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## 5 BASIN INSTINCT

A stone basin from Amatuli was the inspiration for this vanity designed by Lloyd Cook of Pretoria. To support it, he had a unit custom made in powder-coated steel with sandblasted oak shelves for texture and added castors to the legs. “They provide extra detail and give the impression that it’s a freestanding piece,” he explains. An arched mirror offsets the straight lines.

## 6 AFRICAN IDYLL

“An antique washstand inherited with this house in the countryside

made the perfect vanity,” explains interior designer Danela Conti who enhanced it with patterned tiles from Moroccan Warehouse and grass-cloth wallcovering. “I placed the basin to one side and balanced it with a wood-framed mirror.” Adding an organic element is the beaded chandelier made in Danela’s studio.

## 7 VANITY FAIR

You can give a vanity more of a dressing table style by choosing a mirrored or Perspex table as the base. Dramatic wallpaper, Maryse by Thibaut



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from St Leger & Viney shows off a glamorous mirror and completing the opulent look is a padded stool. **GH**

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