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Substrate	Printing	Foil printing
Watermark Paper color	Guilloche Microtext	Metallic foil Retroreflective foil
Fibers Planchets Threads Perforation	Metameric See-through Numbering Tactility	Iridescent foil (OVD)
Laser engraving Chemical indicators	Latent image Fluorescence Thermochromic	Diffractive (DOVID)
	Iridescent Hidden image Scrambled image	Interference (ISIS)

Learn about document security features and Fluorescence their security value

Fluorescence



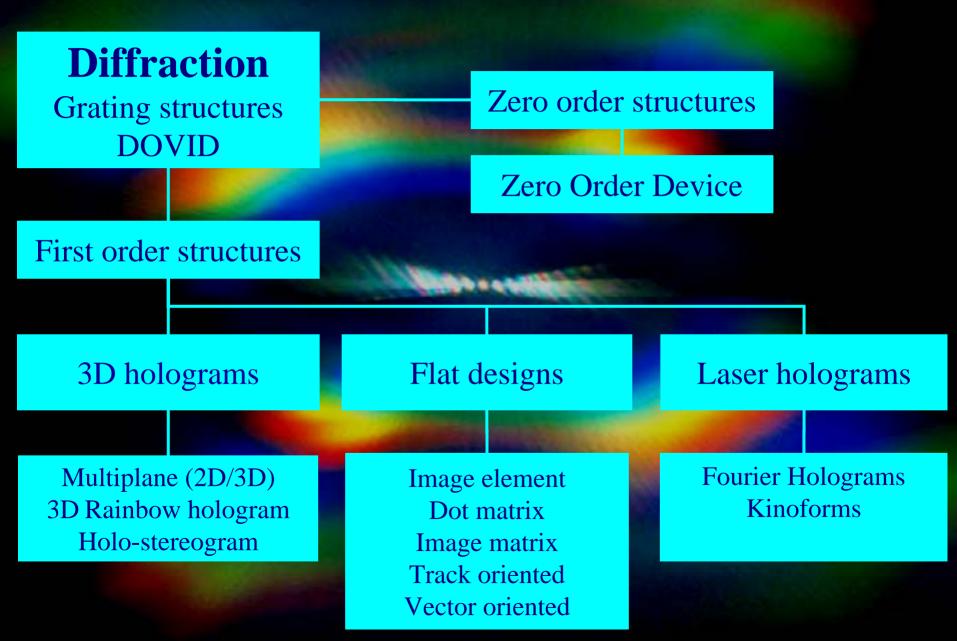
Polymer- and paper substrate security, security inks, printed security patterns, foil printing, optically variable devices (OVDs)

Learn about security printing techniques

Intaglio printing, dry offset, wet offset, letterpress

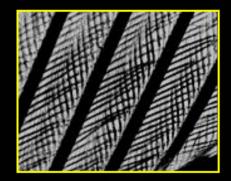


Understand diffractive security features



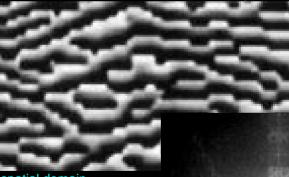
Distinguish spatial and frequency domains

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spatial domain

Diffraction First order structures Zero order structures Blazed gratings Grating cross sections



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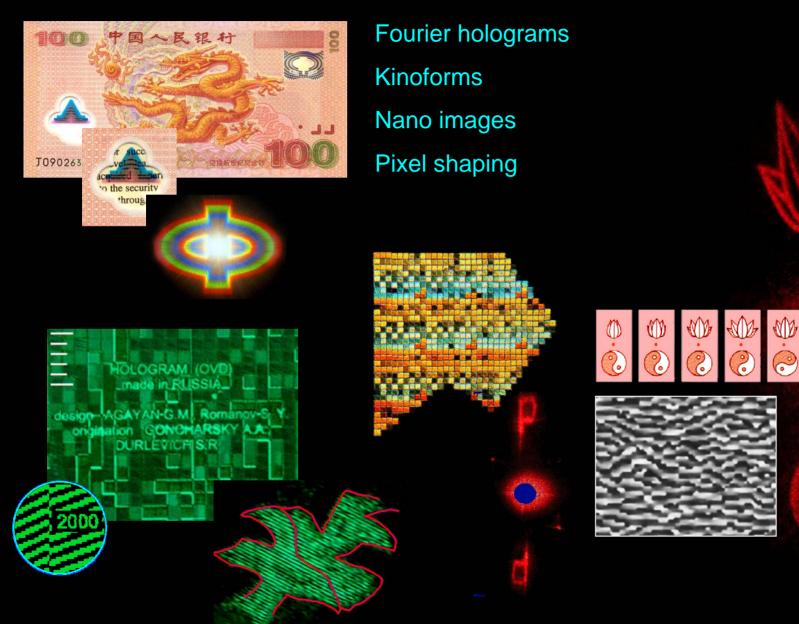
spatial domain computed

frequency domain

frequency domain computed

Learn about hidden diffractive features

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Understand interference security features

Interference Thin film structures ISIS

Single layer structures

Soap film, oil film

Pearl lustre ink

Multilayer structures

Peacock feather

Multiple coatings

Transparent Opaque Bragg structures

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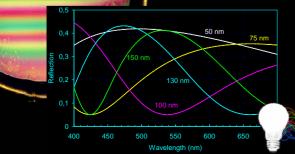
Volume hologram Coextrusion foil Liquid crystals

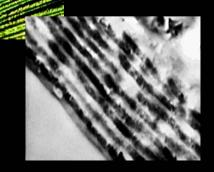
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Learn about thin film structures

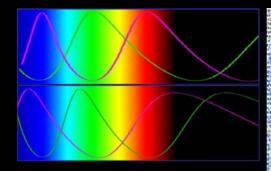
Pearl lustre ink Light interference Coherence length Co-extruded foils Combined features



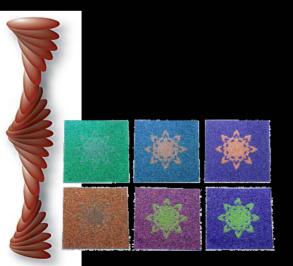




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Optically Variable Ink Volume holography Lippmann photography Liquid crystal features Artificial opals





