Antique Gothic

In 2014, when art director Yorgo Tloupas was tapped to design a glossy biannual magazine called *The Book* for luxury fashion house Louis Vuitton, he turned to his friends at Production Type to develop a new face for it: a multipurpose condensed sans serif.

Tloupas rifled through the Louis Vuitton archives, pulling out vintage ads that incorporated the kind of sans he was after. Production plumbed its own trove of specimen books from unsung French foundries like Berthier & Durey, Turlot, and Warnery, among others, to push the concept further. The result, Antique Gothic, is a straightforward condensed sans featuring relatively open terminals, compact extenders, straight sides, and spacious counters — with a few details borrowed from *belle-époque* jobbing types to make it stand out.

The pointy spur of the 'G' and serif of the numeral '1' reemerge in the 'Q's tail; the scooped flag of the '5' and notched stem of the 't' allude to Antique's distant origins in the modern serif; the chiseled 't' stem affords height without adding heaviness. Antique Gothic is lean and self-contained enough to play well with others in tight editorial settings, but its distinctive traits lend it equally well to solo performances. Think branding, packaging, protest signs.

Branching out from its original mission, the new offering has evolved and become more versatile, ripe for wider circulation. Antique Gothic has three light weights (ExtraLight, SemiLight, and Light), a Regular weight, and a Medium weight. The Extended Latin character set offers comprehensive language support. Three different uppercase heights enable playful and sophisticated compositions.

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Antique Gothic Extralight Antique Gothic Light Antique Gothic Semilight Antique Gothic Regular Antique Gothic Medium

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ExtraLight

Interaction Picture

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Vanilla Sandalwood

SemiLight

Perfect Cranberry

Regular

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Monogram Multicolore Canvas FRENCH FASHION CHRISTIAN DIOR 16mm Epi Electric Sainte Luce EDWARD, PRINCE OF WALES FALL REGINE'S FÉDÉRATION FRANÇAISE DE LA Nouvelle-Amsterdam Louis Vuitton Malletier THE LADY OF THE CAMELLIAS TONIGHT OR NEVER Blueberry Cobbler Sweet Cinnamon Pumpkin

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Patchouli Champa Canesterre Belle Eau Metalworking Hand tools Monogram Multicolore Canvas Lemon Eucalyptus Essential Oil Patchouli Very Sexy For Men Strawberry Vanilla Bean Cookies ADJUSTABLE SHOULDER STRAP Twelve Bronze Statue Heads FERNANDO DE NORONHA BEAR ATOLL DE LA SURPRISE VANILLA SANDALWOOD PERFECT CRANBERRY ÎLE SAINT-BARTHÉLEMY

Metropolitan Museum Of Art France Soir Hugh Richard Arthur Grosvenor Danielle Darrieux History Of Fashion Design

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User-Generated Content Bell Pants/Trousers For Women Vaslav Nijinsky Early Modern Europe Electroshock Therapy

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CHISSINIJA MBNIIINI . JAPANESE GRAPERUIT FIICALYPTILS SPEARMINT LVY HONEYBELL ORANGE ÎLFT LAVIGNE Annaman and Nicobar Islands Labattoir Blackberry Amber Lemon Eucalyptus Essential Oil ADJUSTABLE SHOULDER STRAP Grand Dukf Dmitri Paviovich REMEMBRANCE OF THINGS PAST ROCHE ANGLAISE LE JAPANESE GRAPEERUIT SPEEDY BANDOULIÈRE HISTORY OF FASHION DESIGN CHANEL SOLITAIRE GREEN TEA & CUCUMBER BLACKBERRY SAGE International Wool Secretariat Swimwear

Sunwashed Linen Challenger Harbour Mon Monogram Speedy Ascot Danish Butter Cookies Lemon Frosted Butter Cookie Île Vatou Banana Colada Cupcake Cotton Blossomand Body MINI POCHETTE ACCESSOIRES Igor Stravinsky Central Asia ROCHER DE LA PERLE KAWENI Yves Saint Laurent Ysl Teddy DAMIER ÉBÈNE CANVAS ÎLES DAOS DU NORD Ford Automobile Pacte Civil De Solidarité IFMON FUCALYPTUS ESSENTIAL OIL LAVENDER Palazzo Pants Hans Gunther Von Dincklage

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Production Type

ÎLET MANGUE À LAURETTE PUMPKIN SOUFFLÉ

Hugh Richard Arthur Grosvenor Vestment

CHISSINIJA BAMBO FRESH SLICED APPLES LIME I FAF FSPIRITII SANTN BANANA COLADA CUPCAKE BREA I FMNN FIICAIYPTIIS FSSFNTIAL OIL PIKAKI ALGERIAN WAR OF INDEPENDENCE YVES SAINT-LAUR LILAC FRESH WATERFALL MIST NETHERLANDS PRÊT-A-PORTER BLACK RASPBERRY & VAN GRAND PALAIS MIDWAY BRIEFS ÎLET MANGUE À LAURETTE SWEET PATCHOULI Bread And Butter Berlin Square Leg Suit RIVIÈRE DU MÂT LES BAS GANGAVARAM PORT EDWARD, PRINCE OF WALES THÉOPHILE BADER

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PATCHOULI VANILLA CHISSIOUA BANDRÉLÉ DAMIER AZUR CANVAS NOF SAINTE CLOTH DE STRESS RELIEF BIOOMIN PEACHES LIMITED EDITION SULLY Water Blossom Ivy Lemon Eucalyptus Essential Oil KNIT CAP GALERIES LAFAYETTE Social Class Marcel Proust MINI POCHETTE ACCESSOIRES TALITHA POL-GETTY BOLSHEVIK LEMON FROSTED BUTTER COOKIE LE GOSIER Théophile Bader Pacte Civil De Solidarité CRÈME BOUQUET ÎLE DU GRAND CONNÉTABLE JODHPURS ALGERIAN WAR OF INDEPENDENCE

Fresh Cut Roses India Vanille Banane White Musk Sainte Luce Gangavaram Port Pallas Chain La Plaine Des Palmistes Alpine Meadow Marie-Galante Mon Monogram Speedy Bandoulière DAMIER ÉBÈNE CANVAS GOA Production Of Textiles Age Baron Louis De Vaufreland CHANTILLY TABLE DU DIABLE ARCHIPEL DES COMORES PORT ADÉLAÏDE Intellectual Property Fashion Television POCHETTE ACCESSOIRES SOFT LOCKIT TOTE Charles Frederick Worth Serge Klarsfeld

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POLYNÉSIE FRANÇAISE FRESH SUGAR CANE

Bangalore Fashion Week Blanket Sleeper

JASMINE VANILLA DAMIER AZUR CANVAS CHIRONGIII SAINT JOSEPH FAIOA PETITE-TERRE OU PAMANZI LEMON EUCALYPTUS ESSENTIAL OIL HONEY RIVIÈRE PILOTE MON MONOGRAM SPEEDY BANDOU FALKLAND OCCIDENTALE IVY BRIDAL BENOÎT POELVOORDE **A-LINE SKIRT UNITED STATES** COTTON BLOSSOMAND BODY RICE FLOWER & SHEA SUNWASHED LINEN LE SACRE DU PRINTEMPS ELEANOR LAMBERT INTERNATIONAL WOOL SECRETARIAT 1960S DUKE FULCO DI VERDURA FERNAND BRAUDEL

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Passion Flower Carrousel Isabela Eucalyptus Spearmint Silver And Gold Petite-Malle Andaman And Nicobar Islands Dapani Mon Monogram Speedy Bandoulière Saint-Paul LOUIS VUITTON MALLETIER Not In Citation Given Bra NOUVELLE-CALÉDONIE ANA Pest Marie-France Pisier COCO CHANEL & IGOR STRAVINSKY HAT Cristóbal Balenciaga Ehrich Brothers PACTE CIVIL DE SOLIDARITÉ POORHOUSE Dallas Museum Of Art Eleanor Lambert

WEET PATCHOUL PINK GRAPFFRIIIT RAIN BANANA COLADA CUPCAKE IVY GENTLE GIRL LA PLAINE DES PALMISTES **WALLIS ET FUTUNA MONOGRAM EMPREINTE ARTSY** ESTRELA DARK PATCHOULI Studio 54 Serge Klarsfeld ROCHER DE LA CARAVELLE **Dutch Yves Saint-Laurent** MONTEBELLO BANYAN FRUIT & VETIVER Boxer Briefs History Of Fashion Design EUCALYPTUS SPEARMINT CHAINE WALLET **Jacqueline Kennedy Little Black Dress**

NI IARA IIILEAR FRESH SUGAR CANF NUKUHIFALA LOVE SPELL SOFFI FISHING BOAT HARBOUR MALANDZAMIAYATSINI FRESH CUT ROSES ADJUSTABLE SHOULDER STRAP CHISSIOUA MBOUZI MANGALORE LE PRÊCHEUR THE HOUSE OF CHANEL YEN **ARENI-1 CAVE COMPLEX HAT** GRAPEFRUIT BLOSSOM IVY TOASTED ALMOND TORTE KOH PHI PHI BARON LOUIS DE VAUFRELAND TUBE TOP EXTRACTED BY DISTILLATION INTENSITY GRAND DUKE DMITRI PAVLOVICH UTILIKILT

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Information

Supported languages

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