LESS THAN 500M2

GIANCE

DESIGN FOR TRADE FAIR STANDS

FRAME

DESIGNER

A24 DESIGN STUDIO

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SERANIT INTERNATIONAL TURKEYBUILD, ISTANBUL TURKEY

WHERE

International Turkeybuild, Istanbul, Turkey

WHEN

May 2007

MARKET SECTOR Construction

CLIENT

Seranit

DESIGN TEAM

Nalan Başkır and Alptekin Başkır

MATERIALS

Floor: Seranit porcelain tiles Walls: Porcelain tiles framed by curved laminated chipboard. Inner walls are laminated chipboard. Showcases have glazed walls.

Ceiling: White fabric

Lighting: Combination of warm and cool lighting, including spots for highlighting products Furniture: White-painted MDF and artificial leather

TOTAL FLOOR AREA (M°)

384

BUDGET

US \$ 167,500

Founded in Istanbul in 2004 by Nalan Başkır, Nilgun Başkır and Alptekin Başkır – and guided by the slogan 'Creating atmospheres that inspire' – A24 Design Studio unites architecture and industrial design in its customized exhibition stands. Operating worldwide, the practice regards design as a powerful and universal communication tool.

A24 Design Studio Istanbul, Turkey www.a24tasarim.com

Photography by Alptekin Başkır and Servet Emanet A physical manifestation of Seranit's motto – 'We are covering the future' – the company's stand at the 30th International Turkeybuild appeared to lean into the adjacent space. While brainstorming about the 'we are covering the future' theme, A24 designers came to concepts like time, future, modernity, infinity, continuity, moving forward, time-tunnel, etc. Transferring these abstract concepts into physical 3D shapes they used the several design elements. First the interpreted version of the infinity symbol was used in the graphics on the floor and on the walls.

Changing in width throughout an environment, the interior walls also tilted to one side, enhancing an overall sense of movement, arousing curiosity and encouraging visitors to explore the different areas of a stand showcasing products both old and new.

All the tilted forms used in the design gives the stand a 'continuous movement'. The graphic form used repetitively on the floor and the walls strengthens this effect.





