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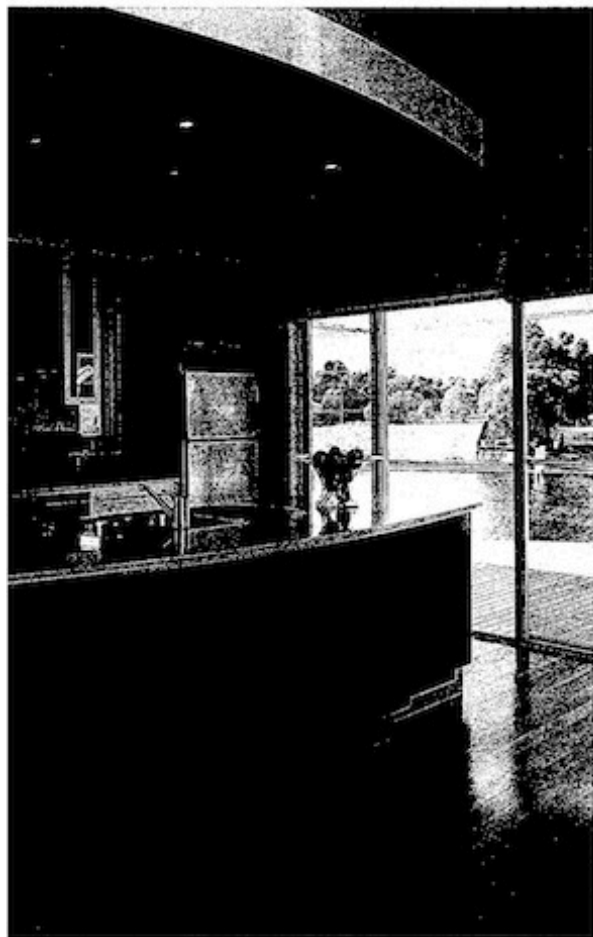
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The kitchen features a combination of colours to tie various elements together.

The stainless steel rangehood is complemented by a stainless steel splashback and kickers, while the white fridge works well with off-white vinyl wrap cupboard doors and beige Trezzini benchtops.

Cupboards, double pantry and doors are a mixture of cherry wood and vinyl wrap, and opaque glass in overhead cupboards has been used to break up the mass of storage.

The island bench has the sink, and a breakfast bar was designed to add a spacious feel in the room.

A mottled, spotted gum polished floor in honey tones in the kitchen and open-plan living areas is a real

feature of the house, so the walls were kept to neutral off-white throughout the building.

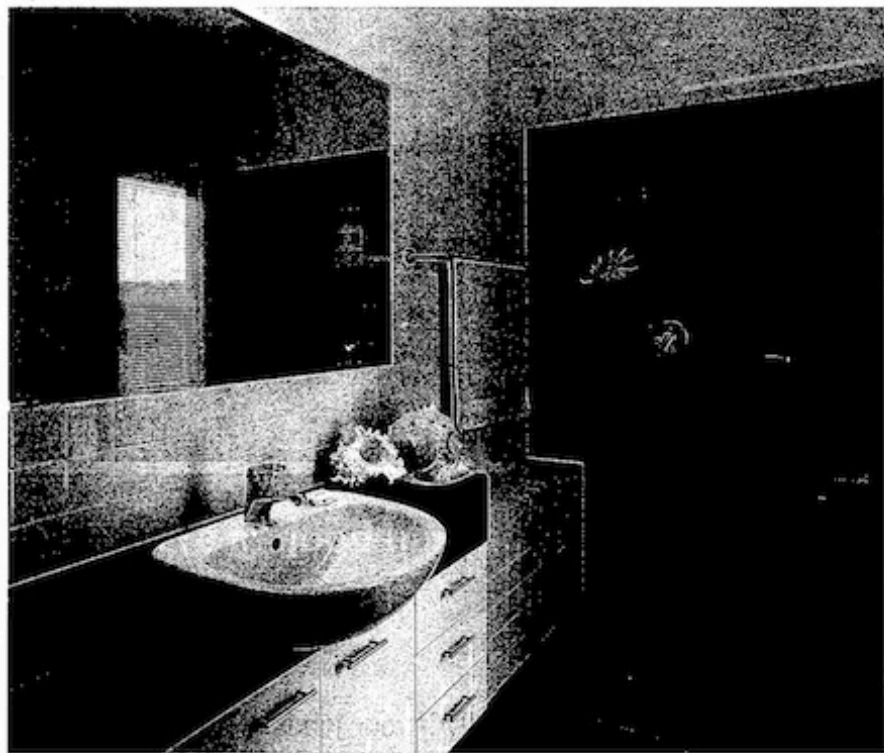
This also allows the natural light and views to take centre stage.

Built-in robes in the minor bedrooms, a walk-in robe in the main bedroom, an understair study and a roomy ceiling over the loft allow for ample storage.

These activity/living areas open to the central courtyard as well as on to one of the decks offering water views.

A barbecue area is well located with direct access from the kitchen.

The natural environment even influenced placement of the laundry. It is close to a "drying yard" which catches late afternoon sun from the west.



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