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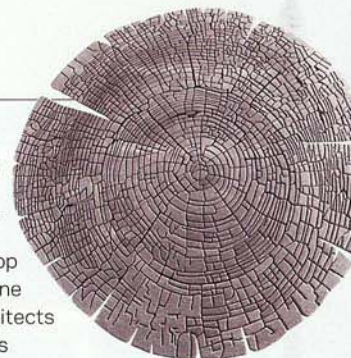
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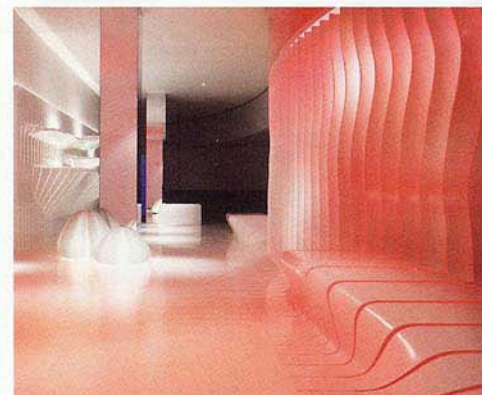
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**Yves Béhar** posed for *Azure* at his San Francisco studio - once photographer Dustin Aksland could get him alone for five minutes. "The space was buzzing with people continually stopping him to get his opinion on things," says Aksland, who was inspired by the studio's collaborative spirit.

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# ELEGANT CUBISM

Angular units stationed away from walls merge cooking and living spaces into one

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**1 Glamour**  
by Berloni

Lustrous cabinets coupled with a wall of glass pantry doors give this line its luxurious feel. The cabinetry's aluminum-framed glass doors come textured or flat, in six colours, including statement-making black and red. [berloni.com](http://berloni.com)

**2 +Artesio**  
by Poggenpohl

Architect Hadi Teherani's expansive kitchen integrates with the home's living area, its melamine-fronted central arch connecting to a long wall of solid wood shelving. The line includes a dining table with leather-upholstered chairs and a bench. [poggenpohl.de](http://poggenpohl.de)

**3 Fiamma**  
by GED Cucine

This system likely gets its name (Italian for "flame") from the dramatic grain of the geometric walnut strips that clad its cabinetry. The island features two levels of stone work surfaces, hidden drawers kitted out with steel fittings, and integrated appliances. [gedcucine.it](http://gedcucine.it)

**4 Twelve**  
by Poliform

A wood-clad island projects from a similarly finished wall – just one iteration of Carlo Colombo's system, with its 100 mix-and-match modules. Cabinetry comes in wood, laminate, lacquer and steel, and countertops in laminate, steel, Corian, quartzite and glass. An impressive suite of storage and shelving rounds out the line. [poliform.it](http://poliform.it)