Tropic of Cancer

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Escape Into Frette
Every year, on 21 June, 16 countries of the world can look up at noon and witness the sun blazing directly overhead as it reaches the zenith of its journey across the sky.

This summer, Frette has followed that line across the globe and back through the ages, on a voyage through colours, beliefs, decorative heritage and natural surroundings.

Differed in language and culture, rooted in diverse artistic traditions and surrounded by landscapes of astonishing beauty, these fascinating places are united by their location on the Tropic of Cancer - the imaginary line that travels around the earth to give them their shared solstice. Each blends the culture of a different country – India, China, Niger, Mexico and the United Arab Emirates – with Frette’s characteristic Italian craftsmanship and contemporary style.

Welcome to the Tropic of Cancer.
Enjoy the journey.
As it passes through the Indian subcontinent, the Tropic of Cancer crosses the sands of Rajasthan.

India, a land of immense culture often labeled as an amalgamation of several cultures, influenced by a history that is several millennia old, is duly represented by the ancient symbol Boteh that acknowledges a similar diversity in its origin and existence over the years.
Flare takes the teardrop shaped motif and transforms it into a contemporary damask

Duvet cover and Euro shams [FR6346]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams with a paisley-inspired jacquard relief pattern.

Sheet set [FR6345]
Cotton sateen sheets and shams with a jacquard border.

Luxury Euro shams [FR6408]
Mixed-silk shams with a jacquard paisley pattern.

Flare Bordo

Summer Flare
Duvet cover and Euro shams [FR6346]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams with a paisley-inspired jacquard relief pattern.

Sheet set [FR6345]
Cotton sateen sheets and shams with a jacquard border.

Flare

Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6408]
Mead-silk quilt and shams with a jacquard paisley pattern.

Flare Bordo

Summer Flare

Exotic scents and regal visions lift the soul and mesmerise the senses


Blown into dunes by warm summer winds, Rajasthan’s endless sands glow golden in the sunlight.
Duvet cover and Shams [FR6346]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams woven with a paisley-pattern jacquard relief on the upper side, finished with a stitched hem and a matching bottom sheet.

Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6350]
Meadow silk quilt and shams with a jacquard paisley pattern and a cotton sateen underside.

Flare
Sheet set [FR6345]
Cotton sateen sheets and shams with a jacquard border.

Flare Bordo
Camisole set [5571001040F00697]
Silk satin camisole set featuring lace details at the neckline accompanied with shorts.

Dulcina
Silk robe [5571091370F00636]
Long silk sateen robe with shawl collar and contrast colour piping, featuring side pockets and silk waistbelt.

Claire

In the historic halls of ornate palaces, the royal artistry of the past meets modern feminine elegance.
Duvet cover and Shams [FR6346]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams woven with a paisley-pattern jacquard relief on the upper side, finished with a stitched hem and a matching bottom sheet.

Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6350]
Mixed-silk quilt and shams with a jacquard paisley pattern and a cotton sateen underside.

Flare
Embroidered Light quilt [FR6349]
Cotton quilt topped with embroidery and finished with cotton bias on three sides and a stitched hem on top.

Visir
Sheet set [FR6345]
Cotton sateen sheets and shams with a jacquard pattern border.

Jaipur is painted in an alluring palette of rose and terracotta: a pink city of hidden wonders and secret treasures.
The line of the tropic crosses the sun-baked sands of the UAE, where the great modern cities of Abu Dhabi and Dubai gleam like beacons in the desert.

The ancient-meets-modern fusion architecture of the 21st-century Sheikh Zayed Mosque inspires with its motifs of traditional Arabic design.
Shams [FR0401]
Cotton sateen shams with double hemstitch on the borders.

Doppio Ajour
Duvet cover and sheet set [FR6238]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and sheet set finished with shade stitch.

Grace
Bedspread and Euro shams [FR6374]
Bedspread and shams woven from a blend of linen, cotton and silk with a jacquard pattern and solid border.

Pavé
Nightgown [S1710014900F00619]
Knee length nightgown with a silk neckline and three quarter sleeves.
Robe [S1710915050F00619]
Soft and sensuous floor length robe with attached silk sateen wide waistbelt.

Classe

A modern mosaic
Angular and geometric to look at, but sumptuously yielding and cozy to the touch, the pattern has the eye-catching intricacy of ornamental stonework.

Pavé captures the contrast of solid shapes and soft textures.
The United Arab Emirates stand at the threshold between the past and the future; centuries of tradition lay the foundation for untold possibilities.
Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6335]
Silk blend quilt and shams with a jacquard relief pattern.

Helix
Duvet cover and Shams [FR0401]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams with double hemstitch on the borders.

Doppio Ajour

Helix, draws its inspiration from the 90° corkscrew swivel of the Cayan Tower in Dubai with its helical twists and interlacing geometry
When the June sun sits high overhead, warm summer rain sweeps through the tropics, bringing relief and renewal.

Inspired by the seasonal monsoon, Frette presents an exclusive limited-edition design that captures the motion and shimmer of the driving rain.

One of the world’s oldest decorative techniques used in making fabrics – Ikat weaving, originating in Asia, is recreated through jacquard technology. The distinctive patterns of the method make Monsoon a tribute to both climate and culture, as well as a beautiful companion to Frette’s classic bedlinen ranges.

Uniting the tropics in celebration of the water, with every raindrop carrying the promise of renewal and rejuvenation... Monsoon
Taking advantage of the blur effect characteristic of Ikat weaving, the Monsoon bedspread is reversible, with a lighter side reflecting daytime rainfall, and a darker blue that evokes the cooler showers of the tropical night.

**Monsoon**

Bedspread and Decorative cushions [FR6370]
Mixed-silk bedspread and cushions with an Ikat-inspired jacquard pattern on each side.

Sheet set [FR0401]
Cotton sateen sheets with double hemstitch on the borders.

Duvet and Shams [FR2934]
Cotton duvet and shams with coloured borders, finished with double hemstitch.

**Bicolore**

Embroidered Light quilt [FR6756]
Cotton sateen quilt finished with a bias on three sides.

**Illustione**

Nightgown [S1710011600F00697]
Long silk nightgown featuring scalloped lace on a V-neckline.

**Doppio Ajour**

**Dulcina**
Under the desert sun of the Sahara, Frette finds inspiration in the ancient art of the Igbo people, whose cultural influence extends across Western Africa.

Their abstract patterns and nature-inspired geometries are the starting points for Kala and Shield, companion designs created from the motifs, contours and symmetries characteristic of Igbo art.
The beliefs and passions of the Igbo are infused into the stories of the tribe, finding expression in artworks and crafted objects.

Duvet cover and Shams [FR6338]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams with tone-on-tone jacquard pattern on the upper side and cotton sateen beneath, joined with single hemstitch.

Kala Sheet set [FR6337]
Cotton sateen sheets bordered with a jacquard motif.

Kala Bordo

Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6339]
Mixed-silk jacquard quilt and matching shams interlaced with metallic threads.

Shield
In Niger, the shield is something greater than a means of protection; it is a reflection of identity and of status and a symbol rich in spirituality.

Shading

Embroidered Light quilt [FR6756]
Cotton sateen quilt, finished with a bias on three sides.

Illusione

Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6339]
Moiré-dye, jacquard quilt and shams interlaced with metallic threads.

Shield
Colours of Tropics

Sheet set and Duvet cover [FR2934]
Cotton sateen sheets and duvet cover with coloured borders, finished with double hemstitch. Shown in white, ruby red, sage green, grey cliff, yellow.

Bicolore

Sheet set and Duvet cover [FR0401]
Cotton sateen sheets with double hemstitch on the borders. Shown in sage green, tropic blue and grey cliff.

Doppio Ajour

Sheet set [FR3240]
Cotton sateen sheets with a double border of contrasting colour bands. Shown in white/tropic blue.

Shading

Colours of Tropics
Wash cloth, Hand towel, Bath towel, Bath sheet and Bath mat [FR2643]
A range of towels, crafted from soft cotton terry, with a diamond jacquard pattern. Available in white, ivory, khaki, light grey and graphite.

Diamonds

Wash cloth, Hand towel, Bath towel, Bath sheet and Bath mat [FR2644]
Cotton terry towels with a diamond jacquard border. Available in white, ivory, khaki, light grey, graphite, aqua, citrus, ocean blue, orange and blue.

Diamonds Bordo

From the earliest days of humankind, we have sought the sacred geometries in the world around us, finding meaning in form and pattern...
Cutting through the jungle heart of Mexico, the Tropic of Cancer marked the northernmost frontiers of the Mayan world.

The lost Mayan civilisation – one of the most sophisticated to emerge in the ancient world – were some of the most skilled architects and artists ever to walk the earth.
The Tattoo Diamond design is a contemporary jacquard interpretation of the bas-relief artworks discovered at Chichen Itza and other Mayan sites.

Duvet cover and Shams [FR6342]
Cotton sateen duvet cover and shams with a jacquard pattern on the upper side and a stitched hem.

Luxury Light quilt and Shams [FR6343]
Mixed-silk quilt and shams with a jacquard diamond pattern and a cotton sateen underside.

Sheet set [FR6341]
Cotton sateen sheets with a jacquard border. Shams bordered with an interlacing jacquard pattern and stitched hems.

Tattoo Diamond Bordo
Tropical forests stretch to Caribbean shores, rewarding explorers with a kaleidoscope of life in air, land and sea.
Mexico promises journeys into the jungle, where the mysteries of the Mayans await...
The Tropic of Cancer leads across the Taiwan Strait and into China, land of mountains, flowers and the memories of an ancient empire.

Flower symbolism is woven into the country's cultural tradition, finding its expression in art, poetry and the rituals that define day-to-day life.
In this land of myth and symbolism, gold speaks of prosperity and completeness – the key to a rich and balanced life.
Luxury Light quilt and Euro shams [FR6356]
Blended silk quilt and shams, with a jacquard pattern and cotton sateen underside.

Chiné Sheet set [FR6353]
Cotton sateen sheets with macramé and tulle lace applied to the side borders. Accompanying shams fronted with macramé lace.

Nightgown [S171001060F00698]
Long silk nightgown with lace insert at neckline combined with floral lace appliqué details.

Chiné Lace

Aruba

Blue opens the door to calmness and reflection, the serenity of still water, and the boundless possibility of the open sky.

Noblesse


Jordan


Fragoso


Morant


Tobago
Since 1860 Frette has established itself as an authority in the world of luxury linens. Frette’s newest service, “Frette Bespoke,” knows no limits and offers infinite possibilities to create your own unique linens.

The Bespoke service is an intimate invitation from Frette to its customers, just by asking a simple question: “how do you want to sleep?”

Frette’s concept of made-to-measure delivers the highest grade of personalisation paired with the linens quality that Frette’s clients already know and love.

Customers can count on the most comprehensive offer on the market to dress their homes, yachts, or private jets just the way they want. From bed, bath and table linens to cashmere throws and furs, Frette helps you to create the dream bed.

The Bespoke service will open an extraordinary world of tailor made linens and nightwear. Extracting Frette Bespoke means being able to create any bed linen size, unexpected fabric and colour combinations, applying monograms, crests and unique designs while maintaining Frette’s top quality standards and craftsmanship.

Taking a private appointment with a Frette Bespoke consultant means seeing your ideas take life and let Frette work around you.