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TAKIS

1925 Born in Athens
2019 Died, 9 August, Athens

Solo exhibitions

2025 *Takis 1∞*, Basil & Elise Goulandris Foundation, Athens and Andros Island, Greece

2024 *The Void*, White Cube Paris

2021 *Takis: Cosmos in Motion*, Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Center (SNFCC), Kallithea, Greece
Takis – Energy Sites, MOMus-Alex Mylonas Museum, Athens
Takis, White Cube Bermondsey, London

2020 *Takis*, White Cube Hong Kong

2019 *Takis*, MACBA Museu d'Art Contemporani de Barcelona, Spain
Takis, Tate Modern, London

2016 *Les signaux et la quatrième Dimension*, Xippas Gallery, Geneva, Switzerland

2015 *Takis, Champs Magnétiques*, Palais de Tokyo, Paris
The Fourth Dimension, Menil Collection, Houston, TX

2012 *Magnetic Walls – the Fourth Dimension*, Axel Vervoordt Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium

2011 *Takis musicales*, Festival d'Automne, Espace Pierre Cardin, Paris

2009 *Magnetic Walls 2009*, Takis Foundation, Medecins Sans Frontieres, Rotary Club of West Attica and Xippas Gallery, Athens

2008 *Magnetic Walls*, Art Athina, Athens

2007 *Takis. Planets – Reflections*, Intercontinental Hotel, Takis Foundation and Rotary Club of West Attica, Athens
Takis. Oeuvres Récentes, Maeght Foundation, Saint Paul de Vence, France

2005 *Takis. Recent works*, Mihalarias Art, Athens

2004 *Takis e Acireale*, Galleria Credito Siciliano, Sicily, Italy

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- 2003 *Systeme Solaire (Antigravity)*, Xippas Gallery, Paris
- 2002 *Takis 1974–2002, Sculptures to wear*, Zoumboulakis Gallery, Athens
- 1996 *Takis Erotica*, Stavros Mihalarias Art, Athens
- 1995 *Takis Retrospective*, inaugural exhibition of Ergostasio, Fine Arts School of Athens
- 1994 *Takis Retrospective*, Fundación La Caixa, Madrid
- Takis Retrospective*, FAE Museum of Contemporary Art, Pully – Lausanne, Switzerland
- Magnetic Relief 1971–1976*, Medousa +1 Art Gallery, Athens
- 1993 *Takis Retrospective*, National Gallery of Jeu de Paume, Paris
- TAKIS. Musique et Espace*, Musée des Beaux Arts, Nimes, France
- 1990 *TAKIS. Champs Magnetiques 1960–1990*, JGM Gallery, Paris
- TAKIS, magnetic flowers*, Medousa Art Gallery, Athens
- Takis*, Macedonian Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Signals*, Stavros Mihalarias Art, Athens
- TAKIS A LA DEFENSE*, Art Defense Space – Art Gallery 4, Paris
- 1988 *Takis – Electra '88*, Stavros Mihalarias Art, Athens
- 1986 *Takis: Espace musical*, Rath Museum, Geneva, Switzerland
- TAKIS*, Galerie de l' Hotel de Ville, Villeurbanne, France
- 1981 *Trois totems – Espace musical*, Centre George Pompidou, Paris
- Derriere Le Mirroir*, Maeght Gallery, Paris
- 1979 *Takis*, Musée de la Ville de Calais, Calais, France
- Takis*, Galerie Reckermann, Cologne, Germany
- Takis: Klangraum Gestaltung*, Koelnischer Kunstverein, Cologne, Germany
- 1978 *Takis. Espace musical*, Musée d' Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, ARC 2, Paris
- 1977 *Takis: Sculptures 1955–1965*, Galerie Trito Mati, Athens
- Takis Editions*, New Smith Gallery, Brussels
- Takis*, Artcurial Gallery, Paris
- 1976 *Sculptures érotiques*, Galerie Alexandre Iolas, Paris
- 1974 *Takis Musicales*, Galerie Fred Lanzenberg, Brussels
- Takis*, Galerie Iolas – Zoumboulakis, Athens
- Takis' Musikalische Raume*, Kunstverein Hannover, Germany

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- 1972 *Takis*, Galerie Fred Lanzenberg, Brussels
Takis, Centre National d'Art Contemporain, Paris
Lignes parallèles, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, Milan, Italy
- 1971 *TAKIS*, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, Paris
Multiplies de Takis, Galerie Bama, Paris
- 1970 *Takis. Magnetic Fields*, Howard Wise Gallery, New York, NY
- 1969 *Takis*, Howard Wise Gallery, New York, NY
- 1968 *Retrospective*, Hayden Gallery, M.I.T. Cambridge, MA
Takis Editionen, Galerie Reckermann, Cologne, Germany
Takis Signal unlimited, Widcombe Manor, Bath, UK
Takis, Edition Signal Limitees et illimitees, Arts Lab, London
Takis, Edition Limitees et illimitees, Galerie Schwarz, Milan, Italy
- 1967 *Takis*, Galerie Claude Givaudan, Paris
Takis, Galerie Krikhaar, Amsterdam, Netherlands
TAKIS, Magnetic Sculpture, Howard Wise Gallery, New York, NY
- 1966 *Magnetic Sculptures and the White Signals*, Indica Gallery, London
Takis, Hanover Gallery, London
TAKIS, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, Paris
- 1965 *Takis*, Galerie Alexandre Iolas, Geneva, Switzerland
- 1964 *Takis' Magnetic Exhibition*, Signals Showrooms, London
Takis, Galerie Alexandre Iolas, Geneva, Switzerland
TAKIS. Dix ans de sculpture, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, Paris
- 1963 *Telesculptures, telephota, telemagnets*, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, New York, NY
- 1962 *TAKIS*, Schwarz Gallery, Milan, Italy
- 1961 *Signaux et Tele – sculptures*, Galerie Zwirner, Essen, Germany
Takis: Telemagnetic Sculptures, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, New York, NY
- 1960 *L'impossible: un homme dans l'espace*, Iris Clert Gallery, Paris
Takis, Alexandre Iolas Gallery, New York, NY
- 1959 *Présentation de trois sculptures magnétiques et de Antigraité*, Iris Clert Gallery, Paris
- 1958 *Signals*, Hanover Gallery, London

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1955 *Figures en Fer et Signaux*, Furstenberg Gallery, Paris
Figures in Plaster and Iron, Hanover Gallery, London

Selected group exhibitions

- 2025 *Mother Nature in the Bardo*, BLACKBOOK Presents, NY
- 2023 *Unlimited: Art for Everyone in the 1960s*, Bath Assembly Rooms, Bath, UK
Signals, ParaSite, Hong Kong
- 2022 *White Cube at Arley Hall*, Arley Hall, Cheshire, UK
Medusa Art Gallery (1979-2017), Benaki Museum, Athens
Tresors de la Fondation Treilles, Fondation de l'Hermitage, Lausanne, Switzerland
- 2021 *Rhythm and Geometry: Constructivist art in Britain since 1951*, Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, Norwich, England
- 2017 *Le Regard Ecoute*, Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal, Montreal, Canada
- 2015 *Vacarmes*, La Maison des Arts, Malakoff, France
- 2015 *Sculptures along the lake side*, Xippas Gallery, Artgenève, Rotonde du Mont-Blanc, Geneva, Switzerland
- 2013 *Bienal do mercosul*, Museu de Arte Do Rio Grande do Sul Ado Malagoli, Porto Alegre, Brazil
- 2011 *Oeuvres sonores et plastiques, un choix*, Centre Pompidou, Paris
- 2010 *Sensorialités excentriques*, Musée départemental d'art contemporain de Rochechouart, Rochechouart, France
- 2006 *Sculptures-Formes & Couleurs*, Domaine du Chateau de Seneffe, Seneffe, France
- 2004 *En équilibre et en mouvement*, Atomium, Brussels
- 2003 *Blanc de Blanc*, Xippas Gallery, Paris
- 2000 *Campos de Fuerzas. Un Ensayo Sobre lo Cinetico*, MACBA in collaboration with Hayward Gallery, Barcelona
- 1988 *50 Espèces d'Espace*, Centre de la Vieille Charité, MAC, Galeries contemporaines des Musées de Marseille, Marseille, France
- 1997 *Made in France 1947-1997, 50 ans de création en France*, Centre Georges

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- Pompidou, Paris
- 1991 *Objets trouvés d'artistes*, Galerie du Jour Agnès B., Paris
- 1990 *Années 60: l'Objet sculpture*, JGM. Galerie, Paris
- 1989 *Fers*, JGM. Galerie, Paris
Arp, Caro, Takis: oeuvres choisies, JGM. Galerie, Paris
- 1988 *L'Observatoire*, exhibition organised by the Farideh Cadot Gallery, L'Observatoire, Paris
Hommage à Iris Clert, Grand Palais, Paris
Hommage à Marcel Duchamp, Ludwig Museum, Cologne, Germany
- 1987 *Takis, Minos, Raymondos*, Medoussa Art Gallery, Athens
- 1986 *Qu'est-ce que la sculpture moderne?*, Centre Georges Pompidou, Musée National d'Art Moderne, Paris
- 1985 *Biennale de Frieders*, Kunsthaus und Kunstverein, Hamburg, Germany
Les immatériaux, Centre Georges Pompidou, Musée National d'Art Moderne, Paris
Biennale de Paris, Grande Halle de la Villette, Paris
- 1984 *ars + machina 3*, Maison de la Culture, Rennes, France
Le siècle de Kafka, Centre Georges Pompidou, Musée National d'Art Moderne, Paris
- 1983 *Electra*, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, ARC, Paris
Salon de Montrouge, Centre Culturel et artistique, Montrouge, France
- 1982 Olivier Debré, Jochen Gerz, Jean-Claude Lefevre, Francois Morellet, Pavis de Chavannes, Takis, Ivan Theimer, Roland Topor, Saint Nazaire 1982, Musée de Bourbon-Lancy, Saint-Nazaire, France
Alea(s), Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, ARC, Paris
- 1981 *Machins...Machines*, Centre culturel, Bretigny-sur-Orge, France
Paris 1937-1957, Centre Georges Pompidou, Musée National d'Art Moderne, Paris
Lieux de l'imaginaire dans la sculpture contemporaine en France, Centre culturel, Ivry-sur-Seine, France
Lichter in Gelsenkirchen, Städtische Kunstsammlung, Gelsenkirchen, Germany
- 1980 *Donation Alexandre Iolas*, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
Ecouter par les yeux, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, ARC, Paris
Skulptur im 20 Jahrhundert, Basel, Switzerland
Für Augen und Ohren: Objekte, Installationen, Performances, Akademie der Künste, Berlin
Science au Futur, Science-Fiction, Lille, France

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- 1979 *Salon Grands et Jeunes d'aujourd'hui*, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, Paris
Fünf Pionier der kinetischen Skulptur: Pol Bury, Alexander Calder, George Rickey, Takis, Jean Tanguely, Reckermann Gallery, Cologne, Germany
- 1977 *Malerei plastic performance*, Documenta VI, Kassel, Germany
Paris-New York, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
Rosc' 77, An International Exhibition of Modern Art and Early Animal Art, Dublin
3 Villes, 3 Collections, l'Avant-Garde 1960-1976, travelling exhibition, Musée Cantini, Marseille, France; Musée de Peinture et de Sculpture, Grenoble, France; Musée d'Art et d'Industrie, Saint-Etienne, France

Selected Public Collections

Art Institute of Chicago, Illinois
Basil & Elise Goulandris Foundation, Athens
Benaki Museum, Athens
Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive, California
Carré d'Art - Musée d'Art Contemporain de Nîmes, France
Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
Fine Arts Museum of San Francisco, California
Fondation Louis Vuitton, Paris
Hall Art Foundation, Vermont, USA
Hara Museum of Contemporary Art, Tokyo
Les Abattoirs, Musée Frac Occitanie Toulouse, France
Maeght Foundation, Saint Paul de Vence, France
Mead Gallery, Warwick Arts Centre, UK
The Menil Collection, Houston
The Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles
Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Illinois
Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal, Canada
MoMA, New York
National Gallery, Athens
National Gallery of Art, Washington
Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice
Renault Foundation, Paris
RISD Museum, Providence, Rhode Island
Tate, London
Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, USA

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