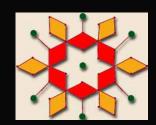
# Design of luminaires

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#### **Product Brief**

- •To design a family of luminaires with a contemporary Indian image for showrooms selling exclusively Indian products.
- •The design of luminaires should complement to the image of the space and the products being retailed.
- To develop a different language for lighting of showrooms.
- The luminaires can be batch produced using a combination of craft and industrial production.
- Luminaires facilitating different objectives.



#### SHOWROOM DESIGN – current scenario





- The language of showroom does not complement the design of luminaires
- Fixtures available are limited.
- Lighting layouts do not complement to the space.
- High and uniform lighting



#### **PENDANT LUMINAIRE – lots to offer**

- Highlight spaces and products below.
- To reduce voluminous space.
- Can define a personal space in a large space
- Flexibility



#### **DESIGN ISSUES**

- Should fit in large volumes of spaces, with a difference
- Product should be able to fit in various design themes contemporary to traditional language
- Integration of craft and industrial product
- Idea of customisation to give individuality to showrooms
- Idea of standardization
- Indianness with a contemporary image.



#### INDIANNESS IN DESIGN – an approach





- No design references available, except traditional lamps
- Approach

**Imagery – Integration of Indian motifs, forms** 

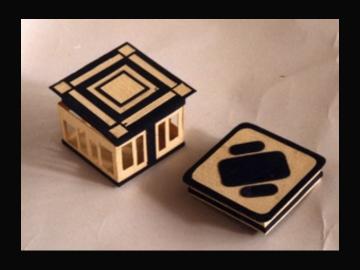
Understanding inherent quality of lamps – reinterpreting the hidden elements of traditional lamps

Contemporariness – fit in with all the latest requirements.

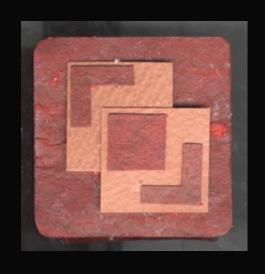




# INDIANNESS IN DESIGN – an approach











• Imagery an experience



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## INDIANNESS IN DESIGN – an insight





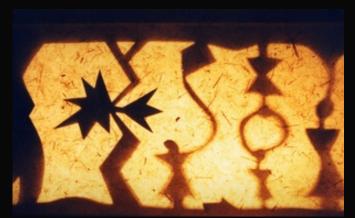


- Personalisation
- Wide variety of choice











• Play of light and shadow



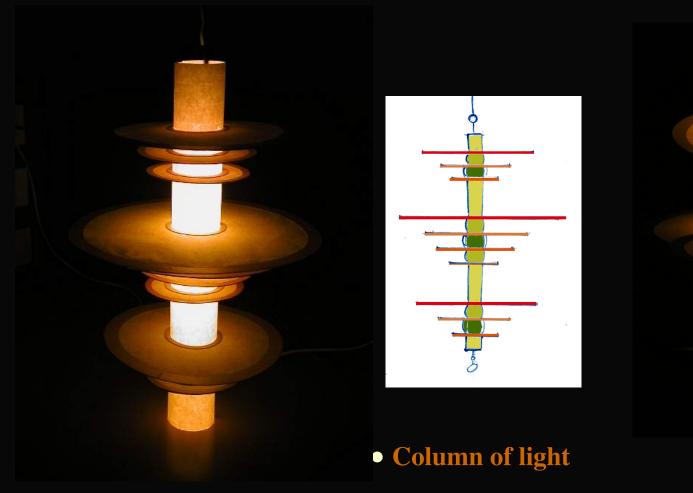
## **INITIAL EXPLORATIONS**





• Material and their play with light











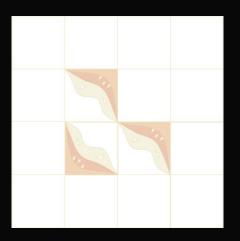


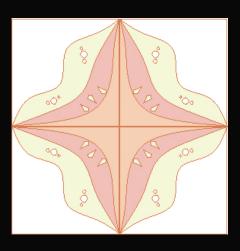
• Celebration of light where light is the central core with members around it.



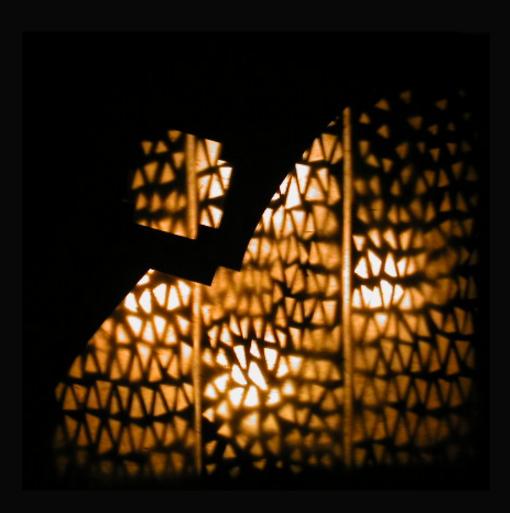


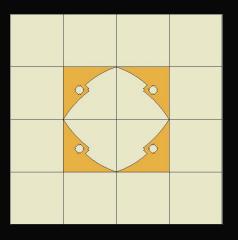
• False ceiling - layers of light



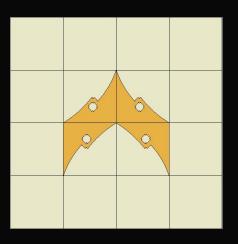




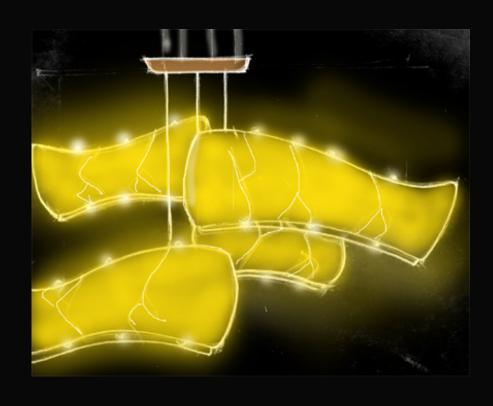


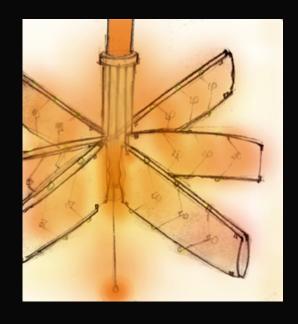


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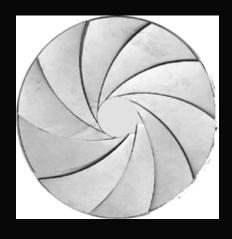


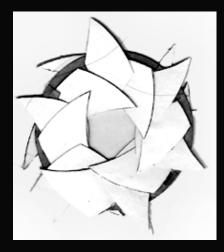


- Light as an element which creates framework in space
- Metaphor fish

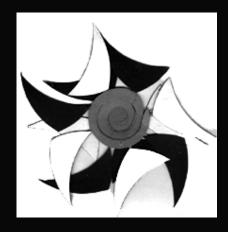


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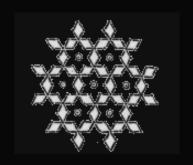


- Light as an element which creates framework in space
- Same element repeated in multiple ways
- Creates variety a necessity for showrooms



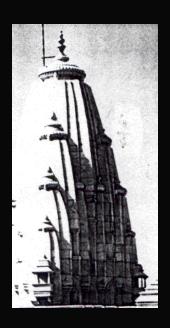


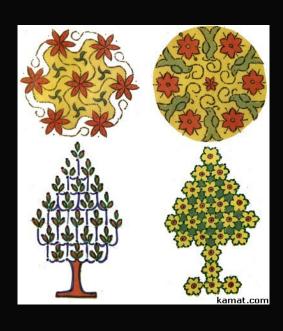










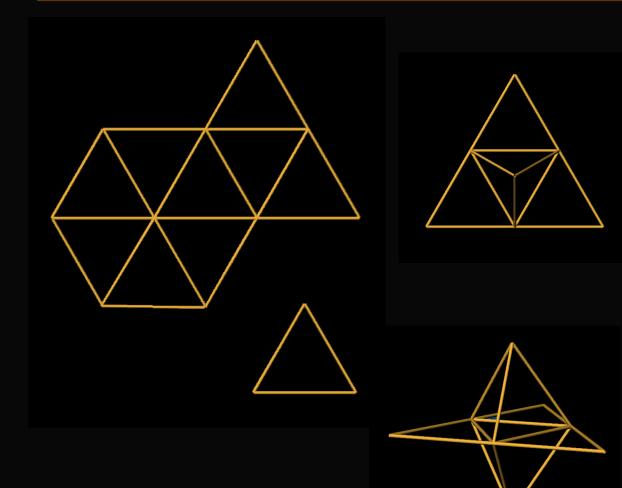


Art and architecture
Temple plans
Rangoli







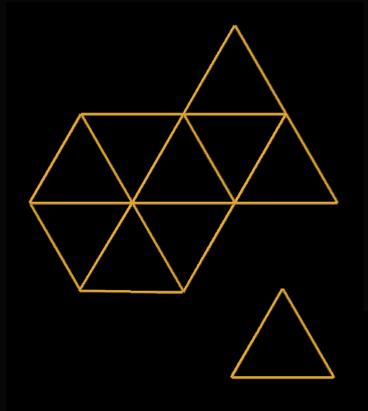


Idea of geometry

Tetrahedron
Equilateral triangles



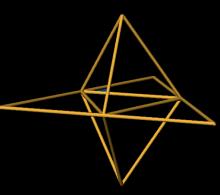
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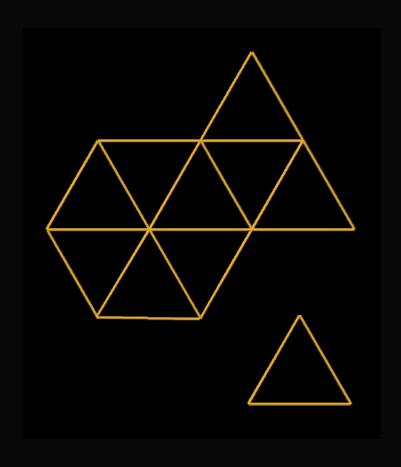




- Customization
- Variety
- Personalization
- Possible creative inputs



#### **ELEMENTS OF DESIGN**



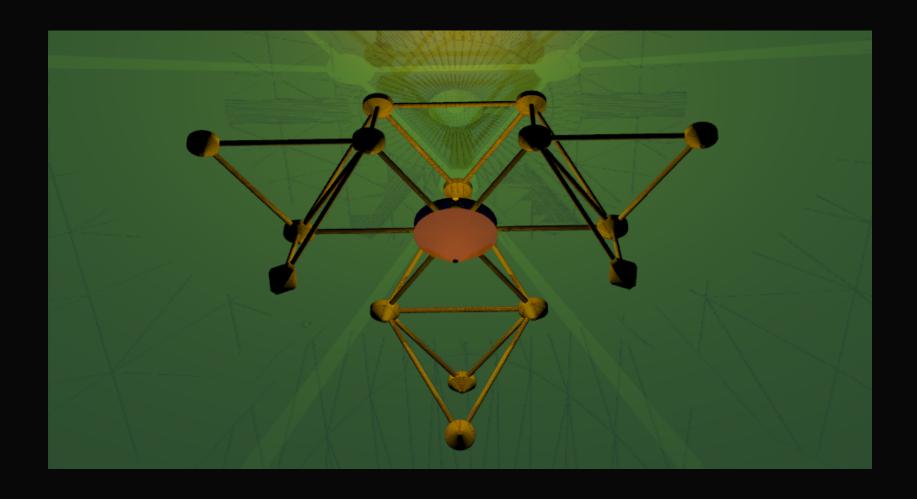
# Variety

- Members
- Luminaires

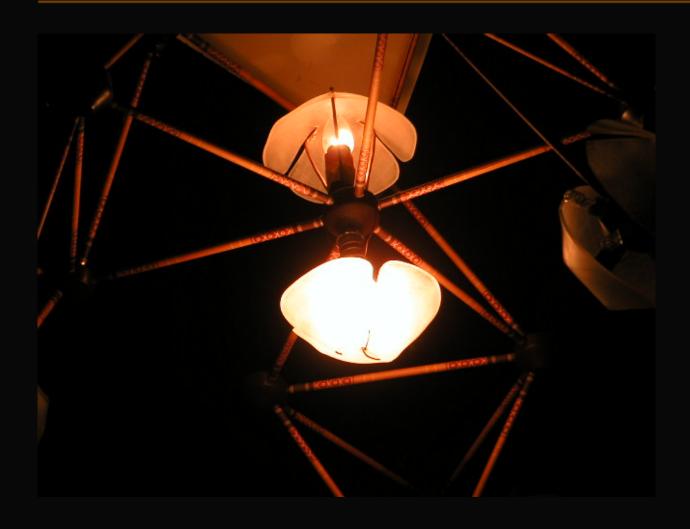
# Standardization

- Junction
- Hardware















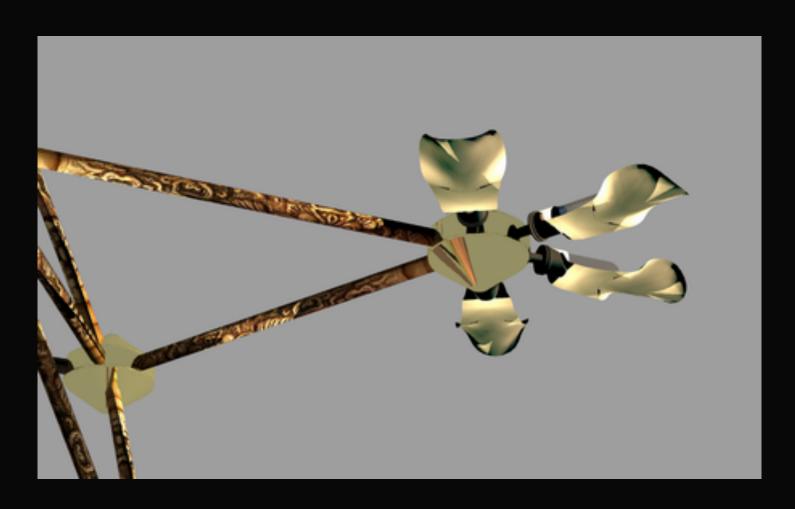








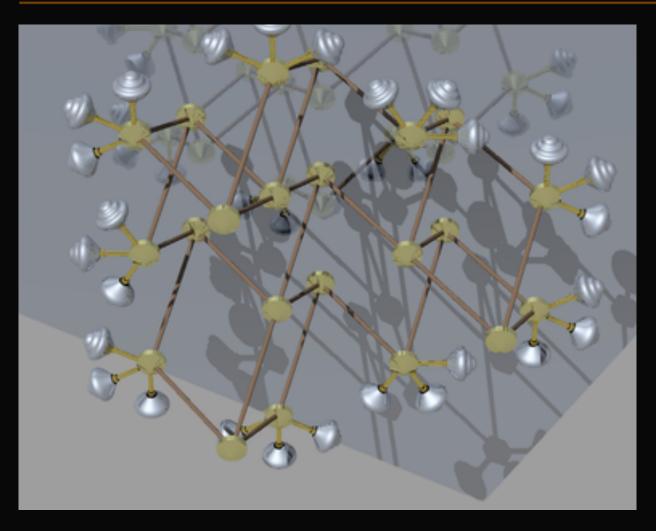
#### Elements and there expression



• Elements and their expression will decide the visual language of showroom and vice versa



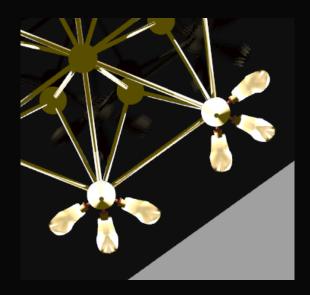
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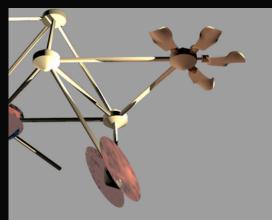


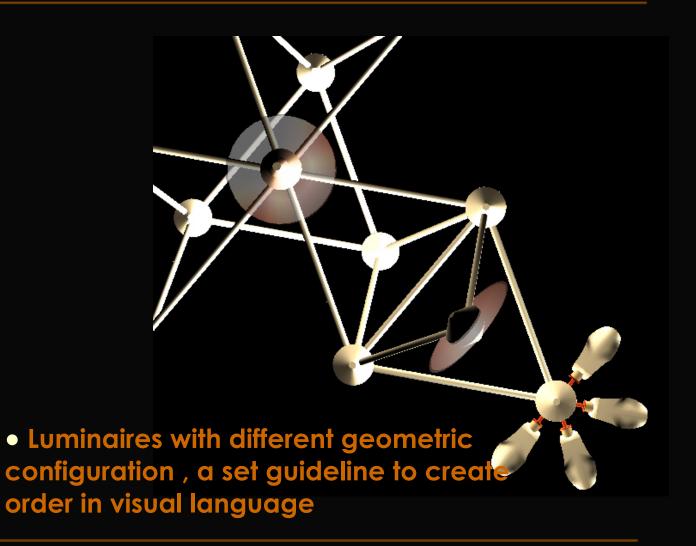
• Will also decide the range of product.



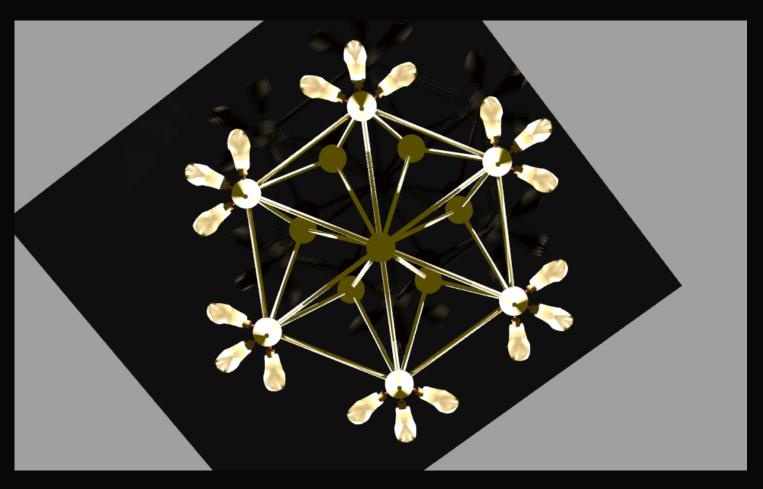
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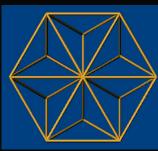




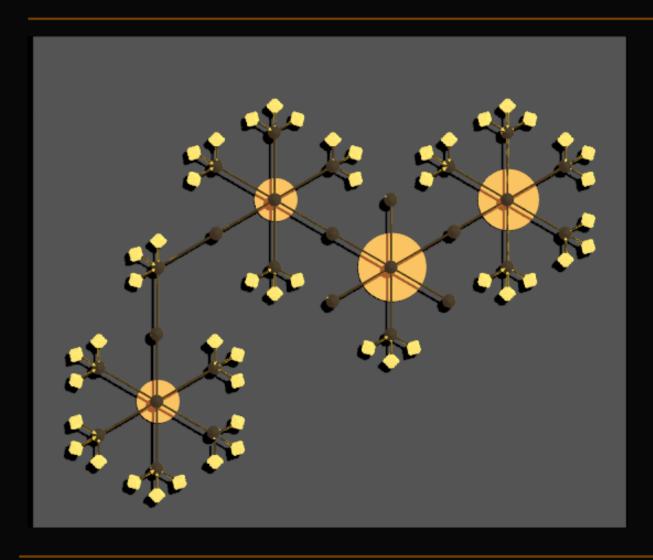




A simple configuration

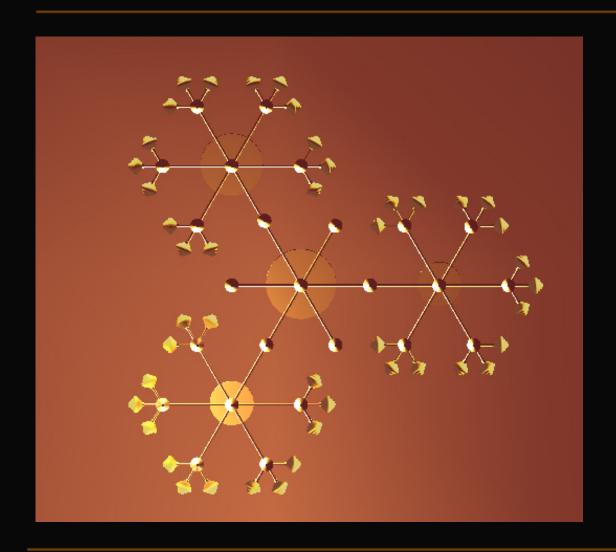




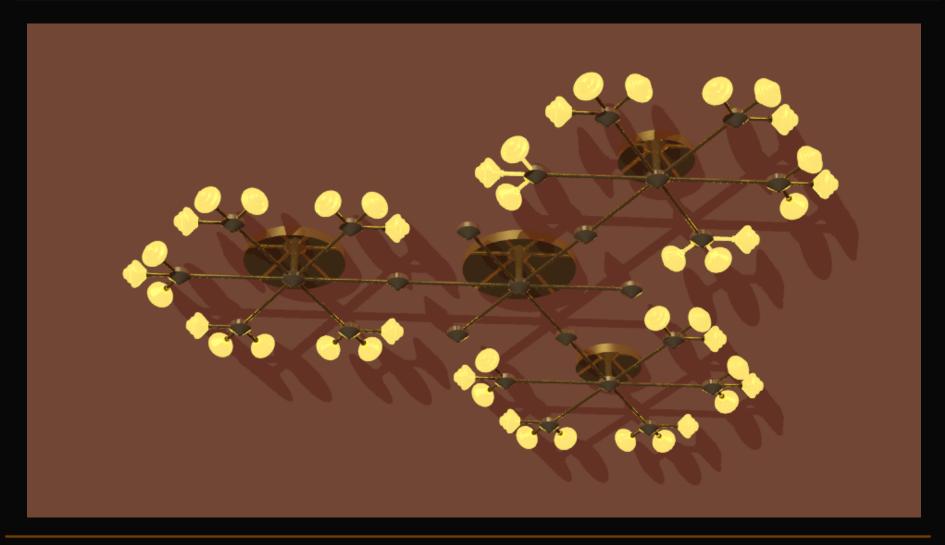


• Tree like growth can highlight the important areas of the showroom.

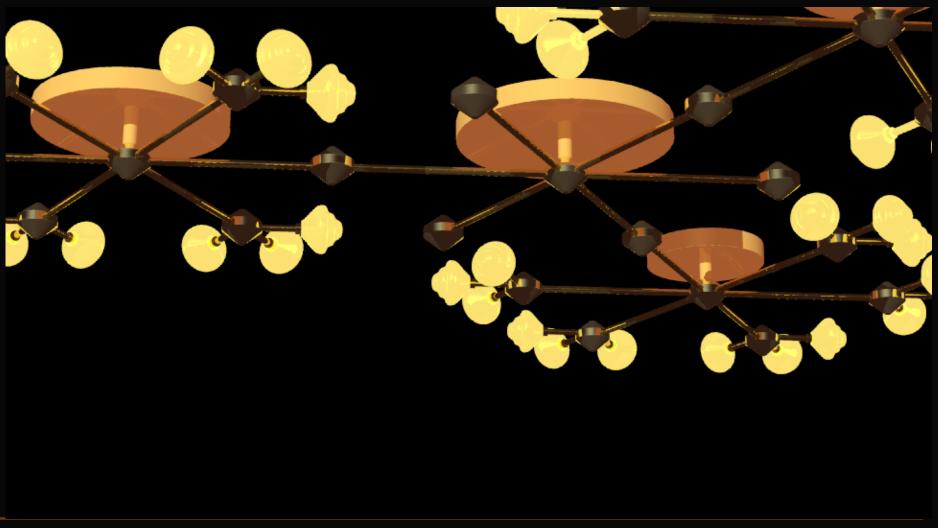




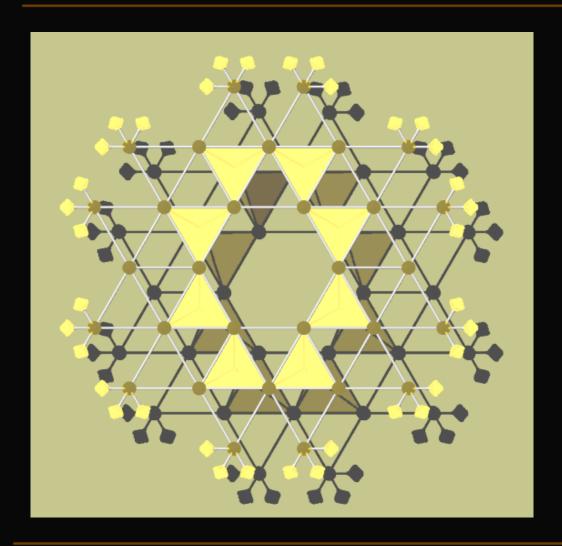


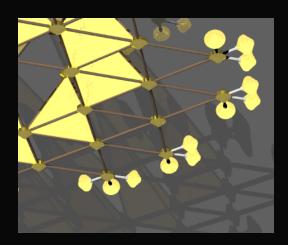


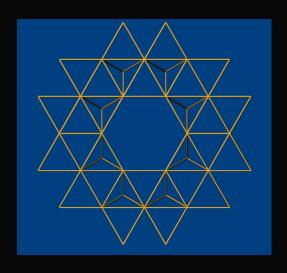




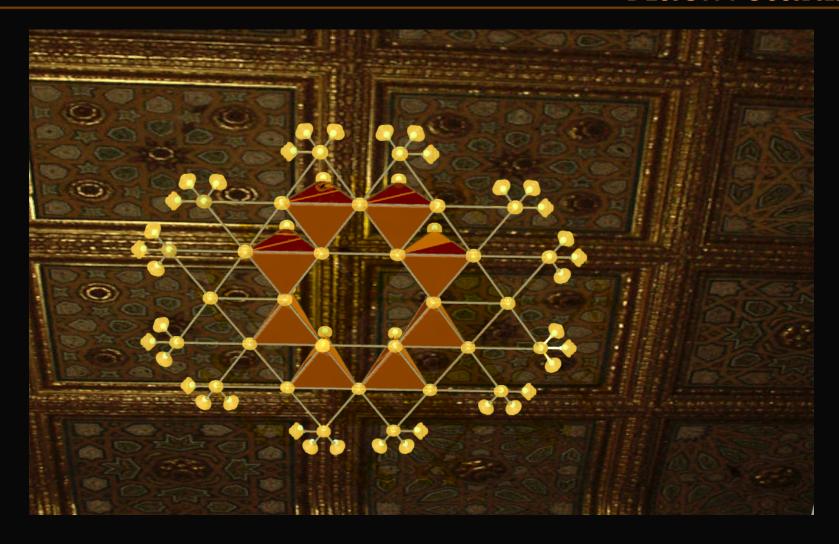




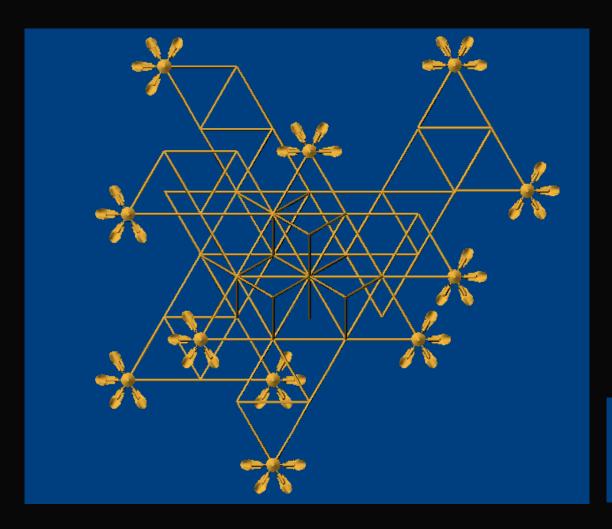




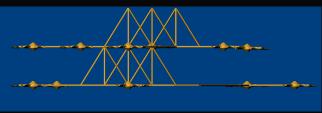




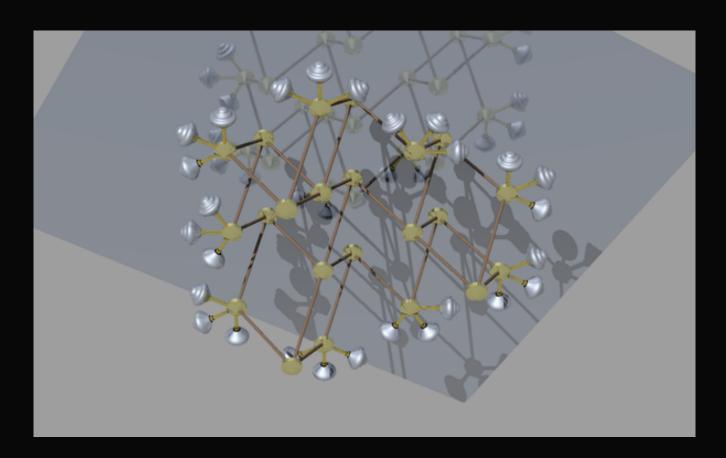


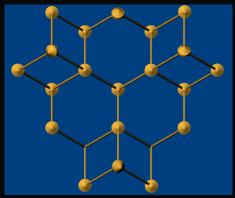


 Large volumes, abstract form





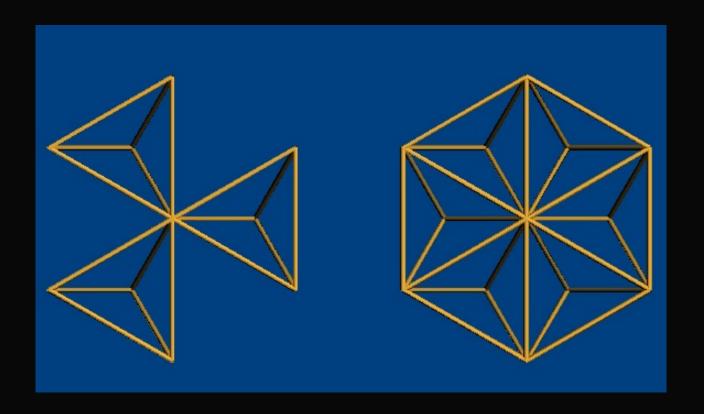


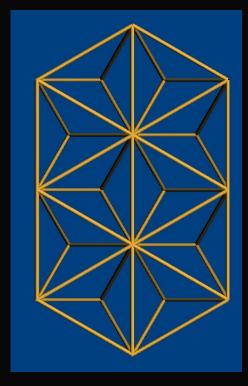


# Contemporary image



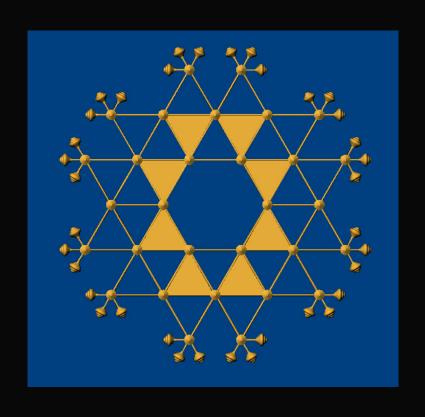
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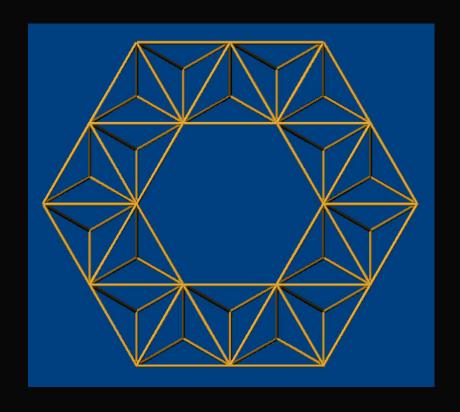




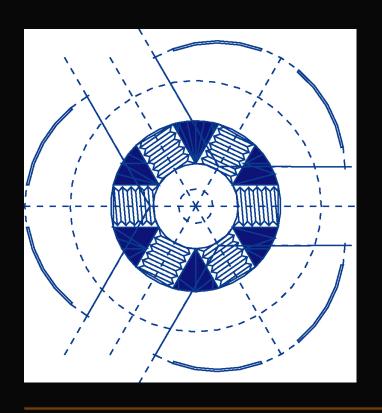


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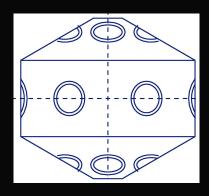


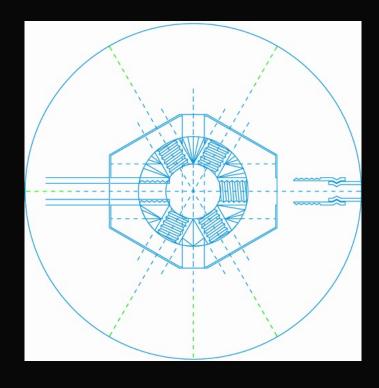












Junction Detail

