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Period feature
 Metal beehive doorknob
 (Diameter 5.2 x D 6.8 cm),
 £95 for a pair, UK Oak
 Doors (01455 565 565;
ukoakdoors.co.uk)



Sleek choice
 Blade door handle
 In satin chrome finish
 (H 5.2 x W 12.5 x D 5.6 cm), from
 £32 for a pair, JB Kind (01283
 554 197; jbkind.com)



Coloured glass
 Montrachet doorknob
 In smoky quartz
 (Diameter 5.7 x D 7.2 cm), £210,
 Haute Déco (020 7736 7171;
hautedeco.com)

4 Contemporary timber

If you're opting for a ready-made door, look out for ranges that offer a variety of options based on the same style to give you a wider choice of matching looks. This modern design is available as a solid version (pictured), a partially glazed option and as a fire-rated door. Monza internal door in engineered timber and oak, from £255 for H198.1xW76.2cm or H198.1xW83.8cm, Modern Doors (020 8438 6329; modern-doors.co.uk).

5 Space saver

Pocket systems are the ideal way to maximise space in smaller rooms such as en suites, as instead of the door swinging open into the room it simply slides away into a specially designed frame concealed within the stud wall. Bespoke 8300 door in smoked oak veneer, from £289 for H198.1xW76.2cm (excluding cost of the pocket system), Todd Doors (0800 633 5050; todd-doors.co.uk).

6 Room divider

An easy way to turn an open-plan space into separate rooms when required, these glazed doors operate on a discreet channel recessed in the ceiling for a seamless look. Bespoke oak bi-fold doors and glazed single fire door, around £4,500-£5,000, part of an extensive renovation project by Prewett Bazley Architects (020 7255 2195; prewettbazley.com).

7 Hidden addition

This design blends into the background thanks to detailed decorative panels on each side, replicating the kitchen cabinets on one face and the fluted detail of the feature wall in the hallway on the other. Bespoke door with a black lacquer finish, price on application, Cochrane Design (020 7751 0075; cochrane-design.com). **GD**



INTERNAL DOOR HANDLES



Leather detail

Regutti Ascot lever in chrome and leather (Diameter 5cm), £41.88 for a pair, Ironmongery Direct (0333 222 8560; ironmongerydirect.co.uk)



Period feature

Nickel beehive doorknob (Diameter 5.2x D6.8cm), £22.95 for a pair, UK Oak Doors (01455 565 565; ukoakdoors.co.uk)



Sleek choice

Black door handle in satin chrome finish (H5.2xW12.5xD5.6cm), from £32 for a pair, JB Kind (01263 554 197; jbkind.com)



Coloured glass

Montrachet doorknob in smoky quartz (Diameter 5.7x D7.2cm), £210, Haute Déco (020 7736 7171; haute-deco.com)