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With his wind mutations, Nick Ervinck tried to conquer the elements by capturing the continuous flow of the wind in a stagnant sculpture. Despite of growing up in an urban atmosphere, he is still strongly fascinated by nature because she keeps influencing our lives no matter where we retreat to or which boundaries we erect.

Wind knows two forms: either it exists in its pure form caused by differences in air pressure or it is the result of (fast) moving objects. Both forms have found their match in Ervinck's work. Wind caused by natural phenomena can bring about disastrous events. Apart from being tremendously destructive, hurricanes and tornadoes can take on riveting forms. These were emulated by the artist in works, and studies, like REDNOM, REDNUMIAR and REDNEYER.

The other type of wind, which is cast off from a body in motion, is visualised in sculptures including ENNERNEISE and ITSUORNET. They seem to drive at such a high speed that the air can be seen being cut in front of the vehicles and streaming alongside them. The slipstream running beside and behind the statues only increases their aerodynamicity and makes them fit perfectly in the futurist movement where energy and speed were simulated on canvas and replicated in three-dimensional sculpts.







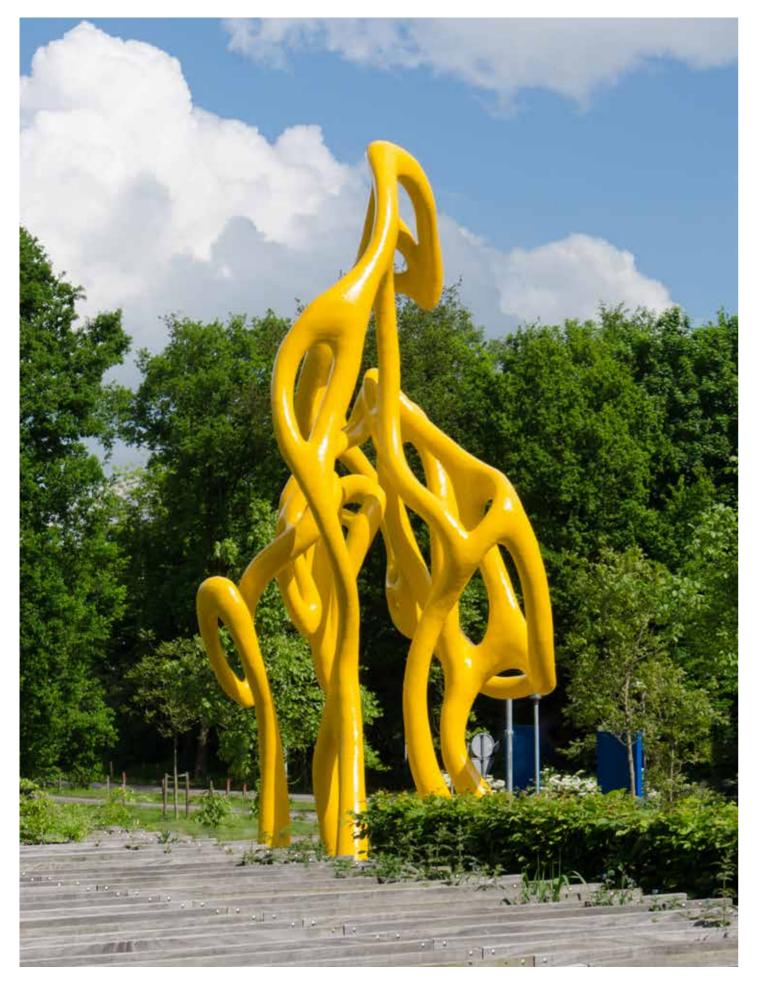
BRETOMER, 2014 3D print (VeroClear) 20 x 35.3 x 49.5 cm 7.9 x 13.9 x 19.5 inches

3D Printed on a Stratasys Objet500 Connex3 Multi-material 3D Printer

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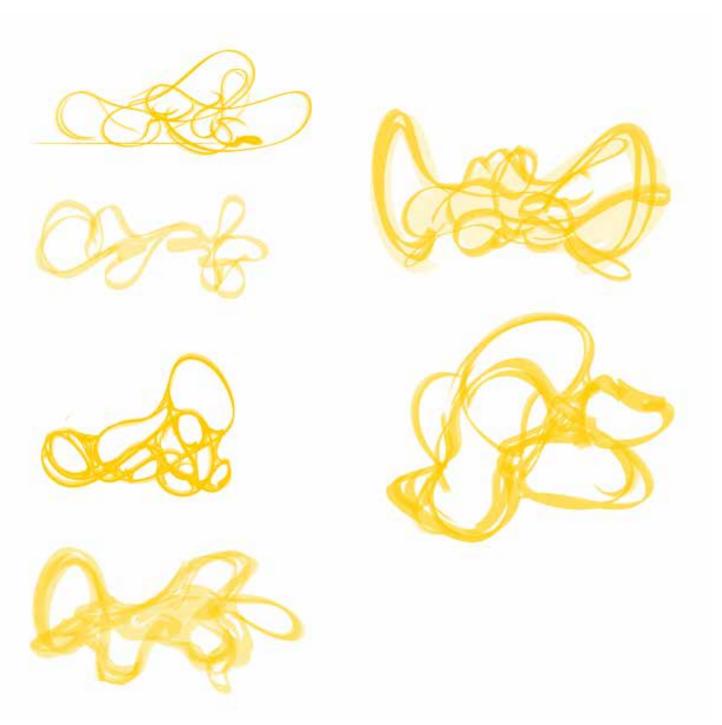


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REDNOM, 2016 3D print 30 x 28 x 24.5 cm 11.8 x 11 x 9.6 inches







REDNOM, 2016 study

REDNOMER, 2016 study





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REDNAEMER, 2014 study

REDNUMIAR, 2017 study









REVEASDENIL, 2015 3D print and wood 64 x 25 x 16 cm 25.2 x 9.8 x 6.3 inches **GENIREISE,** 2015 3D print 43 x 20 x 20 cm 16.9 x 7.9 x 7.9 inches







REDNEYER, 2016 study REDNOYER, 2016

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GEWIENRO, 2018 study



LUBOMER, 2014 study



GEWIANIL, 2017 study





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LIEWD, 2013 print mounted on plexiglas and covered with plexiglas 80 x 80 cm 31.5 x 31.5 inches

LAPETYL, 2017 3D print 26.5 x 14 x 17 cm 10.4 x 5.5 x 6.7 inches











ITSUORNET, 2017 3D print 9 x 36 x 16,5 cm 3.5 x 14.2 x 6.5 inches



ORBOLAT, 2017 3D print 12 x 30 x 8 cm 5 x 12 x 3 inches

3D Printed by Stratasys on a J750 3D Printer

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