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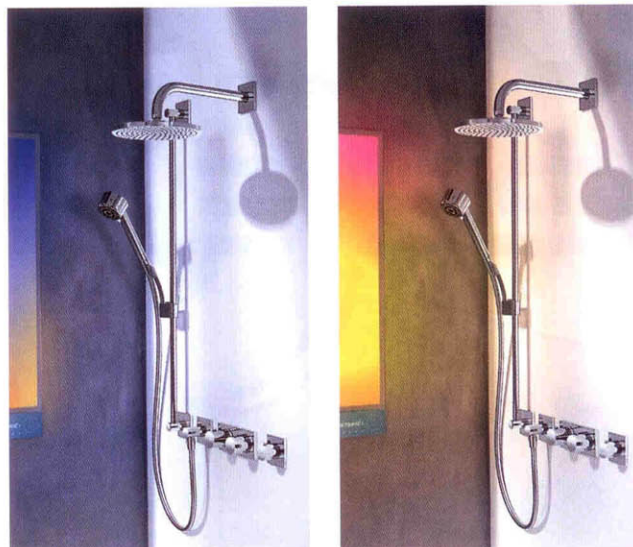


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HANSAFORSENSES

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HANSAFORSENSES is the new light, sound, and fragrance for the modern bathroom. The Light, Sound, and Aroma module system can universally be integrated into the structure of modern bathroom fittings to create a stimulating or a relaxing atmosphere while the sensual experience of bathing takes place.

HANSAFORSENSES Light module, integrated with LEDs, produces large, bright, multi-coloured blocks of light and shifting clouds of colour with a flowing motion. The Aroma module has refillable glass vials, which allow the user to use his/her preferred perfume; scented oil etc and the Hansaforsenses Sound module can be used as a stereo radio or MP3 player. Thanks to the unique 'wet touch' technology, the senses in these modules can be used with wet hands.



INIPI

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INIPI, the first-ever sauna from Duravit, is based on an ancient and sacred purification ceremony of the North American Indians. Designed by EOOS, Inipi represents the ultimate well-being bath concept, as it breaks out of the confines of the cellar, and brings the sauna to new areas of the home.

INIPI is so compact that it will fit into the bathroom or living area while still offering plenty of space inside for sitting and even lying down. The floor, wall, and ceiling are made of untreated wood, while the front is glazed. The heater and stones are integrated into the sauna but remain concealed behind a panel. As a refreshing option, the sauna can be combined with the Inipi Ama shower module.

Gushing and flowing

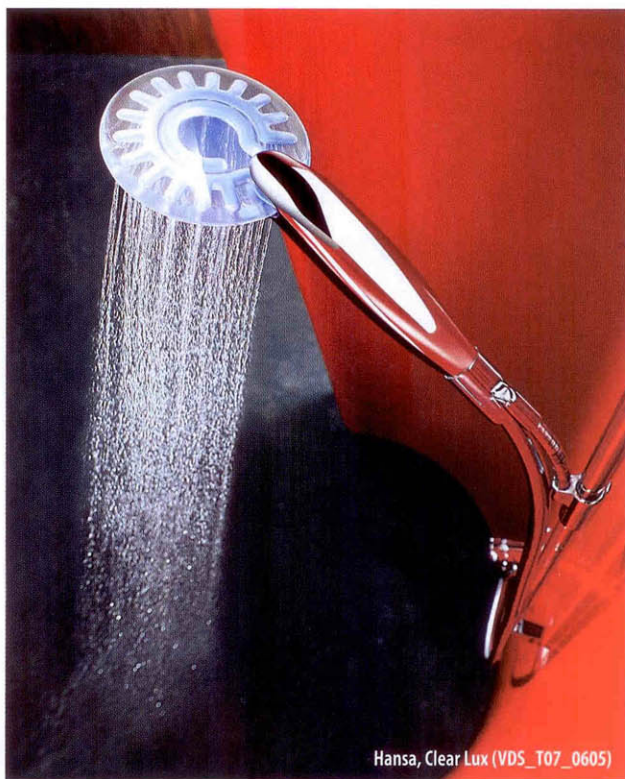
Cascade water flowing on the basin and bath imitate miniature waterfalls. Spouts, which are opened at the top depicts natural springs. Mixers that appear to consist of a single pipe that emerges from the wall and discharges the water straight into the basin, bring old wood or bamboo standpipes to mind.

Water dispensers with extra-high spouts are the ideal protagonists for spectacular scenographies. Their slender, elongated form, whether it grows straight out of the elegant designer basin or is staged as a stand alone on the console next to the classic-looking washbowl conveys both aesthetic sophistication and value.

Another concept that imitates nature are water dispensers, which rather than depicting the water as a directed or concentrated jet, allow it to pour over an edge, producing a wide, flat flow. One special variant on this theme is the Hansamurano series, which is equipped with modern sensor technology and presents the water as a transparent, vivacious surface. The water gushes out from the centre of a plate-shaped glass bowl before flowing over the edge in a soft, wide stream.

Glittering and glowing

Water and light are a beautiful natural spectacle that loses nothing of its fascination even when domesticated, certainly not in the bathroom, where the two join forces in a glittering double act. This combination is a feature of fittings that use LED technology to bring light and water together like the Colourshowers by Hansa. The resulting experience is not just visual but palpable as well.



Hansa, Clear Lux (VDS_T07_0605)

The same goes for the bath. Coloured spectral light or underwater spotlights add a shimmering glow to the water. Besides looking attractive, it can influence the body and soul as well. The colours have very different effects. Red hues activate our capabilities, yellow-green and green stand for harmony, which stimulate the mind, whilst blue is regarded as the colour of peace and conveys calm and relaxation.



Koralle, S 600 (VDS_T07_0602)

The pitter-patter of tiny drops

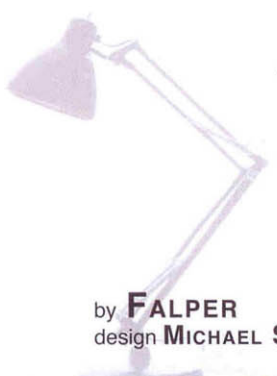
Parallel to the shower cabin's development from cramped wet unit to spacious walk-in facility, a wide range of new sprays have been launched. Side sprays, cascade sprays and special spray heads produce effects that are virtually identical to natural phenomena. Standing under a rainfall shower, totally surrounded by raindrops, one could easily think that they are standing under a warm, gentle summer rain. Thanks to some ingenious programming possibilities, a complete shower experience, including a mist effect, can be tailored to the user's personal preferences.

Hand showers, equipped with various jet and massage options, continue to remain in fashion as a form of practical support for the personal fitness programme. Not to be out done, the latest large-format showerheads are also offering additional effects as well.

Self-Immersion

The sheer fun of water can be cultivated even further by turning respect for water into an all-embracing agenda. Contact with water is elevated to the status of a ritual and thus returned to its origins. After all, as the source of life and a cleansing force, water plays an important role in most of the world's religions.

SCOOP



by **FALPER**
design **MICHAEL SCHMIDT**

The SCOOP bathtub, which won the *red dot award: product design 2007*, is a seductive sculpture for the modern bathroom. In harmony inside and out, Scoop seems to rise from the wall and blend perfectly with its surroundings while the soft touch matt colours highlight the extraordinary design of the bathtub. Made in Cristalplant, Scoop can be positioned against glass or in the centre of the room.

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