

## Light and Shadow in Dialogue

Matte white and matte black are stylish additions to TOTO's range of colour and texture options for the popular RP Toilet, WASHLET RW and asymmetrical TA Vessel.



*A matte finish transforms how ceramics look and feel: They're smoother and softer but still retain their clean lines. TOTO has added two matte finishes in black and white to highlight the dialogue between light and shadow – simultaneously understated, yet expressive. The result is a language of form that enhances private bathrooms as well as sophisticated commercial spaces, from hotels and exclusive restaurants to representative areas in public buildings.*

TOTO is expanding the collections of selected ceramic products to include two new versions with matte finishes: The RP Toilet, WASHLET RW and the symmetrical TA Vessel are now available in matte black and matte white. These ceramic products come with coordinating push plates and remote controls in matte black or white. The timelessly elegant ZL Faucet is also available in matte black and brushed nickel. Equipped with these new options, it's possible to create a variety of different material and colour schemes – from streamlined, monochromatic solutions to warm, textured accents.

### Matte black: strikingly elegant

The matte black finish gives ceramics a certain depth and presence in the space. The velvety surface reduces reflections, elevating the lines and geometry of each object. Strong and composed, matte black is especially effective in both minimalist and high-contrast bathroom designs. The RP Toilet and WASHLET RW featuring this finish are intentional design elements that lend structure without dominating the room.

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### Matte white: effortlessly minimalist

The same products are timelessly minimalist in matte white. They bring an effortless and understated lightness to the bathroom, making the space appear larger. The matte finish surface makes the ceramics almost feel cozy – enhancing the feel of a streamlined bathroom design that reflects the Japanese values of balance and moderation. At the same time, TOTO is giving designers more flexibility and freedom to create uniquely creative concepts. These versatile ceramics are flexible, elegant solutions for modern bathrooms that complement all kinds of interiors and designs.

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**1** The elegant matte black colour and finish brings stylish contrasts to the bath that underscore modern designs. WASHLET RW – TOTO's top model – and the TA Vessel are now available in this timeless colour. The coordinating push plate, WASHLET remote control and ZL Faucet complete the look. Photo: TOTO

**2** The TOTO RP Toilet in matte black features the efficient TORNADO FLUSH to meet the highest hygiene standards – plus a flawless design that showcases the subtle interplay of colour and texture. Photo: TOTO

**3** TOTO WASHLET RW in luxurious matte black pairs extraordinary comfort with elegant design and advanced hygiene. The matte, velvety texture lends sophistication and depth to the bathroom. This stylish eye-catcher includes all the features people expect from WASHLET – for an unparalleled feeling of comfort with every use. Photo: TOTO

**4** The iconic TA Vessel from TOTO now elevates the company's product portfolio in matte black as well. Made of TOTO's extra-slim Linearceram material, the new finish enhances the slender lines of this design icon – giving it impressive depth. Photo: TOTO

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**5** Reinterpreted in matte white, these fresh, light TOTO ceramics blend effortlessly into every bathroom. The elegant RP Toilet and asymmetrical TA Vessel are radiant in this modern white finish. The coordinating push plate completes the overall look. Photo: TOTO

**6** TOTO's RP Toilet in matte white is a timeless highlight with broad appeal thanks to its velvety look and outstanding hygienic features. Understatedly elegant, it complements all types of bathroom designs. Photo: TOTO

**7** TOTO WASHLET RW offers the ultimate in comfort, design and hygiene – now available in elegant matte white. The velvety texture provides subtle accents in sophisticated bathrooms. Including features like gentle intimate cleansing, an integrated dryer, heated seat and automatic odour absorption, every visit to the toilet enhances the user's well-being. Photo: TOTO

**8** TOTO's asymmetrical TA Vessel in exquisite matte white makes a chic design statement in the bathroom. Its special design and extra-slim Linearceram material give the washbasin a soft, delicate look. It's a highlight in every bathroom. Photo: TOTO

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### About TOTO Europe

TOTO, one of the world's leading sanitary ware companies with 36,000 employees world-wide, has an unwavering focus on people and their well-being. Since its foundation in Kitakyushu, Japan in 1917, TOTO has been developing, producing and marketing its comprehensive high-end bathroom concepts – entering the European market in 2009. The company aims to create a new attitude towards life through regeneration, comfort and hygiene, integrating easy-to-use technologies into their product designs in a smart, nearly invisible way. Japan's leading manufacturer in the sector, TOTO offers a comprehensive range of products including ceramic sanitary ware, faucets and accessories. The company can look back on over 40 years of success in developing and manufacturing WASHLET, having sold over 60 million of them world-wide so far.

TOTO is strongly committed to improving people's well-being – as well as that of our planet. TOTO joined Initiative RE100 with the goal of becoming an emission-free company and is working towards achieving carbon neutrality at all its locations by 2050 – primarily through the consistent use of renewable energies. In 2021, TOTO received certification from the Science Based Targets Initiative (SBTi) for adopting targets in line with Paris Climate Accord. By selling and developing products that save water, the company is helping conserve resources each and every day. Sustainable products will make up 83% of TOTO's portfolio by 2030 – with innovative technologies dramatically cutting water consumption. With these steps, TOTO is pursuing complete climate neutrality by 2050 – see our Integrated Report 2024 for more details.

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