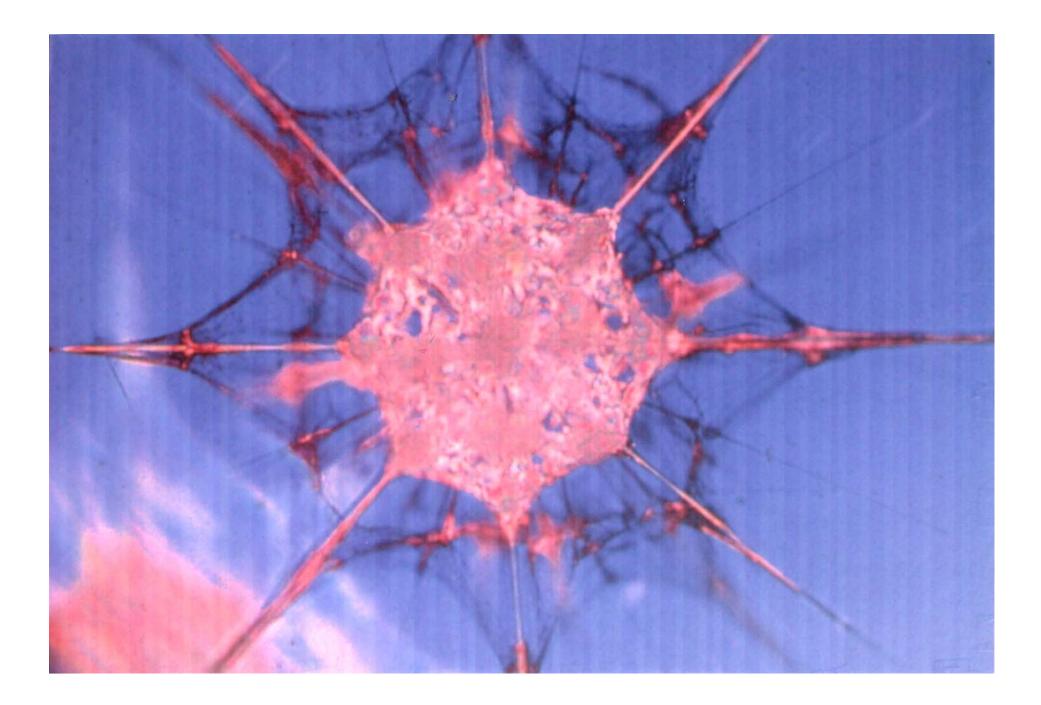
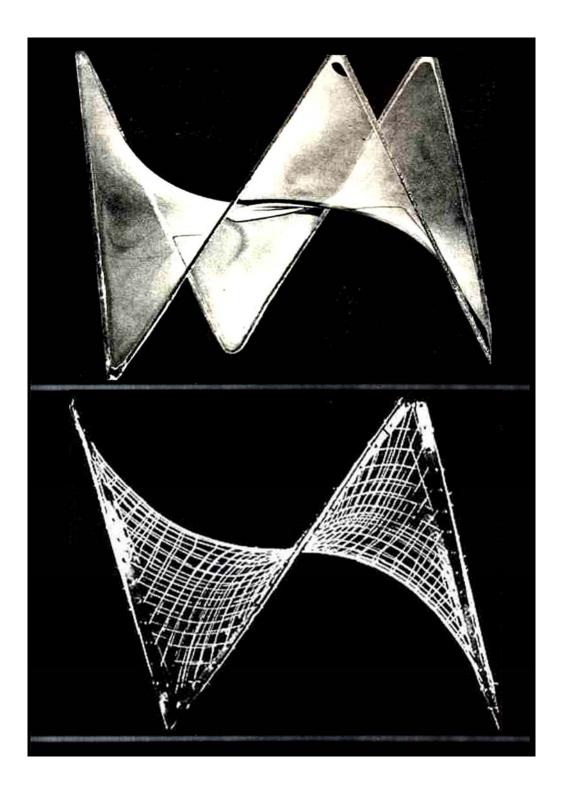
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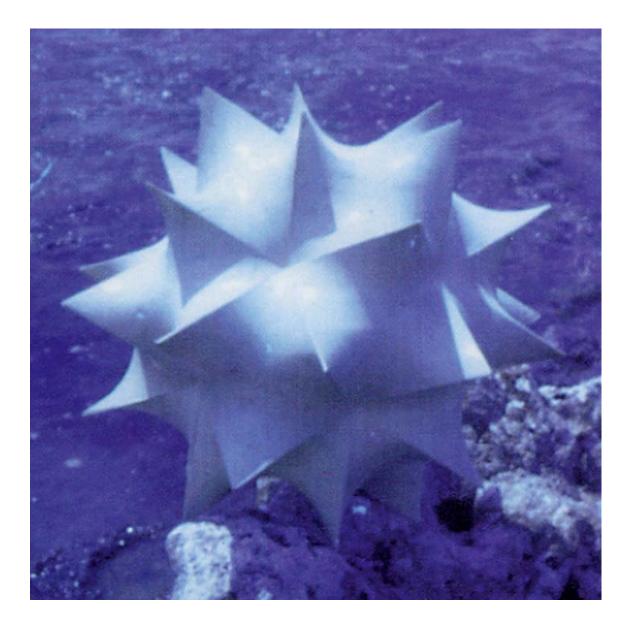
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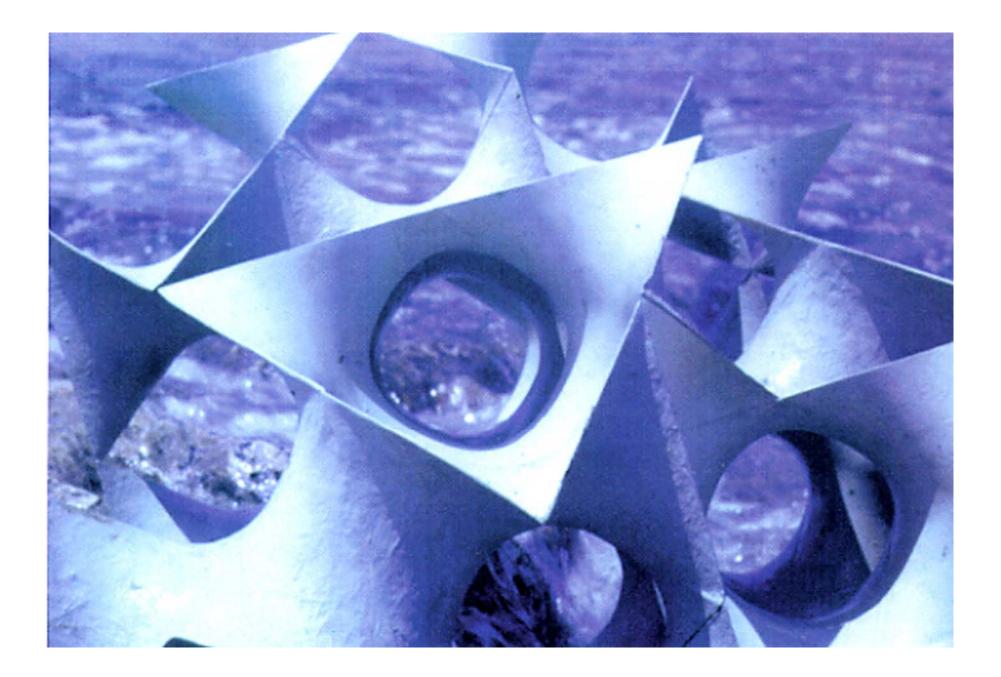
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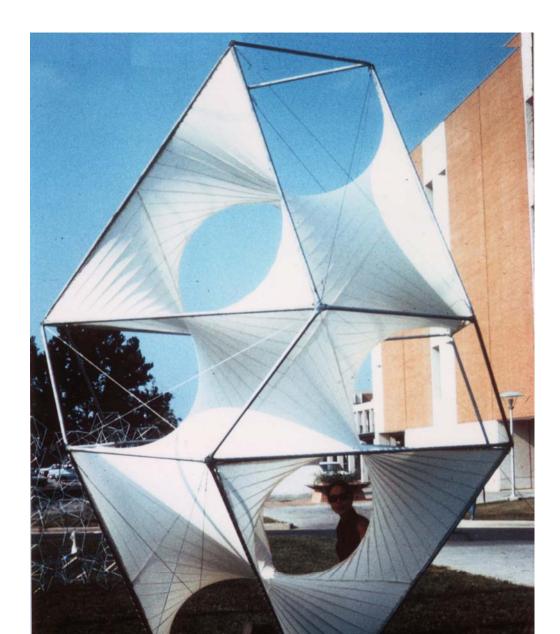
"Our study of natural form", the essence of morphology, "is part of that wider science of form which deals with the forms assumed by nature under all aspects and conditions, and in a still wider sense, with **forms which are theoretically imaginable".....(**On Growth and Form – D'Arcy Thompson), "Theoretically" to imply that we are dealing with causal- rational forms.

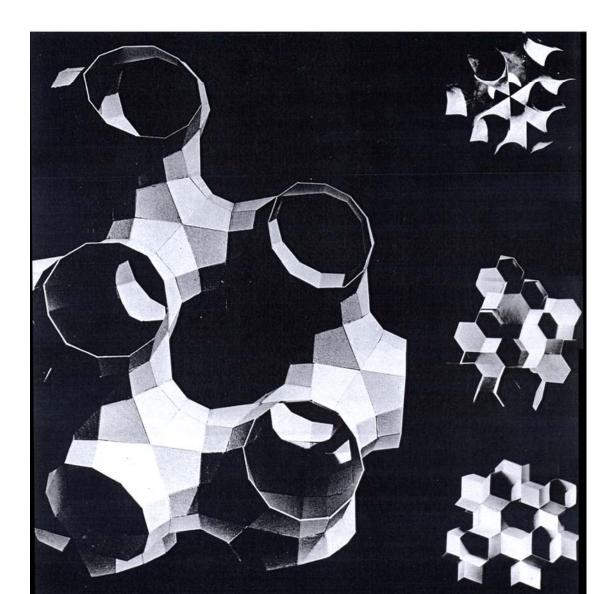


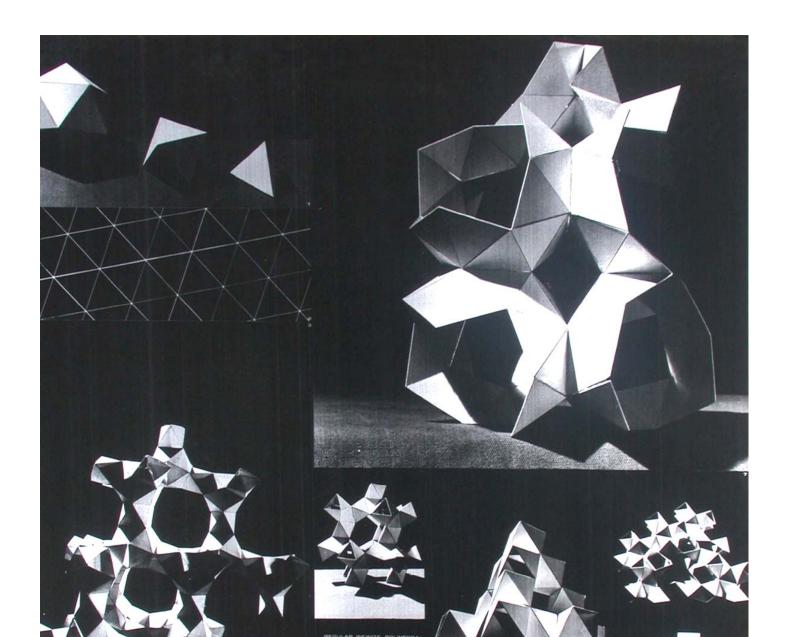


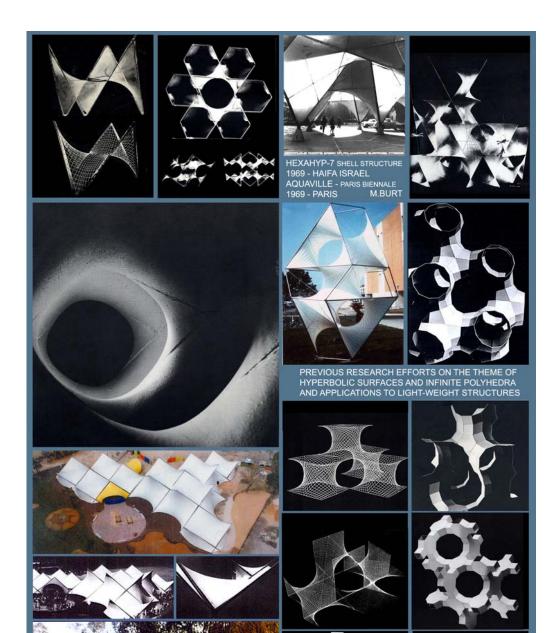


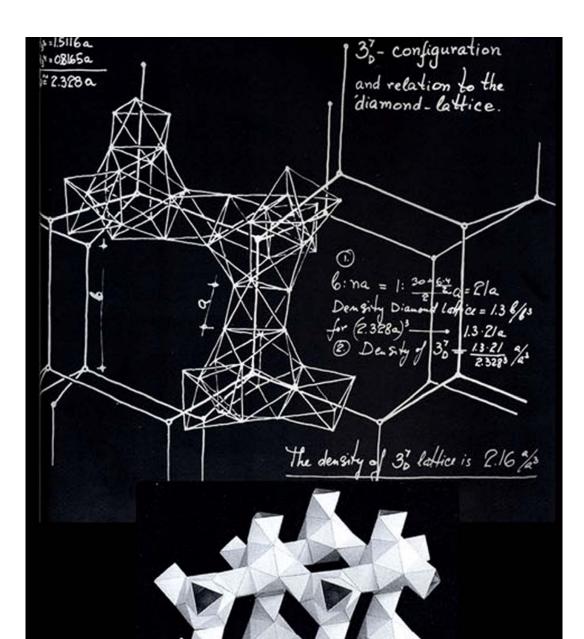




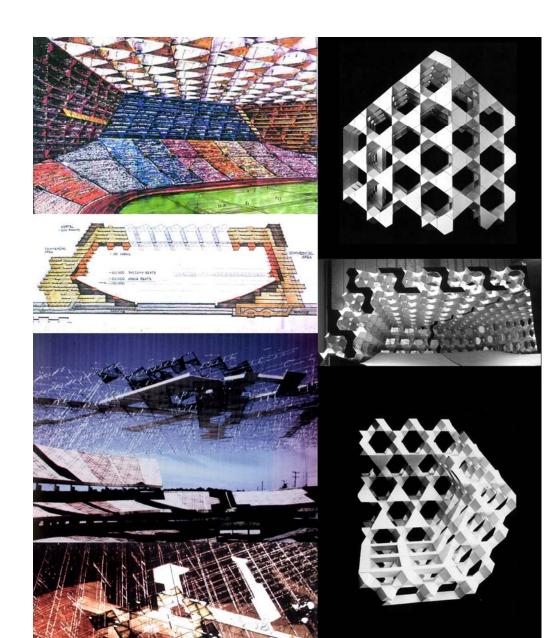


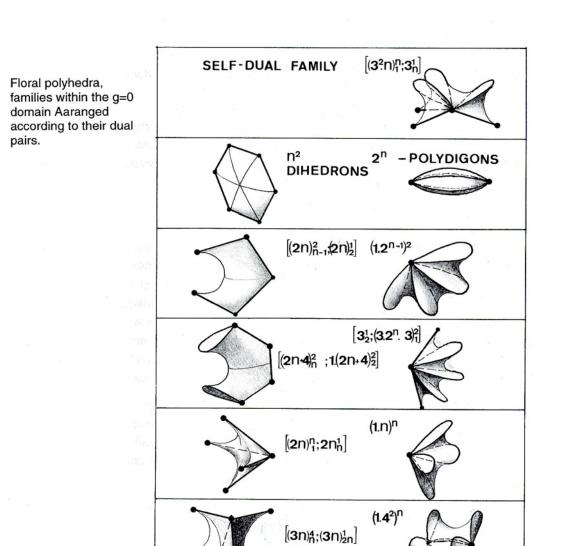




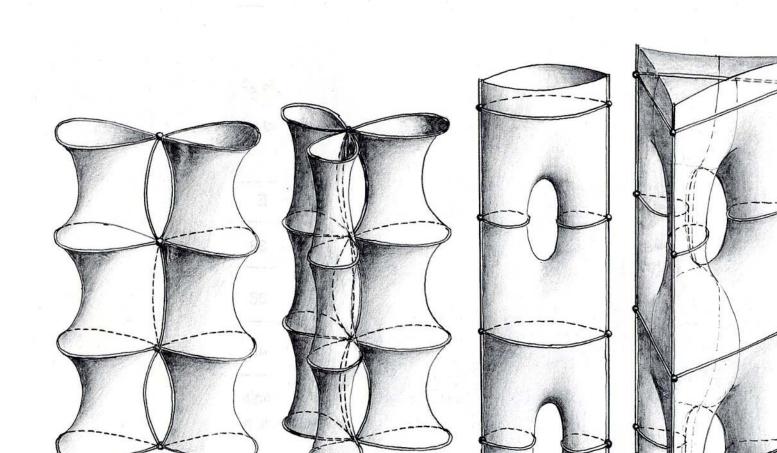




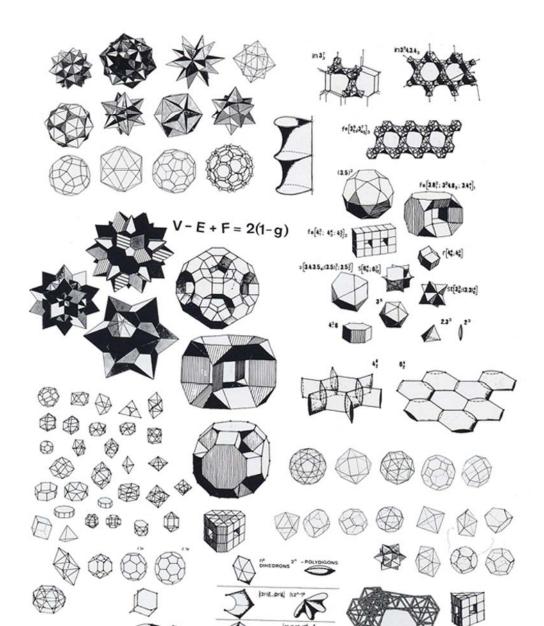




Periodic Floral Infinite Polyhedra.



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networks, as polyhedral tessellation configurations, e rise to some familiar binding relations:

Pav. F = 2E = V. Val.av. ; V (2 Π –Σαav.) = 4 Π (1 – g) – Descarte's theorem; V - E + F = 2(1 - g)

- Euler's theorem;

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olygonal region of order n, for $n \ge 1$, is a point set, topologically equivalent circular disc with a boundary divided into n edges by set of n vertices. It have curved edges, maybe non-planar and two edges of the same on may be matched (Stewart) [4].

Polyhedral map drawing on a sponge surface must lead to polygonal s which may constitute, under a suitable topological transformation, a e polygonal region.

blyhedron-P is a connected, unbounded 2-dimensional manifold, formed a set of simply connected polygonal regions of order n, for $n \ge 1$, arranged hat each edge of each region is matched with exactly one other edge of same, or another region and vertices are matched only as required by the ching of edges. It implies that one and the same, or two, and no more two distinct polygonal regions (faces) meet at each edge. The restriction ertex matching in the definition means there is only one circuit of gonal regions at each vertex of P.

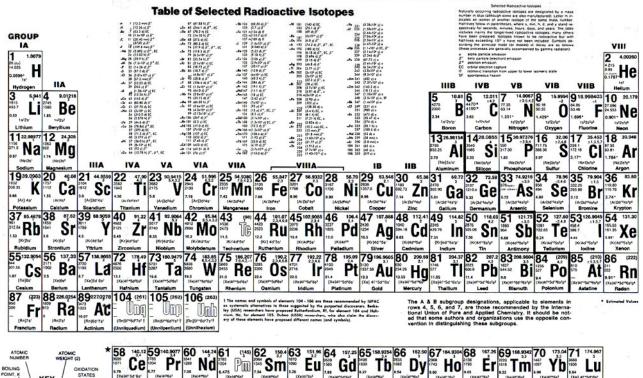
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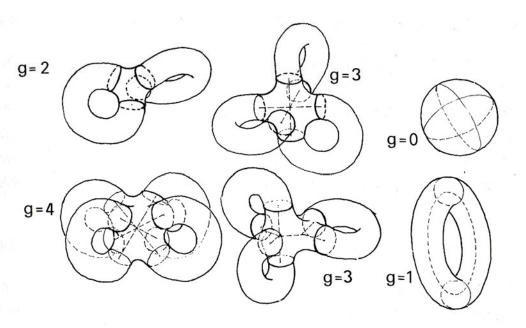
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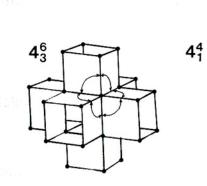
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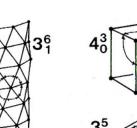
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2-D manifolds surfaces, subdividing space into two complementary subspaces; polyhedral maps and their primary parameters.



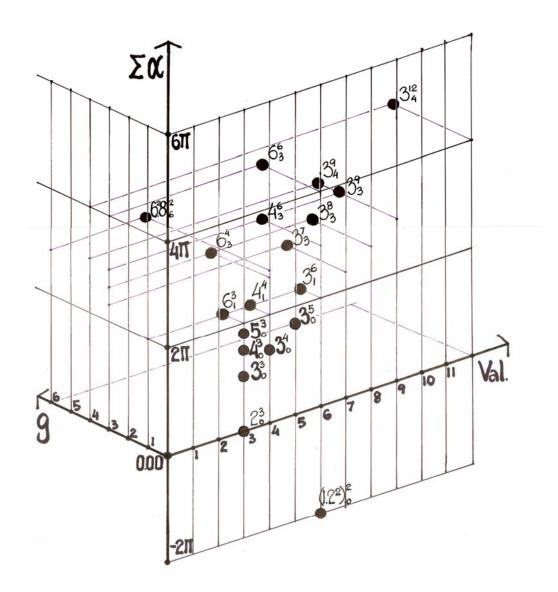




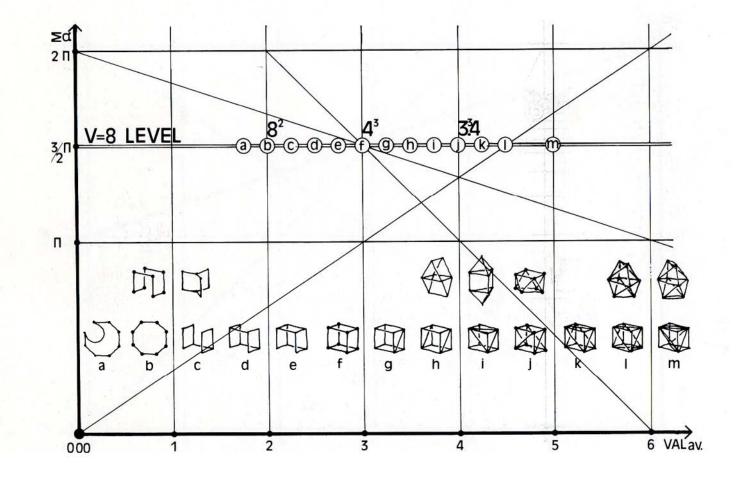


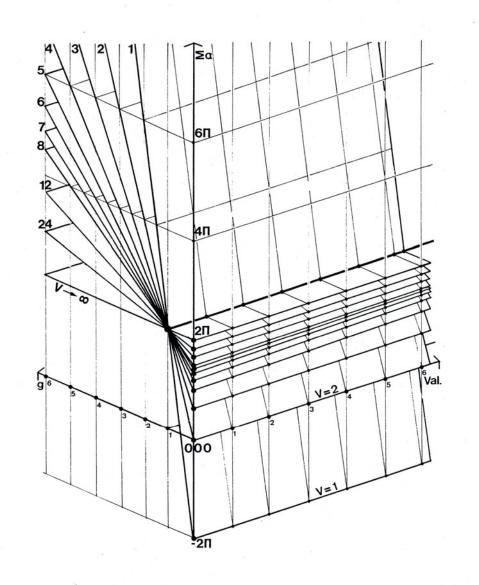
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g	0	0	1	1	3

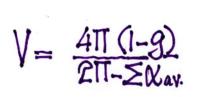
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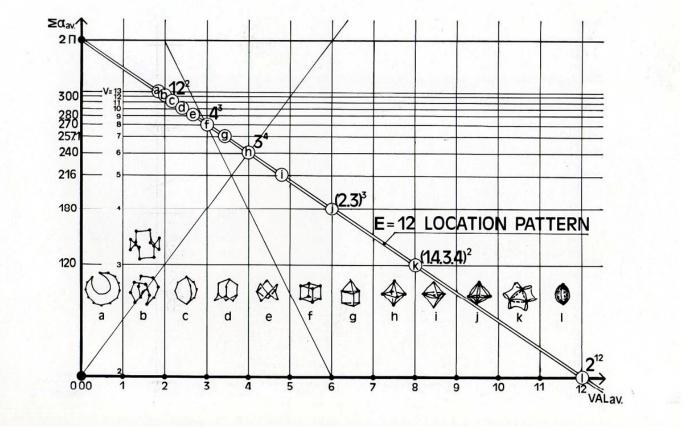
Polyhedra of V=8 level, within the g=0 domain.

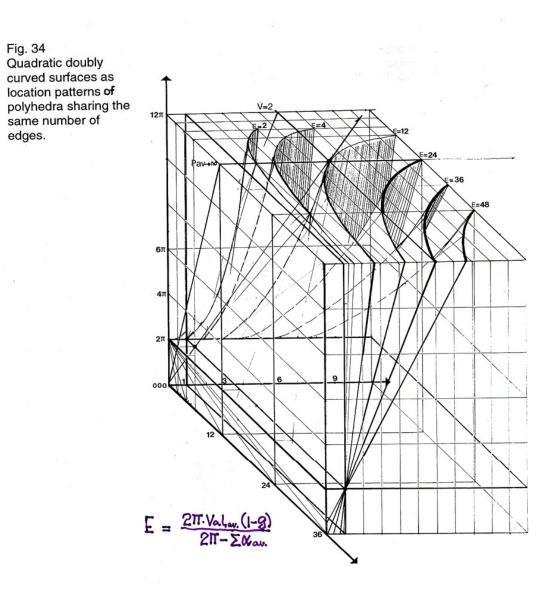


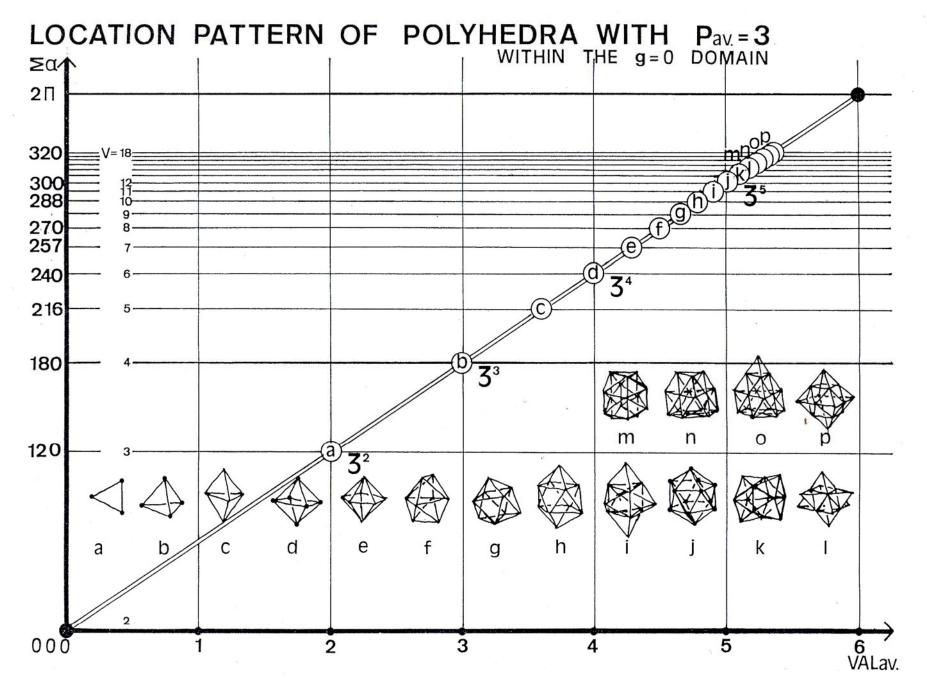


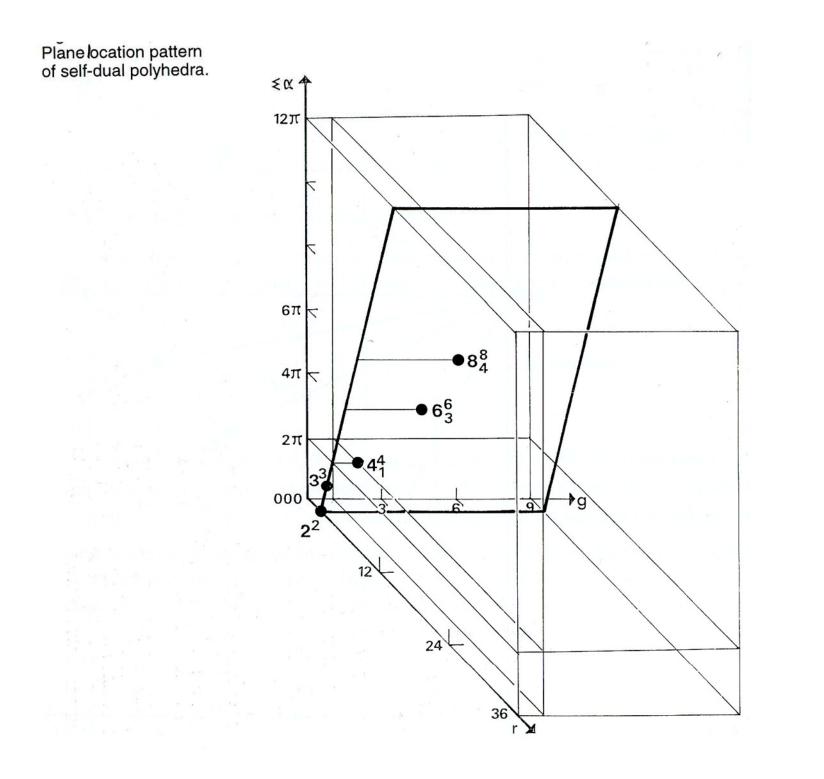


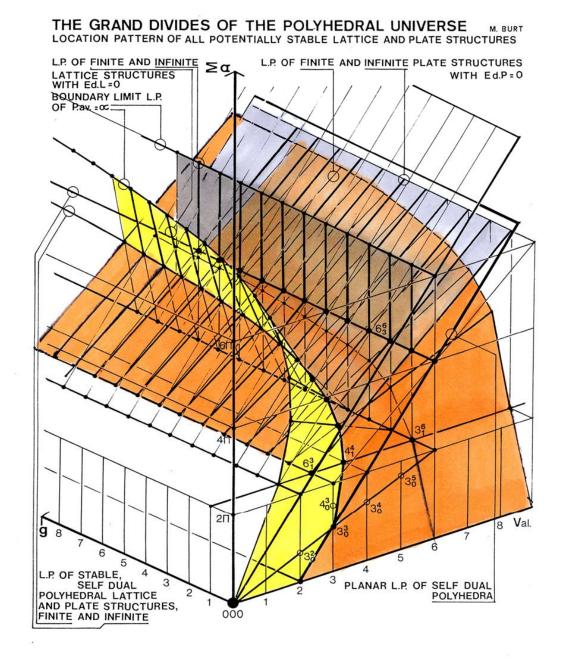
Polyhedra with E=12 within the g=0 domain.

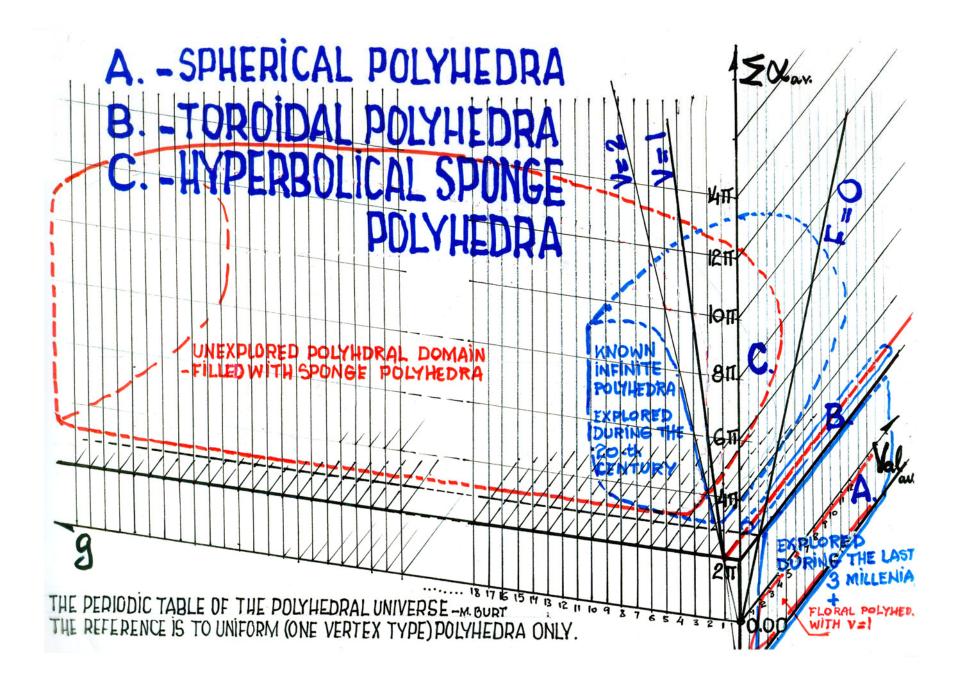


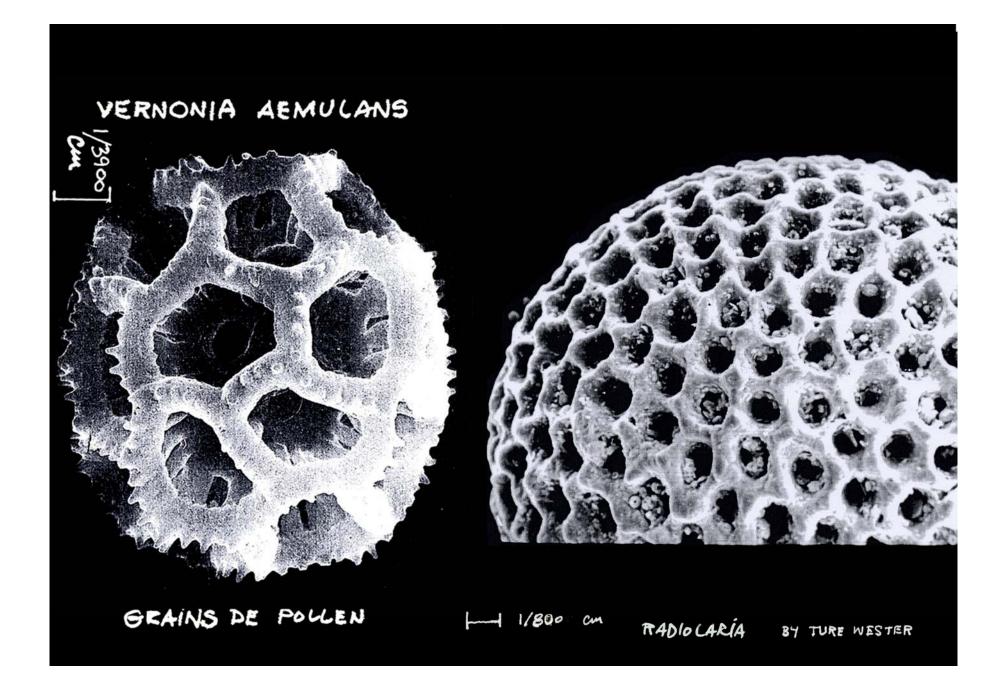








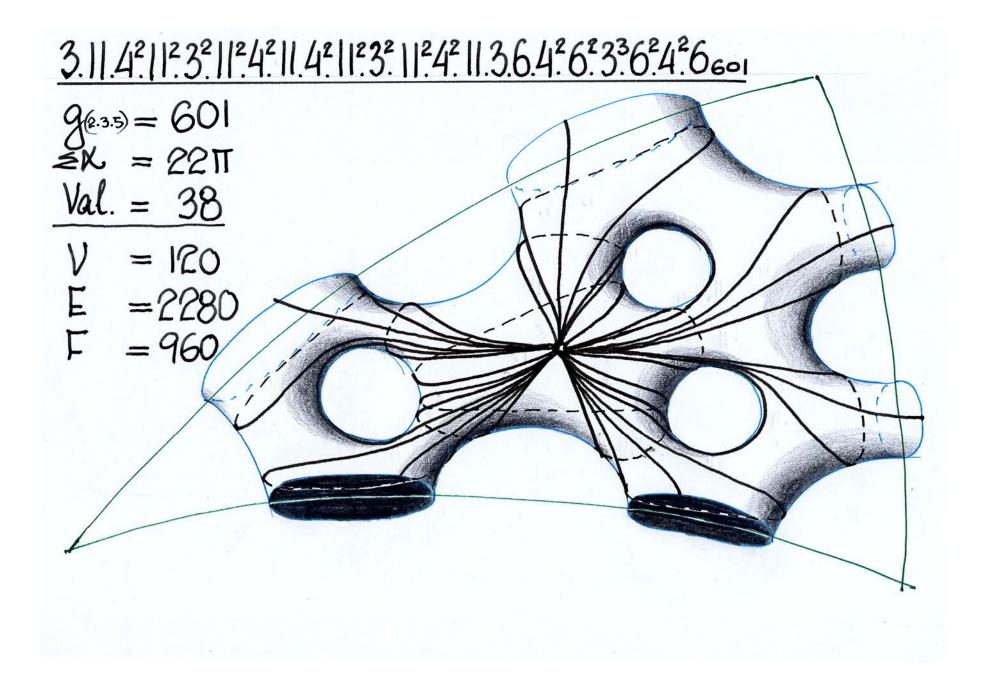


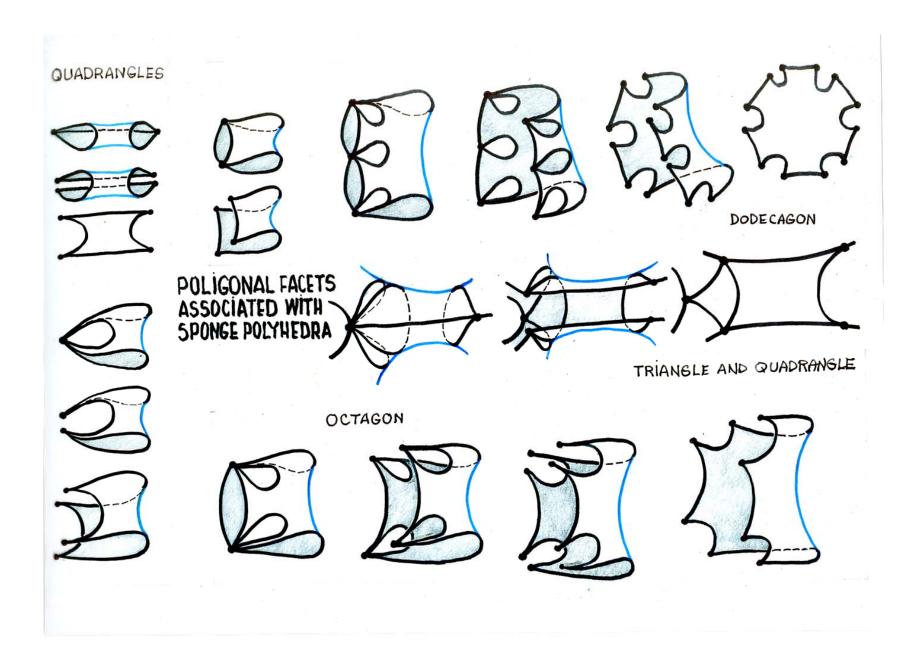


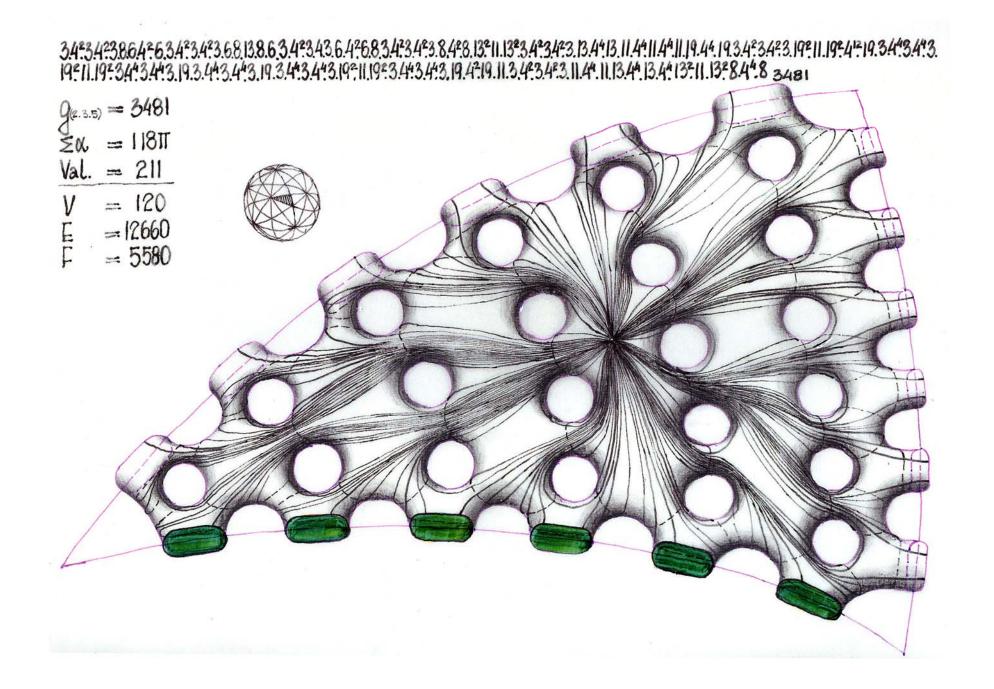
Nature is saturated with sponge structures on every possible scale of physical-biological reality. The term was first adopted in biology: "Sponge: any member of the phylum Porifera, sessile aquatic animals, with single cavity in the body, with numerous pores. The fibrous skeleton of such an animal, remarkable for its power of sucking up water". (Wordsworth dictionary).

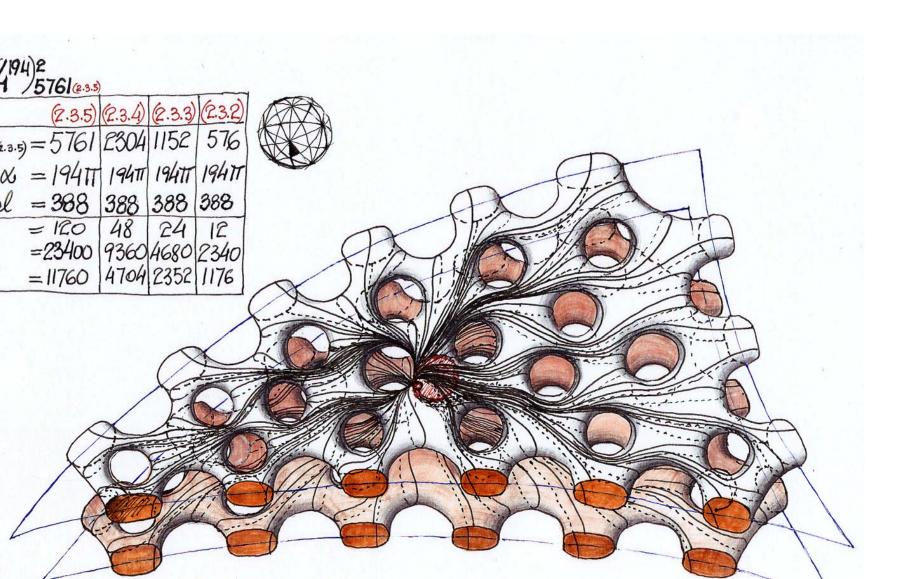
Of course the term applied to 'spherical sponges'. It turns out that the key characteristic of porosity is attributable to a much wider morphological phenomenon.

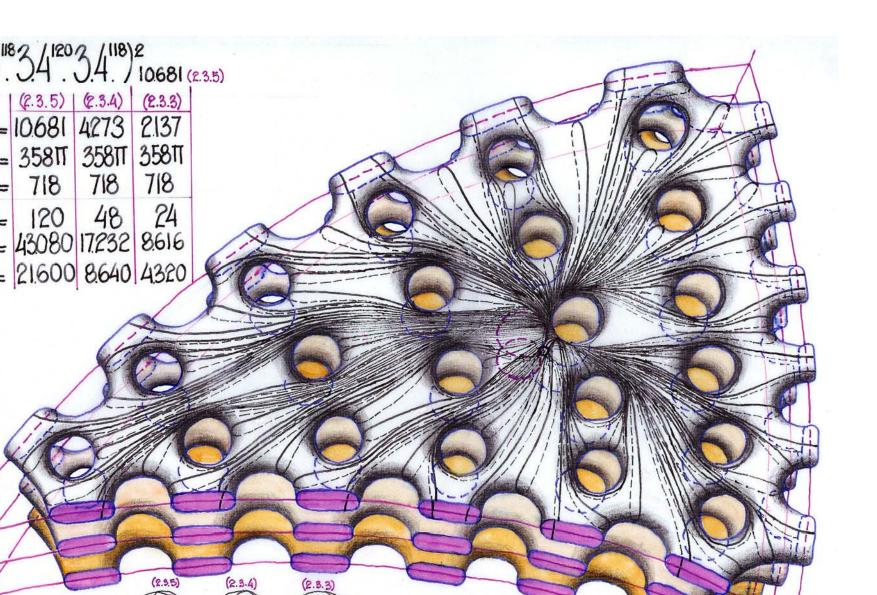
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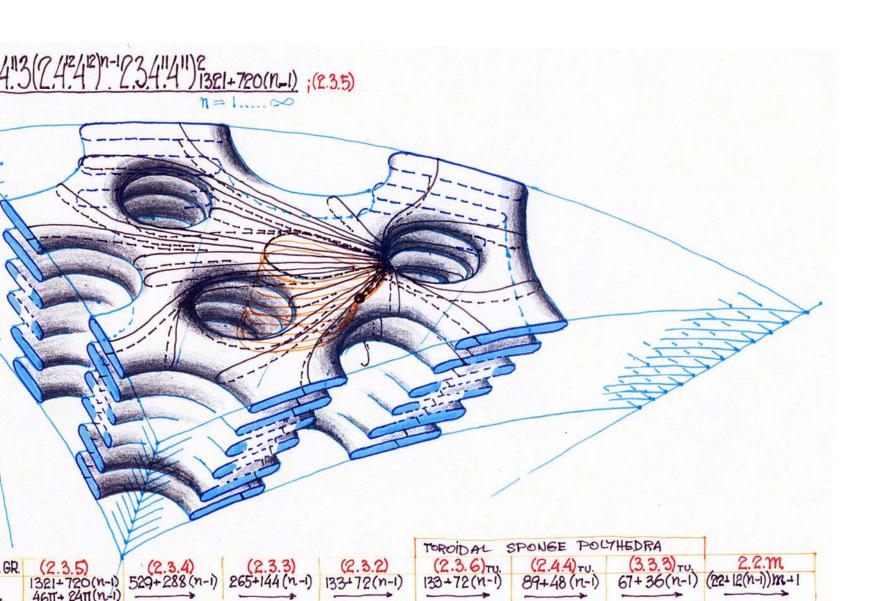


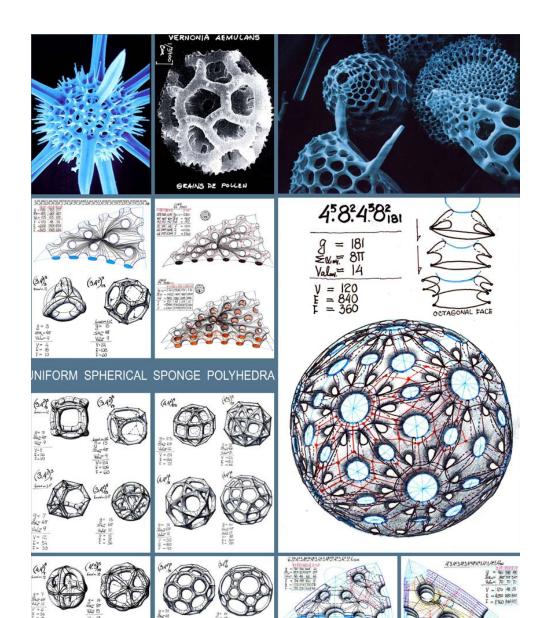


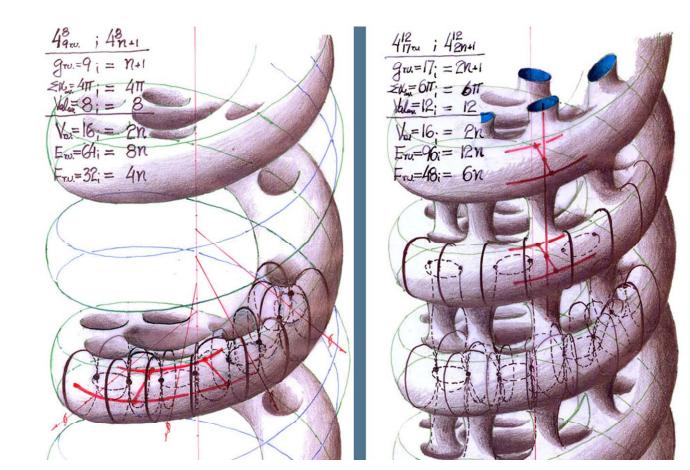


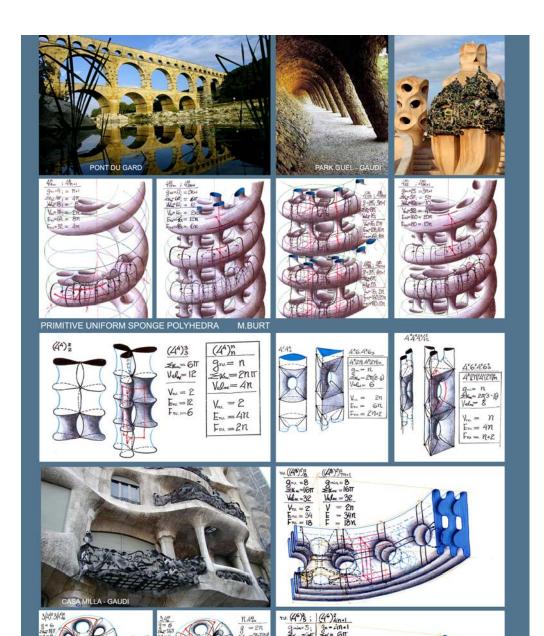


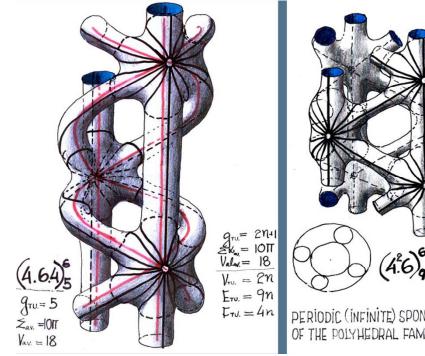


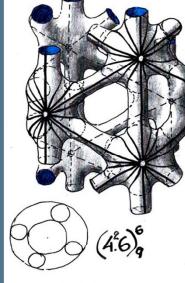






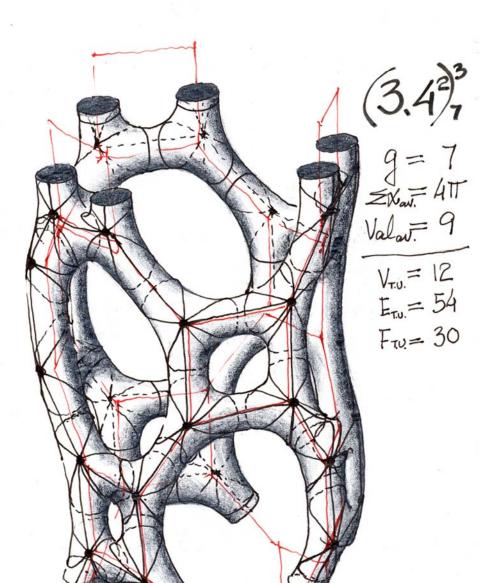


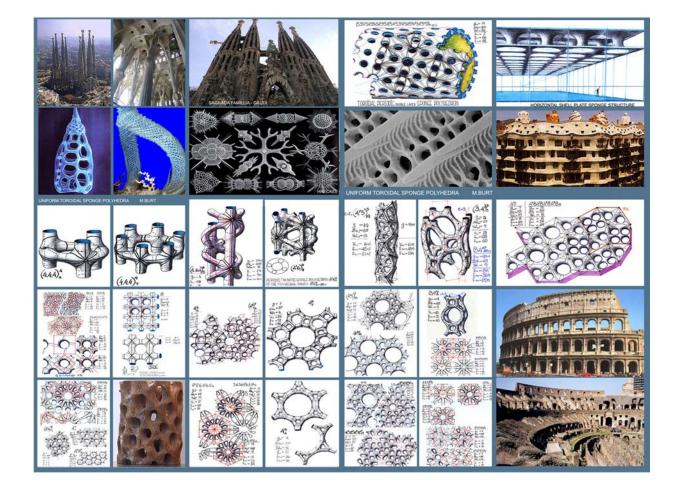


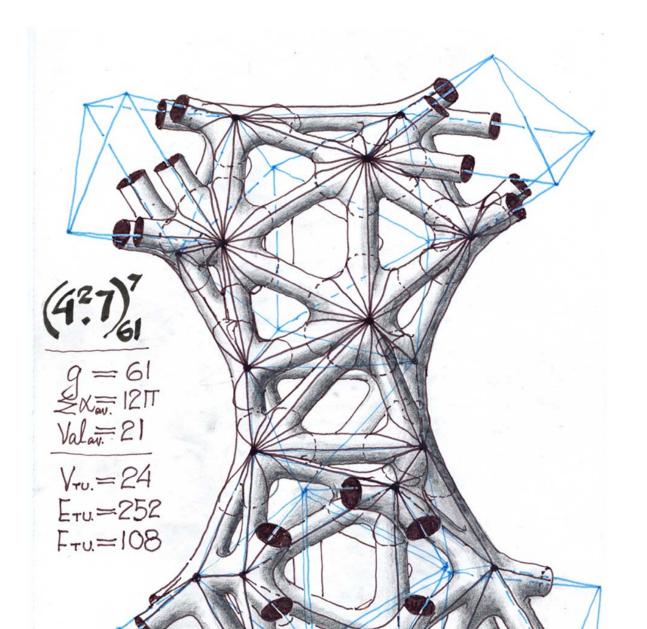


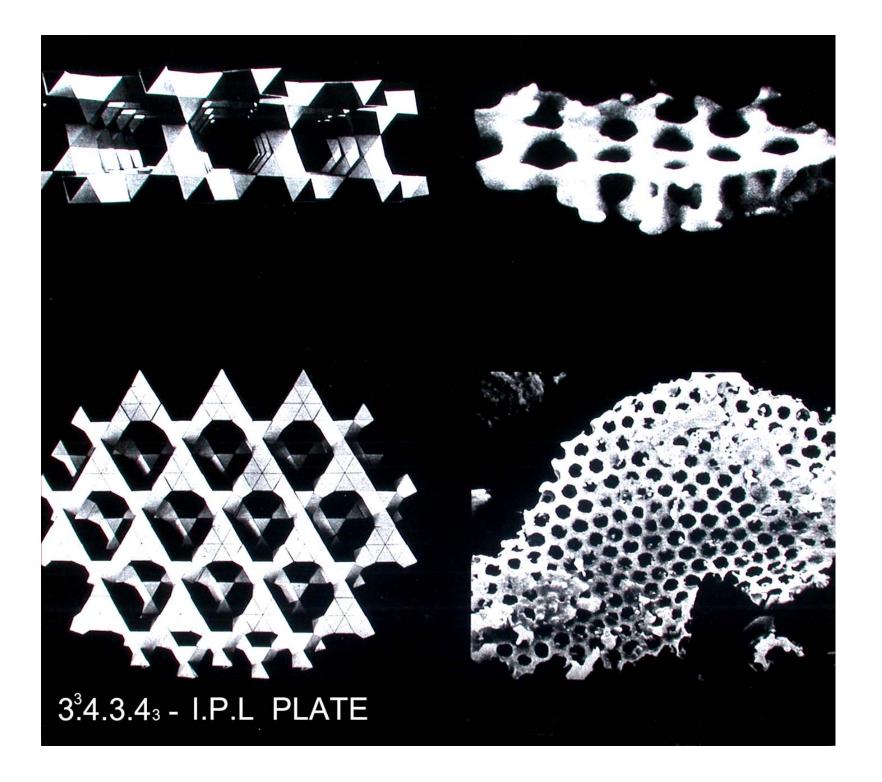
PERIODIC (INFINITE) SPONGE POLYHEDRON-(4².6)% OF THE POLYHEDRAL FAMILY: (4°.6)%=2π+1

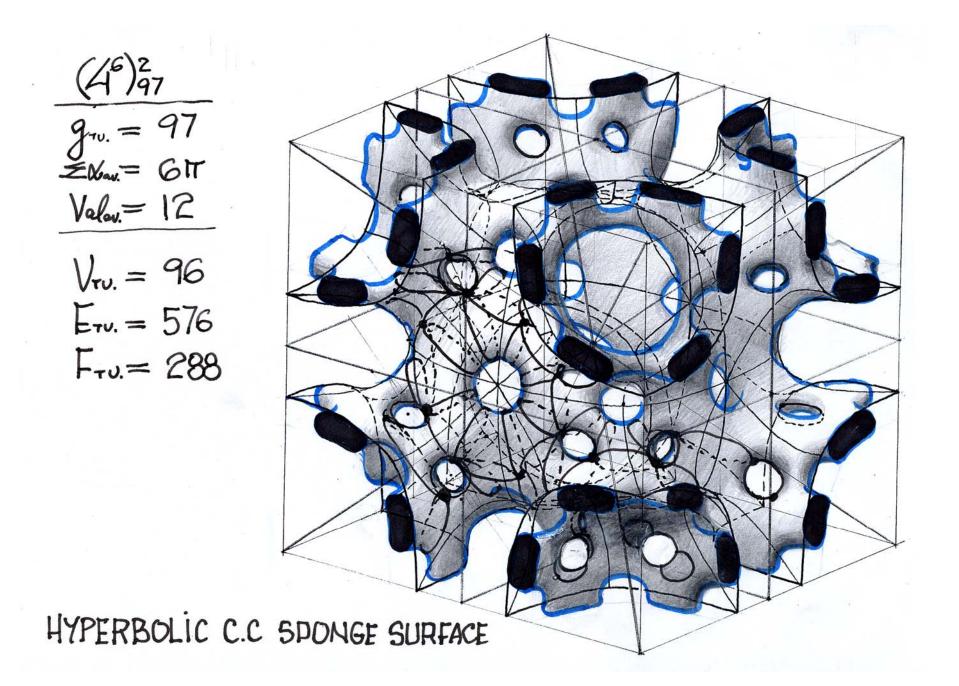
 $n=2 \left(\frac{4^{2}5}{19} \right)^{5}_{19}$ $g = 19^{-97+1}$ $Z\alpha_{m} = 811$ Valav= 15 $V_{\text{T.U.}} = 6x2=6n$ $E_{\tau.u.} = 45 \times 2 = 45$ $F_{\tau.u.} = 21 \times 2 = 21$

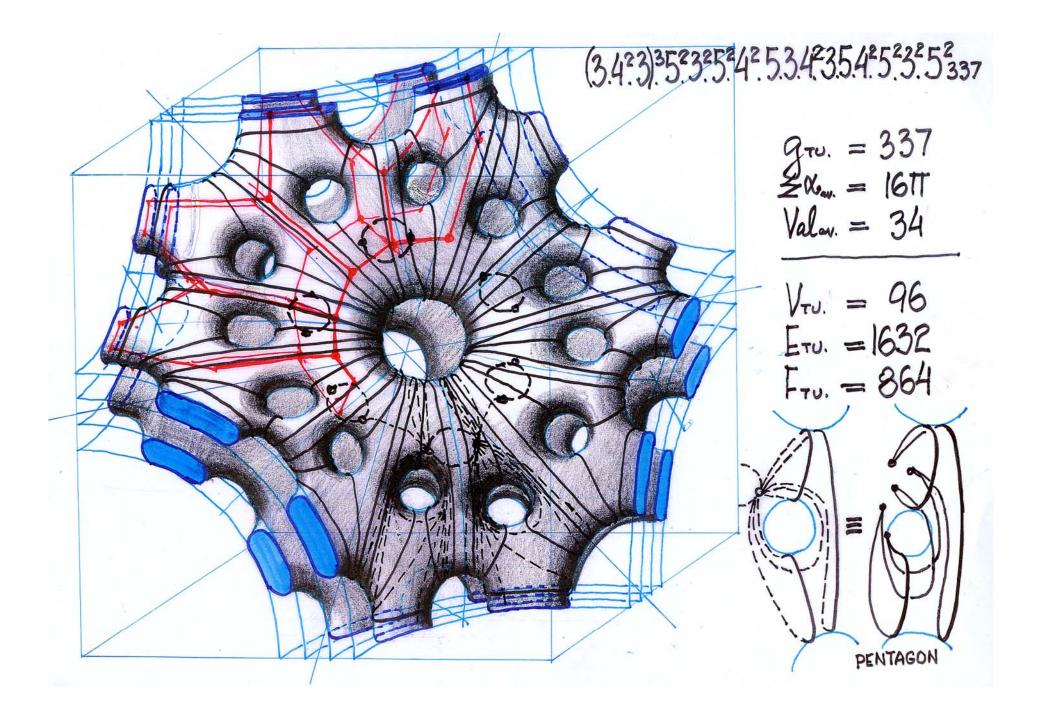


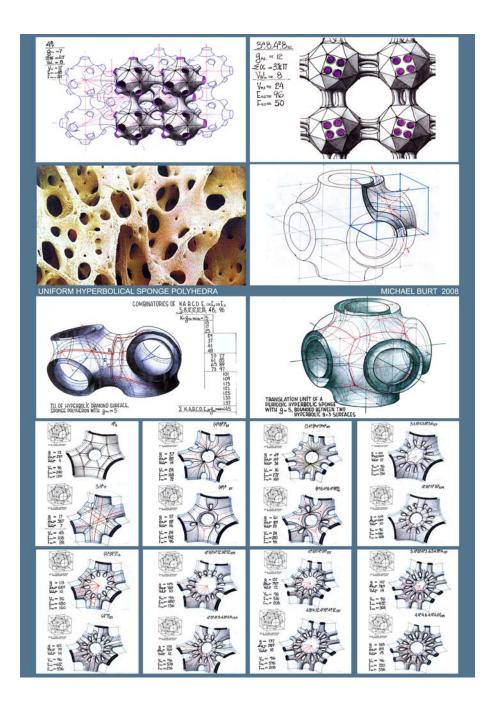


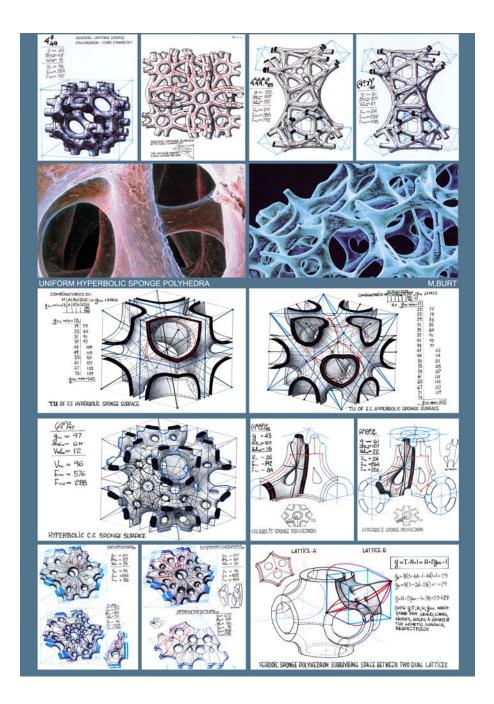


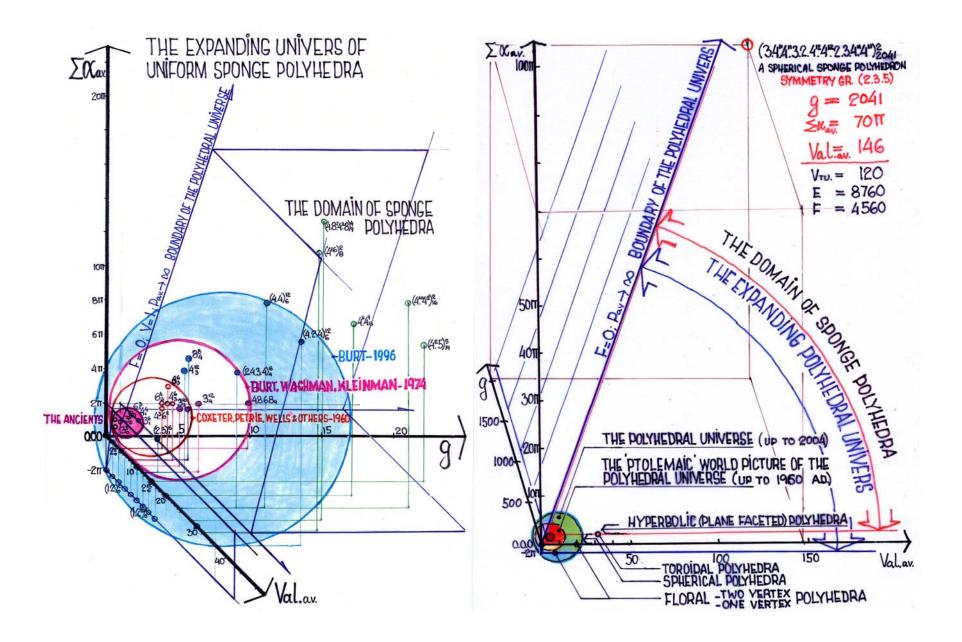


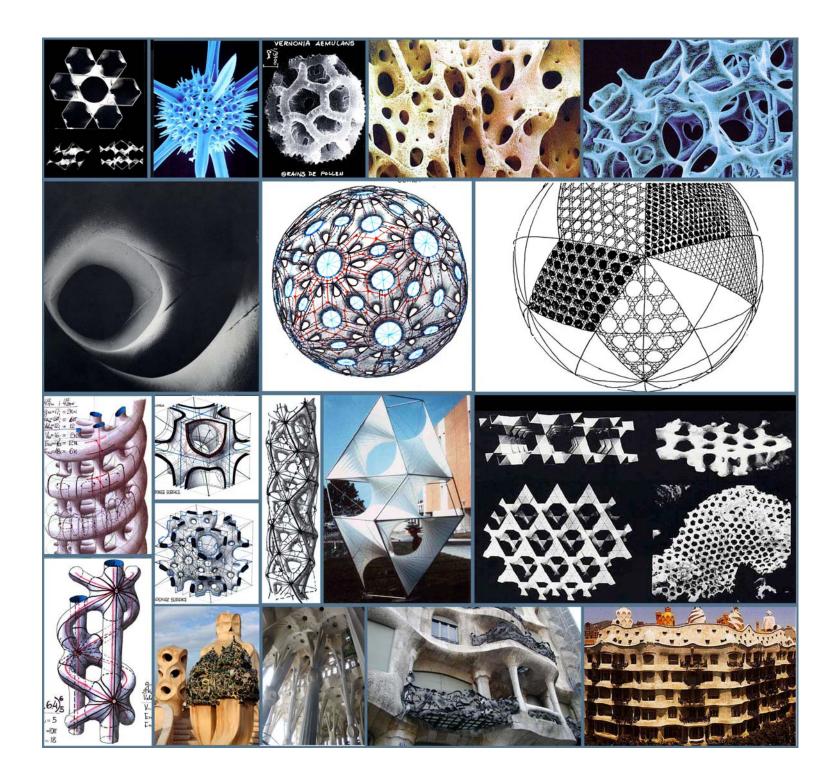


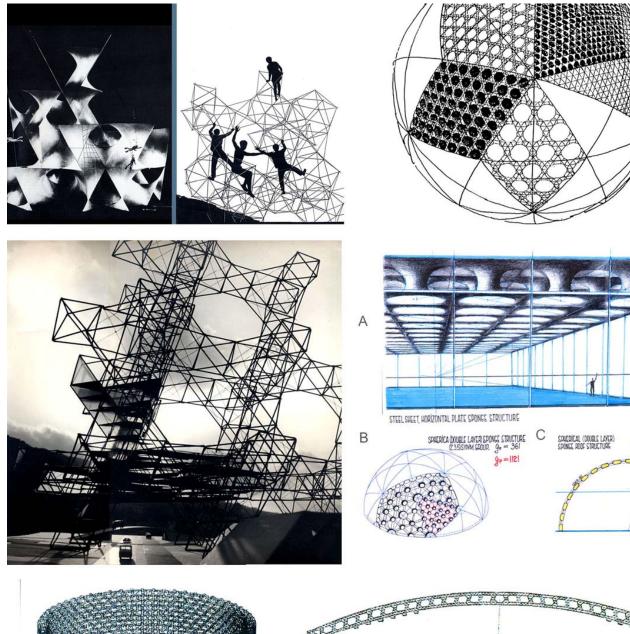


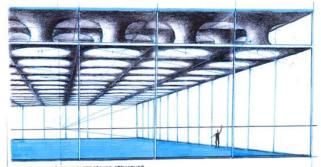


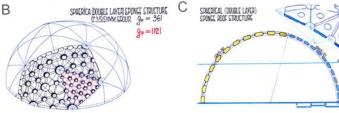


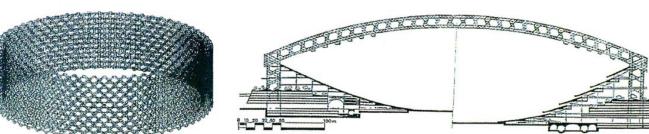








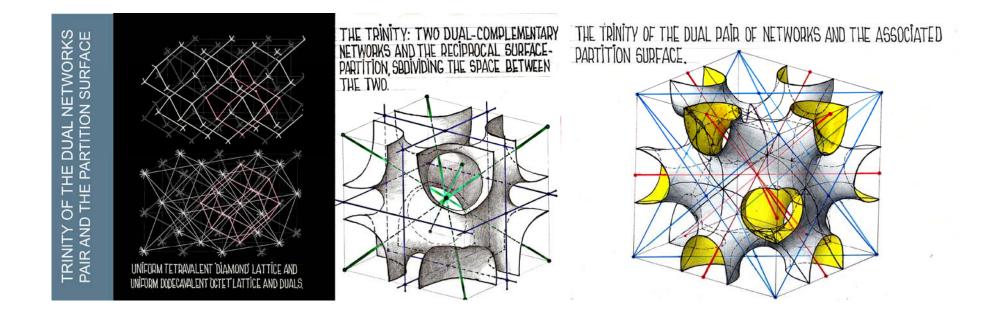




Any significant venture into the field of periodic sponge surfaces and polyhedra dictates a systematic exploration of the uniform space lattice domain.

It came as a shocking surprise to realize that in spite of the great efforts of the last three centuries or so, in the exploration of the structure of matter and space (crystallography included), **no systematic effort was committed to exhaustively explore the network domain in the "abstract realm of the theoretically imaginable".** All networks come in dual pairs. Each network is uniquely determined by, and is a reciprocal of its dual (complementary) companion. -Every dual pair of networks is associated with a continuous hyperbolical sponge surface which subdivides the space between the two, into two complementary sub-spaces. This trinity of the dual pair and the associated-reciprocal sponge surface is the most conspicuous, all pervading geometric-topological phenomenon of our 3-D space, associated with its order and organization and more than anything else determines the way we

perceive and comprehend its structure

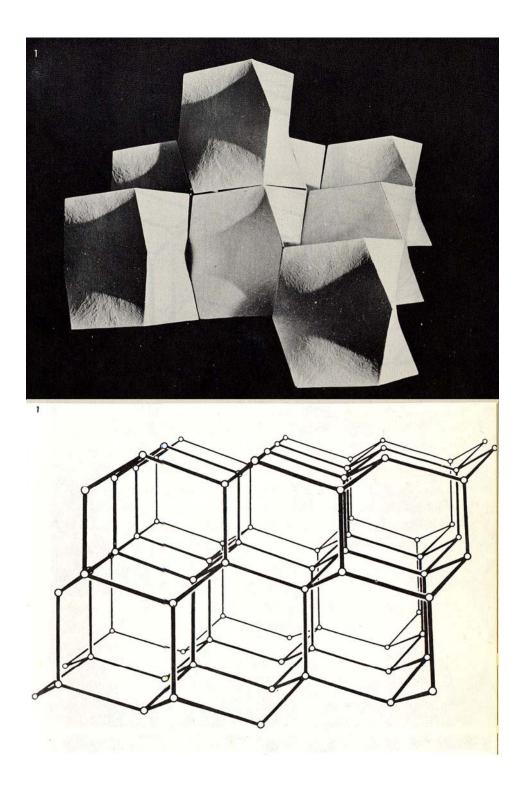


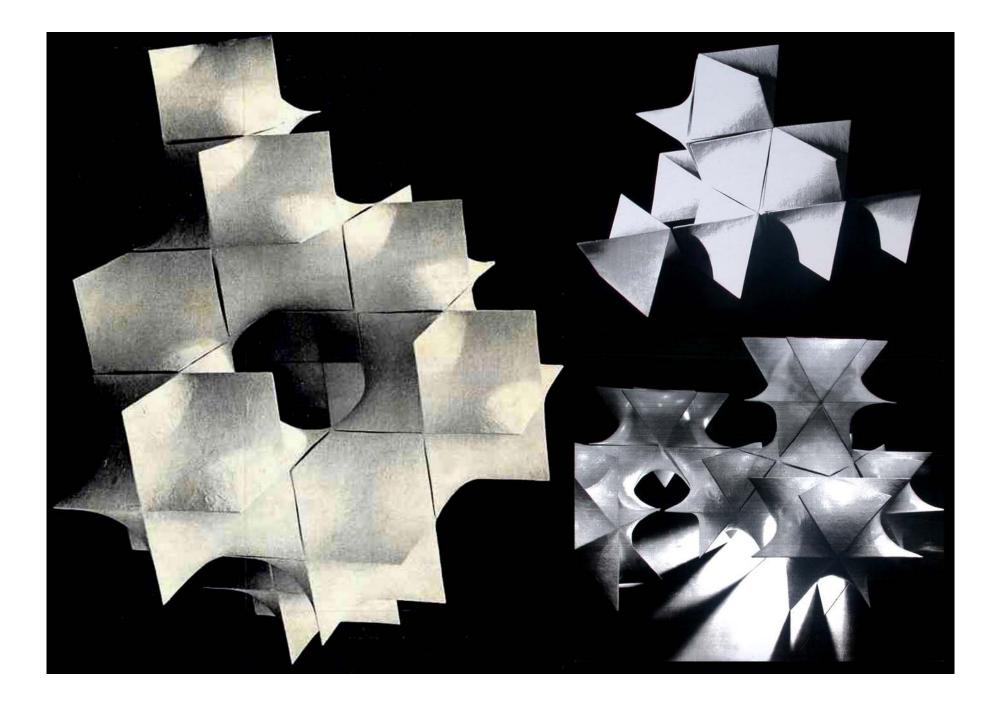
A periodic ordered space network may be generated through one of the following processes

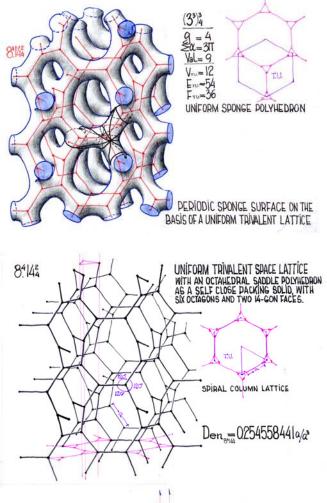
-By an extended repetition of a locally and globally symmetrical association of vertex figures.

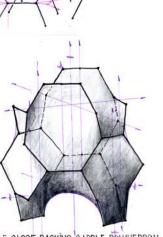
-As a result of a close (compact) packing of polyhedral cells, the vertex-edge array of which combine to form the network.

-As a result of a tessellation process of an unbounded periodic (2dmanifold) surface, spherical, toroidal or hyperbolical, leading eventually to a connected 3-D network.

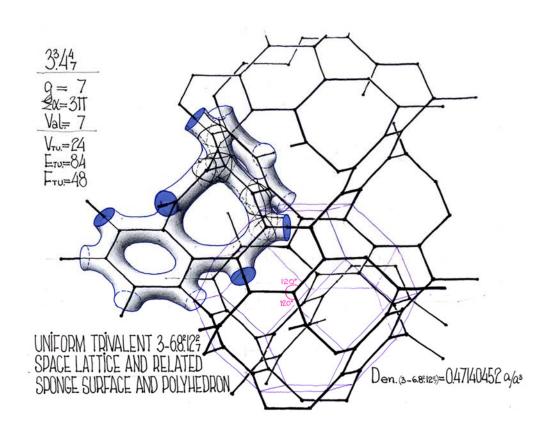


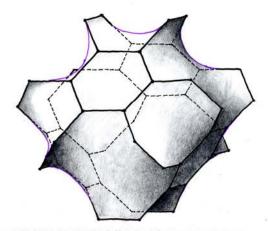




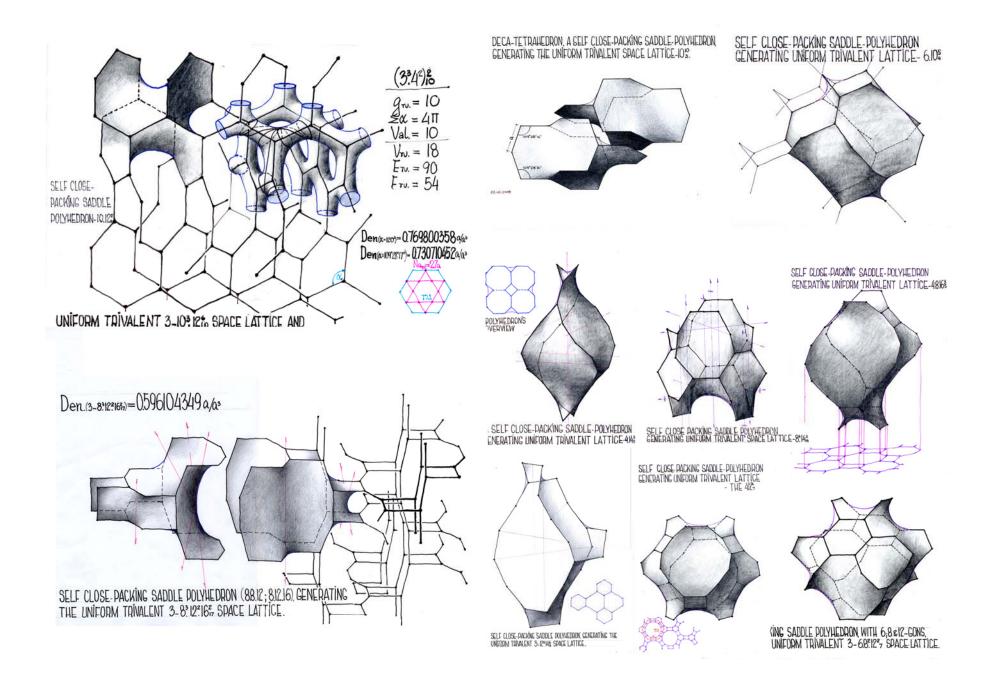


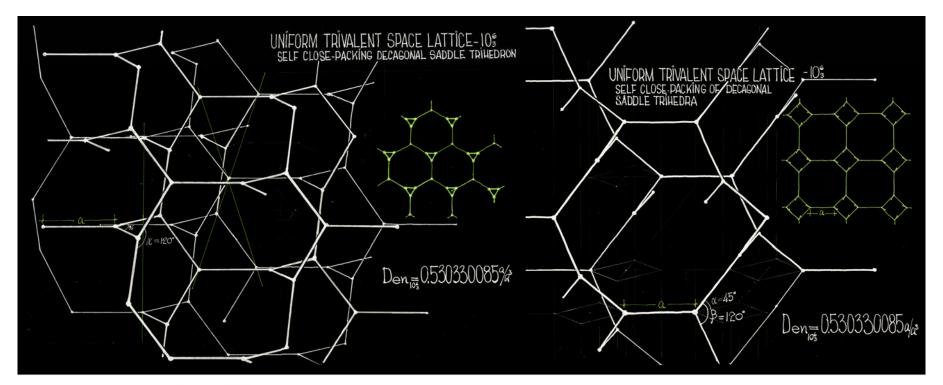
SELF CLOSE PACKING SADDLE POLYHEDRON GENERATING UNIFORM TRIVALENT SPACE LATTICE-8:142

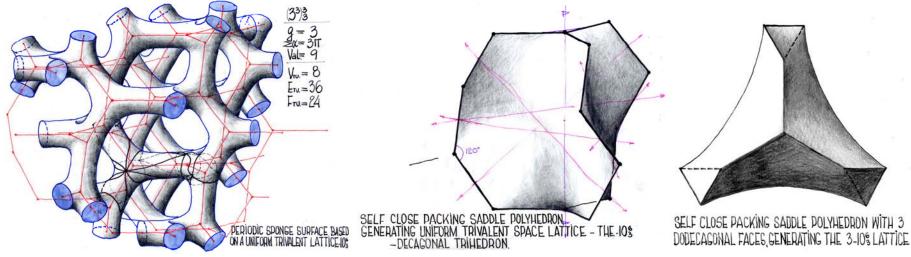


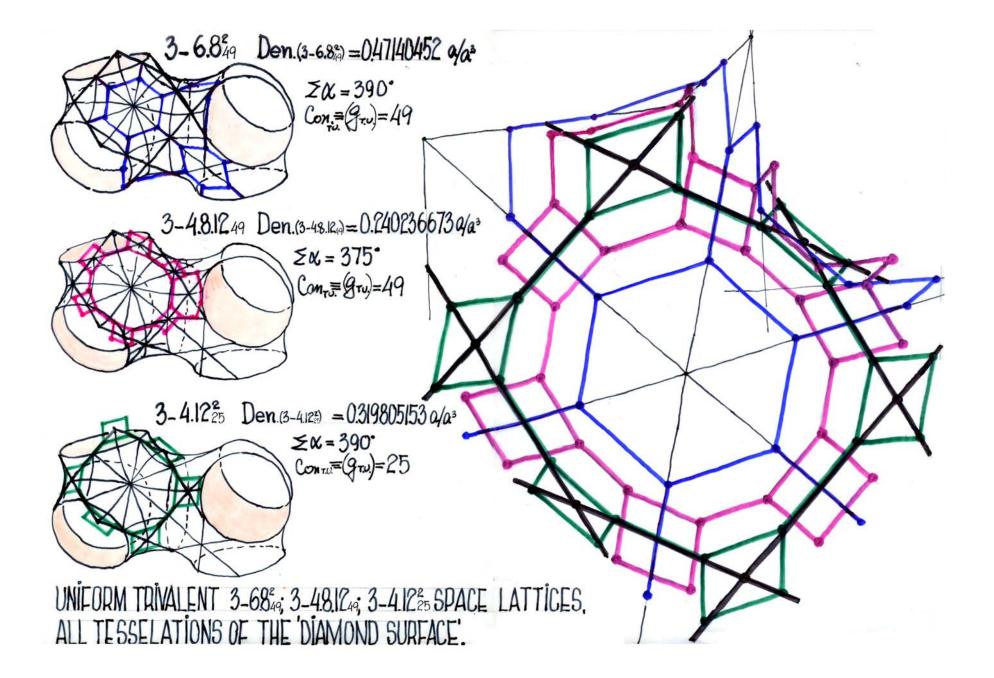


SELF CLOSE-PACKING SADDLE POLYHEDRON, WITH 6;8&12-GONS, GENERATING THE UNIFORM TRIVALENT 3-6.8°.12°7 SPACE-LATTICE.







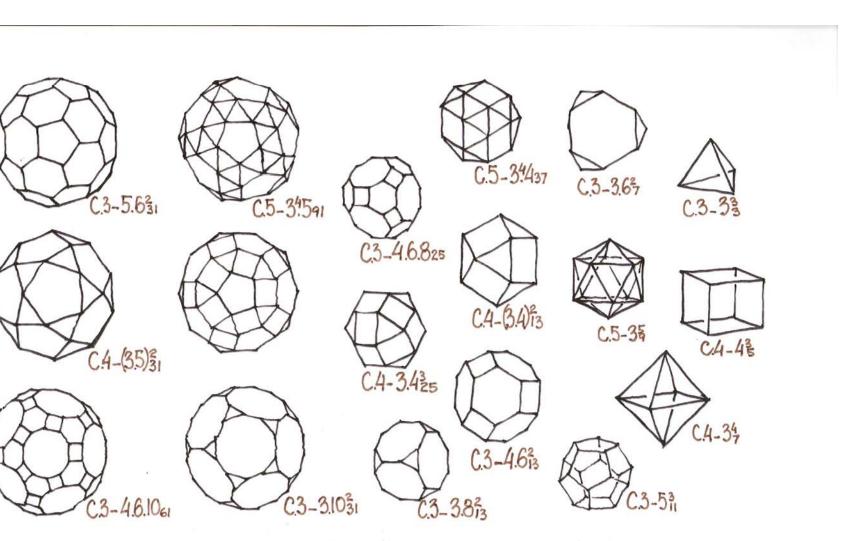


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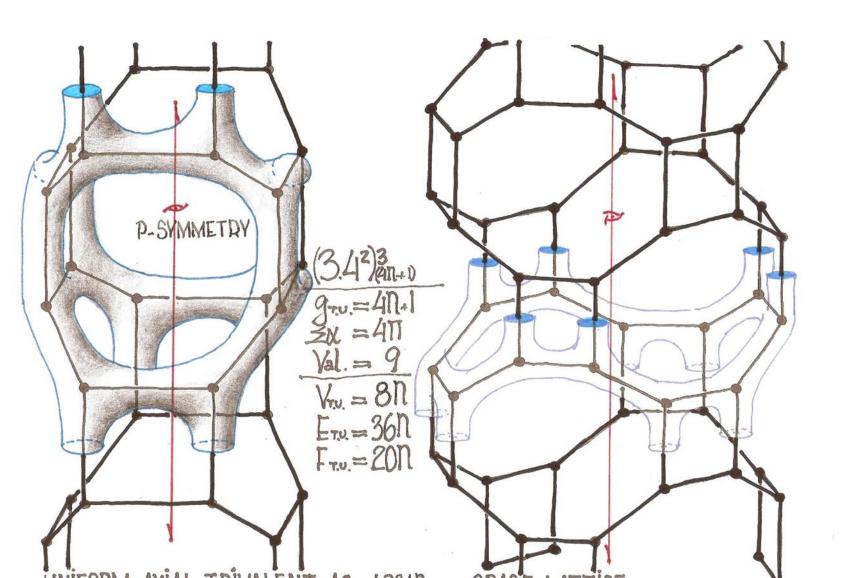
The vertex figure characteristics (geometric-symmetrical and topological) of a given network, tightly correspond to the topological-symmetrical characteristics of the close-pack cells of it's dual. By proxy it may be stated that all constituents of a given 'trinity' (the dual networks pair and the associated sponge surface) act under the same topological – Symmetrical regime.

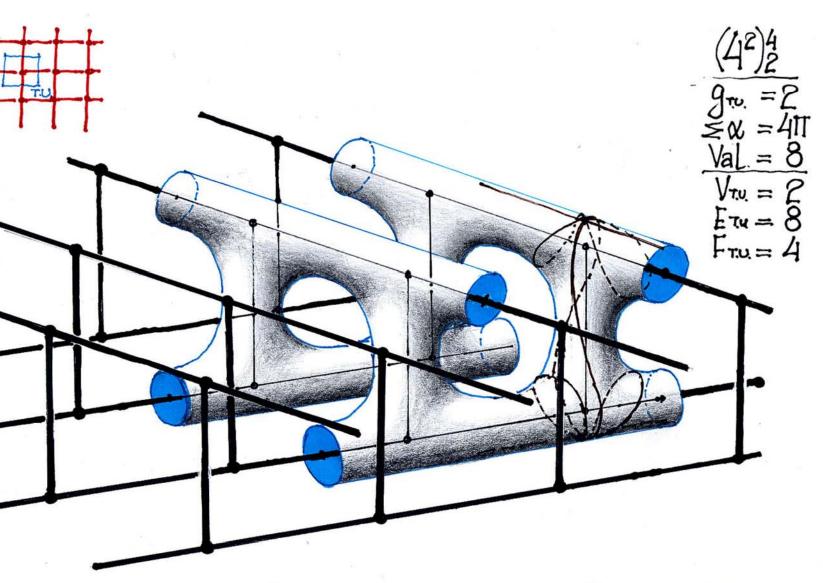
-Connectivity value (C) of the two continuous dual network graphs is one and the same for both, and is the same as genus-(g) value of the associated sponge surface:

C=L-N+1=g (with L&N as the number of Line-edges and vertex-Nodes respectively

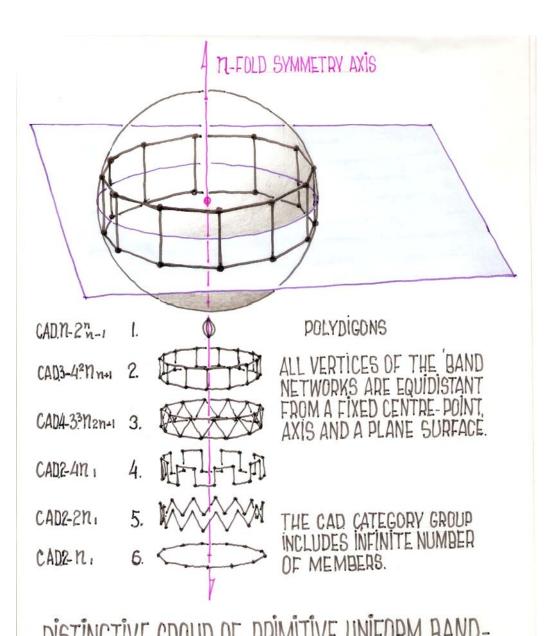


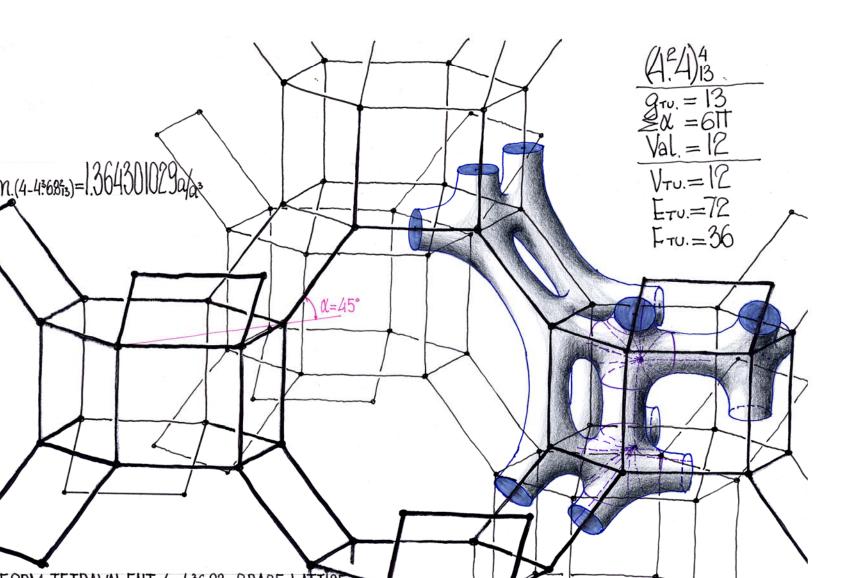
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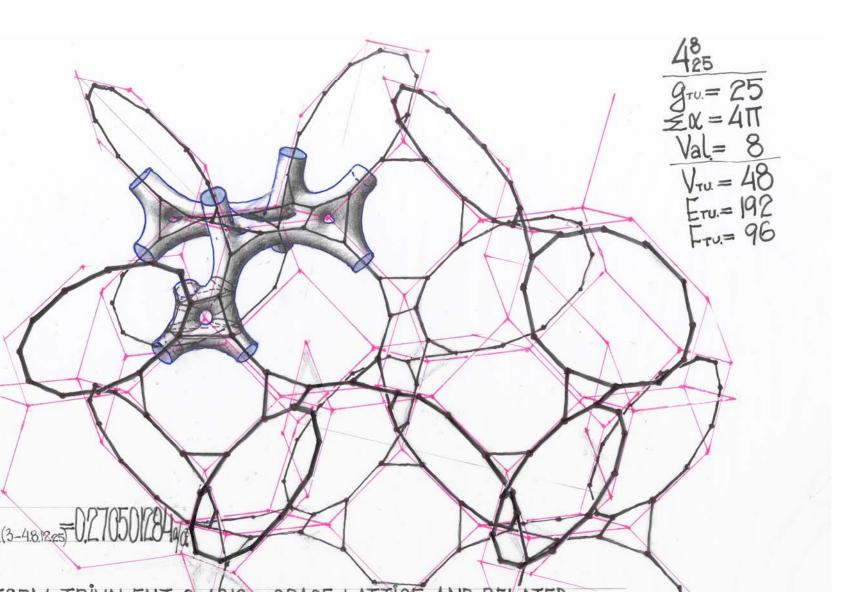


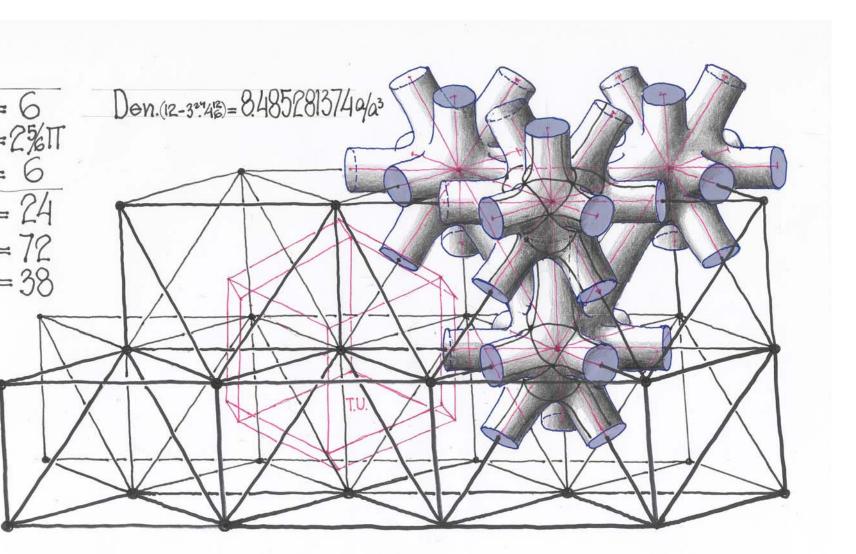


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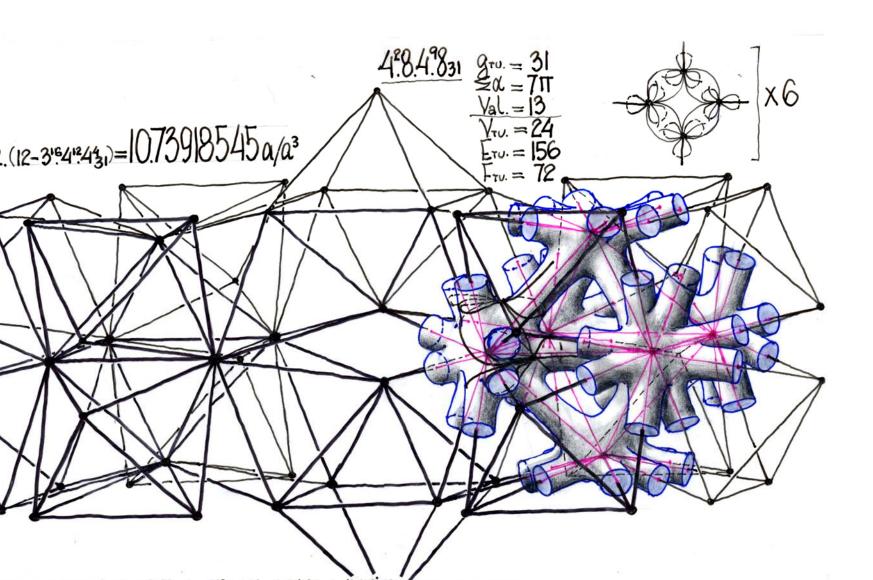








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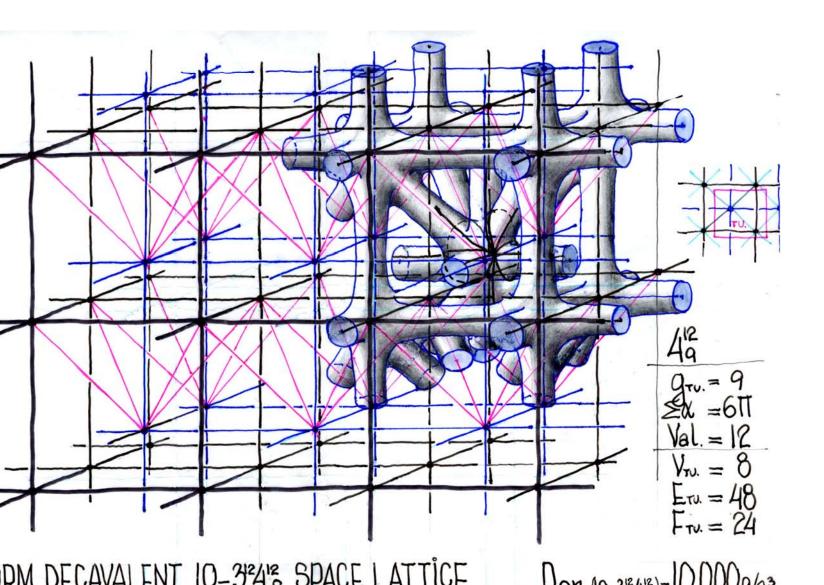


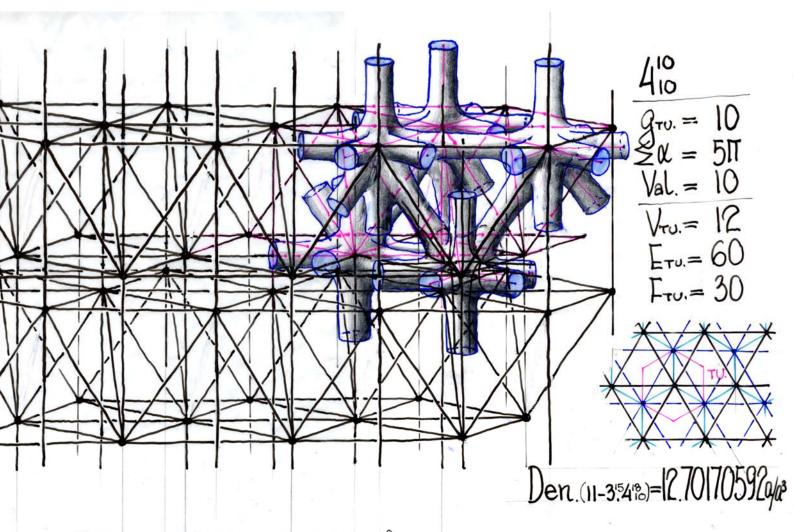
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niform Dodecavalent and higher valency Space Lattices or: how far alency and spatial density values can go.

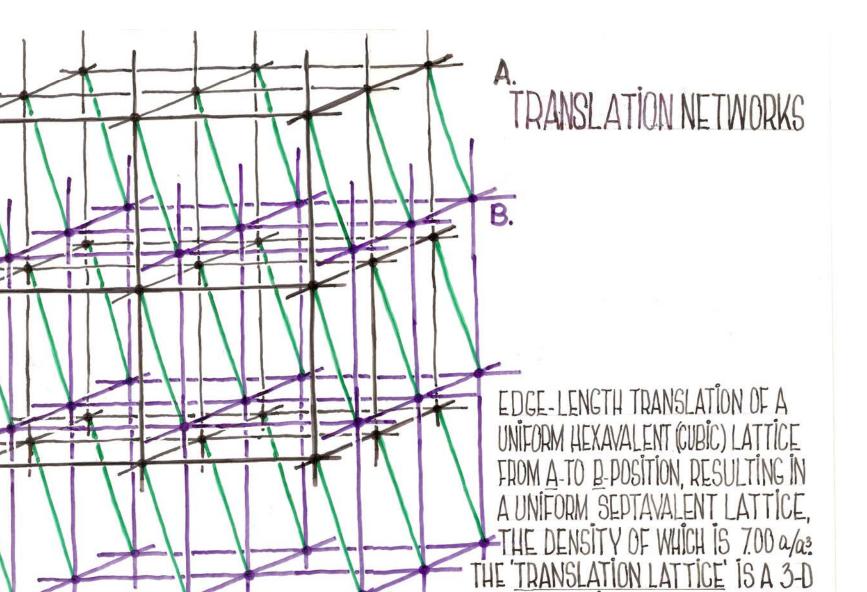
Iniform dodecavalent 'octet' based space lattices exist in more than one pological version, but all come to same spatial density of **8,485281374 /a³.**

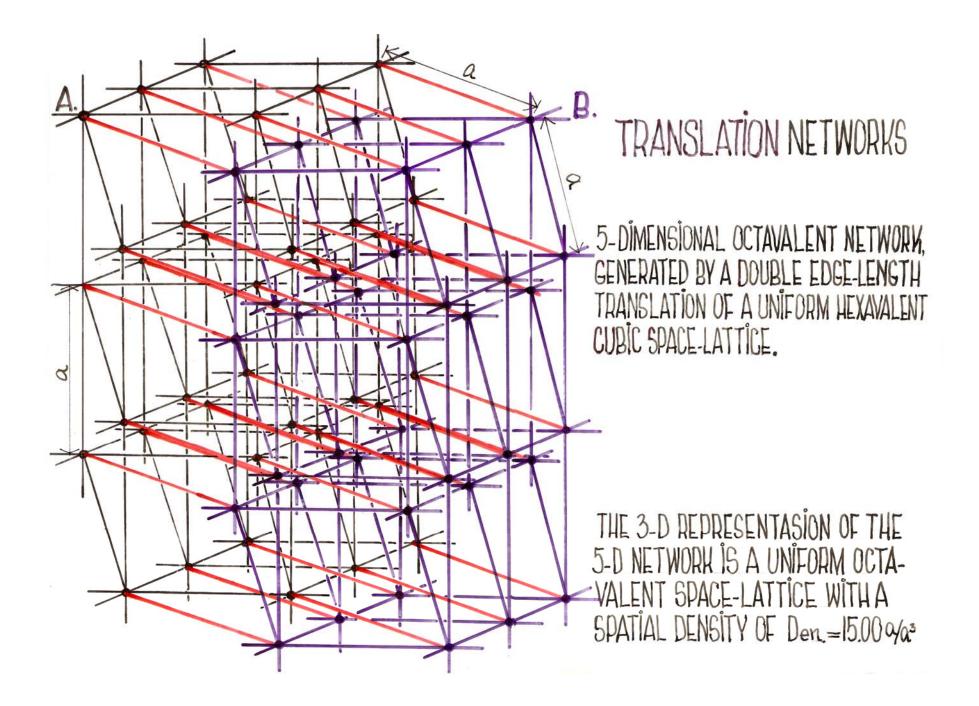
The infinite sponge polyhedron 3^{12}_4 gives rise to a uniform dodecavalent **12-3**¹².4²⁰ ₃₁) space lattice, the density of which **is 10,73918545a/a**³ (!)

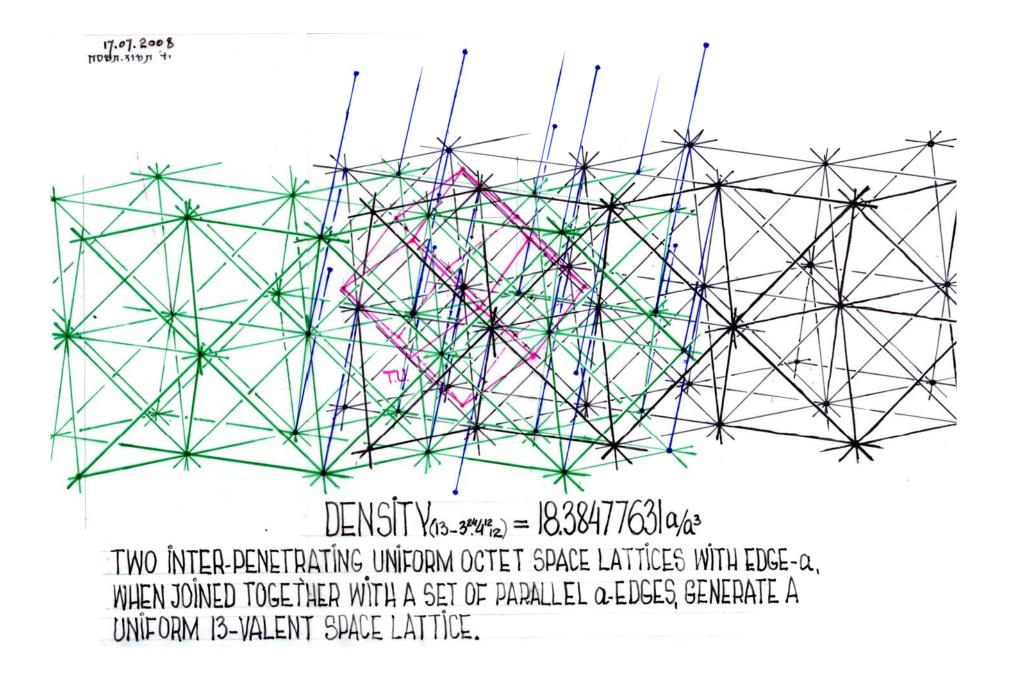




M 11-VALENT 11-3'54'S SPACE LATTICE







The edge length translation could be performed \mathbf{m} times, leading to a uniform $(\mathbf{n}+\mathbf{m})$ -valent space lattice, the spatial density of which will amount to:

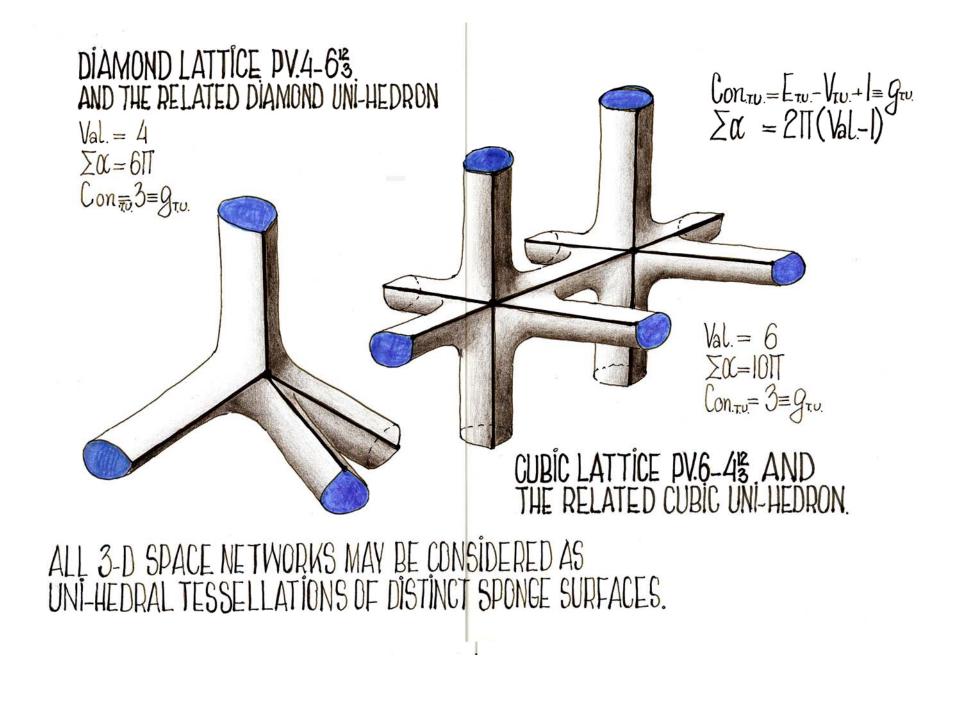
Den.(n+m) =
$$\frac{\text{Den.}(n)}{\text{E}_{\text{T.U.}}} [2^m \cdot \text{E}_{\text{T.U.}} + \frac{(1+m)m}{2}]$$

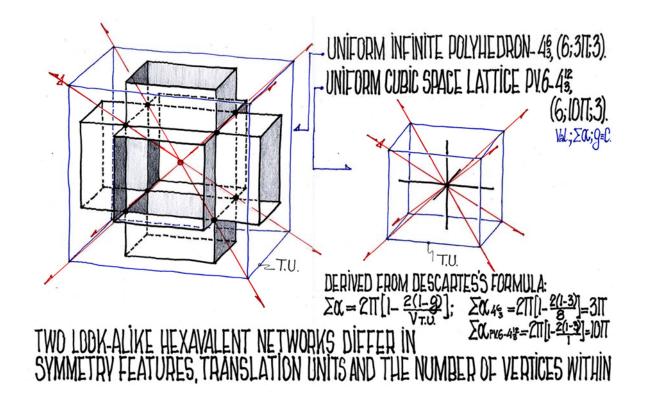
In fact <u>m</u> and the spatial density values can reach to infinity (!)

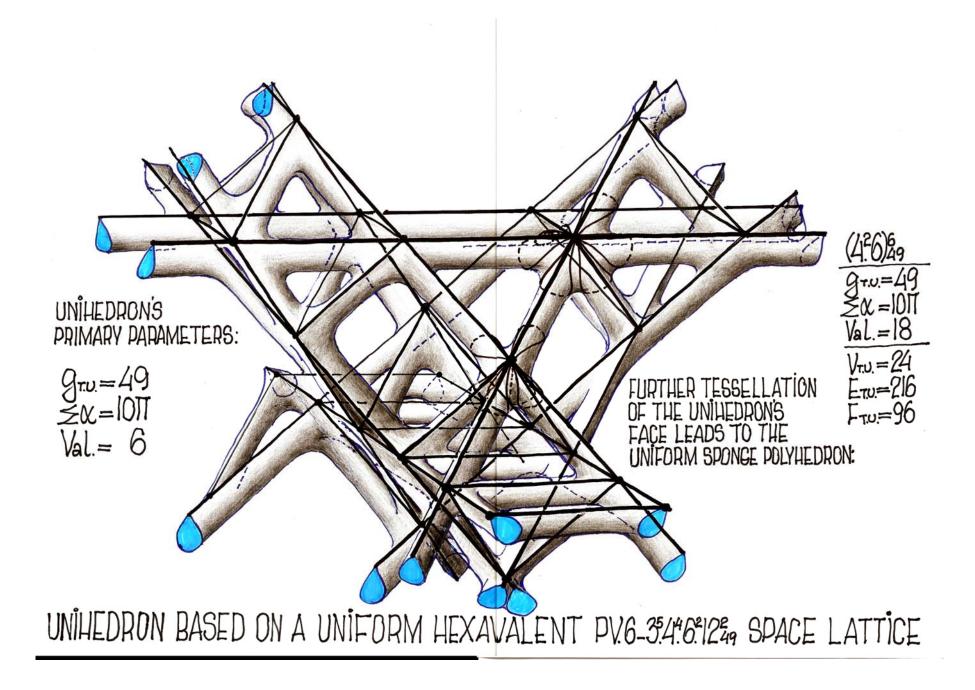
CATEGORIES OF UNIFORM 3D NETWORKS	Number of networks (Found so Far)
 Centroid related networks Axis related networks 	$5+13$ $33 (\rightarrow \infty)$
3. Plane related (Double Layer) network	as 65
4. Centro-Axial-Plane related networks	$6 (\rightarrow \infty)$
 Multi - Layer Space Networks Poly - Vectorial Space networks 	~ 220
7. Translation networks	$\rightarrow \infty$

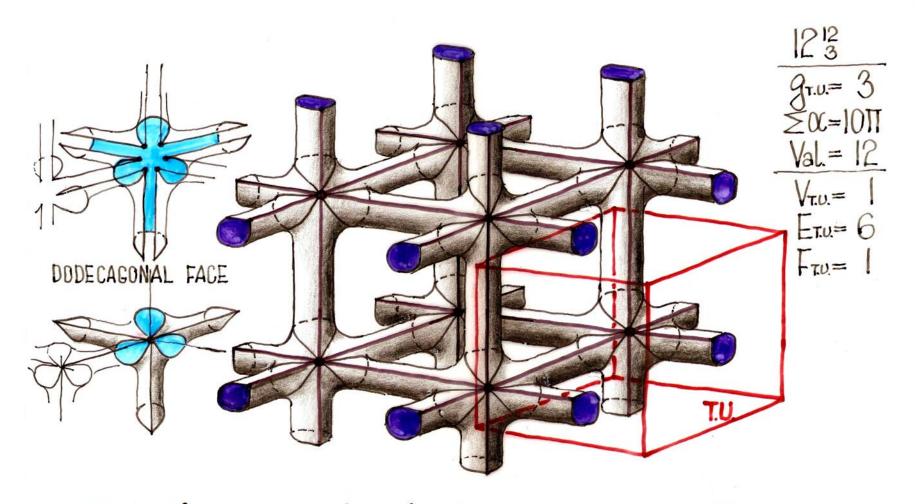
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An assumption is formed that we are dealing with probably not more than few hundreds of uniform space lattices in 3-D space and in view of the valency limiting values and symmetry constraints it seems that an exhaustive systematic search of these configurations is tenable.

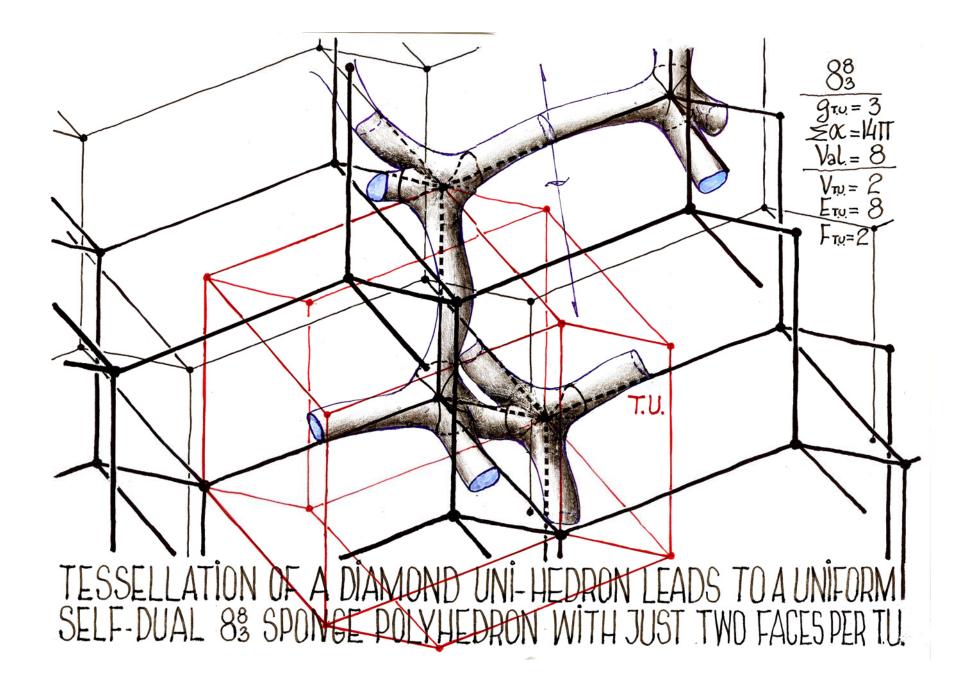


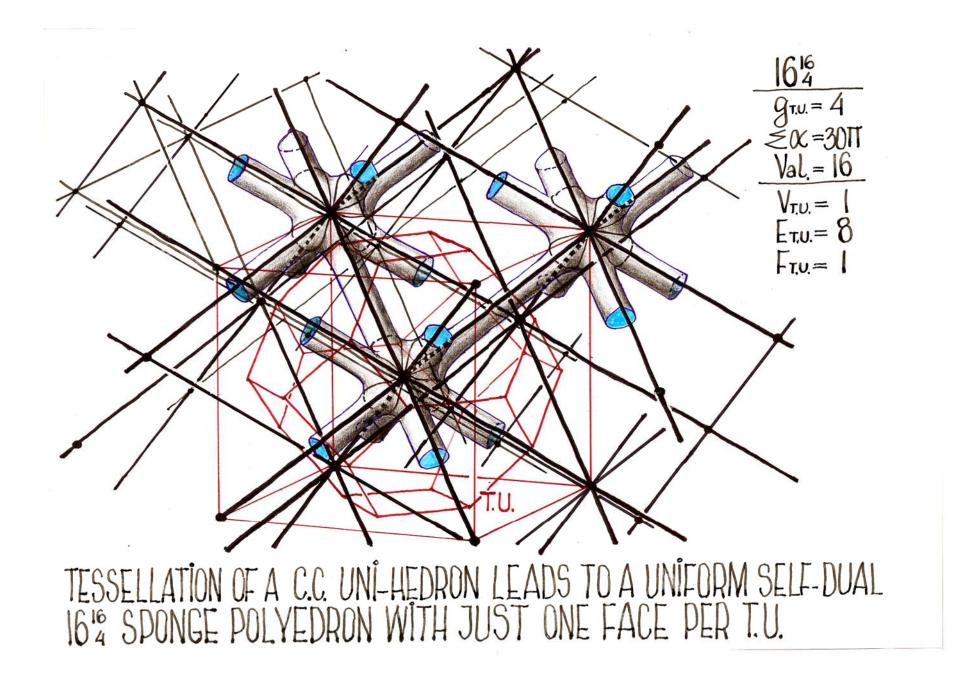


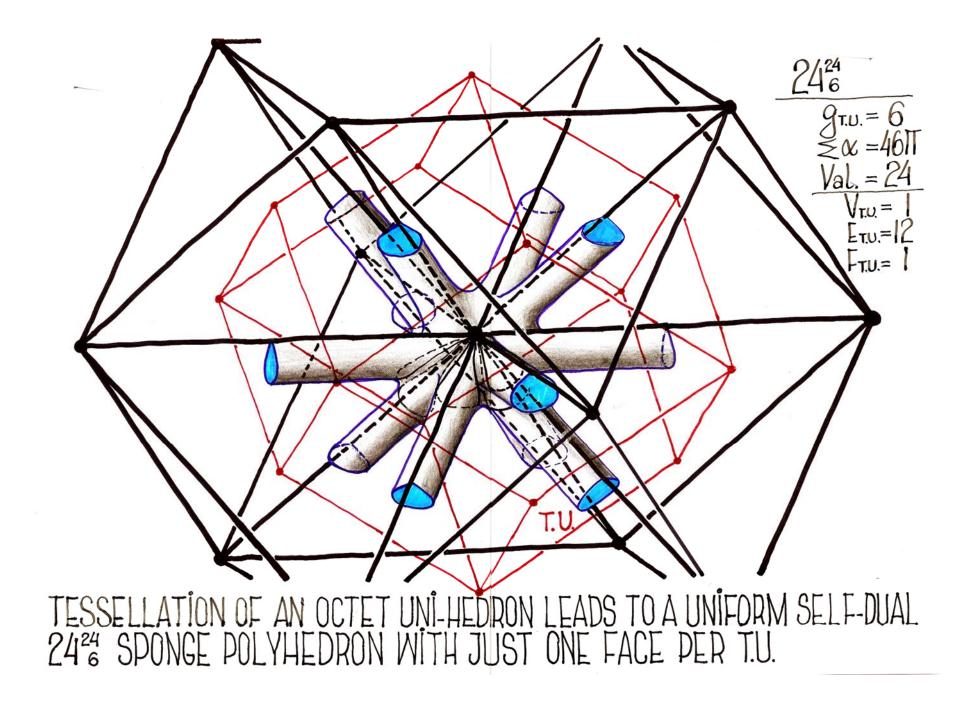


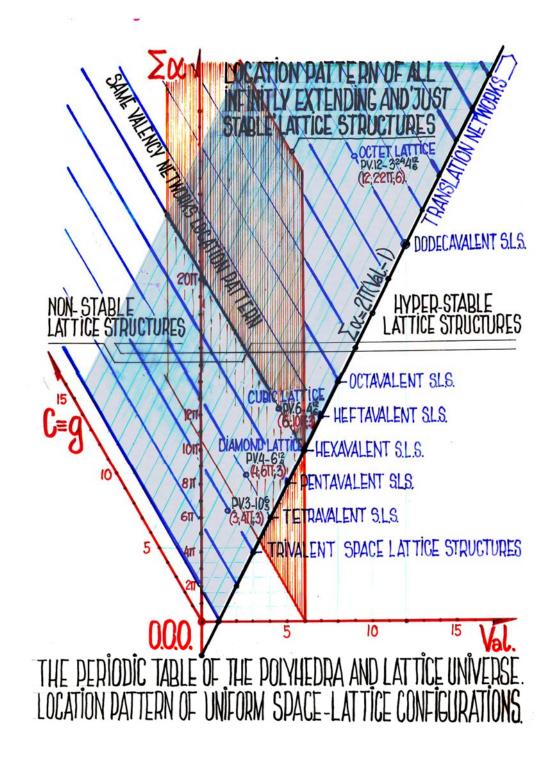


TESSELLATION OF A CUBIC UNI-HEDRON LEADS TO A UNIFORM SELF-DUAL 12'S SPONGE POLYHEDRON WITH JUST ONE FACE PER T.U.









IN CONCLUSION

3D networks and the associated hyperbolical sponge surfaces seem to pose a critical aspect in all 'material sciences' and as an extension of graph-theory, dealing geometrically with any plurality that may exist, of focal entities and their inter-relations.

After investing in the systematic research of the topic, the author claims enumerating, categorizing and graphically describing, **so far,** about 350 uniform 3D space networks and related hyperbolical sponge surface configurations.

The effort is meant to support an evolution of new imagery which might influence scientific exploration and inspire art, architecture and innovative space structures.

By defining as 'morphic' those processes which display a movement toward greater 3-dimensional spatial order, symmetry or form (Whyte-1969) and morphology as the logical preoccupation with and manipulation of those processes, than the research into the nature of networks and the associated sponge surfaces may be classified as the essence of morphology.