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Pool of light

One look at Omvivo's new Motif basin and you could almost forget the stresses of the world outside. Handcrafted in Australia, the basin is a combination of solid surface and a piece of hand-etched glass that floats above the benchtop, creating peaceful reflections of pattern and light on the vanity. Complementary pedestal bases and a choice of finishes are also available.

Bottom line Motif basin in Forest, Pebble or Kaleidoscope (shown here) patterns, priced from \$1799. Enquiries, Omvivo, (03) 9339 8130.



Illuminating

A good light fitting can make an impact in any space and the 28 chandelier, by Canadian architect Omer Arbel for Bocci, keeps the standard high with a fixture that appears to consist of light bubbles floating in midair. The pendants result from a glass-blowing technique whereby air is intermittently introduced into and then removed from a glass matrix, which is then heated and rapidly cooled. The result is a distorted spherical shape that houses a low-voltage lamp.

Bottom line \$5145 for a seven-sphere cluster at Hub. Hub, 66-72 Reservoir Street, Surry Hills, 9217 0700, hubfurniture.com.au.



Pack a punch

After almost 20 years in Melbourne, Tait Outdoor has opened a Sydney showroom, featuring locally made products plus its complete outdoor furniture selection, including the Good One range (pictured), a custom-made line of UV stable powder-coated coffee, dining or bar tables with matching benches and stackable stools.

Great for a shot of colour outdoors or in. **Bottom line** Good One table in Horizon Blue, priced from \$930, bench priced from \$650. Tait Outdoor, 611 Elizabeth Street, Redfern, 9310 1333, tait.biz.



Fits the mould

Casprini has elegant modern pieces that ooze modernity and sophistication. The Azhar 2 chair, created by Marcello Ziliani, has smooth, fluid curves that have been recently updated with blond timber legs that support the high-gloss seat.

Bottom line Chair with whitened oak wooden legs and white nylon shell seat, \$667. Insitu, 79 Myrtle Street, Chippendale, 9698 2290, insitufurniture.com.au.



On the outside

Lifestyle company SunnyLIFE never misses a beat when it comes to casual living. Its designs stand the test of time and are perfect for the beach or outdoors, with well-thought-out pieces that come in lovely fresh colours and patterns.

Bottom line Avoca melamine side plate, \$8.95; platter, \$24.95; tray, \$39.95; deep salad bowl, \$34.95 and salad servers, \$14.95.

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