

decade	small pieces
ubiquitous	a period of 10 years
intricately	the speed at which light travels, 186,282 miles per second
light speed	found everywhere
bits	created or present before another event starts
preeexisting	in very small, precise details

strung together	changed
color (v)	normal or common
tease out	the way an idea or sound is expressed on a given occasion
standard (adj)	connected
rendering	to separate one thing from a complicated mix of many things
altered	influence or change the appearance of something, usually in a subtle way
controversial	having very strong feelings or opinions
hard-core	causing a lot of disagreement among people

upset (v)	larger than normal
distress (n)	state of feeling unhappy or upset
quiver (n)	cause someone to feel sad, worried, or angry about something
layer	short, quick shaking movements
stretch (n)	control or influence
govern	an amount or quantity of something (e.g. dust) that exists over or on top of a surface
swollen (past participle of swell)	a large section