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Moroccan it!

Create this exotic look with one of the free stencils included with this issue.

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EASY

QUICK PROJECT GUIDE
 Hard labour 2/10
 Skill level 2/10
 Time needed 1 day



Aalwyne en Taaibos print by Conrad Botes; jar, candle, candleholders and candles, gold tray, cup and vase from H&M Home; pink plant pot from Mr Price Home; green plant pot from Woolworths; loop pile Planet rug from Herringbone

You will need

SHOPPING LIST

- repositionable spray adhesive (we used Scotch Spray Mount Repositionable Adhesive)
- Annie Sloan Chalk Paint in Amsterdam Green and Antoinette Pink
- Annie Sloan Soft Wax Clear

TOOLS

- stencil with Moroccan design
- 100-grit sandpaper • paintbrush
- stencil brush • artist brush

Get started...



1 Remove the handles from the drawers and then lightly sand all the surfaces.



2 Paint the unit with two coats of Amsterdam Green, letting the paint dry between coats.



3 Apply spray adhesive to the back of the stencil.



4 Position the stencil on the drawer fronts – start in the middle and work towards the sides – and use the stencil brush to apply the Antoinette Pink. Remove the stencil and position it next to the print you've just made; paint over the stencil again. Take care not to have a soggy brush. Repeat this process until you've applied the stencil motif on all the drawers.



5 Use the artist brush to paint dots on the frames around the drawers. Seal the paint with Annie Sloan Soft Wax Clear.



[HOW TO WORK WITH SPRAY ADHESIVE]

Shelly Bergh is a regular *Home* contributor, and an avid DIY enthusiast. She offers some spray adhesive tips:

- Work on old newspaper or used wrapping paper when applying the spray adhesive – it's a sticky business!
- You don't have to apply spray adhesive every time you move the stencil; it stays sticky enough for a few uses.

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