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In a world where icons and symbols are to be seen literally everywhere, we are accustomed to understanding a visual language system. Certain meanings are assigned to certain icons and symbols. Successful branding and marketing often involve a bold corporate identity. What if we play with these established icons and give them makeovers?

A number of international renowned artists were invited to redesign some famous icons. Since these icons and symbols themselves are value-free, the meanings that they convey are not intrinsic. Designers were given a lot of freedom

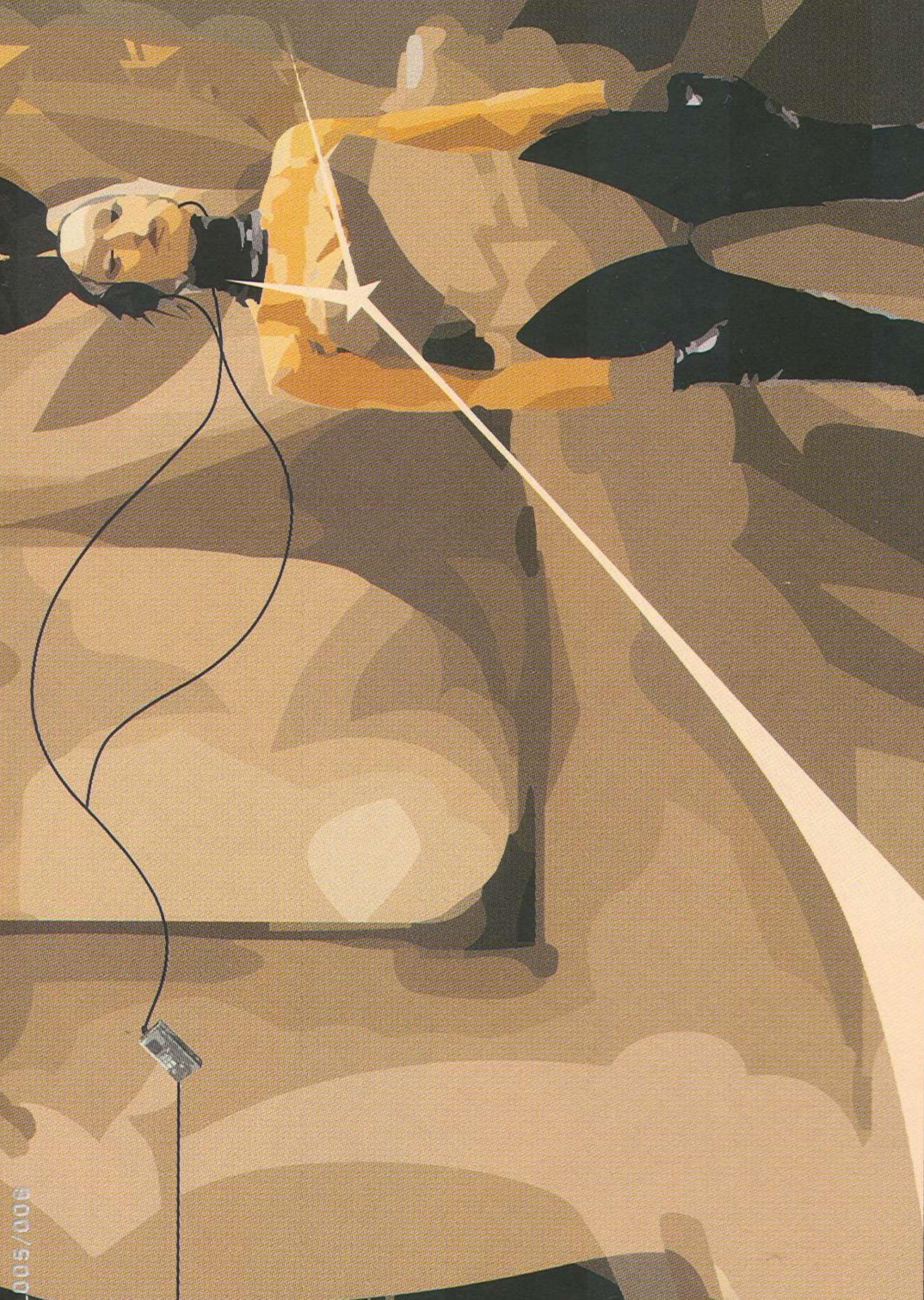
to explore endless creative possibilities. The result is a series of stunning images. Some further reinforced the icons' original meanings and some turned out to convey completely different messages.

But this chapter is not be limited to individual icon redesign. We also invited graphic designers to contribute. They do not only create iconography, they are themselves "icons" on the international graphic design scene.



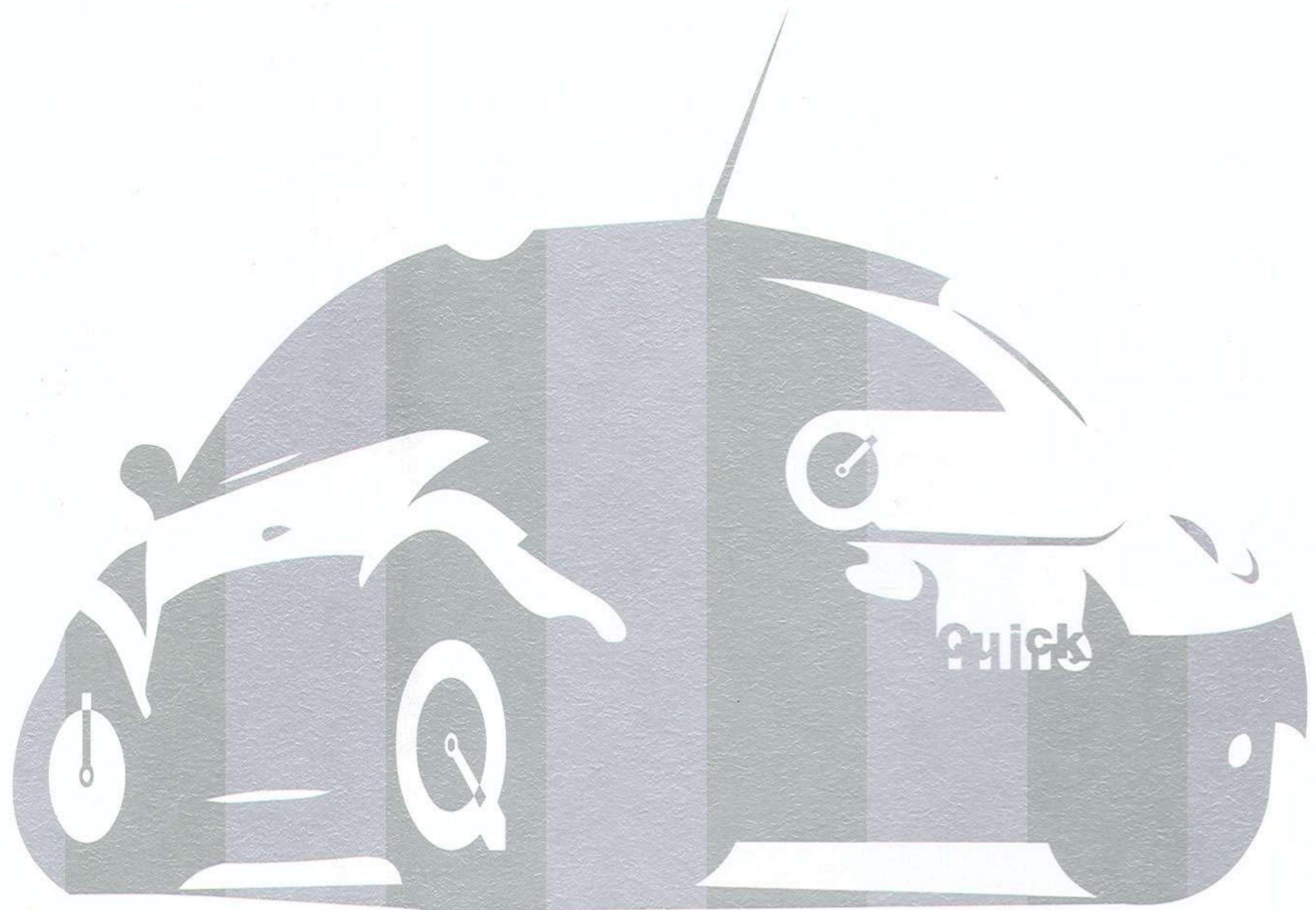
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# 123KLAN CONCEPT

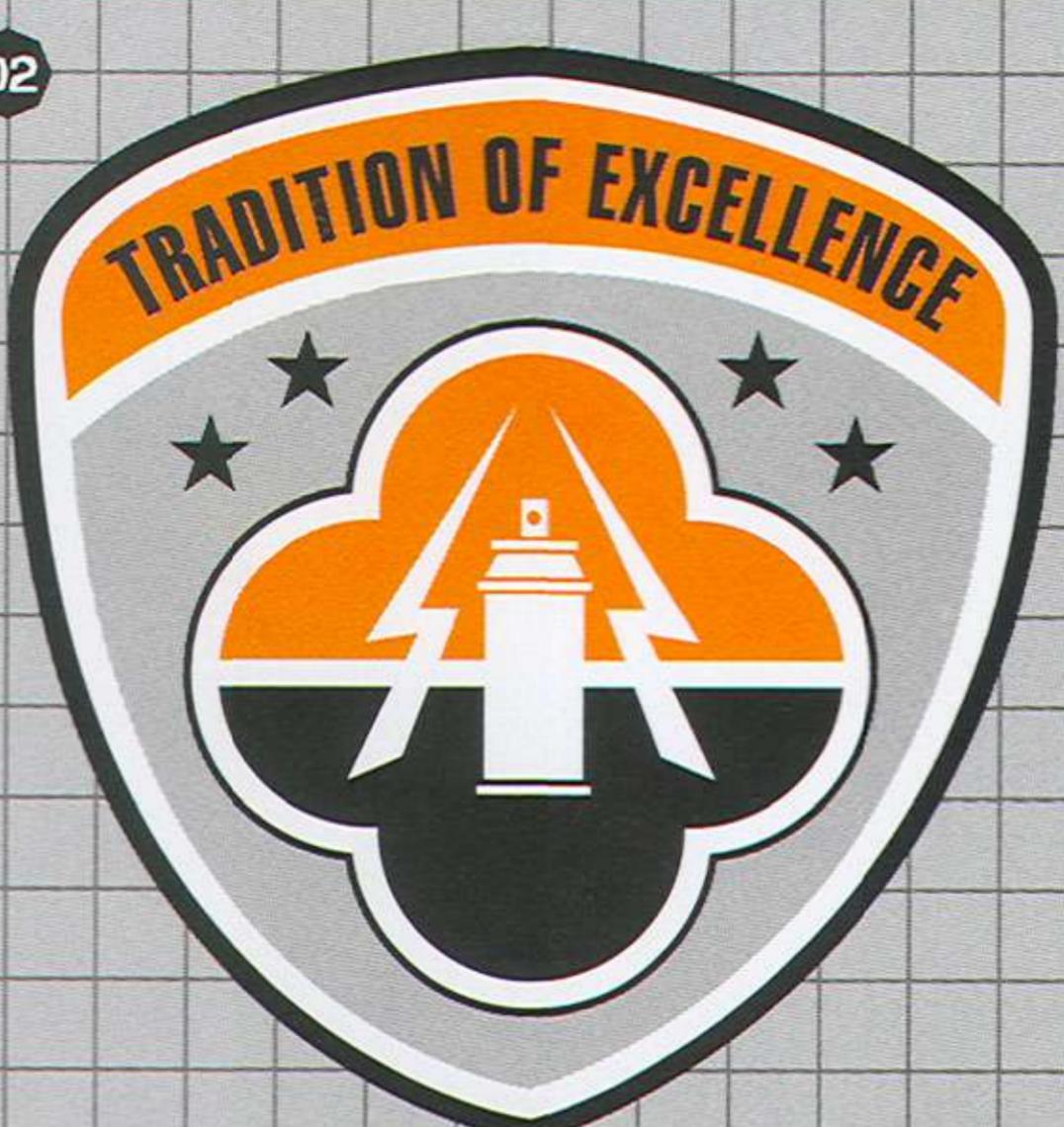
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The original version of all these logos used to be American Army or Fireman logos, i just pick them up and return it into a graffiti peace full message. For example replace a missile by a spraycan, or the city name by a "GRAFFITI" message.

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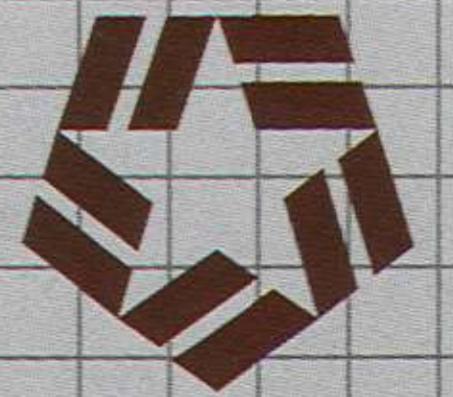
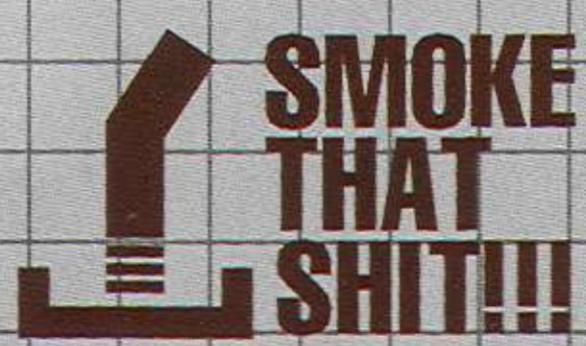
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# 123KLAN ARTWORK



Here there are some personal research to show how a logo or an icon are closed to graffiti, plus some other logos and icons realised for different labels or clients.



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ARTWORK FRENCH ROAD ICONS



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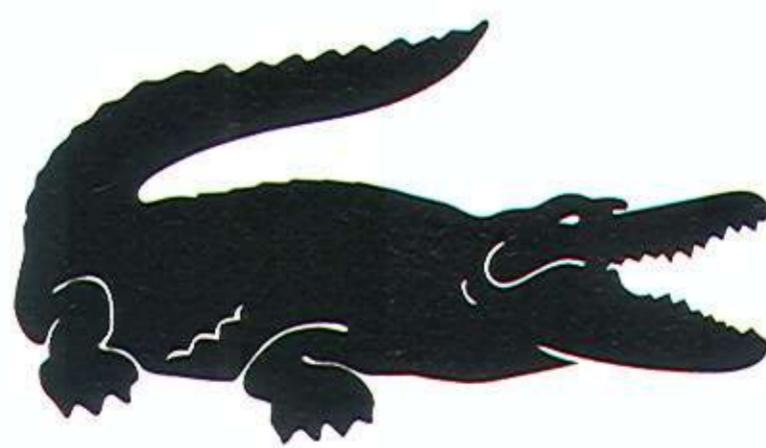
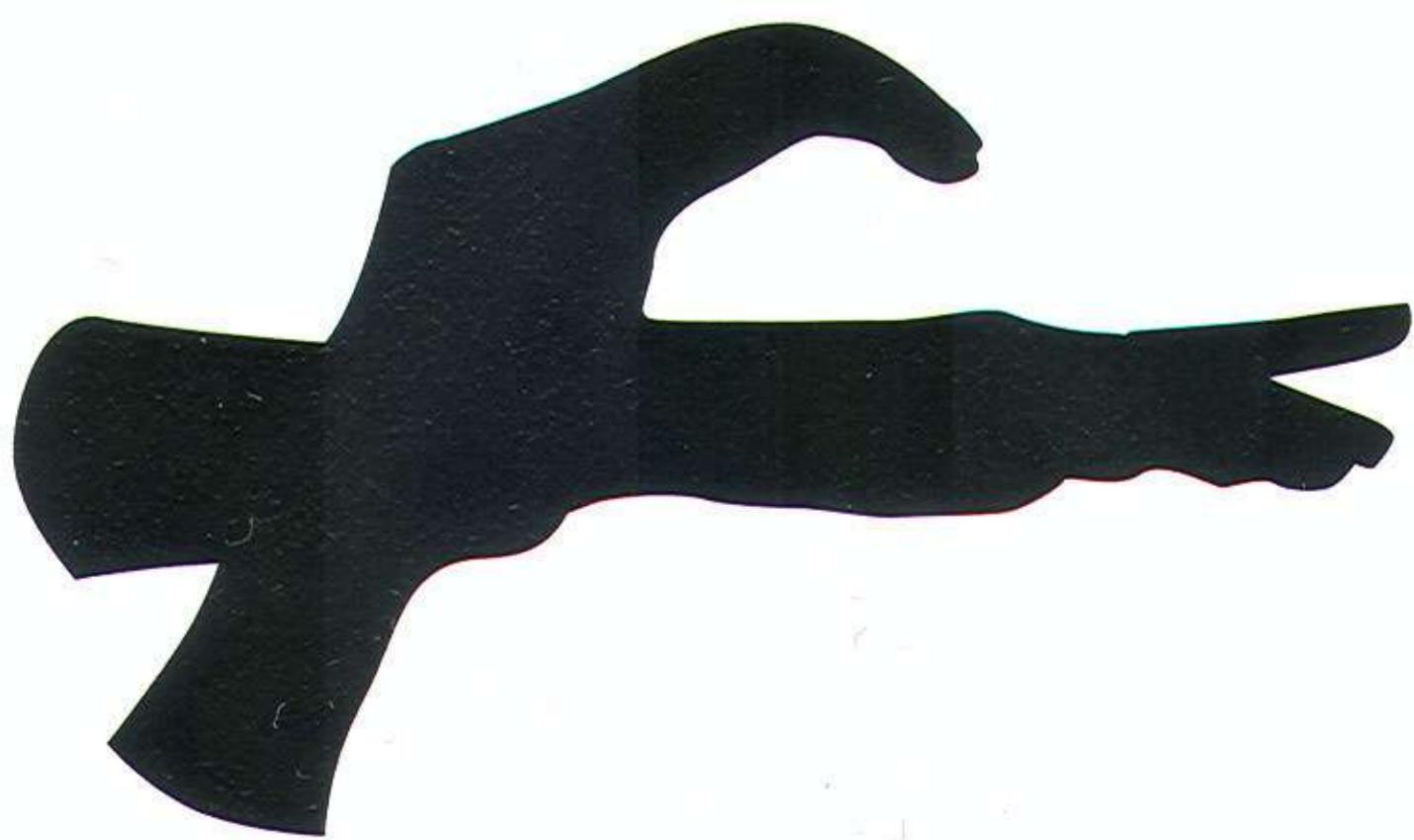
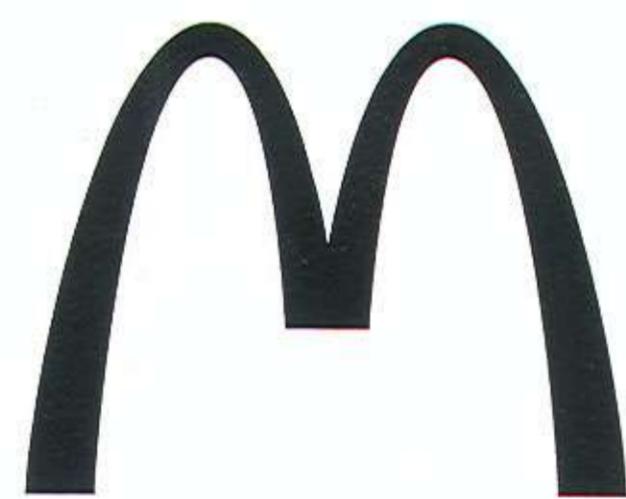
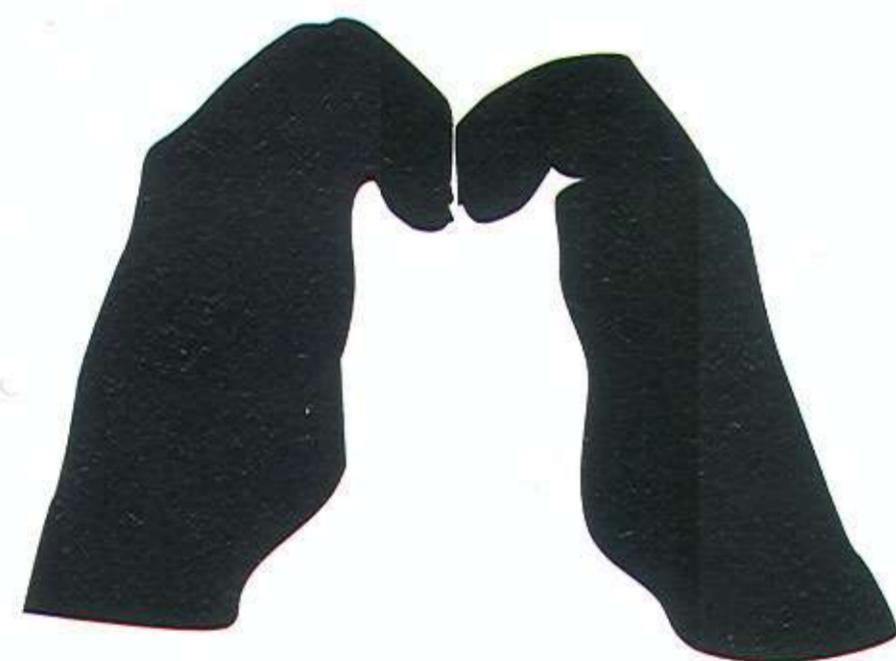
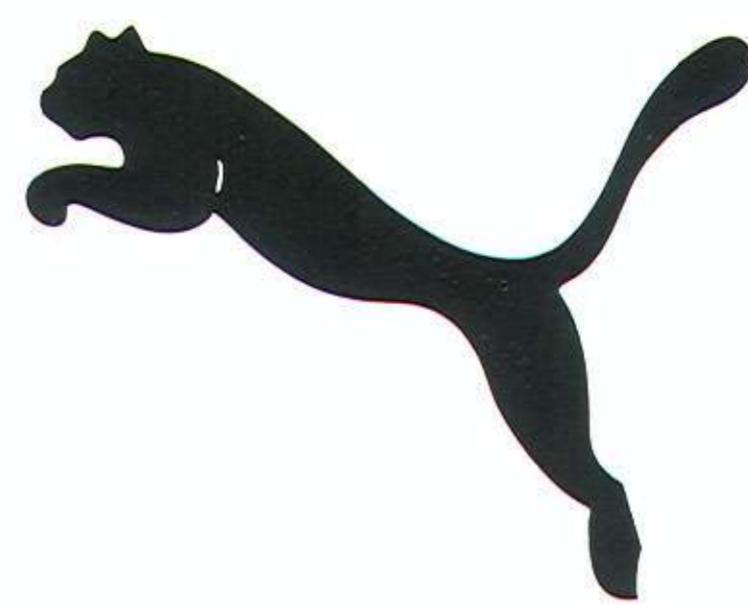
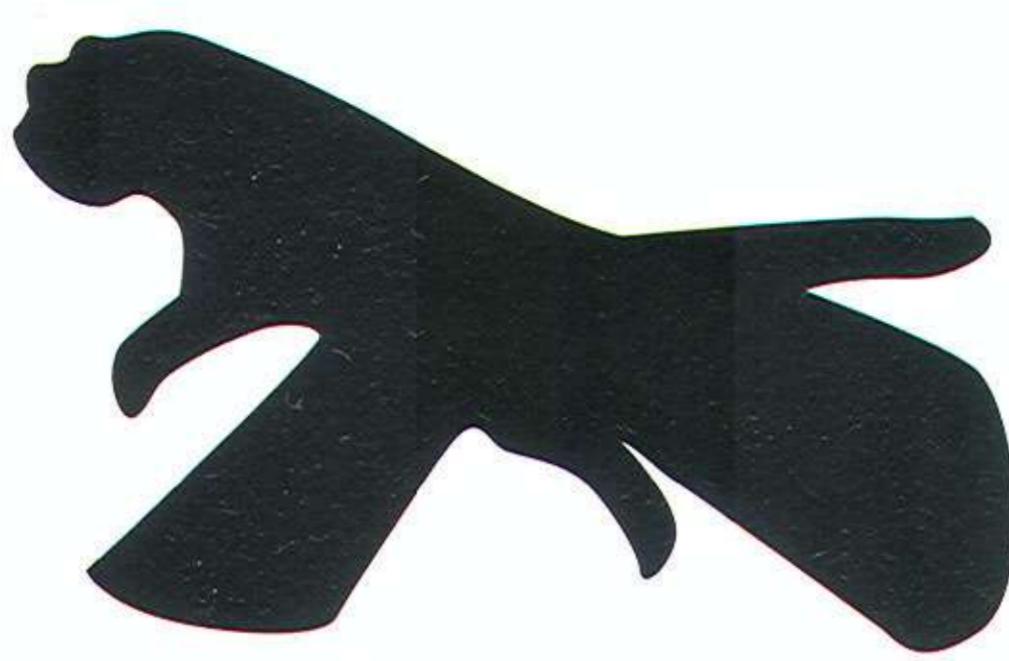
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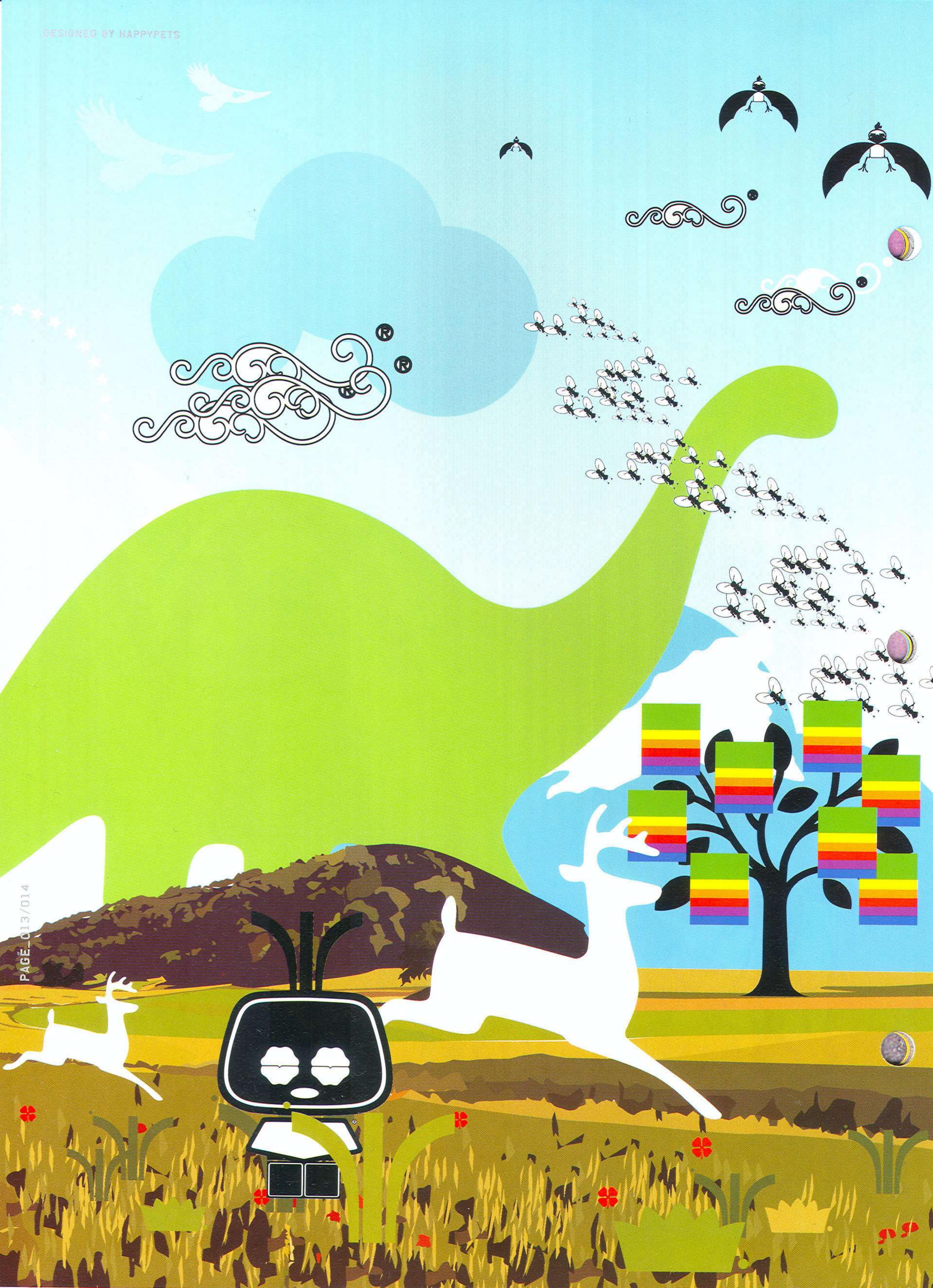
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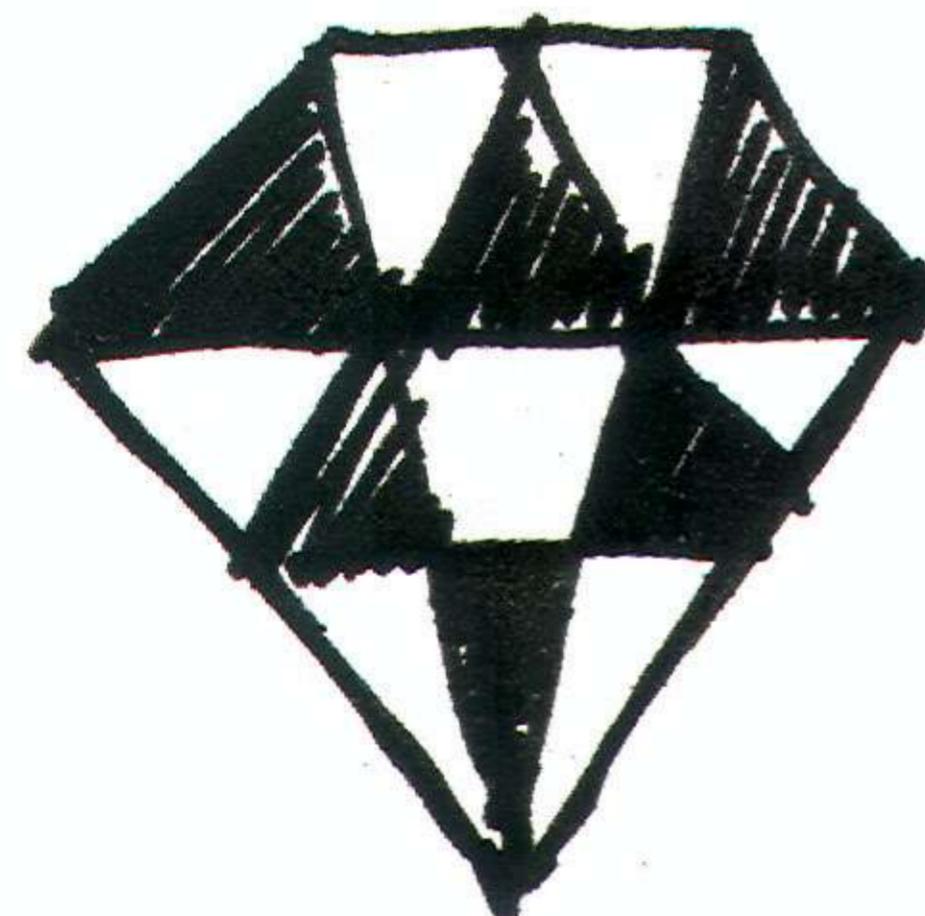


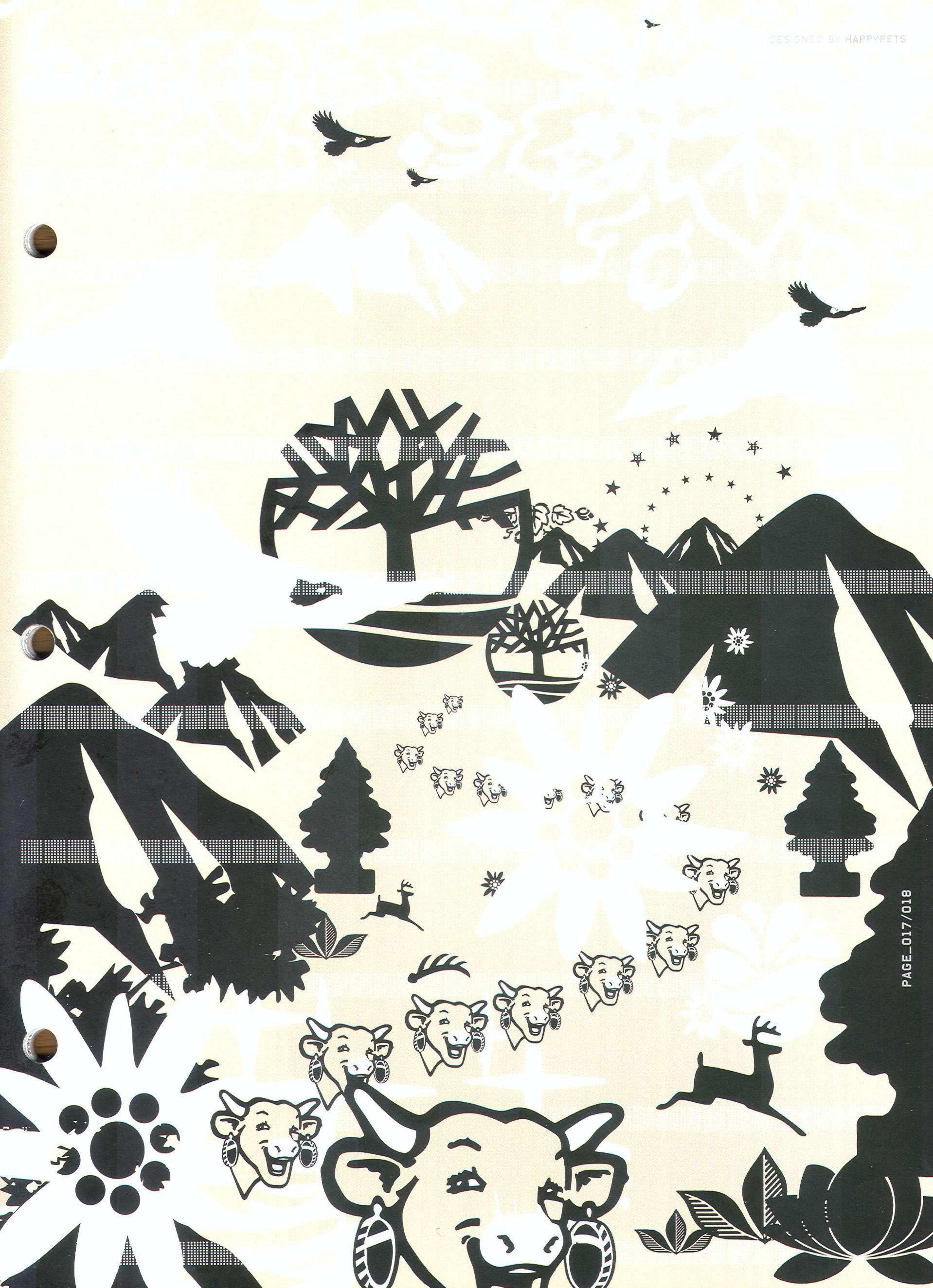








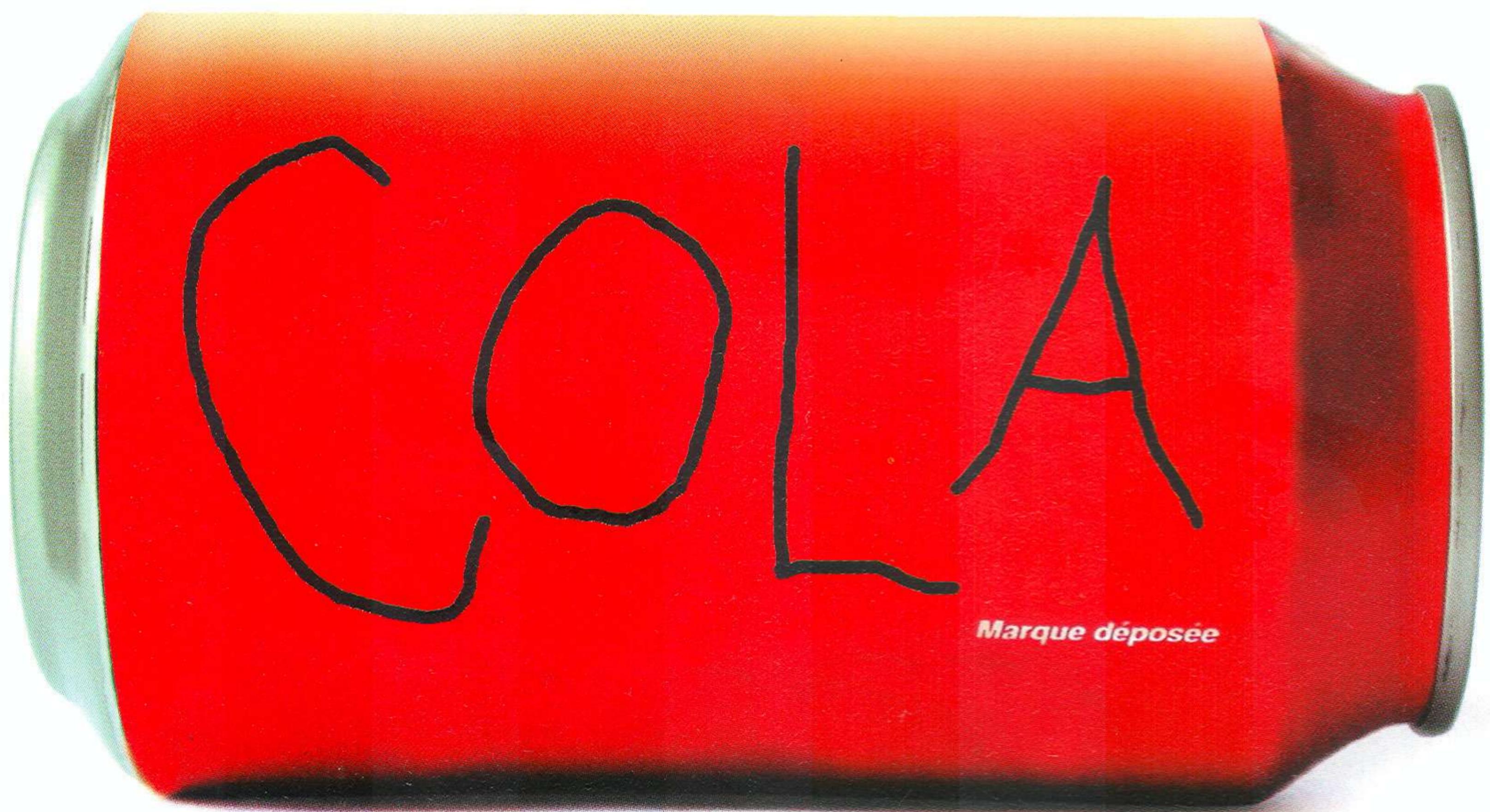




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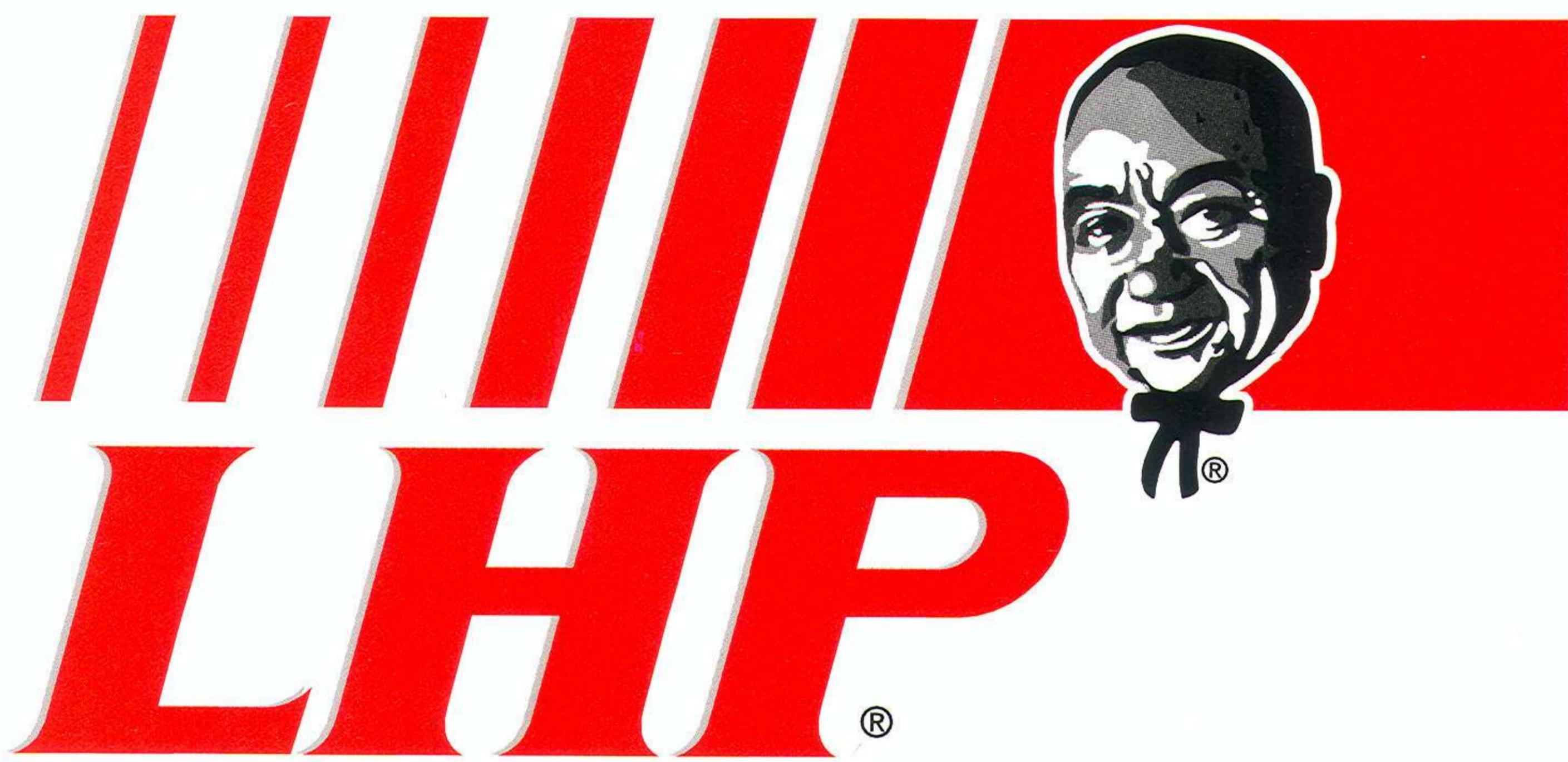
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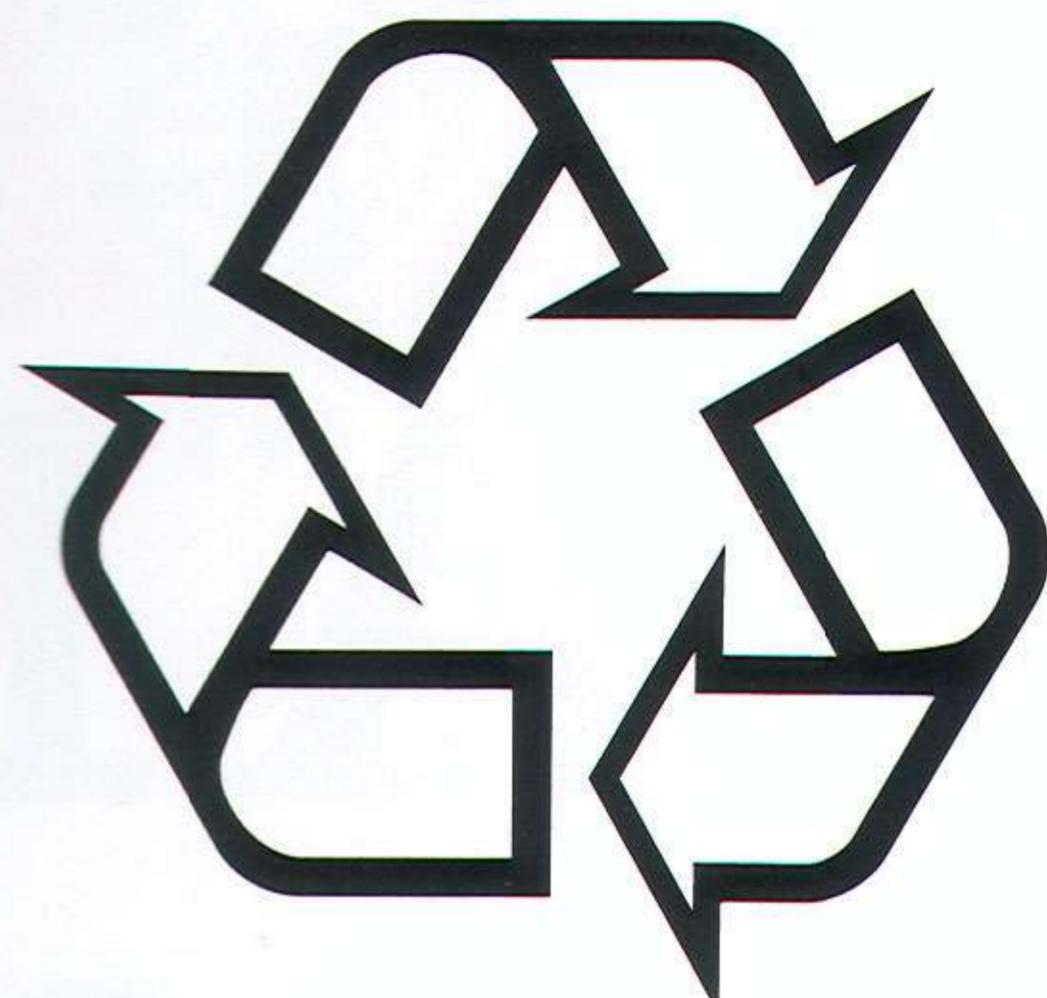
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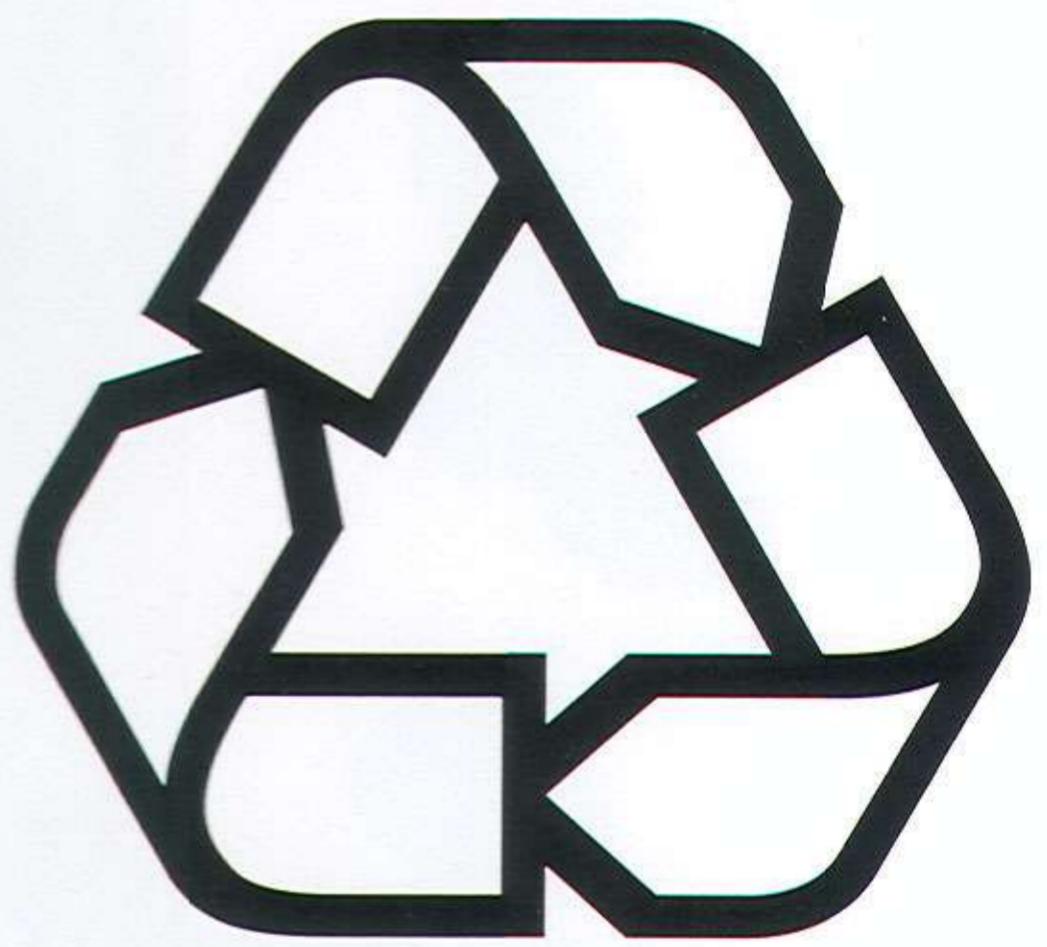
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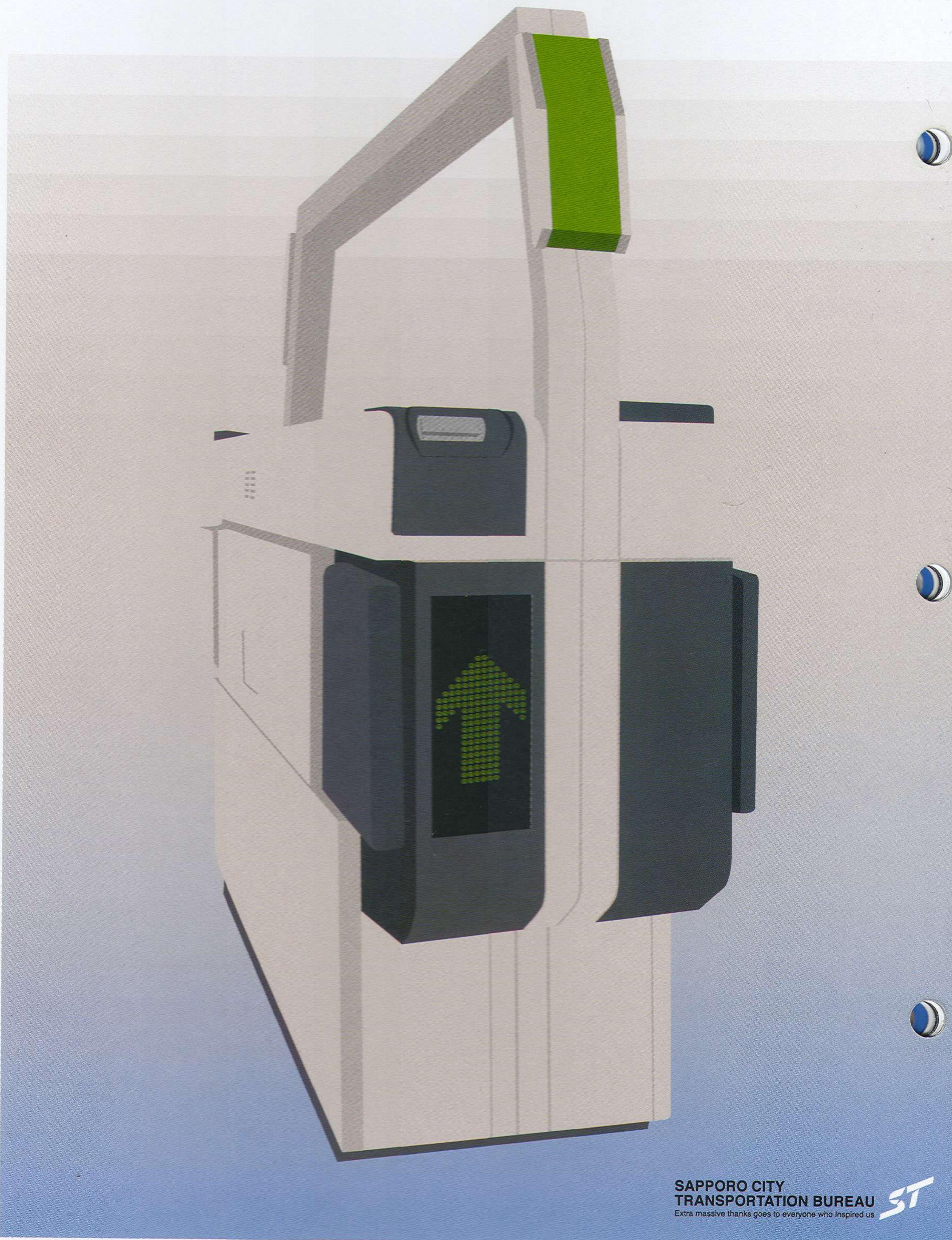


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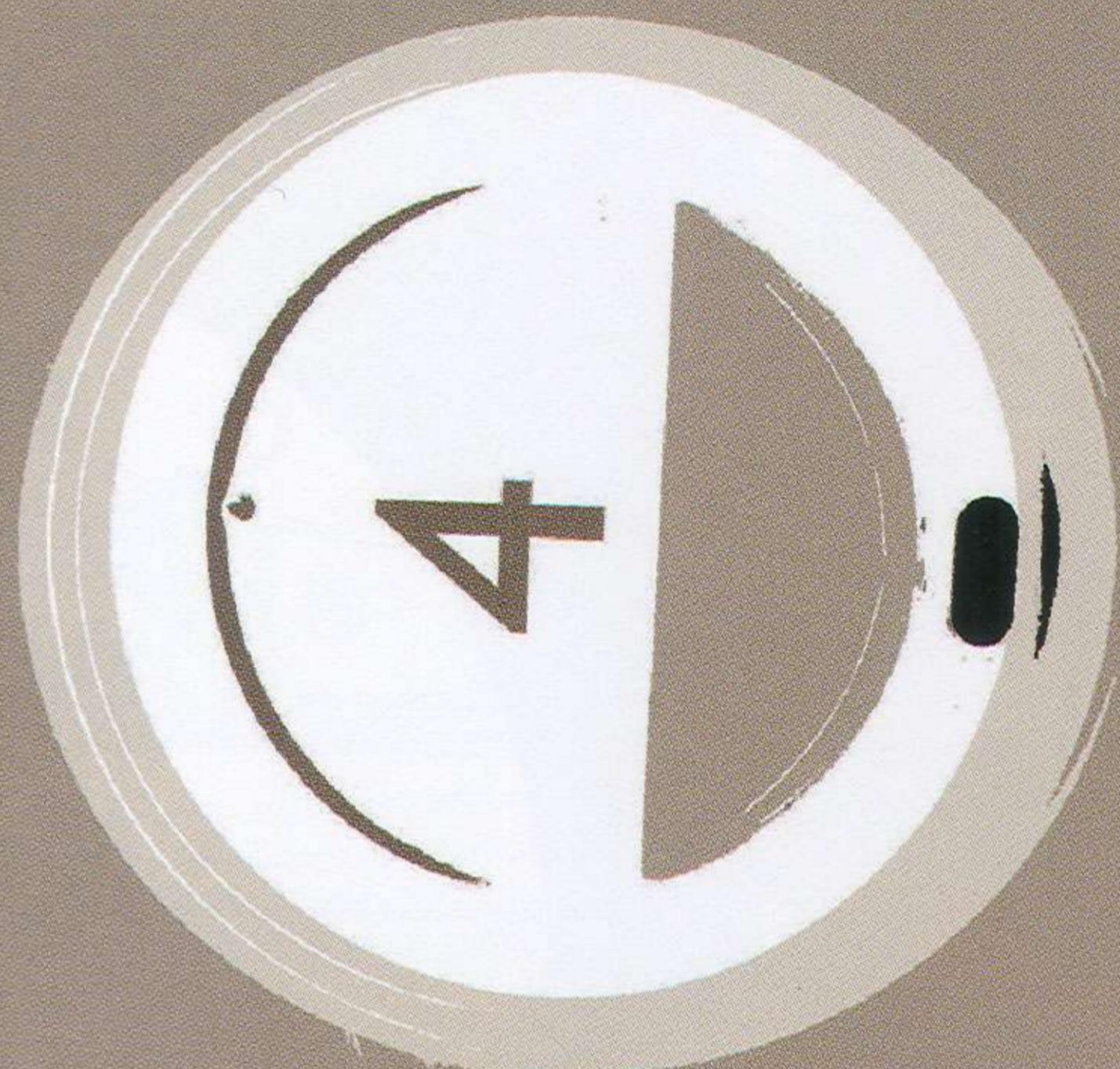




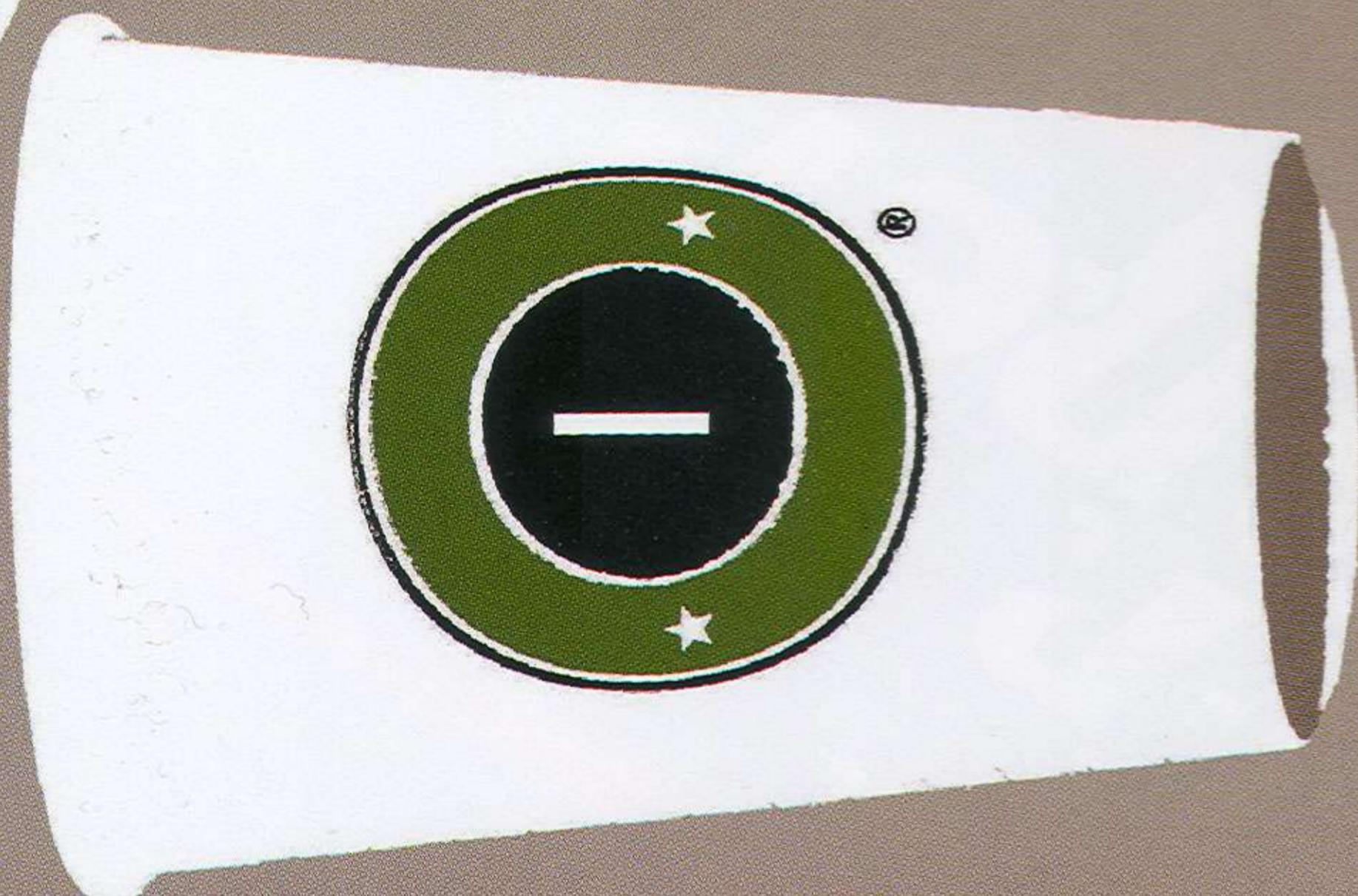


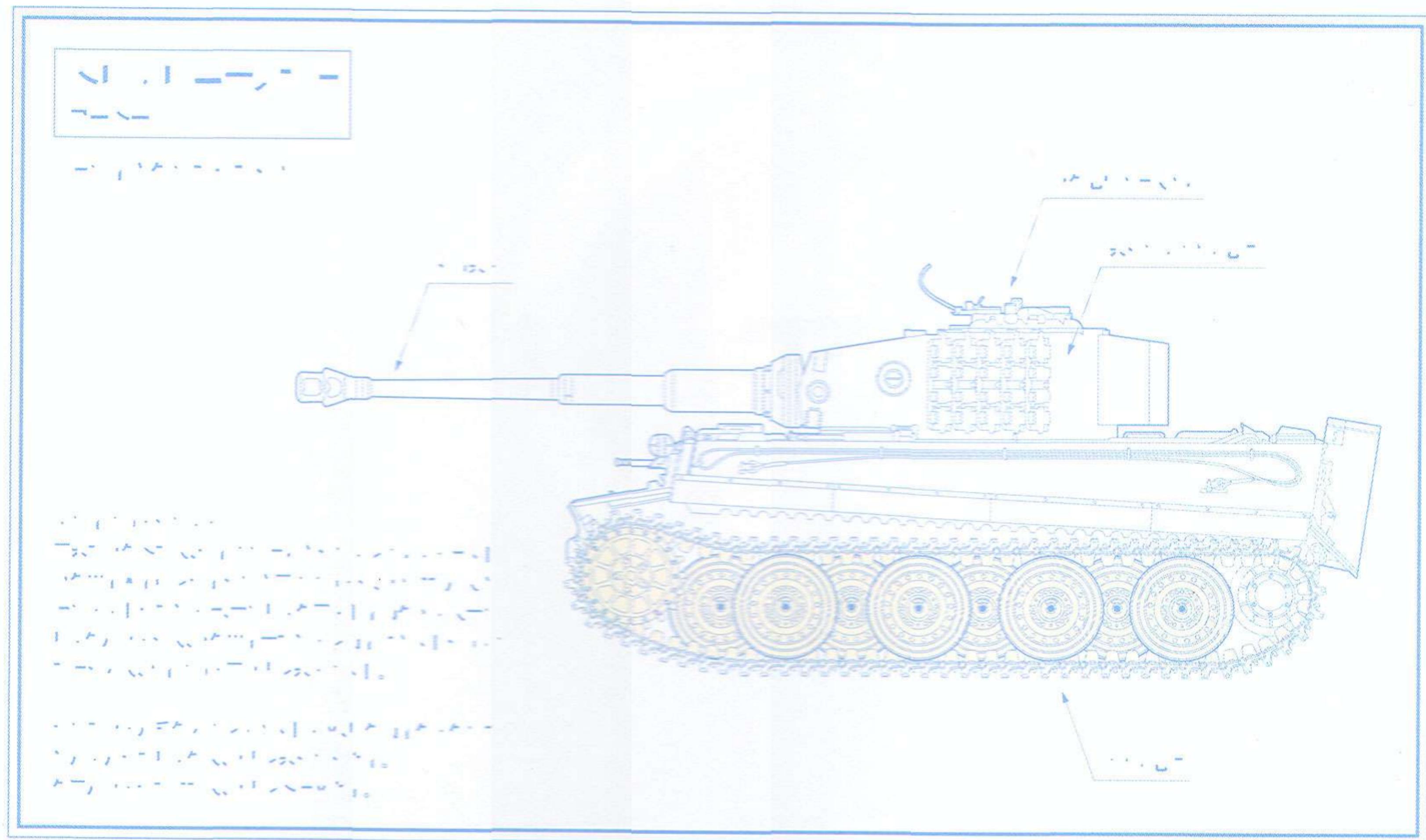
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TRANSPORTATION BUREAU  
Extra massive thanks goes to everyone who inspired us ST

JOE MAGEE



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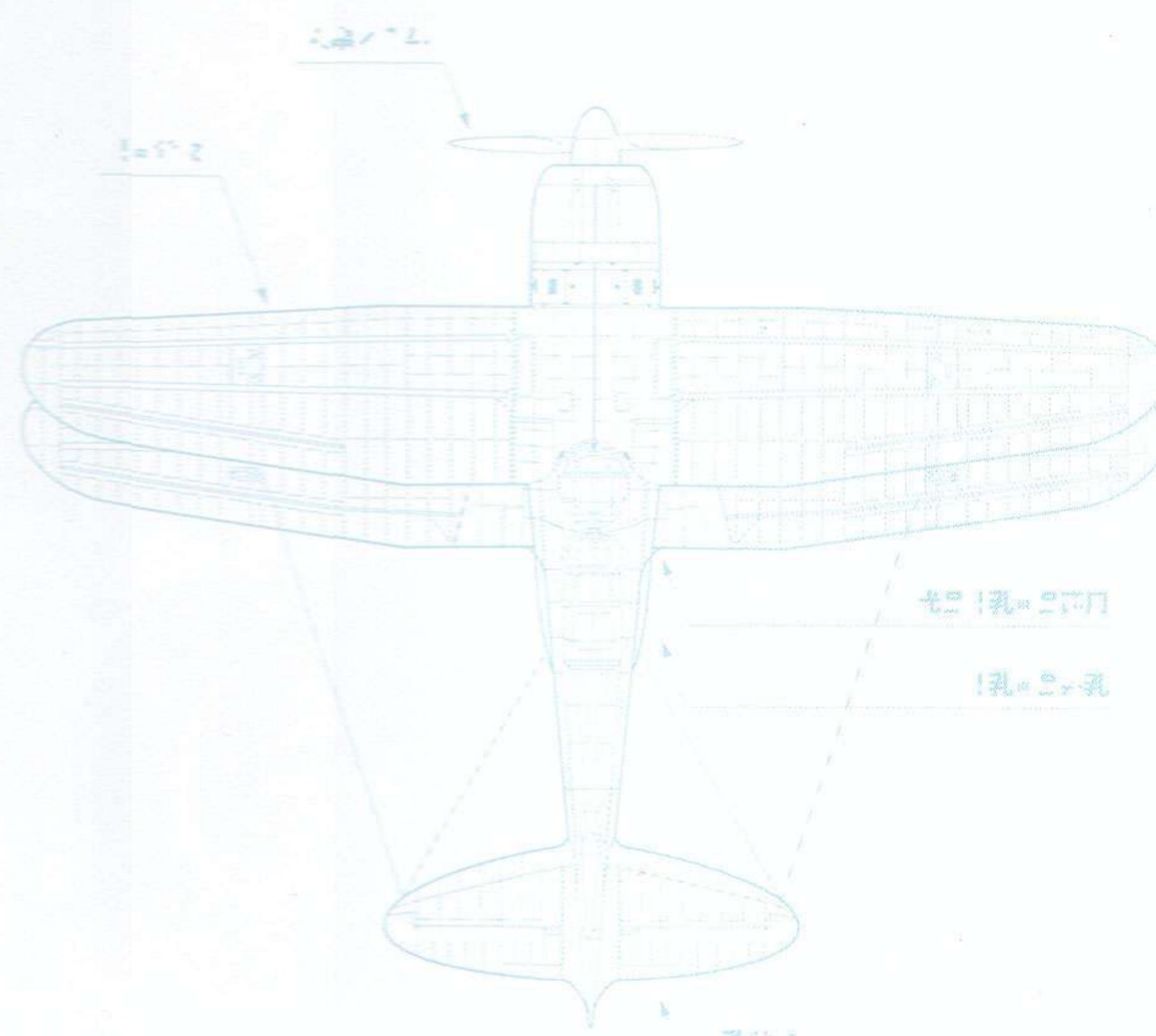
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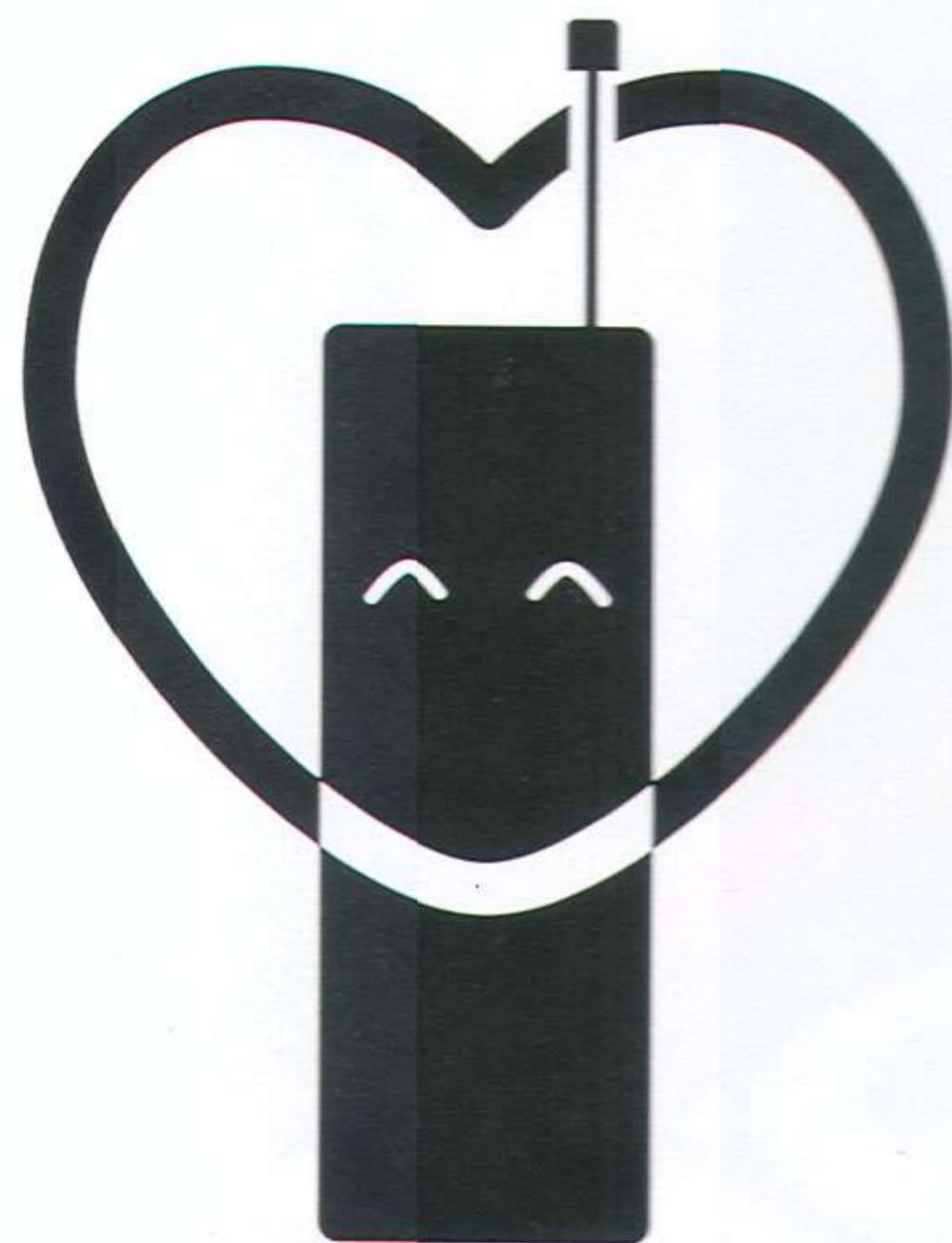
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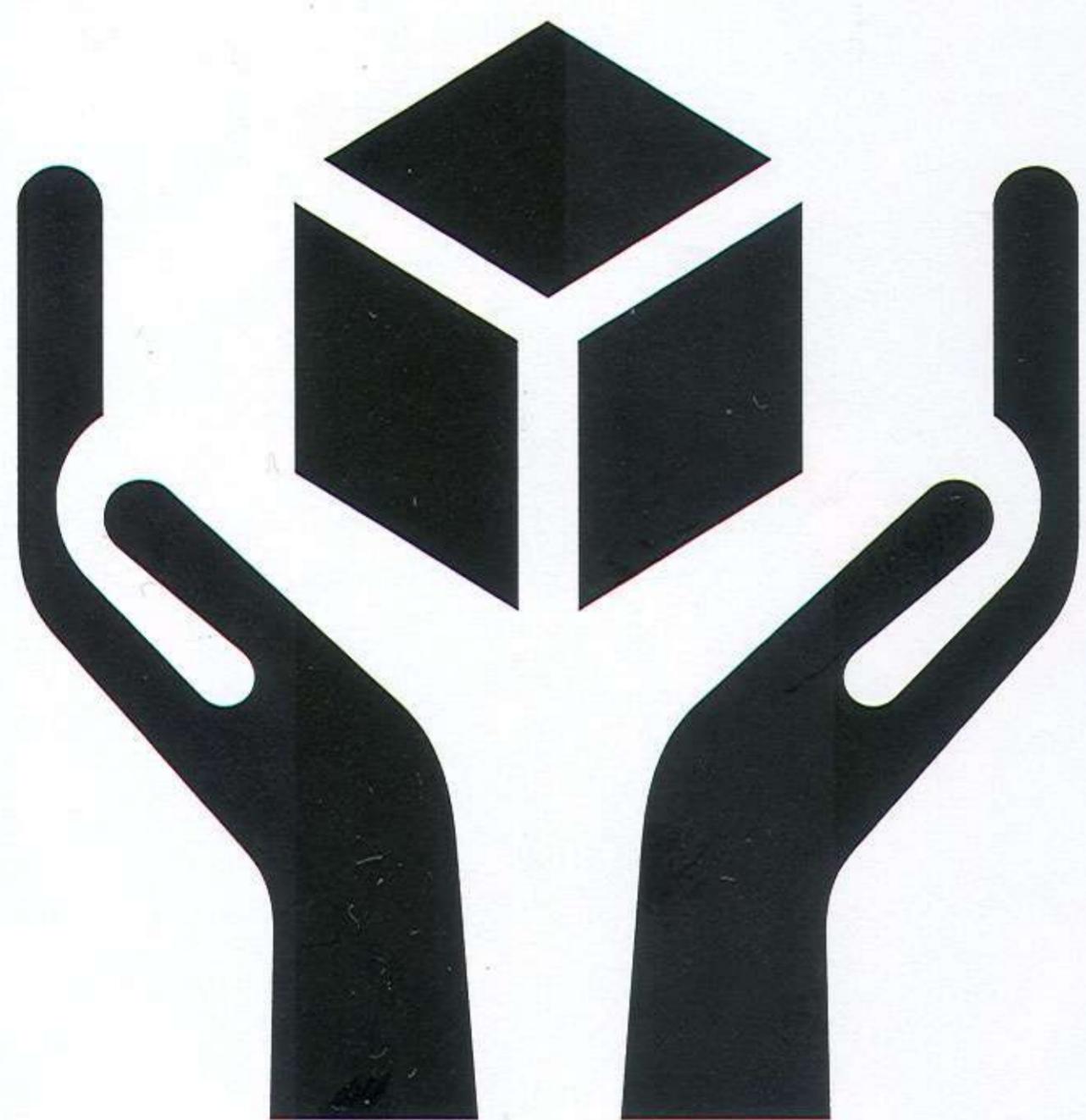
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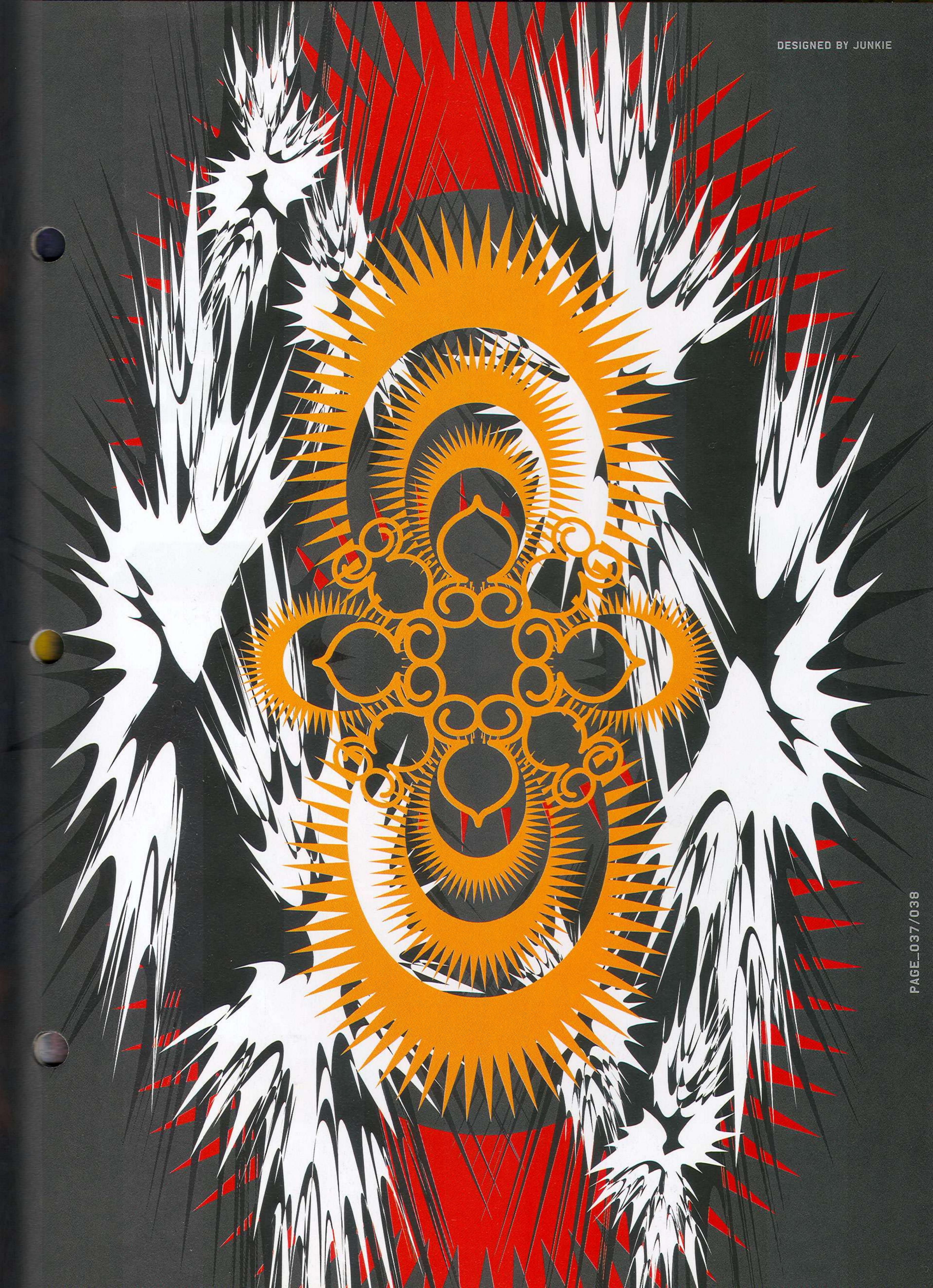
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