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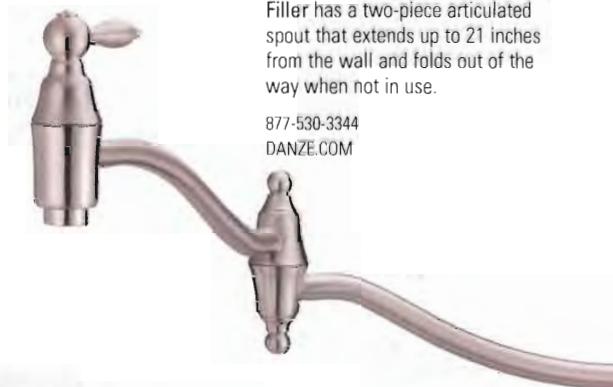
KNAACK Storage Equipment's Monster Box series features a Watchman IV Lock System and a Power Pass rubber grommet to accommodate an extension cord for overnight battery charging.

800-456-7865
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The E-Z Painter's Caddy sits in any five-gallon bucket and holds up to six rollers and six brushes to protect painting tools from damage and dust.

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Danze's Fairmont Wall Mount Pot Filler has a two-piece articulated spout that extends up to 21 inches from the wall and folds out of the way when not in use.

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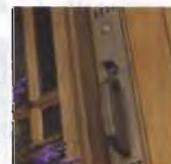
Hitachi Power Tools 1-3/4-inch Coil Roofing Nailer has upgraded features from lower recoil and faster firing to a well-balanced design delivering high-performance with minimal air consumption.

800-829-4752
HITACHIPOWERTOOLS.COM



Green Builder Bags are made of ultrasoft leather with no break-in required. Loaded with pouches and holders for faster access and storage. Occidental Leather contributes 10 percent profit to the National Audubon Society.

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Kingston Craftsman-style hardware with hammered textures, rectangular shapes and an overall recessed theme. Available in antique black copper and espresso.

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HICKORYHARDWARE.COM



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800-558-8984
GOSSENCORP.COM



Starfire is one of ten new colors in the Tempest product line of countertops by Staron Surfaces. Large, translucent particulates create a look that rivals quartz and natural stone.

800-795-7177
STARON.COM



Rejuvenate Floor Renewer is a polymer-based finish for any hard floor surface that fills-in scratches, revives natural luster and shine while sealing and protecting against future scratches and stains.

877-959-1234
REJUVENATE.TV