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RESEARCH & MANUFACTURING STUDIO  
OF LIGHTS & MATERIALS  
MADE OF SOFT MINERAL POLYMER  
**Suspension lights catalog 2022**



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MU proposes a new experience, lights and materials to be touched, blown, sensitive to air currents, to be palpated, manipulated, caressed, where the bodies and the objects settle without noise. A fusion between look and touch.

**Welcome to the soft parade**  
OSEZ L'EXPERIENCE DU MOU\*

\*DARE TO EXPERIENCE SOFTNESS

Soft and sensual material, it holds an intense sensitivity.

A material with multiple qualities, silicone comes from quartz, silica. It is The result of an invention by the American James Franklin Hyde in 1938, a researcher at Corning Glass Works in Michigan. It was quickly used in industry and the military. It is the combination of silicon and oxygen. Its origin is therefore mineral. Silicon is a recent material from the industrial world and lacks traditional know-how. However, what a rich and interesting material with multiple qualities.

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*«Là-haut où l'albatros est du blanc d'innocence  
Cette blancheur têtue dont rêvent les jaloux  
Qui regardent passer ces oiseaux du silence  
Ils peuvent me rogner Les ailes , je m'en fous*

*Y a pas qu'des albatros au dessus des cités  
Y a pas qu'des albatros au dessus des pavés  
Il y a tous ceux qui voudraient bien ne plus jamais  
Plus jamais voir voler  
Les albatros*

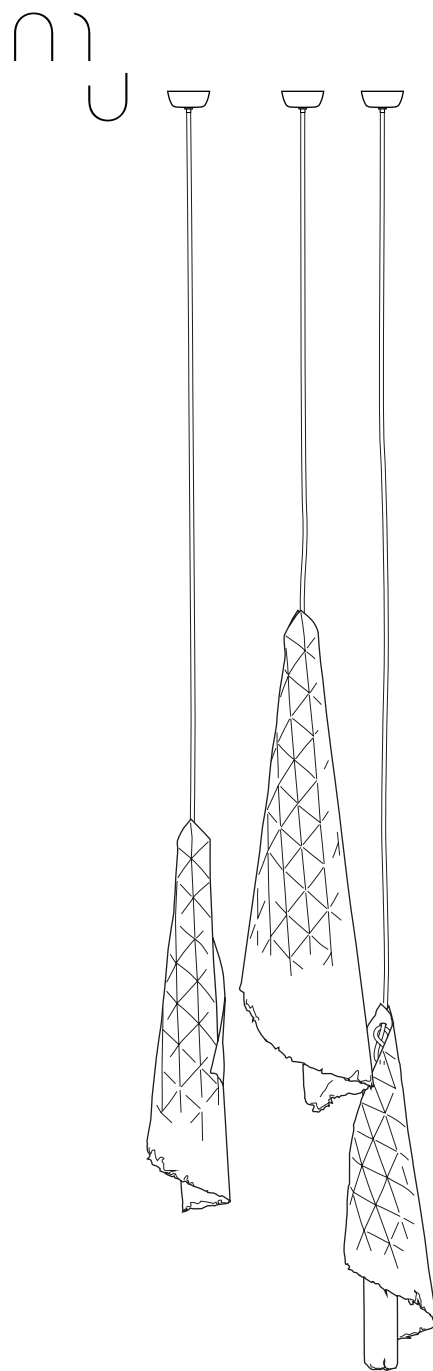
*Que leurs ailes de géants n'empêchent plus désormais  
De marcher... de marcher...de marcher....de marcher...»*

*Les Albatros. Léo Ferré, ZOO.  
Album La Solitude -1971*

ALBATROS

The ALBATROS suspension is an allegory of  
Baudelaire's eponymous poem «The Albatross»  
In this homage the poet finds his wings again.





# ALBATROS

**Reinforced silicone folding.**  
**Subtle silicone Origami.**  
**Each example is unique.**  
**Craft gesture combined with design skills.**

## Technical Data

Available in 4 sizes: Extra 1280mm/320mm - Large 900mm/240mm - Medium 690mm/140mm or Small 510mm/ 120mm.  
 Porcelain socket base E27.  
 Compatible with all dimmable LED bulbs.  
 Delivered in option with TALA bulb, different according to the model.  
 Recommended with a 2700 to 3500 Kelvin led bulb, between 4W and 12W.  
 Textile coated electric wire. Length 1m. If longer, please consult us.  
 5 colours to choose from: rope / white cotton / aniseed / anthracite / black.

Washable with water or damp sponge.

Connection 220-230 volts 50-60Hz.

CE standard.



**Albatros hangings group**  
 reinforced silicone folding  
 porcelain socket  
 textile covered cord



«Quartz»  
finition



«Carrare»  
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«Carrare Flecks»  
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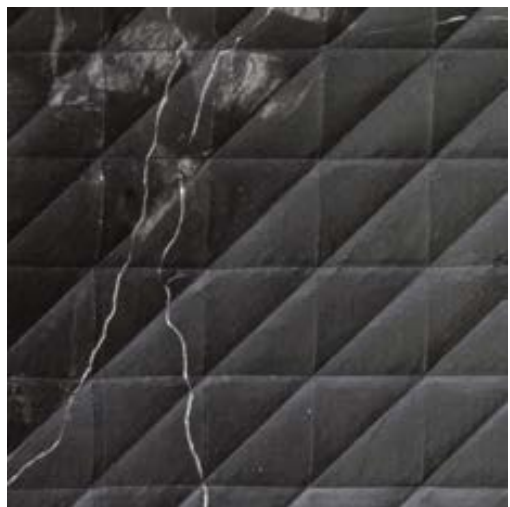
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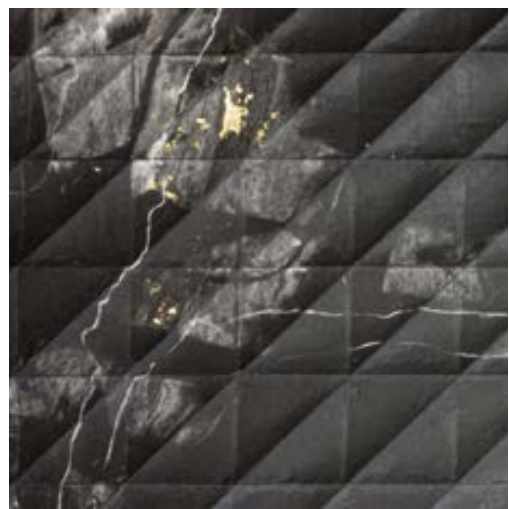
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«Hematite»  
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«Golzine»  
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«Golzine Flecks»  
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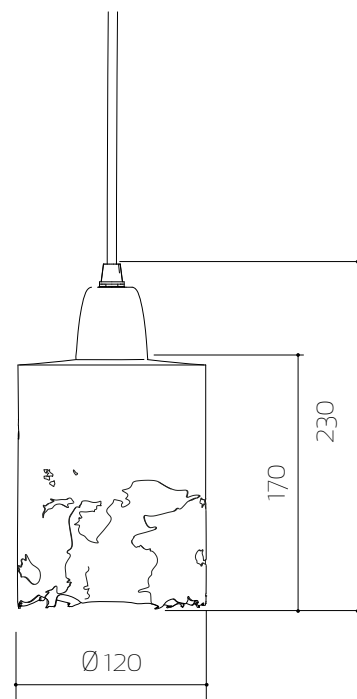
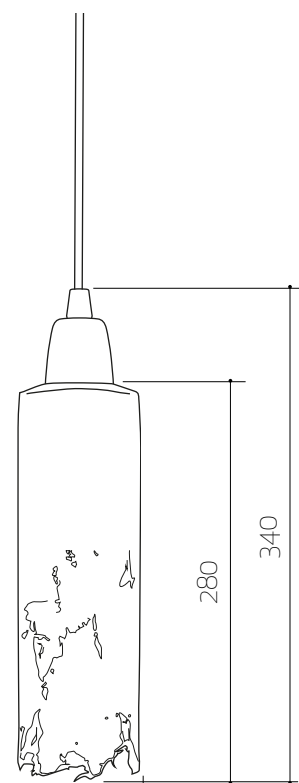


MATRICE

Inspired by clay and plaster work, these techniques create new materials, the stamping of silicone and glass cloth becomes silicone paper or soft stone.



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# MATRICE

**Silicone cylinder inserted in a porcelain socket.**  
**Subtil silicone kind of lithophane image**  
**Each exemplar is unique.**  
**Craft gesture combined with design skills.**

## Technical Data

Porcelain socket base E27.  
 Available in 2 sizes, Long or Large  
 Compatible with all dimmable led bulbs.  
 Supplied with E27 LED bulb, 3000 Kelvin 7,5W.  
 Available in white or black.  
 Porcelain socket or brass socket (only for the black model).  
 Cotton sheathed electric wire. length 1m. If longer, please consult us.

Washable with water or damp sponge.

Connection 220-230 volts 50-60Hz.

CE standard.

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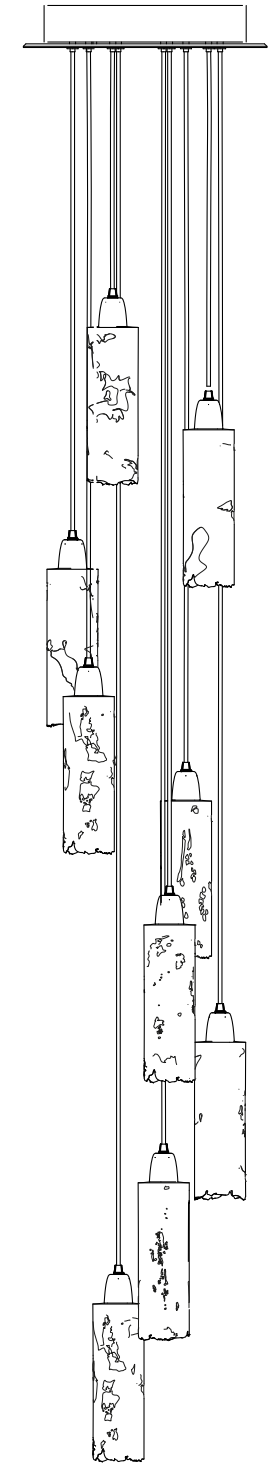
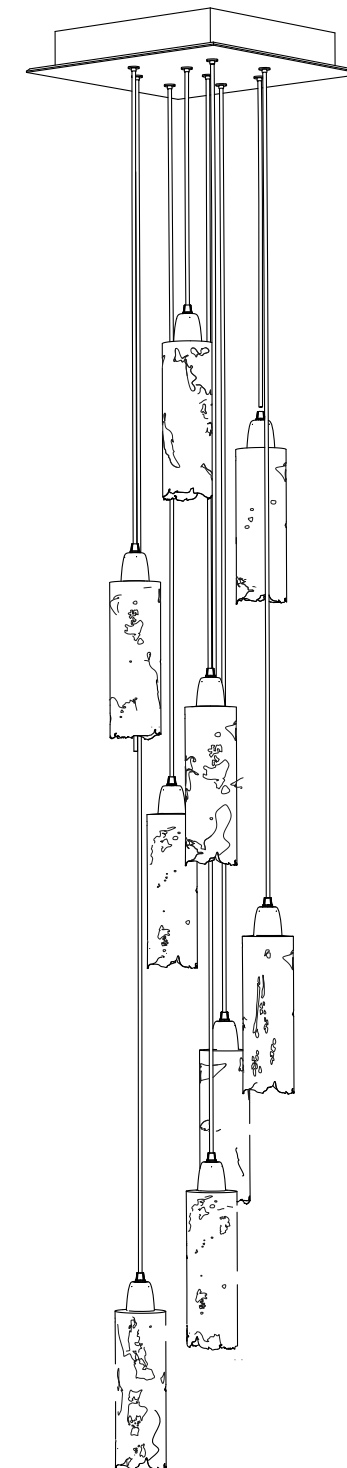
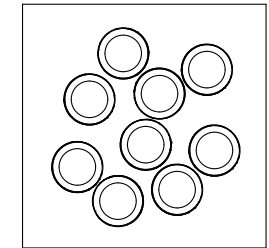
**Matrice hangings group**  
 silicone cylinder  
 porcelain socket  
 textile covered cord





## Matrices \* 9 - square

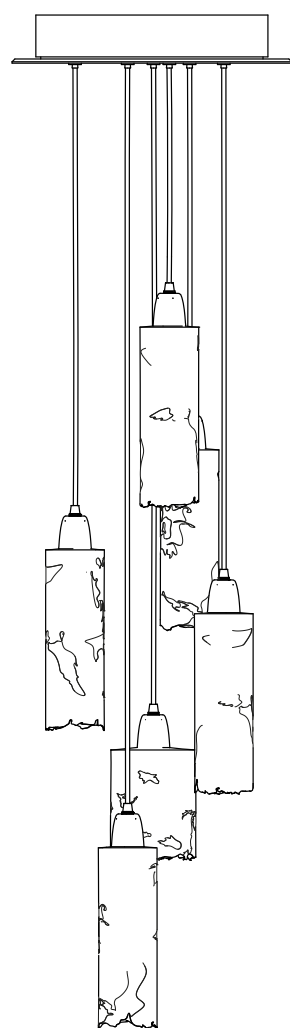
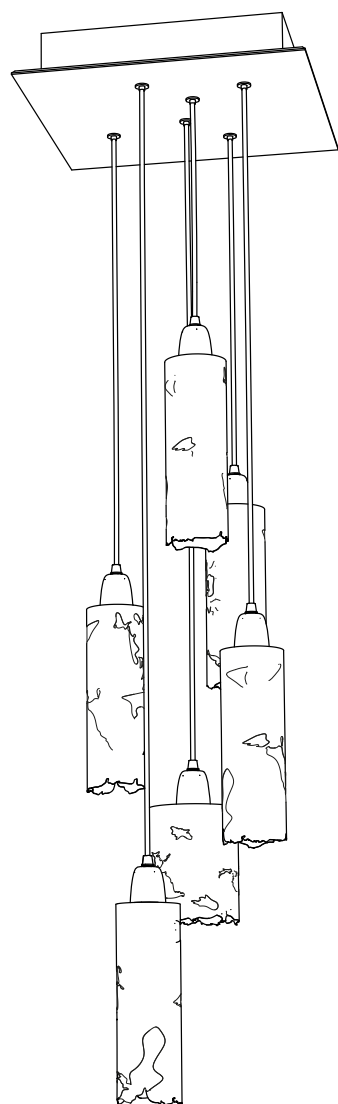
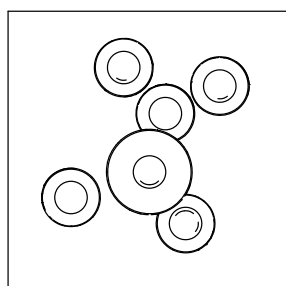
9 Matrices Long  
Support Plafonnier MDF Blanc Mat 40 \* 40





### Matrices \* 6 - square

5 Matrices Long  
1 Matrices Large  
Support Plafonnier MDF Blanc Mat 40 \* 40



Overall image setting

We offer a range of ceiling lights that are designed and manufactured in our workshop, convenient to install.

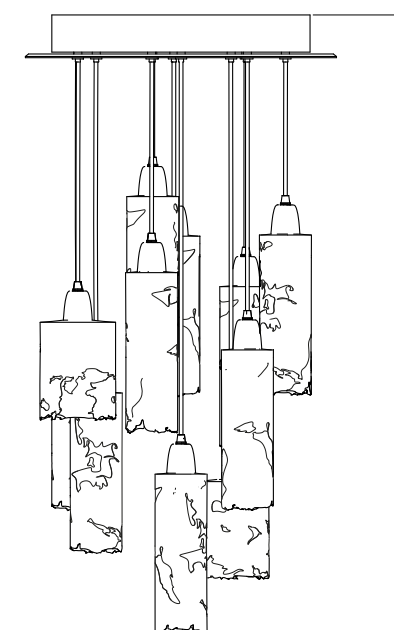
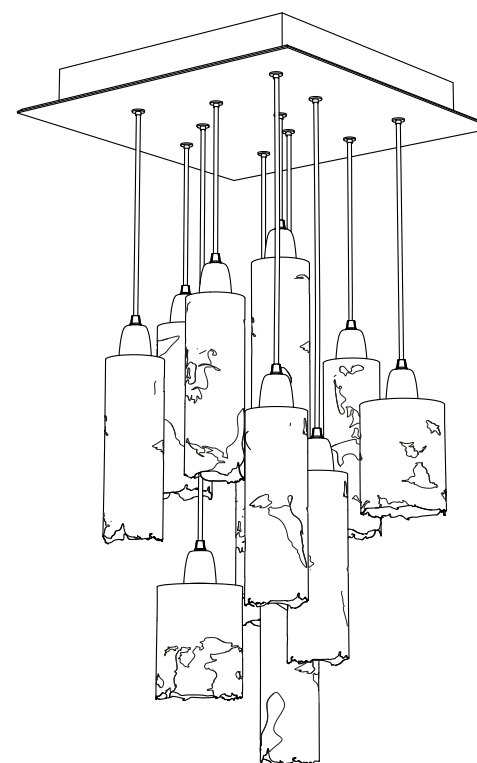
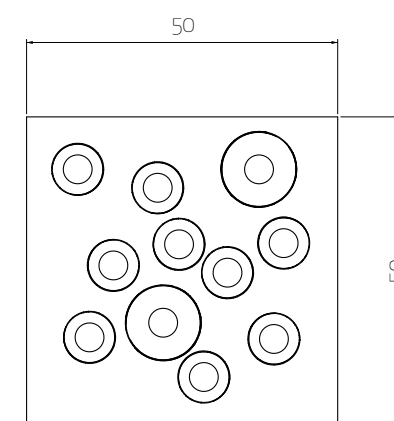
MDF ceiling light in matt white painted wood.

See above an example\* : a cascade of 6 MATRICE, (5 Long, 1 Large) on MDF ceiling light 40 x 40.cm.



### Matrices \* 11 - square

9 Matrices Long  
2 Matrices Large  
Support Plafonnier MDF Blanc Mat 50 \* 50



We provide professionals with 3D files of the models and sets allowing their insertion .

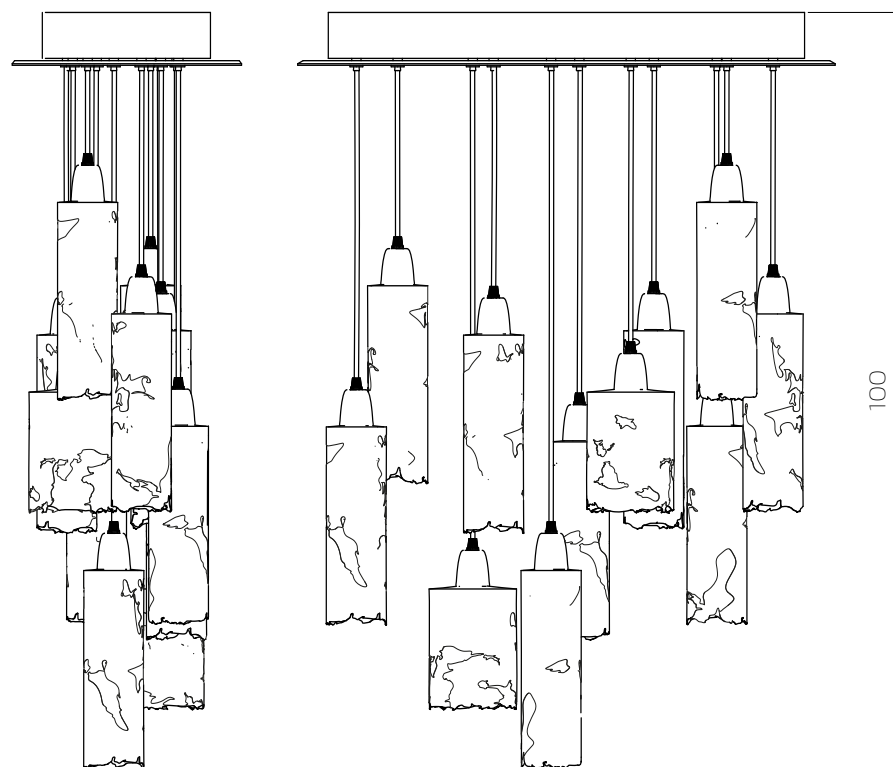
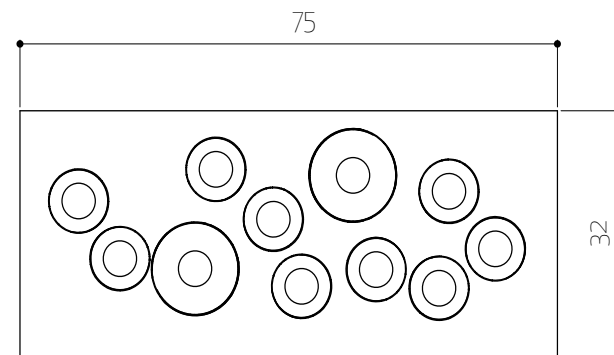
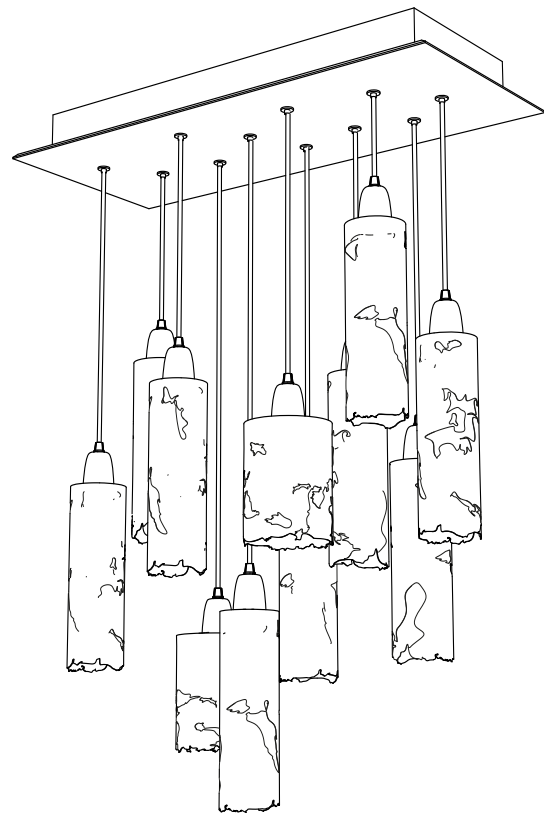
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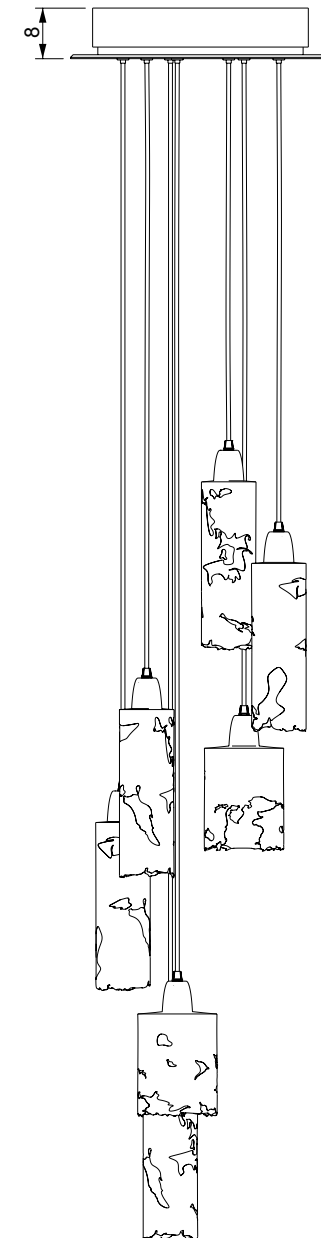
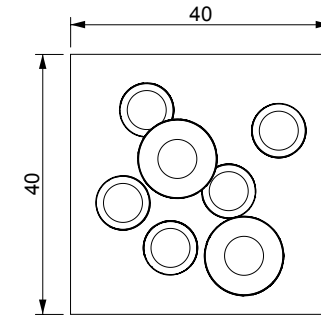
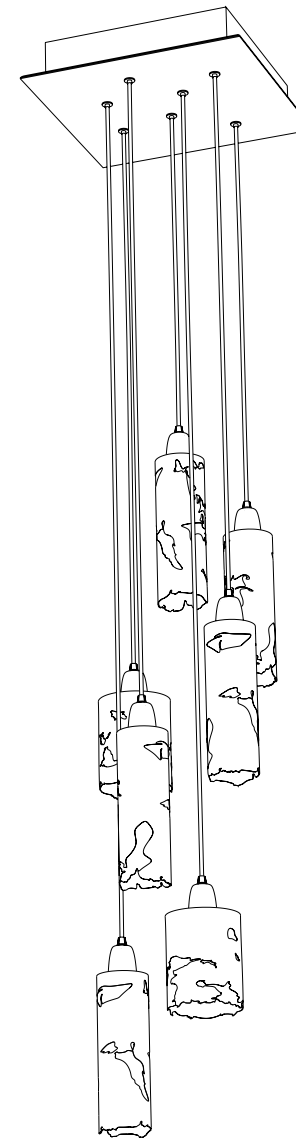
### Matrices \* 11 - rectangle

9 Matrices Long  
2 Matrices Large  
Support Plafonnier MDF Blanc Mat 75 \* 32



### \* 7 - square

7 Matrices Long  
Support Plafonnier MDF Blanc Mat 40 \* 40





## Innovative know-how

- MU -  
A HYBRID COMPANY BETWEEN DESIGN AND CRAFTS-  
MANSHIP, WITH AN UNCOMMON KNOW-HOW:  
THE HANDCRAFTED USE OF SILICONE.

MU brings together a craftswoman and a designer to create and manufacture  
a collection of high-end silicone lighting fixtures, entirely handmade in their workshop  
and office in Pantin located in the east of Paris.





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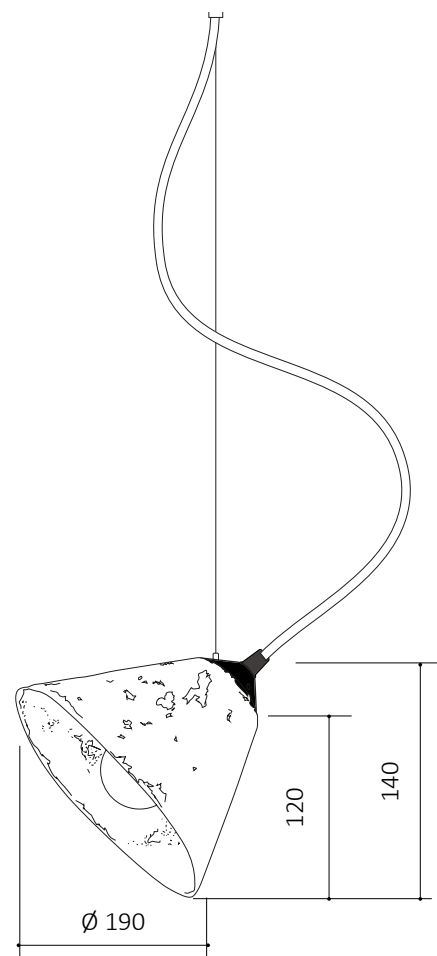
Silicone cone hand embossed inserted in a conical  
E 27 black bakelite socket.

The lamp is suspended on a steel cable.

In contrast with silicone softness, the surface has a  
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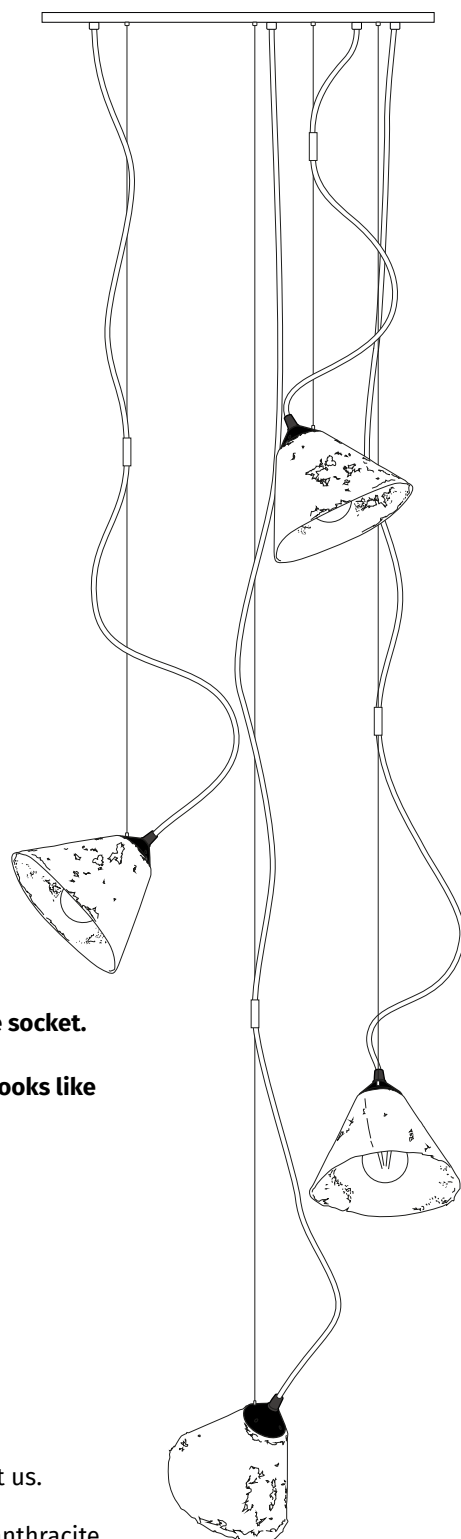
### Technical Data

Black bakelite socket E27 base.  
 Compatible with all dimmable led bulbs.  
 Supplied with one E27 LED spot bulb, 2700 Kelvin 7W.  
 Textile coated electric wire. Length 1m or 3m. If longer, please consult us.  
 8 colours to choose from:  
 rope / white cotton / black / olive green / aniseed yellow / petrol / anthracite.  
 Stainless steel cable. Length 1m or 3m. If longer, please consult us.

Washable with water or damp sponge.

Connection 220-230 volts 50-60Hz.

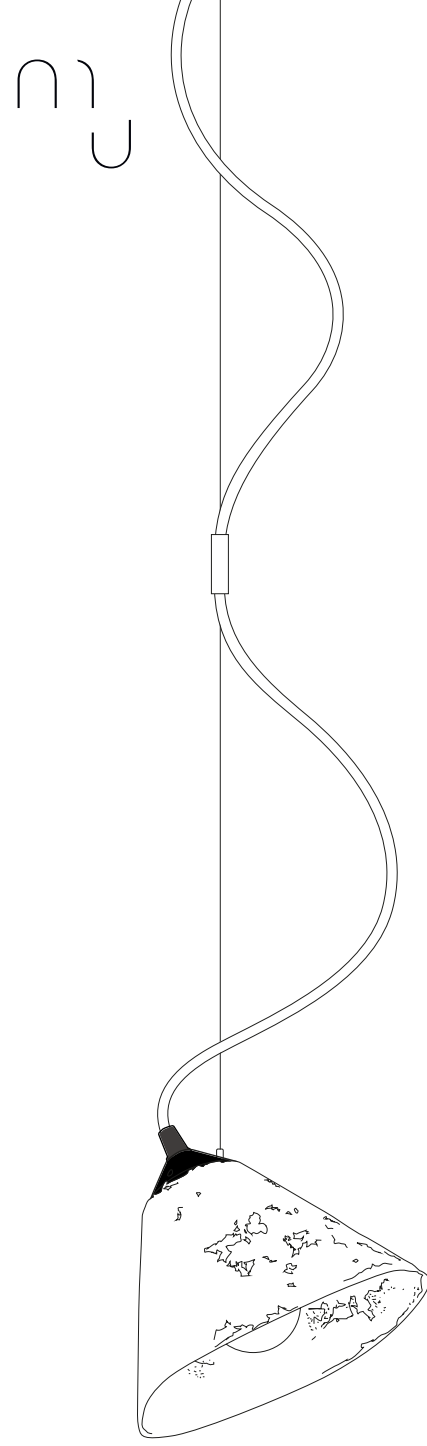
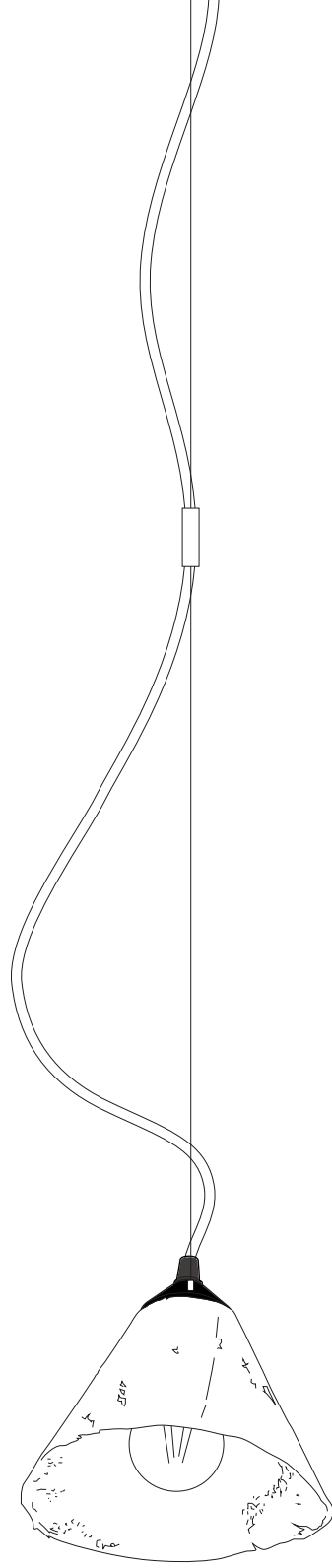
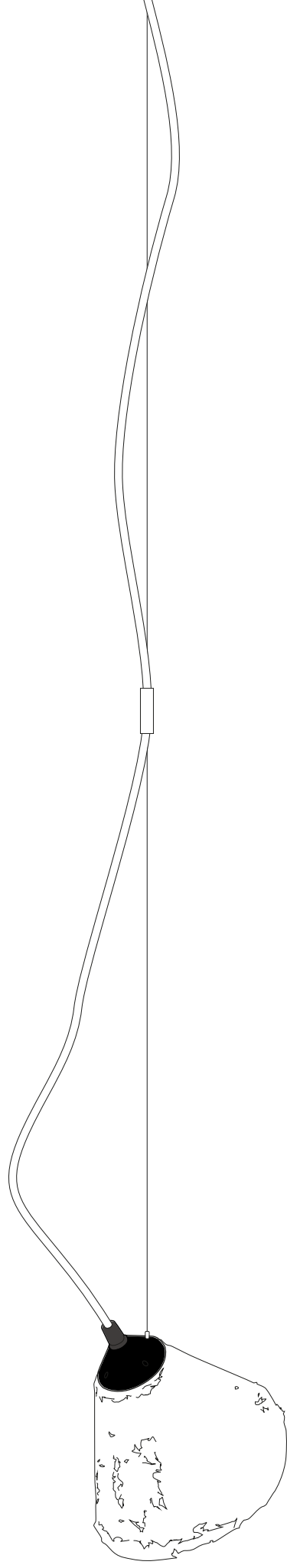
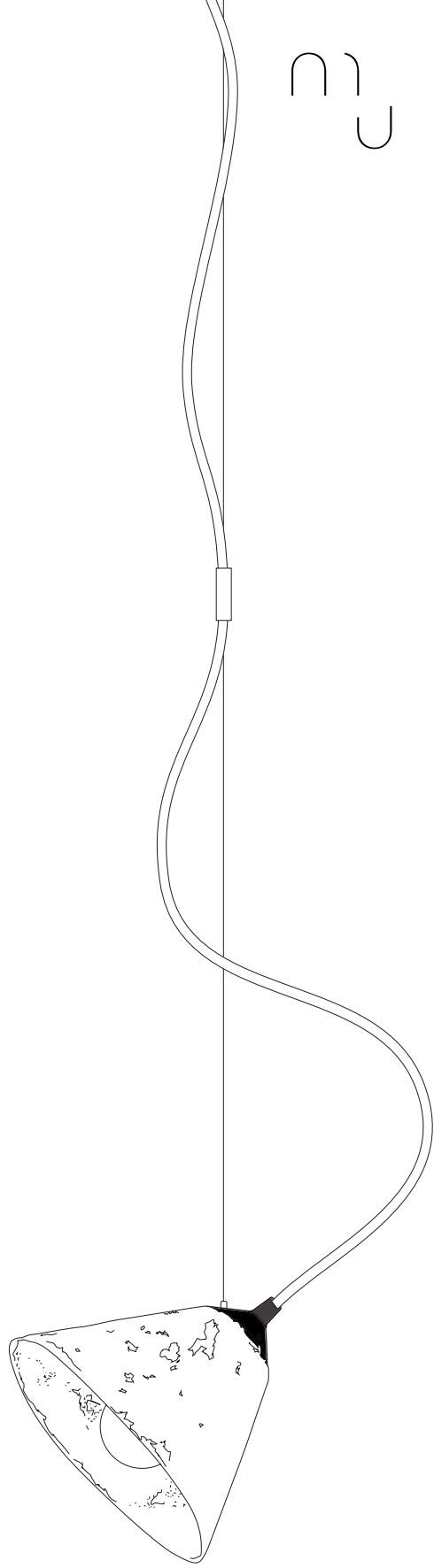
CE standard.



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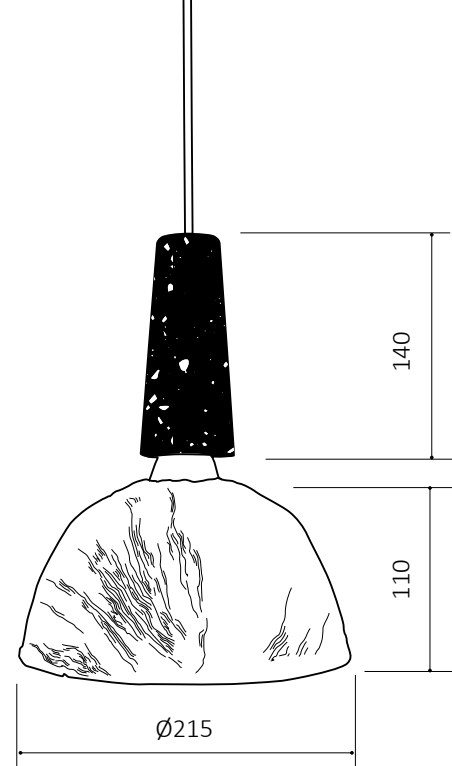
Each one of their luminaire is to CE standards, supplied with a selected high-end light bulb, instructions and precautions for use.



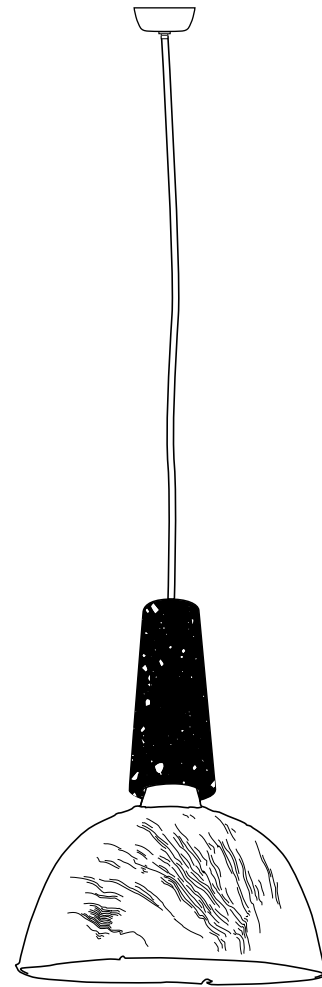
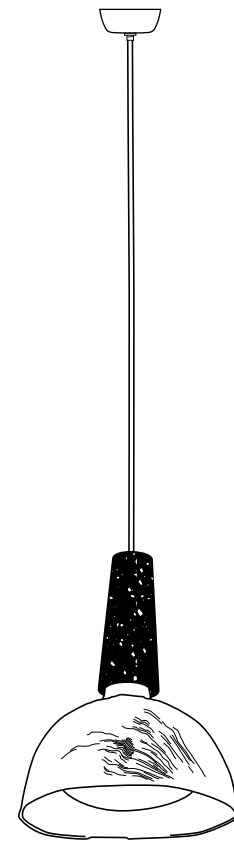


ALBATROS outdoor

Silicone is waterproof.  
The Albatros outdoor suspension is  
equipped with an electrical system  
100% whaterproof IP65



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# FALAISE

Associated with a 14cm conical concrete socket, the silicone shape is supported by a large oval opal glass bulb...  
The silicone half-sphere with impressions of strata evoking the earth's crust contrasts with the imposing and strict black concrete socket.

## Technical Data

Silicone half-sphere Ø 22 cm h 11 cm  
Concrete socket 14cm-5cm E27 base.  
Supplied with *Oval* TALA bulb.  
Cotton-covered electrical wire. Length 1m. If longer, please consult us.

Washable with water or damp sponge.

Connection 220-230 volts 50-60Hz.

CE standard.







FALAISE

Silicone half -sphere embossed by hand insterted in a  
porcelain socket  
The surface presents a refinded play of relief, evoking  
earth's crust and limestone cliffs.













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## An artist/A product designer

### Two backgrounds that meet

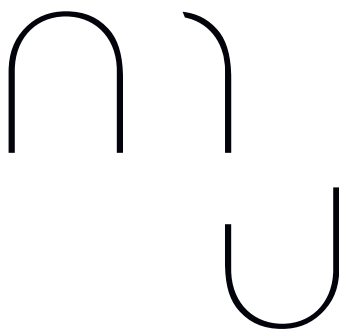
The craftswoman **Emilie Griere** is «between». Between innovation and know-how, sculpture and object. Its primary motivation is to exploit the intrinsic qualities, both plastic and aesthetic, of composite materials. Through research and experimentation, she has developed a sensitive and delicate material. New aspects and materials emerge. After the creation of several unique pieces and luminous works in fiberglass, she develops from 2015 a collection of silicone lights, under the brand name mu. She collaborates with the designer Jérémie Bernard in an artisanal design approach. Together, they develop new techniques for working with silicone. Inspired by clay and plaster work, these techniques create new materials, the stamping of silicone and glass cloth becomes silicone paper.

**Jérémie Bernard** has a double background as a designer and trumpet player. From his training at ENSAAMA, he has kept close contact with the practices of the crafts. He quickly started a collaboration with Henri Selmer Paris, a top-of-the-range wind instrument maker. With this semi-industrial manufacturer, a sort of modern factory, he developed an approach to design connected to the traditional gestures and know-how of the craftsmen. A designer at the factory.

The close collaboration with the craftsman Émilie GRIERE allows him to explore the relationship between the artisanal gesture, innovation and the notion of series. Together they create Mu, a collection of four-handed luminaires.







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