WELCOME TO THE ILLUSION DOME!

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ILLUSION

A false material or moral appearance that, by making us see things differently to how they are, seems to play with our senses.

The season plays with mise en abyme and lines up a succession of "This is not...!"

Trompe I'œil and collective hallucinations make our heads spin.

Creation takes inspiration from the unreal and the strange, but disguises it with normality to better mislead the universe and allow the unexpected to surge forth.

We try to escape from a world of sterile automatisms, in search of strangeness.

From the smooth surfaces and silhouettes showcased by the design and fashion of the moment will emerge intriguing anomalies, imperceptible at first glance.



SENTIMENTALIST



Facetious gnomes cast a spell on innocent and sweet lovers. Evanescent silhouettes become literally ghost-like. Characters go by pairs, hand-in-hand. Is this to get through the looking-glass quicker?

Prettily elegant. Colours are acidic; bleached mandarin, ruffled chick, celadon blue, mint green - but a grey-mauve upsets the balance.

SPIRIT OF MATERIALS

Materials are simple or ambivalent

Washed and rewashed skins, softened and decoloured.

Gradations of colours

Rubbery textures and appearances

Measured reliefs

White wax on bright colours

Coloured vegetable leather

Flattened grains on porcelain or laminated surfaces

Geometric round grains

Simple lacquers on lightweight skins

Chambray or denim with a suede lining

Seersucker textures

Double sided, two-tone

Deckchair fabric

Spinnaker and light nylon

Little flowers mixed with manga designs

Coloured, tousled rabbit

Modest and demure perforations and embossings

Joyful digital prints, messages

COLOUR PALETTE

LEZARD D'EAU - 557 C - 15-6120 TPX

CAMPANULE - 5215 C - 16-1707 TPX

POUSSIN - 113 C - 12-0738 TPX

LIBELLULE - 630 C - 14-4814 TPX

KUMQUAT - 1375 C - 14-1050 TPX

IDEALISTIC ILLUSION



The marketing of new minimalism oversells rigour. Under pressure and looking for balance, we feed on neoclassical references. But the uncluttered and the quest for the Golden Section are undermined by an irrepressible urge for imperfection, a leaning towards the distortion of lines and volumes. Perspectives are skewed and games with mirrors increase the impression of unreality.

Decoloration. Colours are modified by the air and the reflections of the sky and water. Ethereal colours of clouds and shores bleached by the dawn light.

SPIRIT OF MATERIALS

Quest for perfection

Box grains

Fine screen-printing

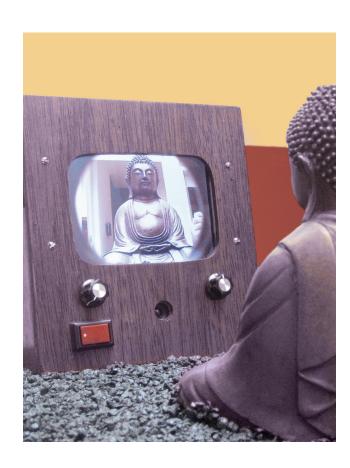
Satin materials have iridescent highlights. Mother-of-pearl finishes on the surface Crystal effects Opaque metallics Sandy, grainy leather Babyskin textures Mineral textures, marble, mica, shale, desert roses Delicately brushed, pull up Impeccable glazing and waxing Micro geometry Surface incisions Geometric embossing, destructured pleats. Textures of waves and dunes Smooth vegetable leather Fluid nappa

COLOUR PALETTE

ALBINOS - 7528 C - 13-0403 TPX OPALINE - 537 C - 14-4110 TPX MARBRE - 422 C - 15-4306 TPX ROSE DES SABLES - 4685 C - 14-1113 TPX

PIERRE DE LUNE - Cool gray 1 C - 12-4302 TPX

TECHNICAL ILLUSION



We have fun with technology, a pretext for derision. Machines pile up and become wallpaper stuck on the walls of houses. Our life is a «Work in Progress», a major installation that is never completed.

Colours are mechanical and limited; iron grey, scraped rust, Bakelite yellow, burgundy Formica.

SPIRIT OF MATERIALS

Materials take inspiration from industrial vocabulary

Texture of iron files Rubbery appearance Car tyre prints Metallic lino Pasted onto neoprene Foamy leathers Metallic pull up Automatic perforations Rubbed, abraded surfaces Random cut-outs Pasted onto neoprene Foamy leathers

COLOUR PALETTE





LIMAILLE - 446 C - 18-0503 TPX



FORMICA - 5195 C - 18-1411 TPX





CRAFT AND GREEN ILLUSION



Nature and waste as the pivots of contemporary art. Between futurism and nostalgia, artists seem to want to bind together the past and the present. They create giant, organic sculptures with the tree as their symbol.

The palette is almost colour-free. The obvious neutrals are softened by a blotting-paper pink, enlivened by an intellectual green.

SPIRIT OF MATERIALS

Craftsmanship and industry. Materials play at imitation.

Leather and tissue paper
Fake wood, fake lino, fake Bakelite, fake walls
Recoloured and softened after washing
Felted, mistreated appearance
Waterproof, coloured vegetable leather
Surfaces that appear handpainted
Rubbed, damaged, worn surfaces
Irregular laser cut-outs

COLOUR PALETTE



CADAPACK- Cool gray 5 C - 15-4503 TPX

PSYCHEDELIC ILLUSION



Meditation goes further east and tends towards well-being. An hypnotic and dreamlike ritual is imposed whilst awaiting the revelation. Exuberant flowers create a bad spirit, are prey to hallucinations; they tend to be venimous even deadly.

Saturation. The ultra-pigmentary palette is a jumble, dull and worrying. Dark purples rub shoulders with burnt red and fiery orange.

SPIRIT OF MATERIALS

Changing highlights

Heavy embossed and nubucked leather

Ancestral animals

Soft alligator

Greased leather, re-dyed vegetable

Burnt leather

Deep nubuck

Damp agave

Buffalo with enormous grains and excessive

wrinkles

Chameleon

Sombre, animal designs

Flower prints engraved throughout the $\,$

material

Exuberant flowers

Scarifications

COLOUR PALETTE



CAMELEON - Black 6 C/5467 C - 19-4305 TPX/19-5406 TPX

AQUATIC ILLUSION



Underwater, a mysterious world is in motion. Mythical creatures, submerged islands, underwater cities, seaweed and hair tangled with endangered coral. Fossilised treasure, forgotten by wreckers. Sediments of civilisations; a quixotic and worrying universe.

Shades. Abyssal blue becomes watery to the extent of transparency. Turquoise is covered with white. Yellow oxidises and takes on an acid green hue.

SPIRIT OF MATERIALS

Evanescent or mysterious materials

Glazed surfaces
Slippery, liquid textures
Damp to the touch
Shiny scales
Changing highlights
Materials bleached by salt
Spongy nubuck
Light designs, watercoloured, in filigree.
Fish scales
Translucent reptile
Serpent parchment, membrane
Textured mother-of-pearl finish

COLOUR PALETTE



EXOCET- 10282 C - 16-4725 TPX/12-5508 TPX



ABYSSES - 533 C - 19-3925 TPX



POMACANTHUS - 7476 C - 18-4522 TPX



PARAMBASSIS - Transparent

CENTROPYGE - 585 C - 13-0632 TPX