## cards (various)

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## Playing cards



Figure 1: The Font Deck. Learn about typography while playing poker. https://www.forrestgoods. com/shop/the-font-deck


Figure 2: https://felix-blommestijn.blogspot.com/


Playing Arts
Figure 3: The Playing Arts deck "eclectic and powerful, with 55 artists from all over the world involved" https://playingarts.com/en/special


Playing Arts
Figure 4: Future. The Playing Arts


Figure 5: Concept and Design for a minimalist Playing Cards decks. Francesca Pagani. https:// francescapagani.graphics/portfolio-item/playing-cards/


Figure 6: Pocono Modern Playing Cards (2015)


Figure 7: MESSYMOD Playing Cards. https://www.messymod.com/


Figure 8: PLAYING CARDS. Gvantsa Chijavadze


Figure 9: Playing Cards. Kate Lee Seul Park


Dream Recurrence: Deja Vu Playing Cards


Sumi Playing Cards

Figure 10: The Card Experiment. https://www.cardexperiment.com


Figure 11: Four sided


Figure 12: Jokers


Figure 13: woodblock-printed and stencil-coloured Spanish-suited playing cards made in Italy by Agostino Bergallo for export to Spanish territories, 18th century.
H. BILLINGS. No. 142,075 .


Patented August 26,1873 .


Cabalistic Playing Cards, 1873


The Rameses Fortune Telling Cards, manufactured by Chas. Goodall \& Son Ltd, Camden Works, London, c.1910. 52 cards + extra 'Subject' card in box.


The Tarot Cards of Tech

## Tarot (and variations)



Figure 16: Thoth Tarot


Figure 17: Sola-Busca Tarot
(see also SYNBIO TAROT READING)
and so on, and so on...


Figure 18: Hermetic Tarot


Figure 19: Revelations Tarot


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Figure 20: The Housewives Tarot


Figure 21: Margarete Peteresen Tarot


Figure 22: Vertigo Tarot deck. Art by Dave McKean


Figure 23: III


Figure 24: I


Figure 25: tarocchi degli insetti - acquarelli.


Figure 26: The Phantasmagoric Theater Tarot


Figure 27: Instant Archetypes: A New Tarot For The New Normal by Superflux (2018)


Figure 28: The Quantum Tarot by Christopher Butler and Kay Stopforth


Figure 29: Starchild Tarot


Dali Tarot - Taschen
Figure 30: Dali Tarot


Figure 31: cards from "Self-Guided Tarot" by Cameo Victor, 1999


Figure 32: Ikea Tarot https://www.core77.com/posts/90881/Ikea-Based-Tarot-Cards


How the Mysterious
‘Brown Magick’ Oracle Card Deck Came to Be


Figure 34: Tarot Decks (A-G) at https://tarot.com

## Design (thinking), Futures \& Method cards



Figure 35: IDEO Method cards. https://www.ideo.com/post/method-cards


- https://medium.com/design-ibm/prototyping-ibm-design-thinking-method-cards-1328080da382
- When all you have is a method card set, everything looks like a design problem.


Playing "The Thing from the Future"
Figure 36: The Thing from the Future. http://situationlab.org/project/ the-thing-from-the-future/

WHAT WOULD YOU WANT TO SEE ON THE BACK OF CARDS LIKE THESE?


Figure 37: designing the IBM design thinking cards

## Futures



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DIS 2017, June 10-14, 2017, Edinburgh, UK


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Figure 38: Tiles: A Card-based Ideation Toolkitfor the Internet of Things Simone Mora, Francesco Gianni and Monica Divitini.


Figure 39: When all you have is a method card set, everything looks like a design problem.


A suite of workshop method cards to support the learning model of the new Bachelor of Creative Intelligence and Innovation degree at UTS (UTS Method cards)

Figure 40: UTS


Figure 41: https://www.mightydeals.com/deal/design-deck-playable-inspiration.html


Figure 42: oracle cards


## Kit of Kits

€ 39

50 cards to discuss what MethodKit(s) to use.

| Language |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| English | * |
| Size |  |
| Medium, ~A7 | $\checkmark$ |

Figure 43: A Method Kit for Method Kits


Figure 44: A Method Kit for Method Kits
(9 OF 58 CARDS)


Figure 45: At a UN summit in 2015, 193 world leaders agreed to 17 Global Goals for Sustainable Development. The Global Goals Cards are 58 colour-coded cards that illuminate and allow us to discuss the UN goals for transforming our world.


Figure 46: Method kit for Personal Projects

## Fluxx

The Card Game With Ever-Changing Rules "It starts out simple: draw one card and play one card -but New Rule cards quickly make things chaotic. Even the object of the game will often change as you play, as players swap out one Goal card for another. Can you achieve World Peace before someone changes the goal to Bread and Chocolate?"


Figure 47: Fluxx


Figure 48: FLuxx gameplay instructions. https://www.looneylabs.com/
(see also the Looney Labs Literature Index (printable rules and rulesheets) and Chrononauts)

## MTG

"Magic can be played by two or more players, either in person with printed cards or on a computer, smartphone or tablet with virtual cards through the Internet-based software Magic: The Gathering Online or other video games such as Magic: The Gathering Arena. It can be played in various rule formats, which fall into two categories: constructed and limited. Limited formats involve players building a deck spontaneously out of a pool of random cards with a minimum deck size of 40 cards; in constructed formats, players create decks from cards they own, usually with a minimum of 60 cards per deck. New cards are released on a regular basis through expansion sets." Magic: The Gathering (Wikipedia)

Formats: MTG Arena, Tabletop Magic, Magic Online and Magic Pro League (digital and tabletop tournaments)


Figure 49: MTG Arena (gameplay)


Figure 50: MTG Grand Prix (gameplay)

## RPG cards



Figure 51: Keyforge


Figure 52: weapons


Figure 53: FAITH: The Sci-Fi RPG

## PLAYEL GARIDS



GEAR GARIDS


NPG GARIDS


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Figure 55: The afterlife of Android: Netrunner (Nextrunner International Support and Expansion Initiative) https://www.dicebreaker.com/categories/trading-card-game/feature/ android-netrunner-community-afterlife


Figure 56: Pokémon Trading Card Game

## 1KBWC (1000 Blank White Cards)

"At its simplest, a card is just that: a physical card, which may or may not have undergone any modifications. Its role in the game is both as itself and as whatever information it carries, which can be changed, erased or amended. Many cards have been created which demanded their own modification, destruction or duplication, and many have been created which display nothing but a picture or text bearing no explicit significance whatsoever. Some have been eaten, burned, or cut and folded into other shapes. As conceived, the game is not inherently limited in length or scope, is radically self-modifying, and can contain references to, or actual instances of, other games or activities. The game can also encode algorithms (trivially functioning as a Turing machine), store real-world data, and hold or refer to non-card objects." 1000 Blank White Cards (Wikipedia)


1KBWC 333 Card Booster Pack
Figure 57: 1000 Blank White Cards

## Kabufuda / Hanufuda

Hanafuda and Kabufuda "cards are tiny, only $21 / 8$ by $11 / 4$ inches ( $54 \times 32 \mathrm{~mm}$ ), but about three times thicker than Western cards. [...] There are twelve suits, representing months of the year. Each is designated by a flower and has four cards. The point values should be considered merely as a ranking mechanism, as the most popular games only concern themselves with certain combinations of taken cards.


Figure 58: Hanufada cards

## Hanafuda Cards

Traditional Japanese card game


Figure 59: Hanafuda cards

## Dasavatara Ganjifa

"Ganjifa cards are used in India, Pakistan, Iran and Turkey, and are usually hand-painted. This version was printed chromo-lithographically by the Chitrasala Press in around 1950. Ten suits of twelve cards, each suit is based on one of the ten incarnations of Vishnu. An upper court card, Raja, a lower court card, Pradhan or Mantri, and ten numerals in each suit. Suits are: Matsya (fish), Kurma (turtle), Varaha (boar), Narasimha (lion), Vamana (water pot), Parashurama (axe), Rama (bow \& arrow, or monkey), Krishna (quoit or cow), Buddha (conch) and Kalkin (sword or horse)." https://www.wopc.co.uk/india/dasavatara


Figure 60: Ganjifa cards

## The Children's Alphabetical Packs

"At least three different editions of the cards were published; two with Marathi text and a third edition in Urdu. The cards were obviously intended as a game for fun but also with an educational agenda, i.e. the teaching of reading, matching and etiquette."


Figure 61: The images on the numeral cards show everyday objects such as ships, trains, rivers, a holy man or yogi, fruit, animals and a fire altar.

## Tonalamatl

"Baraja Tonalamatl Mexican Aztec playing cards based on the prehispanic Codex Borgia manuscript - "A synthesis of Mesoamerican Cosmogonical, Chronometrical, Astronomical and Mathematical thought" . The cards run from 1-13 in each colour, plus 20 violet cards and six extra cards, making a total of 78 cards. "https://www.wopc.co.uk/mexico/tonalamatl


Figure 62: Baraja Tonalamatl Mexican Aztec playing cards ()1985) based on the prehispanic Codex Borgia

Hakka（客家）


Figure 63：Hakka cards arranged according to rank and suit．https：／／www．wopc．co．uk／china／hakka


Figure 64：六虎牌 Six tiger cards，鴻獅廠 Hong Shi Factory

## Logica Memorativa

'Influenced by Byzantium, Vittorino da Feltre's school 'La Giocosa' revived in Italy the habit of using exercise-games in elementary levels of teaching. From that model, perhaps, the Franciscan named Thomas Murner in the late fifteenth century devised his course for teaching elements of logic. He presented students (in parallel with his 16 written lectures as 'Letters' or charta), with suites of practical exercises and mnemonic diagrams to supplement and reinforce students' memory of the material. Each lecture was linked with its associated exercises and diagrams by use of a common emblem, the 16 emblems speaking to philosophical symbolism and to stages of progress through academe's 'little year.'
, https://www.wopc.co.uk/germany/murner


Figure 65: Logica Memorativa Playing Cards by Thomas Murner (1507)

## Corners, miniatures \& indices

"My invention consists in combining a number or letter with an emblem - such as a heart, spade, club or diamond - so that upon seeing the emblem, which may be in a corner, the denomination of the card is at once understood." https://www.wopc.co.uk/cards/corner-indices


Figure 66: Patent number US182166


Figure 67: The Muir \& Moodie Pictorial Playing Cards, published by Muir \& Moodie (1898-1916), Dunedin, New Zealand, c.1903.

## Miscellanea



Figure 68: secondary uses
"Card RPGs seem to be all the rage now and there is good reason for that: phones. It' s an easy concept to toss out to people on their commute and when trying to kill some time." https://www.thegamer. com/best-card-rpgs-ranked/
design and commerce in progress > https://www.kickstarter.com/discover/advanced?term=cards

in circles

Figure 69: circular


Figure 70: crooked deck


Figure 71: Holographic Cards (Lunar \& Tarot)

## Various artists



Figure 72: Daniel Martin Diaz. http://danielmartindiaz.com/


Figure 73: Peter Madden


Figure 74: Victoria Siemer


Figure 75: Marian Bantjes

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