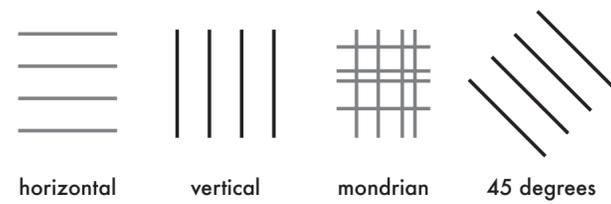


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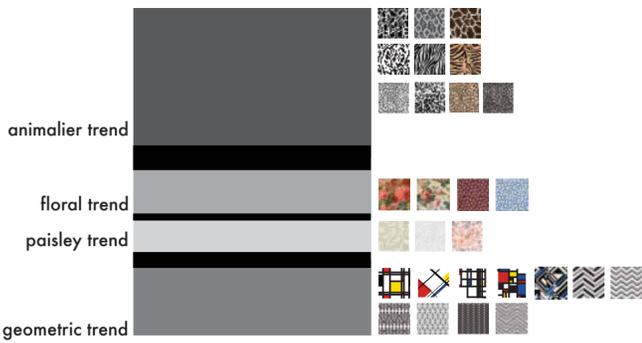
The t-shirt, the most iconic and basic fashion piece one can have in their wardrobe. The shirt has become a canvas to express any concept, idea, and value. This fashion piece lives for centuries and what better way to celebrate it than by pairing it up with the FRI's textile and trend archive. The animalier, cashmere, floral and geometric trend all talked about an iconic period in fashion and how they have set the tone for future fashion trends. To cherish these icons we decided to emphasize them in two of our shirts. The other two are concentrated on the geometric and floral pattern that have been modified through the use of lines.



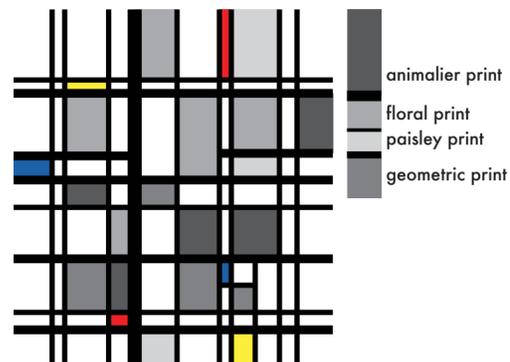
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These icons symbolize the grids established as the guide for the creation and layout of the t-shirt pattern.

After researching and reading about each trend, we could not help but to classify them from their influence and importance in the history of fashion. This shirt represents the different trends and their importance in the fashion world. Animalier being the most influential and perpetual since the beginnings of time, geometric the most recent and modern, floral the most used for spring and summer, and the paisley pattern which has been known as an old aristocratic pattern.

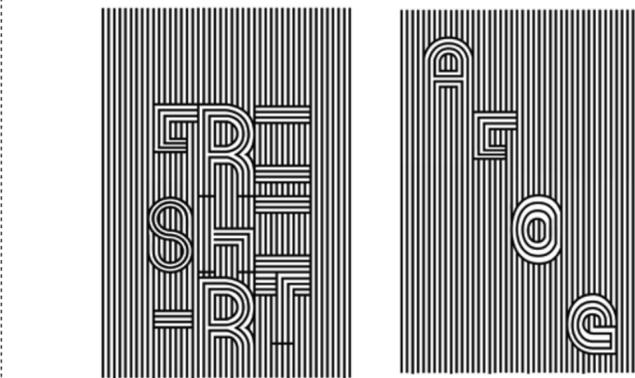


The Mondrian grid revolutionized the geometric trend in 1970 with Yves Saint Laurent. This iconic Bauhaus pattern has served as a new and different grid regulator from the old and plain quadricule. To exhibit the importance of the 4 trends: animalier, floral, paisley, and geometric where inserted into these lines and show off the importance of each pattern. This shirt as opposed to the first is not based on the influence, but rather the game each trend makes when put together.



To create the t-shirts a research study on each trend was made to know its influence in time and how it lasted till 2018. The one with most influence since Dior used it on its runway as a fashion piece, and not a fur usage and warmth is the animalier print. The most influence lasting is the floral print since its sanderson rose usage on dresses in the 1800s to summer dresses in 2018. The cashmere trend had its rises in the 1800s with the use of shawls in aristocratic women, and in 1970s in YSL's men paisley shirts. The most recent, but equally influential has been the geometric trend, its futuristic looks conquered the 1970s and live through to 2018.

For the creative t-shirt, we decided to use the geometric pattern as our base. The base of every geometric shape is the line. That is why we decided to use the line as our base to create the letters of FRI through them. This t-shirt is the iconic representation of the institute. The back of the shirt has the first letter of every print. A for animalier, F for floral, C for cashmere and G for geometric.



For the 45° pattern, we decided to take create a tropical floral print that would be revealed by the grid. This interaction between both the geometric is the concept line of our four t-shirt collection. The tropical collage is made of Puerto Rico and Caribbean native flowers that represent our home country.

