

# **Cover story**Design

### THE HIS AND HER BATH

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## Two vanities means twice as nice or double the trouble?

Twin vanities are absolutely worth it as far as I'm concerned (on a personal level). If you have the space you should definitely have twin vanities keeping personal and oral hygiene in mind. In case there isn't enough space you can opt for automated vanities with adjustable heights. We did this in a project to make it ergonomically suitable, since the man was 6 ft tall while the woman just 5'2".

### What has been done in this bath?

This bathroom has stand out colours, it has been ergonomically designed, and its twin vanities give individualised spaces, yet there's a common space (for both to use) in between. Beige, black and touches of gold complete the colour palette. The mirrors give an illusion of space and two levels of ceilings further add to this.

#### Common faux pas

What fits for one does not fit for everyone. People become designers overnight by using reference images. They show you images of a 600 sq ft bathroom while they have an 80 or 90 sq ft space to be designed. People need to understand scheming and refer to the right scales.

**Approximate cost** A good designer can deliver results in any budget

