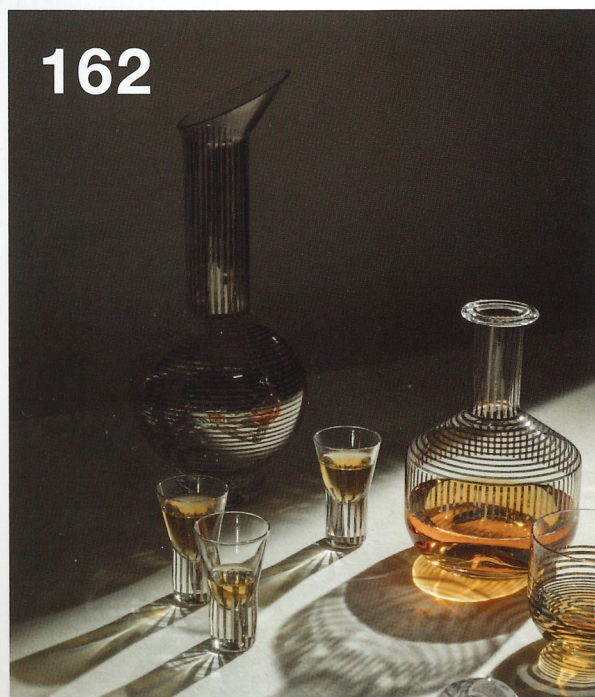
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CURTAIN CALL

“Woven textiles have been essential to the human living space to give comfort and warmth,” says Pascal Walter. “So it’s just natural to live with quality fabrics.” That philosophy is celebrated in the new Cosmopolitan PS range, the German textile designer’s third upholstery collection for Cetec. It brings together a tactile array of durable leather-look textiles as well as fine sheers and other fabrics inspired by Walter’s travels. Highlights include Marble, which features the beautiful veins of the titular natural stone; the fabric can also be custom-made in unique colourways. **Available at Cetec; cetec.com.hk**



CRUISING ALONG

Inspired by the movements of the moving sails of a sailing boat, the Limes bed from Saba Italia features a pair of headboards that can be adjusted to suit your preferred sleeping position; it can move sideways or tilted to provide back support while you’re reading or lounging in bed as you catch up on your favourite TV series. Its metal headboard comes in a glossy chromed finish and is upholstered with interweaving bands of fabric.

Available at P5 Studio; p5studio.com.sg

Wicker Magic

Cane furniture might seem old-school, but Gebrüder Thonet Vienna dispels that notion with the modern forms of its furniture collections. Its latest collaboration with London-based industrial designer Michael Anastassiades is no different: the N.200 lounge chair pairs woven cane with the sinuous curves of the bentwood frame, embodying the pure forms and graphic shapes that Anastassiades is known for.

Available at Space Furniture, spacefurniture.com.sg



Dressed to Impress

ADD DEPTH AND TEXTURE TO YOUR INTERIOR WITH FABRICS FROM THE NEW COSMOPOLITAN PS COLLECTION BY CETEC

Supporting influences from around the world, Cetec's wide spectrum of interior textiles, wall coverings, rugs and accessories are hand-picked based on stringent criteria centred around quality, design and durability.

Founded in 1964, the upholstery purveyor has developed timeless collections of fine sheers, drapery and leather-look textiles produced by traditional European mills; the firm also distributes fabrics

from time-honoured brands such as Ardecora, Etamine, Nobilis, Sahco, Travers and Zimmer+Rohde.

Its latest collection is no exception. Designed for Cetec by German textile designer Pascal Walter, the Cosmopolitan PS displays versatility and understated elegance. Consisting of nine fabrics with a staggering selection of 47 colours, the collection is crafted to inject a stylish and tactile touch to any residence or hotel.

LEFT TO RIGHT Shades of taupe and blush add to the romantic mood of the Cosmopolitan PS collection; the Sequence fabric can be used as curtains or on cushions; the Atlas textile features a two-tone effect and is available in myriad colours



LUXURY OF CHOICE

Designed to evoke the posh ambience of a cocktail bar or luxury hotel, the collection has an international appeal, while the "PS" in its name stands for "Performance and Style", underscoring the heritage and values of Cetec. Take for instance, the collection's Diamond fabric. A plain velvet embroidered with a diamond pattern, this fabric features the three-dimensional appearance of a quilted surface.

The Atlas is another versatile fabric—soft to the touch and more robust than meets the eye, it attracts attention with its two-tone effect. A flat-weave upholstery fabric, it consists of a mix of yarns meant to evoke natural textures.

WOVEN WONDER

The undisputed star of this new Cetec Collection is Sequence, a high-quality drapery fabric with bold horizontal stripes. Half of its stripes are fully embroidered, while the other half is made from a plain cotton sateen. This intricate mix is achieved through a delicate process of cutting and stitching the stripes one at a time. The result is a colourful fabric that adds vibrance to any room. 





1. Tom Dixon Wingback sofa, from Xtra 2. Cetec Collection Diamond upholstery fabric, from Cetec 3. Taylor cabinet by Carlo Colombo, from Flexform 4. ClassiCon Bell coffee tables by Sebastian Herkner, from Space Furniture 5. Saba Italia Ring coffee table by Serena Confalonieri, from P5 Studio 6. Long island sofa, from Roche Bobois



MODERN ROMANCE INSPIRED BY: PARIS

A rich heritage in design and art is one of the defining attributes of Paris, and this is proudly manifested in the Haussmann-era apartments. An effortlessly stylish mix of old and new is key—heirlooms and antique furniture are placed among contemporary pieces, while the ornate details of traditional mouldings and panellings are juxtaposed with symmetrical details and clean-lined furniture. Sumptuous without appearing flashy or over-the-top, a restrained glamour keeps this look evergreen.

KEY ELEMENTS

- Shiny finishes and metallic details such as brass, mirror and crystal

- A mix of contemporary and classical furnishings from different periods and styles

- Intricate architectural elements such as wall panelling and mouldings

- Plush upholstery and draperies that add to the rich textures of the interior

- Pops of jewel accents amid a sophisticated neutral palette