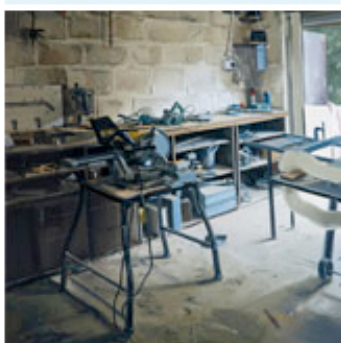


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Kevin Cosgrave - Just the Usual

Upon stepping into the softly lit reception of Mother's Tankstation, one is immediately welcomed by the sumptuous, glistening linens of Cosgrave's latest solo [show](#). The first canvas is a work station, neatly kept, where tools line the walls and machines lie idle. Each edge and surface-texture emerges seamlessly from the buttery strokes, the lip of a can or the teeth of a drill-bit cutting through the busy movements of Cosgrave's brush. Inside, more places of work are illuminated; a door stands ajar casting a soft shadow across a concrete floor, steel girders frame a tidy warehouse while a cluttered garage window evinces the efforts of its absent worker. As an homage to the end product and workmanship Cosgrave so admires, these paintings surpass their modest subject, revealing a curiosity and real questioning to Cosgrave's work. / [Tess Motherway](#)

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