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The ripe red of summer tomatoes. The glowing yellow of a garden filled with tulips. The blinding blue of tropical waters. Lush hues can be so gratifying – visually and emotionally – so why do they intimidate us when it comes time to decorate our homes? Does this yellow match that green? Is orange too bold for the bedroom? Am I making a mistake? On the next 11 pages, you'll find a rainbow of inspiration, palettes for every taste, practical ideas for incorporating pigment into your decor, and the best and latest in paint news. Plus, our panel of experts weighs in with some useful advice. Get ready to welcome colour home! Written by Helen Racanelli | Produced by Brett Walther and Corinna vanGerwen | Photography by Daniel Harrison

BACKGROUND FABRIC: DONZBA'S MILKI COTTON/LINEN STRIPE IN MIKAN-ORANGE 10041-05, TELIO. CLOCKWISE FROM TOP RIGHT: GALBRAITH & PAUL FOR PERENNIALS' RIPPLES ACRYLIC IN FIRE ISLAND 194-165, TELIO; DARTI, FLAMENCO DRESS 6054-35, MONGOLIAN SANDS 6142-53, SICO; GALBRAITH & PAUL FOR PERENNIALS' BIRD TRACKS ACRYLIC IN FIRE ISLAND 191-165, RAVINACLE ACRYLIC IN GERANIUM RED 781-75; PERENNIALS' SAIL CLOTH ACRYLIC IN CITRUS 680-135, TELIO.