

Stamps of Unique Materials

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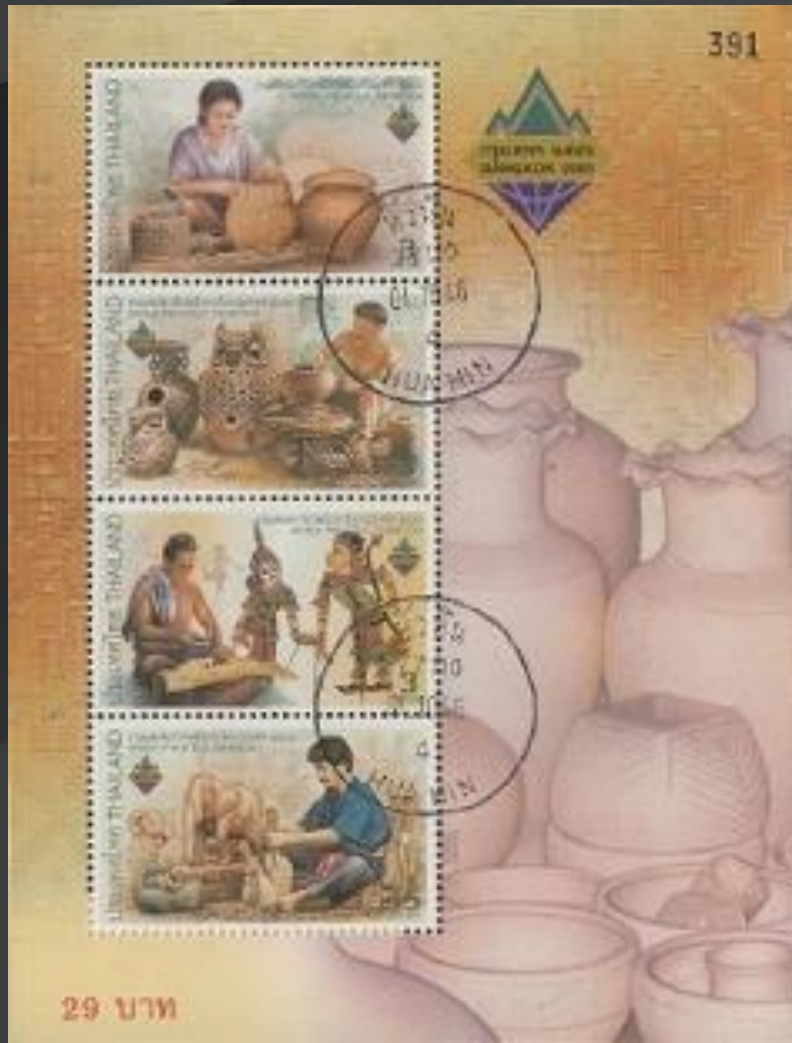
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Introduction

For more than a century postage stamps were, for the most part, all the same being printed on paper. But things changed in the 1960s when countries started experimenting by using other materials as substrates and/or embellishing paper in ways never before seen. Such creations have exploded onto the philatelic marketplace and continue into today. Here is a small sample of them.





1- Thailand



2- Malaysia



3- Malaysia



4- Portugal



5- Switzerland



6- Switzerland



7- China



8- Spain

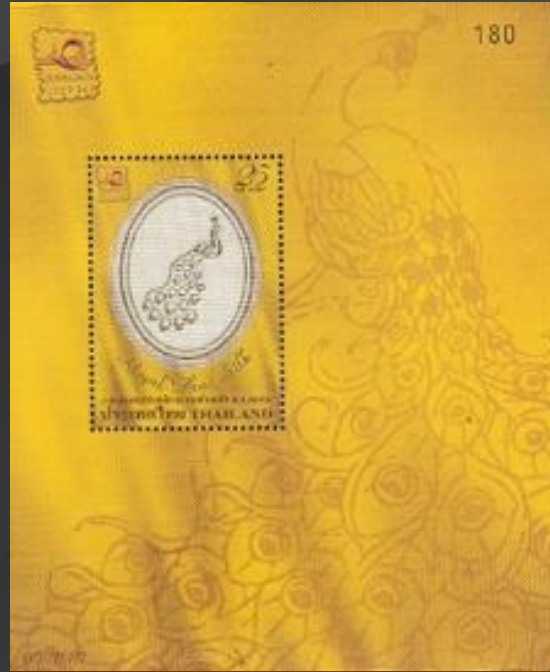


10- Hong Kong



9- Singapore

11- Thailand



12- China



13- North Korea



14- Bhutan





15- Austria



16- Thailand



17- Armenia



18- Iceland

19- France



20- Thailand



21- Gibraltar



22- Spain

23- Austria



24- Switzerland



25- Austria



26- Austria

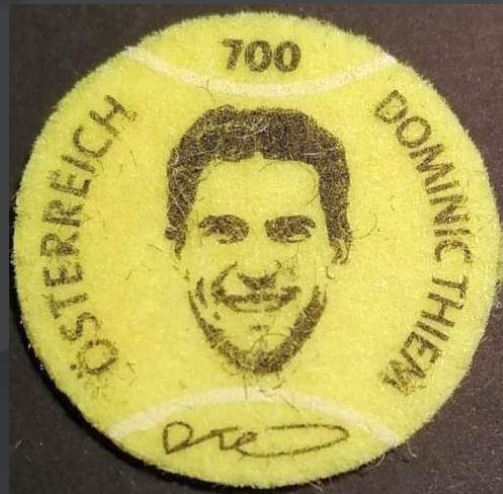




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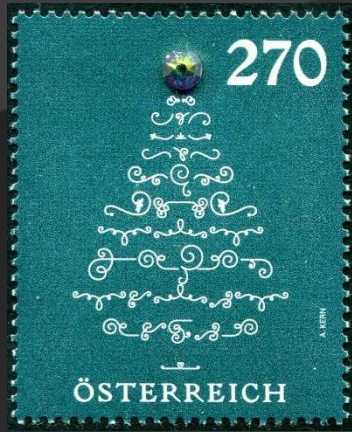
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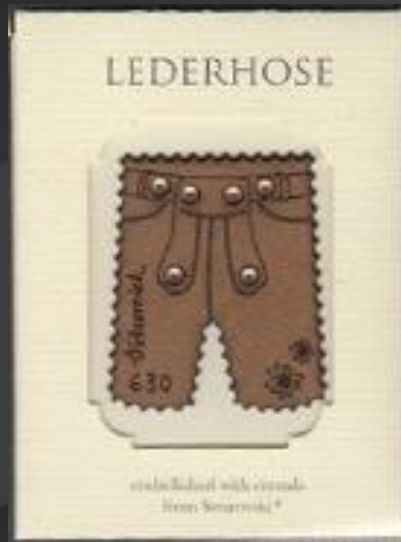
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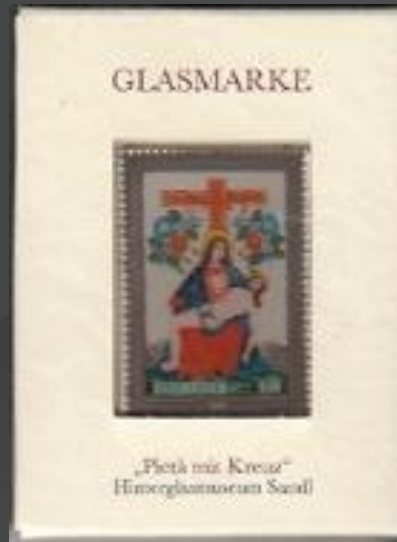
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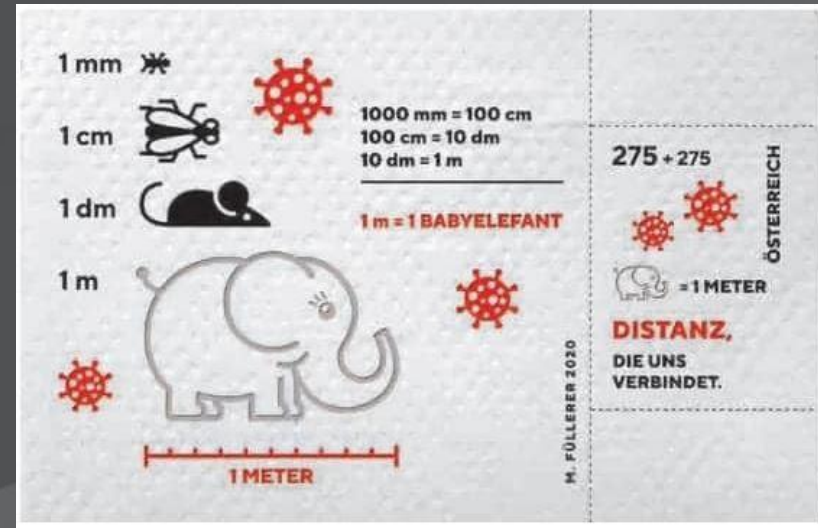
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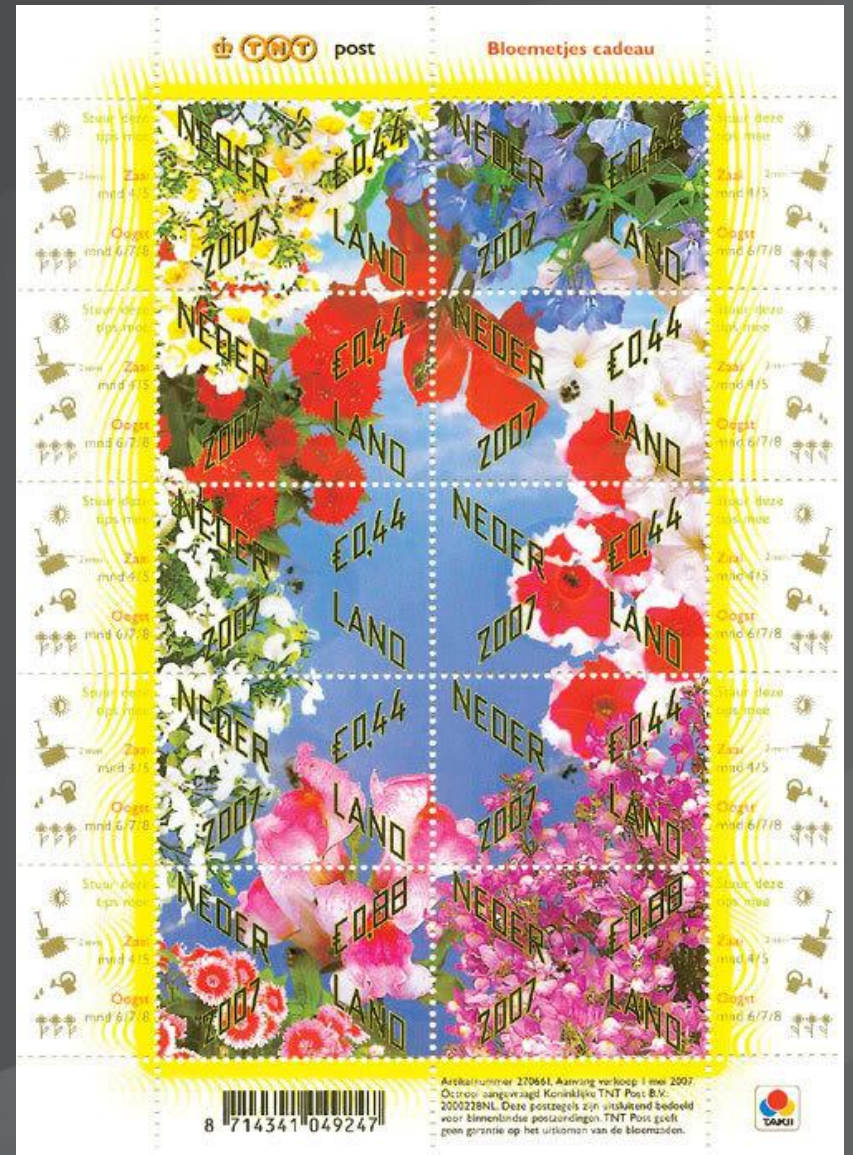
36- Austria



37- Austria



38- Faroe Islands



39- Netherlands



40- Spain



41- Bhutan



42- Croatia



43- Austria



44- Liechtenstein



45- Austria



46- Gibraltar



47- Croatia



48- Austria



49- Belgium



50- Tonga



51- Tonga



52- Tonga



53- Tonga



54- Tonga



55- Ukraine Issues

Much more to come!