Browns Editions Catalogue 2018











































































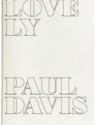






















Only God Can Judge Me Bruce Gilden

As I travelled through America, I noticed the same pattern in many cities: in all the bad areas, I saw white women, generally young and at one time generally pretty, who were drug addicts — and I'm talking serious heroin or crack addicts. Many of them admitted they were sex workers and in many instances they looked like a shell of themselves. This struck me very deeply bringing back memories from my youth.

In all of these women, I see my own mother — ravaged by pharmaceutical drugs, alcohol and her lifestyle — so I went to these areas where they hang out and I started asking them if I could photograph them.

This personal motivation is the genesis of my ongoing project Only God Can Judge Me on prostitutes and drugs. I went back again to photograph some of these women in Overtown, Miami and I interviewed them. It's hard to imagine how much suffering and how little hope their stories contain. We ignore them but they do exist and survive at the "other end of the spectrum" as Trish says.

Published 2018
Published by Browns Editions
Designed by Browns
Hard back
250 x 376mm
56 pages
2 gate folds
24 images
Edition of 700
ISBN 978-0-9928194-7-7
£75





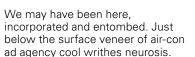












Much is said about advertising 'creating culture'. Paid Content reveals the culture around this claim. In the nondescript, where ten ideas are better than one and creative coma-inducing research and analytics are the order of the day, Paid Content is more than just a series of pithy visual propositions that re-articulate the underbelly

Paid Content David Stewart



























of advertising. This body of work is a relevant and timely reminder to walk a step beyond the norms and constraints of industry protocol.

As ever, there is a touch of Johannes Vermeer about Stewart's work: quasi-religious, lit and tempered, the beauty is in the ordinary. Homogenous in its approach, Paid Content is the everyman journey

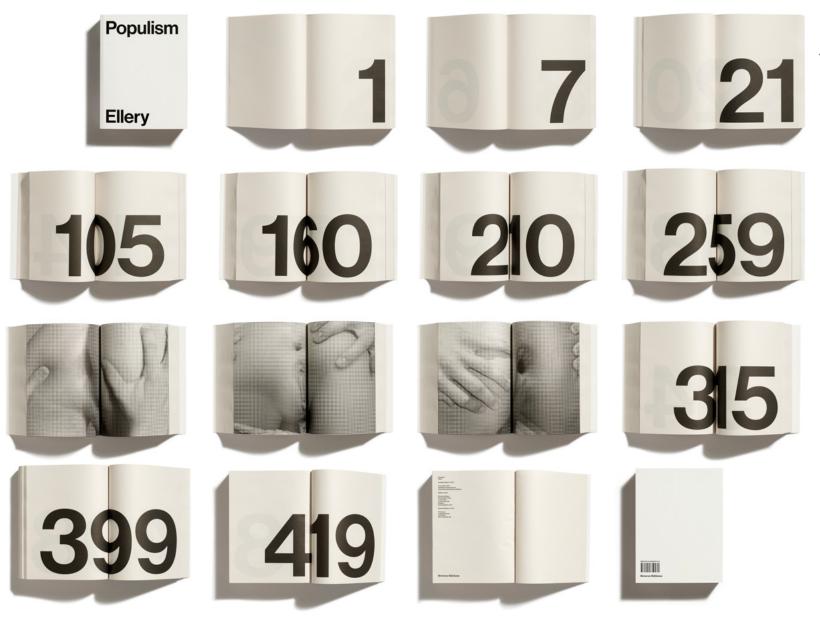
Published 2018
Published by Browns Editions
Designed by Browns
Magazine format
Three different covers
235 × 326mm
160 pages
63 images
Unlimited edition
ISBN 978-0-9928194-5-3
£20

in adland and a call to arms.









Populism Ellery

"Interpret the world as you want to see it. Construct the reality that you want to inhabit. I believe that is possible and that's complete freedom. There are no rules."

In response to the manipulation and unravelling state of contemporary world politics, Ellery has released his latest piece, Populism.

Functioning as a deliberately considered token of defiance, the 850-page tome is almost absurd in its execution. Reminiscent in form of a tactile telephone directory, it features 416 numbers, rendered sequentially, and a mere three images: a banality reverberating across the turning of each doublepage spread. The monotony is momentarily interrupted by the coarseness of three fully exposed arse holes. The work is a minimalist gesture, transferred through an abstract form, where numbers are employed simply as shapes, whilst simultaneously invoking political truths.

Released 2017
Published by Browns Editions
Designed by Ellery/Browns
274mm x 210mm
Softback
852 pages
3 black and white images
First edition of 419
ISBN 978-0-9928194-6-0
£50



A Bewildered Herd Ellery

Pencil and charcoal drawings and small relief sculptures made with tape and stickers are the materials used in Jonathan Ellery's latest book, A Bewildered Herd.

The title of the book comes originally from Walter Lippmann (Public Opinion, 1922 – mass man as the bewildered herd, spectators not participants in a democracy) whose words were paraphrased by Noam Chomsky in his book Media Control (2002).

Ellery's interest is focused on the notion of a democracy, and how easy it appears to control it.

One gets the sense that Ellery's recent work is becoming more abstract, and that is borne out by the front covers, each treated as an individual canvas by the artist, all 300 covers done by hand.

Released 2017
Published by Browns Editions
Designed by Ellery/Browns
300 book covers hand-made
by the artist
340mm x 240mm
Hardback cover
56 pages
28 colour images
First edition of 300
ISBN 978-0-9928194-2-2
£150















Mergers and Acquisitions Tenugui Jonathan Ellery

Mergers and Acquisitions is series of seven religiously and politically focused, hand printed, Tenugui.

A Tenugui is a Japanese piece of cloth, made from cotton, to a traditional size and format.

Ellery's Tenugui have been produced by hand in Osaka using the 'Chusen' production approach. 'Chusen' is a traditional method of dying using stencil paper and resist paste. Since the dye infiltrates the cloth, the patterns appear on both sides.

Mergers and Acquisitions is fuelled by the political and the religious, bringing together graphic elements to form patterns and frictional alliances. It is Ellery's interpretation of the swirling political and religious world that surrounds us.

Hand printed in Osaka/Japan, 2016 Raw cotton 900mm x 300mm Limited edition of 100 each Tenugui £25 SOLD OUT















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The catalogue, as well as simply archiving the seven Tenugui, brings its own political and conceptual voice to the piece. A fabric piece of one of the seven screen printed Tenugui is bound into each of the catalogues.

Published 2016
Published by Browns Editions
Designed by Ellery/Browns
Softback
195mm x 250mm
48 pages
7 colour images
1 fabric swatch
First edition of 150
ISBN 978-0-9928194-4-6
£40



Tribes 1 Ellery

Jonathan Ellery's fascination with the pre-ordained and pre-programmed lives that we have all been born into continues in his latest publication, Tribes 1.

As always he's drawn to the invisible 'scaffolding' that dictates how people live their lives whilst at the same time holding each life together.

Says Ellery "I'm interested in who's in control, and why. I'm constantly trying to establish my own interpretation of the world through my own eyes and with my own brain, to develop my own narrative". He concludes "I'm interested in the fight required to live outside of the 'scaffolding' independently. The fight is important".

Gender, family, art, politics, religion, drugs and race are some of the tribal influences that appear on the pages of this book.

His signature abstract narrative, in this context, is guttural, abstract and raw. Certain sequences are formed; certain narratives come into play and are then left entirely to the viewer to interpret.

Published 2016
Designed by Ellery/Browns
170mm x 225mm
Softback
68 pages
22 colour images
Hand numbered first edition of 300
ISBN 978-0-9928194-3-9
£30



Himmelstrasse Brian Griffin

In May 1942, Sobibor became fully operational and began mass gassing operations. Himmelstrasse (Heaven Street) was a cynical Nazi joke used to describe the final journey to the gas chambers.

Brian Griffin has documented the railway tracks in Poland that transported approximately three million prisoners from around Europe to the Nazi extermination camps during WWII. From the railway leading to Hitler's Eastern Front military headquarters at the Wolf's Lair, to the State Rail System leading to the camps of Belzec, Chelmno, Sobibor, Stutthof and Treblinka. Griffin's haunting landscapes are an emotional and personal photographic journey that represents the relentless brutality and inhumanity of the Holocaust.

Published 2015
Designed by Browns
297mm x 232mm
Hardback
120 pages
69 black and white images
33 colour images
Hand numbered edition of 500
ISBN 978-0-9928194-1-5
£50



Religious Symbols London Garden Birds Numbers Sexual Predators Political Symbols Ellery

This publication has a very simple surface. A work consisting of 5 books, each with a different subject matter. But below these colourful covers unfolds a curious, absurd and sometimes dark narrative. The divinity of religion, the Dickensian birds that Ellery sees from his windows, the abstract numbers, the sexual deviancy of the church, and the ideologies of politics create multiple layers of narrative that are personal and meaningful in different ways. Ellery presents these interweaving complexities with a minimal, direct and honest delivery.

Published 2014
Designed by Ellery
Each box contains five books
Each book with a screen printed
coloured gel
270 × 225mm
40 pages
13 images
Signed edition of 150
ISBN 978-0-9928194-0-8
£150

















Turning The Season Thomas Zanon-Larcher & Jules Wright

In the summer of 2008 Thomas Zanon-Larcher (Photographer) and Jules Wright (Director) set out to make a work which captured the 'English Season'. The co-authors constructed a relationship between a young married couple, Alice who suffers from bi-polar disorder and Alex, a successful lawyer. We watch them struggle to survive within the public world imposed by their class.

Turning The Season was staged as an installation at the Wapping Hydraulic Power Station, 21 November 2008–28 February 2009. All work was shot on location, in public.

Contributors Deborah Levy Erica Wagner Romesh Gunesekera Toby Litt

Published 2014
Designed by Browns
135 x 170mm
Hardback
80 page
76 images
1 red gel
40 page booklet
Hand numbered edition of 150
ISBN 978-0-9565324-9-7
£25 SOLD OUT





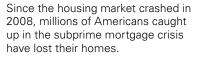




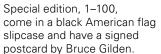




















postcard by Bruce Gilden.







Published 2013 Designed by Browns 280×375mm Embossed flag and white foil on card cover Softback Singer sewn 128 pages 51 images 1 found postcard Edition of 500 ISBN 978-0-9565324-8-0 £150 Standard edition £200 Special edition SOLD OUT











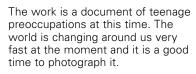






Teenage Pre-occupation David Stewart

Stewart says: "Being surrounded by teenagers (my sons, daughter and their friends) made me aware of some interesting things about them which may be of the time and current culture.



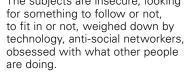
The subjects are insecure, looking

















Published 2013 Designed by Browns 267 × 332mm Hardback book Three different covers 30 pages 23 images Six random stickers Edition of 500 ISBN 978-0-9565324-4-2 £40















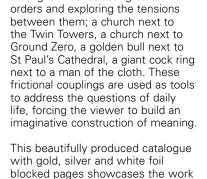












The notion of sequence and of a gentle, unfolding narrative is at the core of Ellery's art, enforcing a

distinctive language that offers each work as one part of a continuous and burgeoning series, strengthened by its succession. The deceptive simplicity of the work is informed by Ellery's awareness of the absurd, a delight in constructing certain









Published 2013
Designed by Ellery
190x275mm
Self cover catalogue
Gold, silver and white foil block
44 pages
15 images
Edition of 400

exhibited at the Londonewcastle Project space in March 2013.

Edition of 400 ISBN 978-0-9565324-7-3 £50



















water.

South African charity, set up to support orphaned and vulnerable children in rural and underprivileged communities in South Africa. Photographer John Ross, working closely with the Foundation, travelled to Limpopo Province in South Africa to photograph the

lives of nine different families. The photography and supporting narrative provides a harrowing insight into the problems that exist within these communities including HIV, poverty, malnutrition, parental neglect and lack of basics including

The Lonely Road book is the result













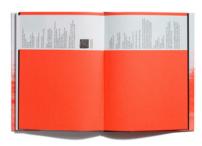
















Published 2013 Designed by Browns 217 x 290mm Hardback with dust jacket/poster 120 pages 84 images Edition of 2,000 ISBN 978-0-9565324-6-6 £30



The Human Condition Jonathan Ellery

"Although Jonathan's work might seem on the surface quite contained and concise, I'd say it's actually deeply personal, and deeply revealing. He has collected each ring here. Several pieces of jewellery belong to the significant women in his life: his girlfriend, his mother. The cock rings have been bought for this piece. Jonathan talks about 'The Human Condition' with a sense of yin and yang – as a journey along some kind of trajectory from female to male, light to dark – and in doing so he ascribes certain values to either side of these proposed oppositional paintings."

Shonagh Manson Jerwood

The limited edition slipcased book formed part of Ellery's fourth solo exhibition at Londonewcastle Project space, London. Contributors to the book include British artist Scott King and American artist Lawrence Weiner.

Published 2011
Designed by Ellery/Browns
Studio photography by John Ross
220 x 285mm
Hardback cloth cover
Slipcase
96 pages
Signed edition of 100
ISBN 978-0-9565324-1-1
£75



The Human Condition/ Ring set Jonathan Ellery

A set of plastic children's rings made available by the artist as an affordable art object at the Human Condition exhibition held at the Londonewcastle Project Space in 2011.

Edition of 10 £100 SOLD OUT



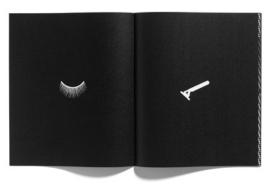
The Human Condition/ Cock Ring Jonathan Ellery

Metal cock ring made available by the artist as an affordable art object at the Human Condition exhibition held at the Londonewcastle Project space in 2011.

Solid coated steel Etched Edition of 10 £100 SOLD OUT









Worldly Cares and Love Affairs

Jonathan Ellery







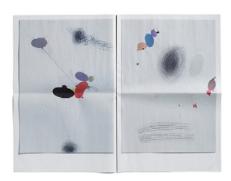
The catalogue shows the sequential narrative and reveals where the pieces can be found within the store at 50 New Bond Street.

Published 2010
Designed by Ellery/Browns
185 x 217mm
Self cover catalogue
36 pages
25 images
Hand numbered edition of 200
ISBN 978-0-9565324-3-5
£50



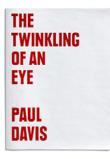
















What Happens Is Good & The Twinkling Of An Eye? Paul Davis

This piece takes the form of a newspaper and is made up of two publications within one: drawings are printed onto a full Berliner format with a half Berliner insert featuring photography. In Davis's words: "The whole exercise was done with a loosened mind. The only stipulations were the edit of images which must essay beauty and let the rest follow so the information within, the meaning, the narrative is secondary to seeing what happens when the untethered brain tells the eager hand and excited shutter-finger what to do."

Published 2010
Designed by Browns
315 x 478mm
2 self cover catalogues
2 x 32 page
Signed edition of 1,500
ISBN 978-0-9550767-9-4
£40





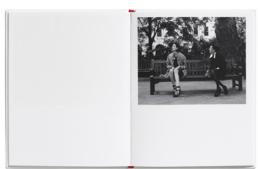


THE
TWINKLING OF
AN EYE
PAUL DAVIS
© 2010
PUBLISHED/
BROWNS













Madame V Thomas Zanon-Larcher & Jules Wright

In the summer of 2009, photographer Thomas Zanon-Larcher and theatre director Jules Wright co-curated an exhibition of work by French fashion photographer, Guy Bourdin, 'Unseen: Guy Bourdin', at the Wapping Project, London. Many of Bourdin's images included his teenage muse, Nicolle Meyer. Now 50, Nicolle travelled from Mexico to open the show and Zanon-Larcher and Wright seized the opportunity to photograph her as 'the mother' in the short story Madame V.

Published 2010
Designed by Browns
135×170mm
Hardback
32 page
32 images
Edition of 150 hand numbered
ISBN 978-0-9565324-2-8
£25 SOLD OUT

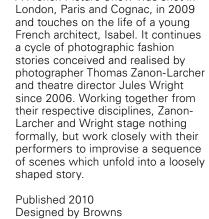












A French Picture Show was shot in

A French Picture Show Thomas Zanon-Larcher &

Jules Wright







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135 x 170mm Hardback 88 page 91 images Hand numbered edition of 275 ISBN 978-0-9565324-0-4 £25 SOLD OUT



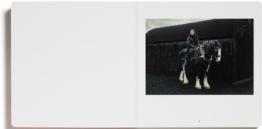
Thrice Removed. David Stewart



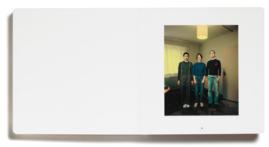














Thrice Removed David Stewart

Observations on family, society, relationships and life in general; beautifully art directed with a knowing smile and ready wink. The colour photographs bear close scrutiny both technically and emotionally, revealing more the closer you look. The format of a children's board book alludes to Stewart's childlike curiosity, whilst the images hint at an altogether darker heart.

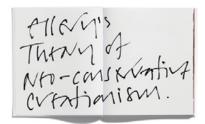
Published 2009
Designed by Browns
280 x 280mm
Board book
40 pages
18 images
Edition of 1,000, 200 of which are limited edition and have a red cover ISBN 978-0-9550767-5-6

£40 Standard edition £50 Limited edition red cover

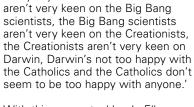












Ellery's Theory of Neo-conservative

Ellery says: 'The Neo-conservatives

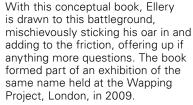
Creationism Jonathan Ellery



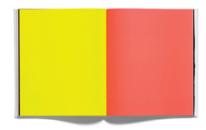
















Published 2009 Designed by Ellery 240×285mm Hardback cloth cover 176 pages 74 images 1 coloured gel Hand numbered edition of 500, with a signed coloured gel, the first 200 of which are slipcased ISBN 978-0-9550767-6-3 £60 Slipcased edition



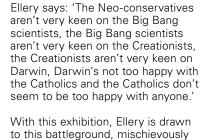












sticking his oar in and adding to the friction, offering up if anything more questions. This limited edition catalogue documents elements of the work shown at the Wapping Project, London, in 2009.

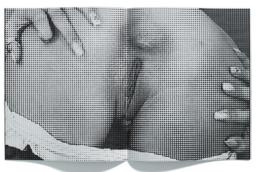
Ellery's Theory of Neo-conservative

Creationism. A Catalogue

Jonathan Ellery







Published 2009
Designed by Ellery
220 x 265mm
Self cover catalogue
28 pages
16 images
Edition of 300
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£40





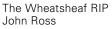












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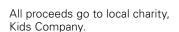
commemorative book of black and white portraits that capture the spirit of the local characters and regulars. From artists to barrow-boys, antique dealers to fishmongers, and doctors to villains, the eclectic mix of the people featured is testament to the unique nature of the area and of the pub itself. The book will be a 'footprint' left behind for posterity, long after the pub's demise.



















Published 2008 Designed by Browns 240 x 315mm Hardback cloth cover 168 pages 109 images Hand numbered edition of 1,000, 100 of which are slipcased ISBN 978-0-955076-7-4 £25 Standard edition £40 Slipcased edition SOLD OUT



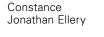












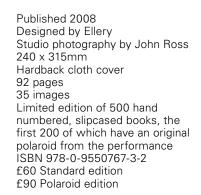
May 2008.











Constance marries Ellery's art, his relationship with women and his love affair with drums into a psychological

study of social discomfort, power, frailty and sexuality. The book was produced to accompany a live performance piece first exhibited at the Wapping Project, London, in







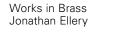








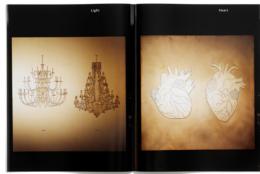




Works in Brass is a catalogue published to support part of Ellery's solo show, Unrest, at the Wapping Project, London in 2007. As part of the show Ellery exhibited 25 large scale, machined brass pieces, together weighing in at just under a tonne.

Published 2007
Designed by Ellery/Browns
297×385mm
Self cover catalogue
24 pages
17 images
Edition of 1,000
ISBN 0-9550767-1-4
£30















87 Jonathan Ellery

87 formed part of Ellery's first solo show at the Wapping Project, London. Originally exhibited as a large installation with sound and moving image, the book catalogues the work on the printed page, enabling the numbers to be viewed both in the abstract and out of context.

Published 2006
Designed by Ellery
200 x 240mm
Hardback cloth cover
182 pages
87 images
Hand numbered edition of 2,000,
200 of which are slipcased
ISBN 0-9550767-0-6
£50 Standard edition
£70 Slipcased edition

136 Points of Reference Ellery/ Browns

















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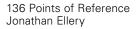








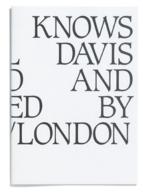


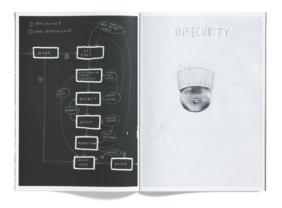


136 Points of Reference was first exhibited at the Roth Gallery, NYC, in 2005. The exhibition and book examine the influences that have informed and defined Ellery's and his studios' work. Reproduced are images and objects culled from Ellery's own idiosyncratic collection.
These range from rare art and photography books to assorted ephemera. Contributors to the book include Lawrence Weiner and Martin Parr.

Published 2005 Designed by Ellery/Browns Studio photography by John Ross 200 x 240mm Hardback paper cover with dust jacket 242 pages 136 images Hand numbered edition of 2,000, 200 of which are slipcased ISBN 0-9533730-8-8 £60 Standard edition £100 Slipcased edition SOLD OUT









God Knows Paul Davis

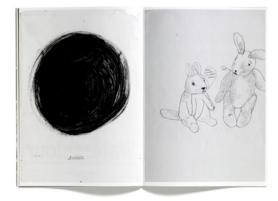
The third in a series for British artist Paul Davis, this very rare catalogue was produced to accompany the exhibition held at the then Browns gallery, London, in 2004. God Knows features illustrative and photographic observations and comment, by Davis in caustic form, on the state of the advertising industry, consumerism and capitalism.

Published 2004
Designed by Browns
297×420mm
Self cover catalogue
32 pages
24 images
Edition of 1,000
£40















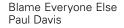




















The most complete collection of Davis work published to date. Features drawings, photographs, overheard conversations and musings about life, love and the universe. Oblique, celebratory, critical, romantic, despairing, humorous and bleak, this is Davis in top form. The book is ambitious in its production with numerous changes in paper stocks and materials to amplify the artist's voice. Three different dust jackets/ posters were designed to encase the book. Contributions by Paul Graham and Ryuchi Sakamoto amongst others.







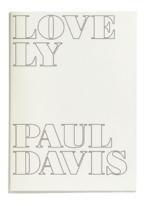


Published 2003
Designed by Browns
240 x 320mm
Hardback cloth cover with
dust jacket/poster
144 pages
98 images
Hand numbered edition of 1,000,
500 of which are signed with
a choice of three different dust
jackets/posters
ISBN 0-9533730-7
£50 Standard edition
£65 Poster jacket edition SOLD OUT













Lovely Paul Davis

A very rare catalogue to support British artist Paul Davis' show at Colette, Paris, in 2003. The second in a series, it features a cast of men, women, freaks, sex aids, porn stars, narcissists and submissives all accompanied by Davis' acerbic commentary. Foreword by Helen Walters.

Published 2003
Designed by Browns
297×420mm
Self cover catalogue
20 pages
26 images
Edition of 2,000
£40































Fogeys David Stewart

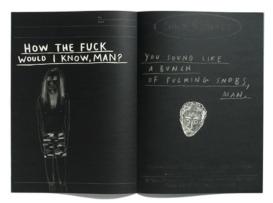
Fogeys is a collection of images created by internationally acclaimed photographer David Stewart, celebrating growing old disgracefully. Comprising upbeat, positive photographs of elderly people in a series of unpredictable situations, Fogeys includes amusing shots of old men dangling their feet inside freshly dug graves and flying down hills on homemade go-karts, plus the spam ladies and the photostrip girls. The book comes in a choice of covers - blue-striped pyjamas or floral pink nightie and packaged in a unique candlewick bag.

The book launch and one-off exhibition was at The Institute of Contemporary Arts (ICA), where large-scale iris prints, were on display.

Published 2001
Designed by Browns
320x240mm
Hardback
20 colour images including
one tip-in print
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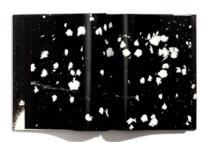
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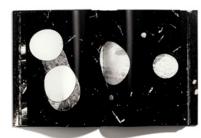












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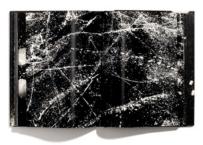
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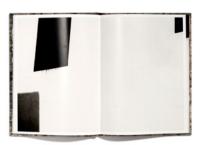
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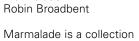




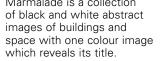




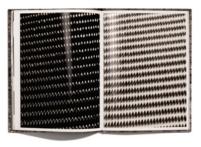


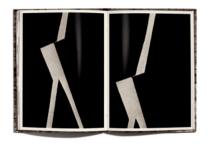


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