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Solid substance intended to be given form by human hand.

Martha Santos, Andie Grande and Hyacinthe Ouattara seek out the substrate of the materials they use. With thrift handiwork, moving towards the essential, they get to the point and show us a chaos structured by the contrasts of textures and colours.

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Marta Santos connects materials in a raw, refined and sensitive langage.

She narrates existence through the prism of her Spanish roots, in the pieces " Le Nid", "La Feria" and "Coeur du Phoenix". Through her attachment to Marseille, where she lives, she depicts the strong link between Man and Nature, in the artworks «Roots life flow » and « Mar y tierra ».

Andie Grande finds and reuses synthetic materials to associate them with organic fibres, constantly trying to place them on an equal footing while considering those materials for what they represent and what they bring us. She brings out the beauty of those discarded materials through her work in order to reconnect us to them.

Abundant in "Connecting Points" and "Composition", as well as stripped in "Remnants II" and "New landscape", those materials tell their story under the artist's hand.

In his work, Hyacinthe Ouattara is carried by his inner drives caused by the manipulation of second hand fabrics, witnesses of life.

Ebullition, blending of textures and colours are caused by the dance of the knots, ties and stitches in his works "La poésie du Sahel " and "La robe de quelqu'un".

In his series "Au fil du temps", Hyacinthe Ouattara translates his obsession with the transformation of the textile material and its poetic aspect: the organic, the cellular, traces of life.

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