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by Symphony®



Bon
appetit

H O M E , I N H A R M O N Y W I T H Y O U

The kitchen is the heart of the home,
the hub of the household
and a space to bring people together.
A place to experiment, create and entertain
without any limitations.

We have created an innovative collection of kitchens,
that can be designed to your requirements
and is ideal for multi-generational households.
Our kitchens combine functionality and style
by offering you the freedom of independence in your kitchen
whilst combining a selection of beautiful finishes
to create a kitchen perfect for you.

Welcome to Freedom.

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A HISTORY OF QUALITY

Welcome to the Freedom brand of kitchens from Symphony. Symphony is one of the UK's largest suppliers of fitted kitchen, bedroom and bathroom furniture. As a market leader with over 45 years' experience we are constantly investing in ways to improve our products, service and sustainable manufacturing principles to create the perfect living space.



DESIGN THAT DEMANDS ATTENTION

A Freedom kitchen effortlessly integrates new interior trends with unsurpassed functionality. Combining innovative design principles with expertly curated cabinets to create a space that embraces warmth and personality.



HIGHEST STANDARDS

Symphony is a fully accredited member of FIRA, the Furniture Industry Research Association. All our kitchen furniture passes the FIRA Gold product certification and ongoing auditing procedures continuously benchmark our performance. Symphony is also accredited with a full Forest Stewardship Council (FSC®) chain of custody.



QUALITY CRAFTSMANSHIP

Symphony's production facility in the UK sets the benchmark for the whole UK furniture industry.

It boasts some of Europe's most advanced manufacturing and assembly technology, and all Freedom kitchens are made to the most stringent quality standards.

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IN COLLABORATION
WITH ADAM THOMAS

Adam Thomas is the UK's leading designer of accessible kitchens, with an unrivalled reputation for his innovative designs; Adam set the standards for the industry.

With over 35 years of personal experience alongside years of research, Adam has developed a set of design principles that can be applied to suit each individual's requirements. Adam's work has helped transform lives by empowering his clients with a sense of independence. He has raised the bar for accessible kitchens to demand that they are both practical and stylish.

Working in partnership with Adam Thomas Consultancy, Symphony has incorporated these design principles to develop a collection of kitchens that are both attractive, accessible and empowering.

A C H I E V E M E N T S

Lecturer at Bucks New University,
FDA Kitchen Design Degree

Winner, KBSA Accessible/Inclusive
Designer of the Year Award, 2015

Co-author, Wheelchair Housing Design Guide
(WHDG), 3rd Edition 2018 – Joint Project:
Habinteg & Centre for Accessible Environments

Named as one of the top 10 influencers
for 'access and equality' in the 2014
Disability Influence list

Co-author of the Mayor of London's
'Private Sector Wheelchair Housing
Design Guide'

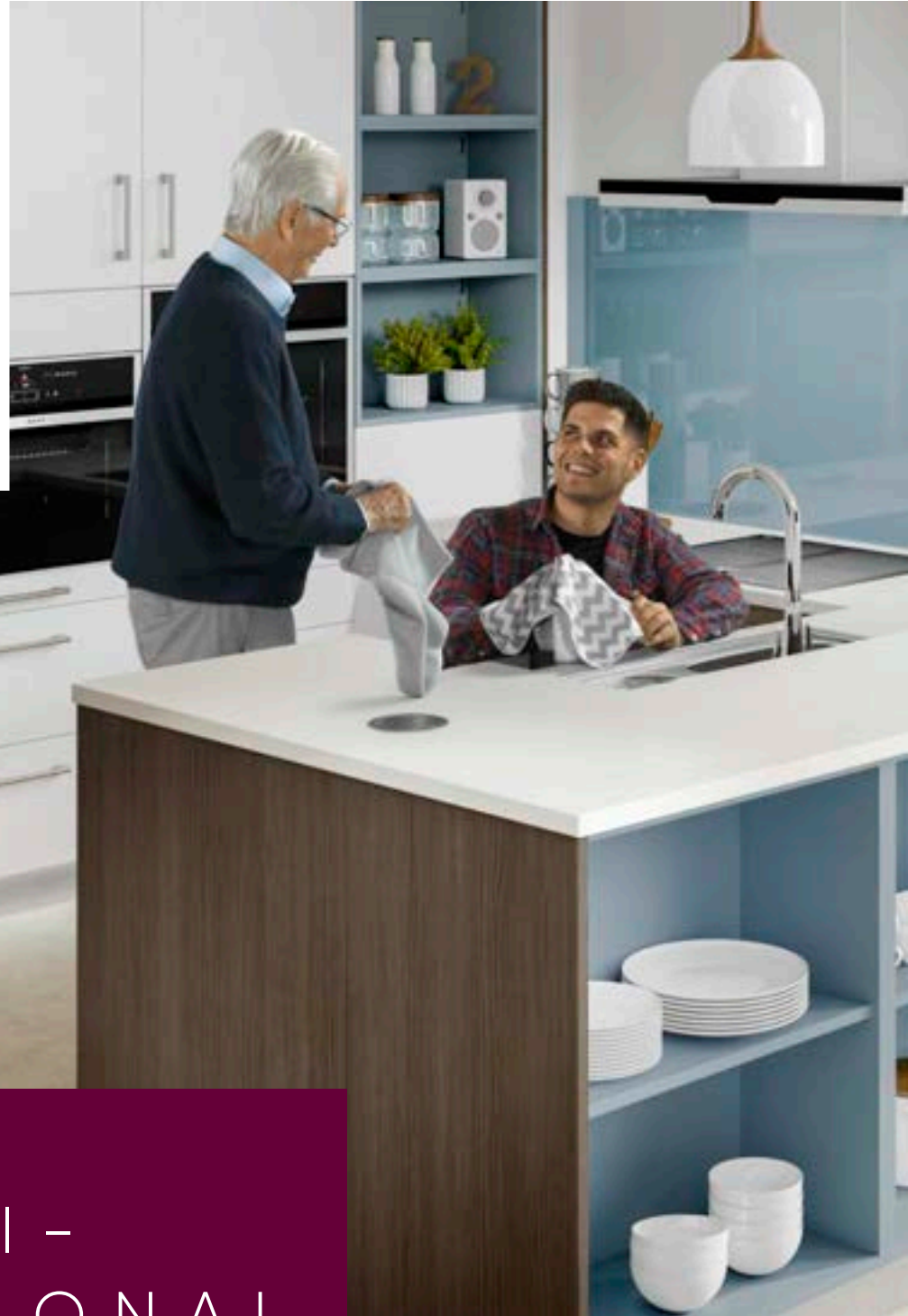
Head consultant of accessible kitchens
for the competitor village at the
London 2012 Games

Selected as one of Britain's most influential
disabled people in the Power 100 List 2015

Winner of the inaugural 'Designer Award
for Accessible Kitchens 2006',
KBB Review Industry Awards

*My ambition is to change the face of accessible
kitchen design, enabling 'access for all' by designing
flexible, high quality kitchens that solve the problems
no one else will tackle.*





MULTI- GENERATIONAL

The joy of a family coming together cannot be matched. Our new collection allows all generations to enjoy a space without limitations. Freedom creates an environment where socialising, entertaining and interacting comes as second nature.



DESIGNER TIP

It is important to consider who is going to be interacting in the kitchen. By factoring this in at an early stage, the space can be created that is accessible for all.









DESIGN PRINCIPLES

An accessible design should be tailored to the needs of its user. Each space should be truly fit for purpose, using fundamental design principles to achieve the most inspiring space that encompasses safety, style and flexibility.

DESIGNER TIP

Whether renovation, extension or new build the kitchen footprint and design should be planned at an early stage. Enough space should be provided to create an accessible kitchen, therefore the positioning of doors, windows, boilers and radiators needs to be carefully considered.

1500mm Turning circle

Safety

A fundamental principle of inclusive design is ensuring safety throughout. This needs to be considered at every stage of planning and includes the layout of kitchen cabinets to the height of ovens and work surfaces. Features such as waterfall edge worktops and induction hobs are highly recommended whilst the contrast in colour between frontals, worktops, floors and walls will assist users with visual impairments.



Style

Style should never be compromised in a Freedom design. Using a combination of finishes on tall and base cabinets ensure a modern style. Finish the look with statement worktops and essential accessories such as lighting and drawer organisers.



Flexibility

Features such as electric rise and fall worktops and wall cabinets can be adjusted by the user. Innovative oven housings, pull-out tables and pull-out wirework can be included alongside standard cabinets to create a space for independence.





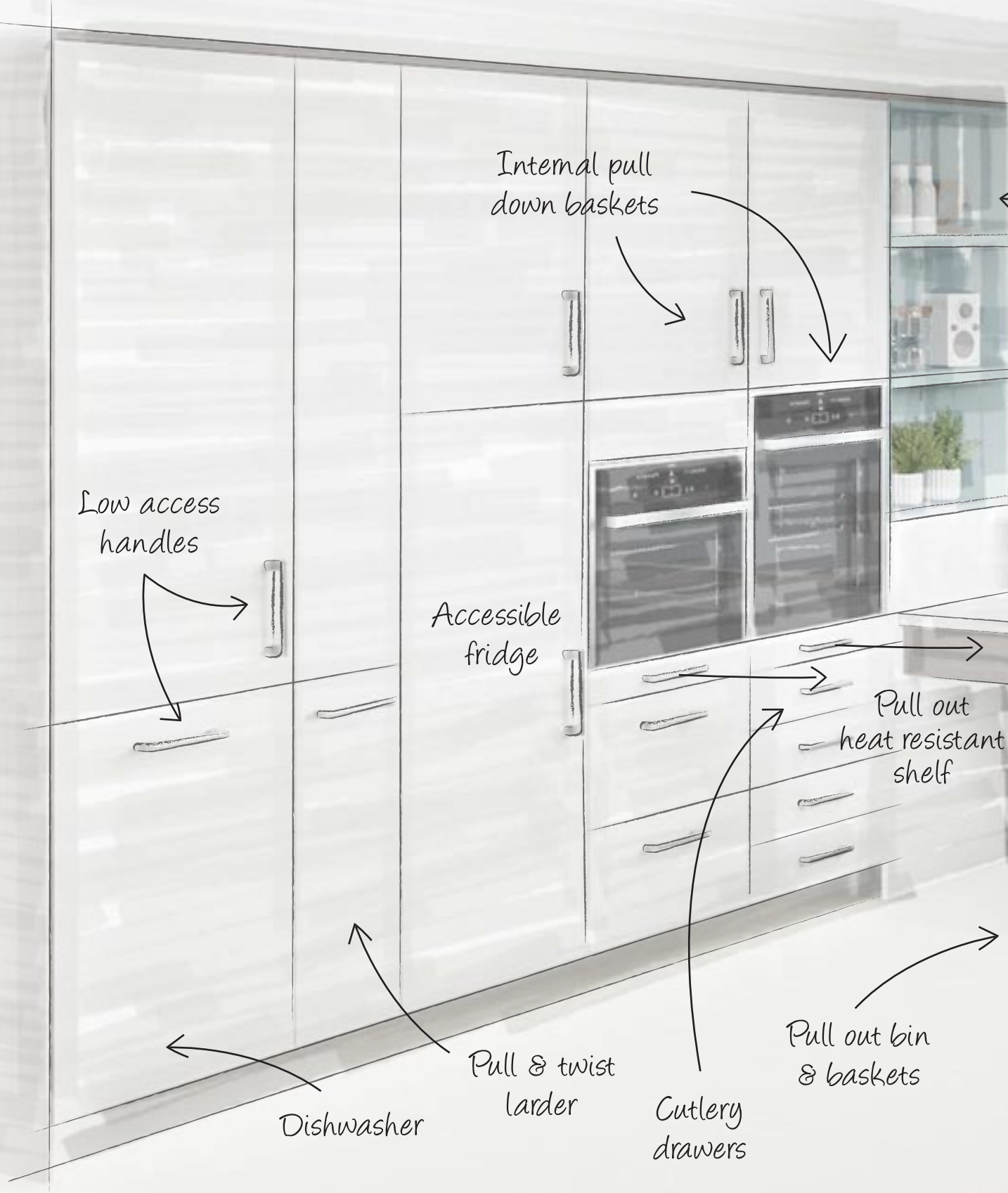
DESIGN

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The footprint of this kitchen lends itself to a design that utilises a right angle rise and fall work surface. This innovative feature means that the performance and flexibility of this kitchen is achieved whilst also offering an attractive open plan style peninsula design.

The requirements of each user have been considered to create a kitchen that best reflects their lifestyle, whilst personal taste has been embraced throughout with the use of light finishes and colourful accents.

Design 1



Low access handles

Internal pull down baskets

Accessible fridge

Pull out heat resistant shelf

Pull out bin & baskets

Dishwasher

Pull & twist larder

Cutlery drawers





Display cabinets

Remote control extractor

Rise & fall worktop for sink & hob

Waterfall edged worktop

Pop up socket

Open cabinets

Metallic plinth









Freedom kitchens utilise clever design features that enable comfortable, safe use of the kitchen and greater access to cabinet contents.

This design incorporates features that help reduce reaching, crouching or bending and can be adjusted to suit each person using the kitchen.

Our waterfall edge worktops can reduce serious injuries caused by spillages in the kitchen by up to 75%.





Cabinet contents can be made more accessible with drawers and pull-down options.

Our pull and twist larder ensures that items can be accessed and provides plenty of storage capacity, whilst pull-down baskets are ideal for higher cabinets.



The right-angle rise and fall feature subtly combines with the kitchen peninsula and bank of tall cabinets in this design, generating a truly inclusive kitchen without compromising on the modern feel throughout.

Slide and hide ovens that feature full extension shelves enables transfer of items in and out the appliance. Pull out shelves under ovens provide convenient heatproof resting space where required.

A dishwasher can be designed into the tall bank of cabinets so that storage space in the kitchen is maximised.





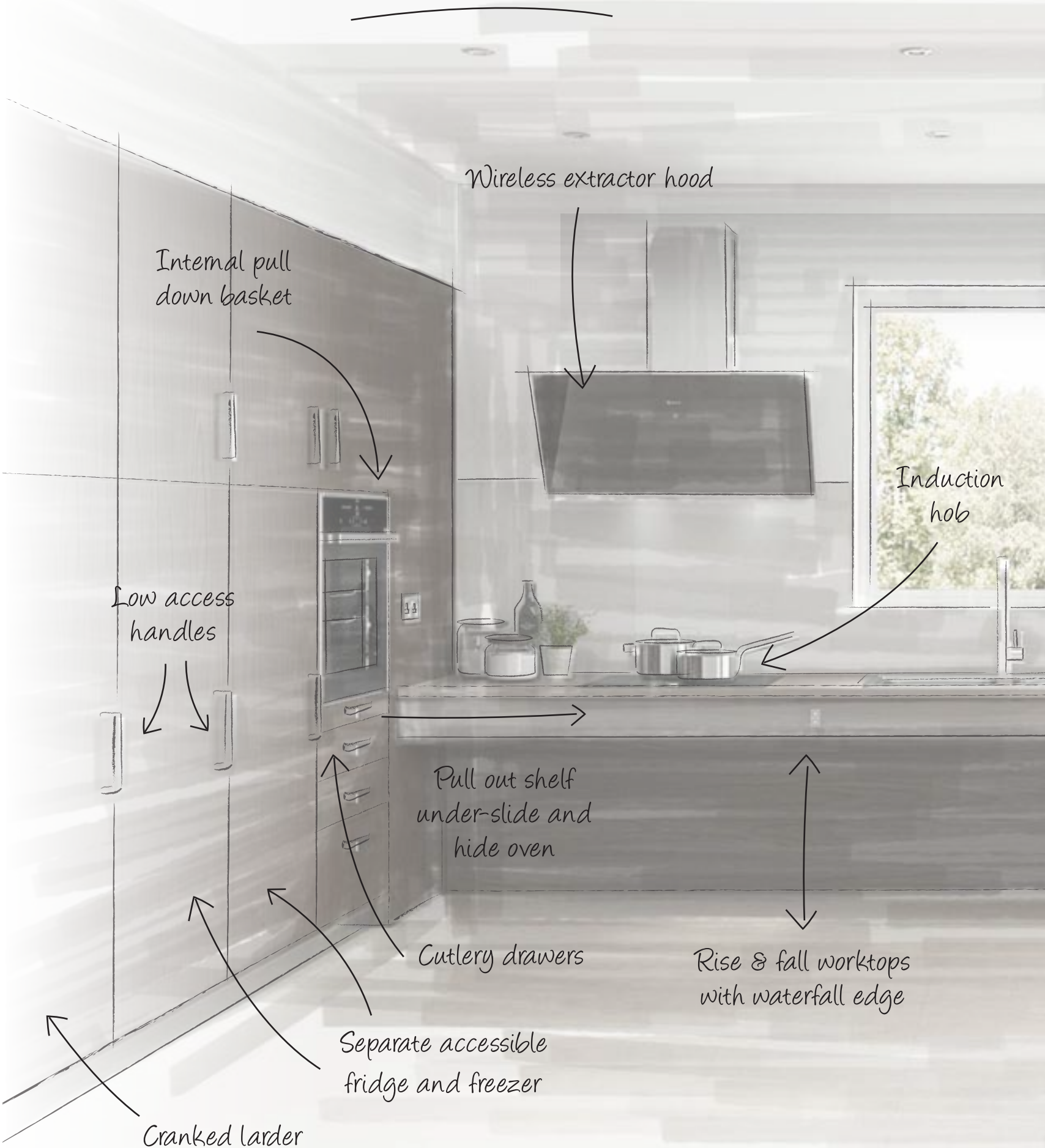
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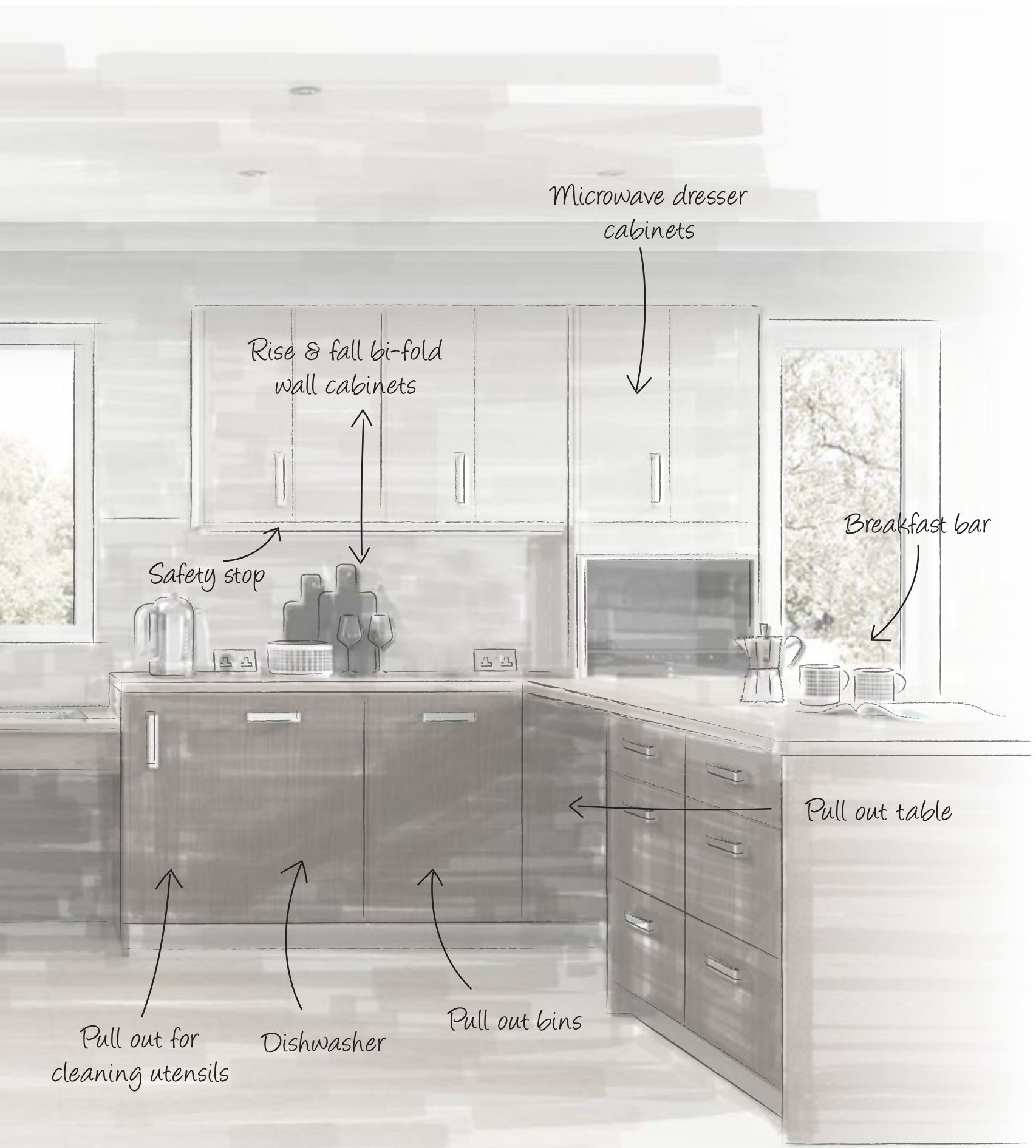
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The amount of space available for this design lends itself perfectly to a straight one-piece rise and fall worktop. A modern feel has been created with the selection of finishes and clever hidden features have been incorporated to maximise accessibility.

By creating an environment with all the desirable attributes, the family can use this space freely with no restrictions on functionality.

Design 2





Microwave dresser cabinets

Rise & fall bi-fold wall cabinets

Safety stop

Breakfast bar

Pull out table

Pull out for cleaning utensils

Dishwasher

Pull out bins











Rise and fall worktop and electric wall cabinets have been included in this family kitchen, ensuring everyone can comfortably access the features in the design.

Wall cabinet access may also be improved with the uses of pull-down baskets which ensures higher level storage can be accessed above appliance housings.





A bank of cabinets looks striking and encourages the use of all available space and helps achieve maximum storage capacity.

Pull out tables can be used for dining or food preparation, creating additional space where limited.



Moving items out of a hot oven can be made safer by combining Freedom appliance housings with slide and hide ovens. Our appliance housings include a heat resistant pull-out shelf to aid the transfer of hot pans and trays from the oven to the worktop, reducing the need to carry items long distances.







FINISHING TOUCHES

We know that the finishing touches make all the difference. Once you've picked your kitchen, you can personalise it to your heart's content with a selection of handles and work surfaces.



FINISHES

Gloss, Matt and Woodgrain styles, there is a variety of finishes to select from.

Austin
Painted Ivory



Alta
Gloss Pure White



Alta
Gloss Mussel



Alta
Gloss Dusk Grey



Alta
Gloss Pearl Grey



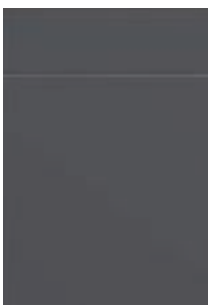
Alta
Matt Rustic Oak



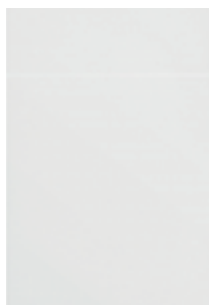
Alta
Matt Dark Walnut



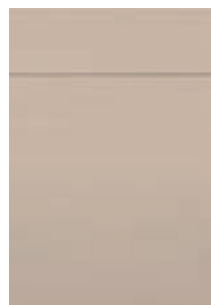
Alta
Matt Anthracite



Alta
Matt Pure White



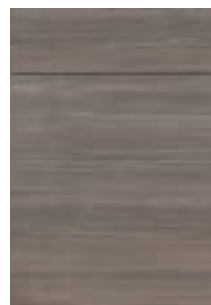
Plaza
Cashmere



Plaza
Porcelain



Minnesota
Avola Grey



Virginia
Oak



Light Reflective Values (LRV)

Symphony has worked in partnership with the Royal National Institute of Blind People (RNIB) to assess the light reflective values (LRVs) of the Freedom range.

Effective colour contrast is one way in which the ability to detect different surfaces can be achieved, making it easier and safer to move about and use the environment.

If the difference in LRV is greater than 30 then it is likely that the difference between the surfaces should be visible in all light conditions.



Work Surfaces

22mm PVC Edged	LRV
Brazilia	18.2
Dark Oak	21.6
Designer White	81
Light Ash	43.2
Rustic Oak	44.8
Mystic Pine	17.8
25mm Solid Surface	LRV
Glacier White	81
Amazonian Brown	24
Nimbus Grey	10.8
40mm Premium	LRV
Cinnamon	24
Colmar Oak	22
Liberty Rock	10.8
Volcanic Ash	18
Woodstone	65
Chalet Oak	23
Cloudy Cement	41.2
Platinum Metallic	12

Door Finishes

Gloss Options	LRV
Alta Gloss White	80.00
Alta Gloss Mussel	64.00
Alta Gloss Dusk Grey	21.00
Alta Gloss Pearl Grey	50.00
Matt Options	LRV
Alta Matt Anthracite	12.00
Alta Matt Pure White	77.00
Alta Dark Walnut	9.20
Alta Rustic Oak	45.00
Austin Ivory	84.00
Plaza Cashmere	54.00
Plaza Porcelain	74.00
Virginia	29.00
Minnesota	18.00

WORK SURFACES

Durable and with easy-clean technology, our range of work surfaces offers individuality in your kitchen.



25mm Solid Surface Countertops

A selection of stunning and highly versatile countertops made from a 25mm acrylic composite material which is impact resistant and water repellent. Available with or without waterfall edge. Also available as matching upstands and splashbacks.

Amazonia Brown



Nimbus Grey



White



40mm Premium Postformed Work Surfaces

Our range of premium worktops have been developed to have a modern radius of 3mm for a more contemporary look and feel. Also available as matching upstands and splashbacks.

Cinnamon



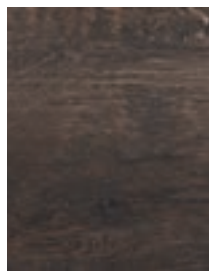
Colmar Oak



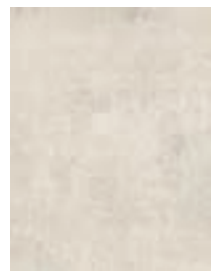
Liberty Rock



Volcanic Ash



Woodstone



Cloudy Cement



22mm PVC Edged Work Surfaces

Thin worktops are very popular in modern kitchen design so our 22mm worktops are an on-trend choice. Also available as matching upstands and splashbacks.

Brazilia



Dark Oak



Designer White



Chalet Oak



Platinum Metallic



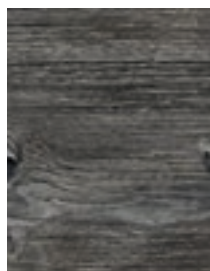
Light Ash



Rustic Oak



Mystic Pine



*Not available with a waterfall edge.

*Not available with a waterfall edge.



HANDLES

Our handles have been hand picked to create a selection that complement our frontals and are ergonomic to use.



Gothic D Handle
HPK Code 346



Steel Bar Handle
HPK Code 354



Titanium Bow Handle
HPK Code 413



Curve Box Polished Chrome Handle
HPK Code 445



Satin Nickel Strap Handle
HPK Code 447



Polished Chrome D Handle
HPK Code 448



Vintage Nickel Pewter Handle
HPK Code 629



Stainless Steel Barrel D Handle
HPK Code 630



Matt Brushed Nickel Arch Handle
HPK Code 631



Aluminium Arch Handle
HPK Code 633



Polished Chrome Chunky Bridge Handle
HPK Code 640



Brushed Nickel Arched Handle
HPK Code 645



Chrome Satin & Nickel Handle
HPK Code 674



Patterned Gunmetal Bar Handle
HPK Code 734



Traditional Chrome D Handle
HPK Code 752



Matt Nickel Bar Handle
HPK Code 646



Aluminium Inline Trim



Chrome Wave Inline Trim



Inset Handle



Stainless Steel D Handle with Window Insert
HPK Code 460

Large easy grip handle that reminds the user of cabinet contents. For inserts for handle window order PVCHDLINS.

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Find the look

Browse online and in magazines to find the look you want to achieve, then use this brochure to see how our products can bring your vision to life.

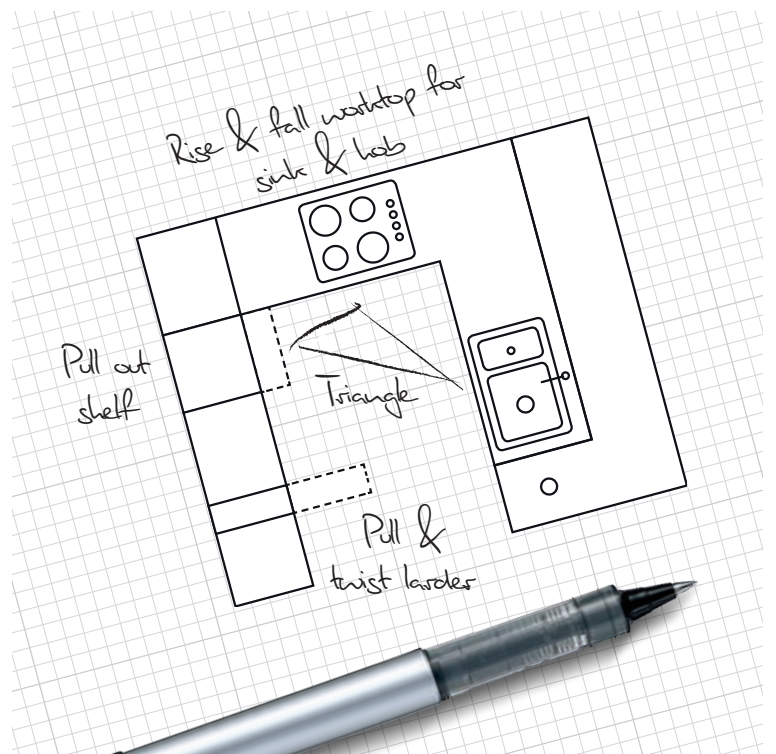


CREATE
YOUR DREAM
KITCHEN
IN 5 EASY
STEPS

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Plan your design

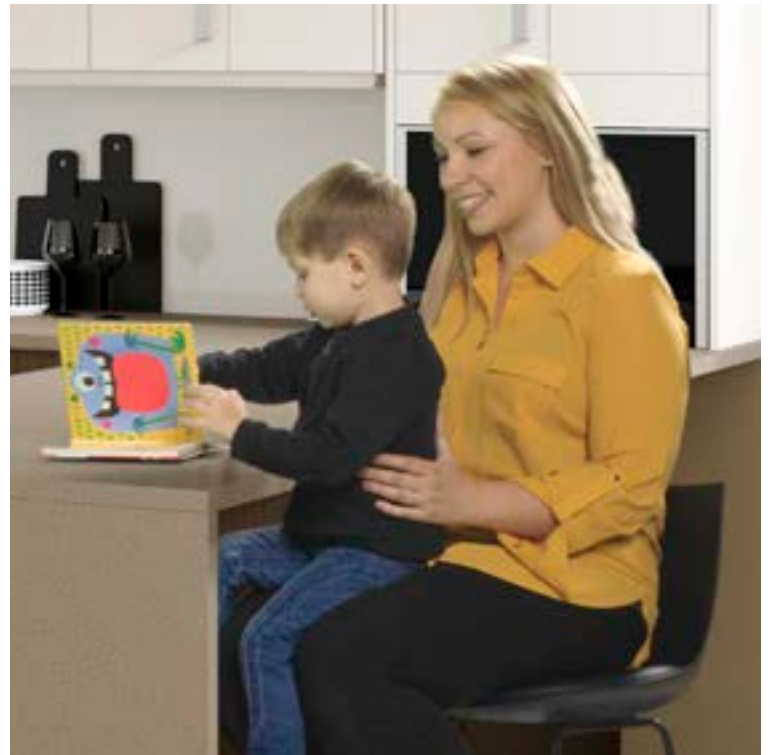
It is important to look at the available space to understand the style you can achieve. Does this space lend itself to a U or L- shaped kitchen? Will you be able to provide enough worktop space? Where will storage space be?



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Choose a kitchen to suit your lifestyle

Now is the time to decide if you are looking for an area to entertain or for the ideal space to fit the family. The design needs to fit your life so it is important you think about what you would like to do in the space.



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What features will you need?

Will you design a rise and fall worktop or would a fixed worktop with electric wall cabinets be more practical? Our handpicked offer means you will not need to compromise on providing great access to the kitchen.

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Talk to our experts

All designers are equipped with a wealth of knowledge in accessible design. They know how to select a range of products to suit your requirements and can advise on how you can create the perfect look for a dream kitchen.









TRAINING THE EXPERTS

Adam Thomas has trained each Freedom designer using proven techniques and principles developed through over 35 years of kitchen design.

This means all our designers are fully equipped with industry-leading knowledge to ensure the very best in design is passed on to you. Our aim is to lead the way in inclusive design with a mission to ensure everyone has a kitchen they can use independently.

Through ongoing collaboration and support Adam is helping to ensure each Freedom kitchen is created with independence, flexibility, safety and style.



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