



## floor rug

Richly textured, boldly designed or subtly beautiful, modern rug designs and textures excite the senses



With attention turning from walls to floors, you'll find a tantalising array of designer rugs on offer. There are a few rules to getting the look just right. In a small sitting space, too much pattern can be too dominating, so instead, opt for rich texture (above) in a block of high impact colour that defines the space. Swirls are more at home in open, transitional areas (left) where they can shine. "Always ask yourself, 'What is the purpose of the room, who will be using it and what mood do I want to evoke?'" says Prue. Use accent hues to link the carpet with the rest of your furnishings and to underline a sense of unity in your home.

