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Laundry
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HOW TO
ORGANIZE & DECORATE
THE LAUNDRY ROOM

It's every homeowner's dream: a pretty, pint-sized and perfectly organized laundry room that works hard so you don't have to.

IT'S laundry TIME

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Doing the weekly wash (and drying, and ironing, and folding, and mending) is no glam task. Maybe that's why we so often overlook the laundry room when decorating the rest of the house. The truth is a well-designed space makes these must-do tasks easier to accomplish, and if the room's as pretty and stylish as this one, laundry day might become your favourite day of the week.

This chic space by designer Jean Stéphane Beauchamp makes up for in style what it lacks in square footage. Shaker-style cabinets in minty blue not only provide tons of storage but elevate your mood with their fresh-as-a-spring-day hue. A backsplash of glossy black oversize subway tiles are a great counterpoint to the light-hearted blue and serve as a fun modern twist on a retro look. A black curtain rod suspended from upper cabinetry echoes the black accents and provides crucial hanging space, as does the drying rack by the window. Its clever collapsible design lets you fold it down when not in use – a bonus in tight quarters. Soft, subtle touches of grey – in the durable, low-maintenance floor tiles, the cabinetry hardware and sink fixtures, and banding the sunny yellow window blind – offer a neutral backdrop to the room's punchy blue, black and white palette.



Maximize countertop space for folding laundry by opting for a small but deep sink for hand washing delicates.



To increase the pretty factor and maximize countertop space for folding, accessories are kept to a minimum. The few that are displayed are both functional and fun. How smart and stylish is it to turn a glass beverage jar into a laundry soap dispenser? A wide-stripe rug, vintage-style glass jars and an antique washboard provide finishing touches that give this modern hard-working room timeless charm.

DESIGN, STYLING, Jean Stéphane Beauchamp Design; **CABINETS**, Ouimet Design; **TILES**, Ramacieri; **HAMPER**, **LINEN WATER**, **LIQUID SOAP**, **HAND CREAM**, **CLOTH**, **TABLECLOTH**, **LAVENDER BAGS**, Qui Dort Dine; **RUG**, Tapis H. Lalonde; **BLINDS**, Jean Stéphane Beauchamp Design (design) and Théo Décor (fabric); white metal **TRAY**, **BRUSHES**, Boutique M; galvanized steel **CAKE STAND**, glass **JARS** and **MEASURING CUPS**, Arthur Quentin; **WOODEN SCOOP** for soap flakes, Guy Lemyre; **POSTER** and **VINTAGE CLOTHESPIN**, Etsy; **PAINT**, Blue Ground (cabinets), Borrowed Light (walls), Farrow & Ball; **FLOWERS ZEN**, le pouvoir des fleurs; **WASHBOARD**, Antiquité Michel Prince.