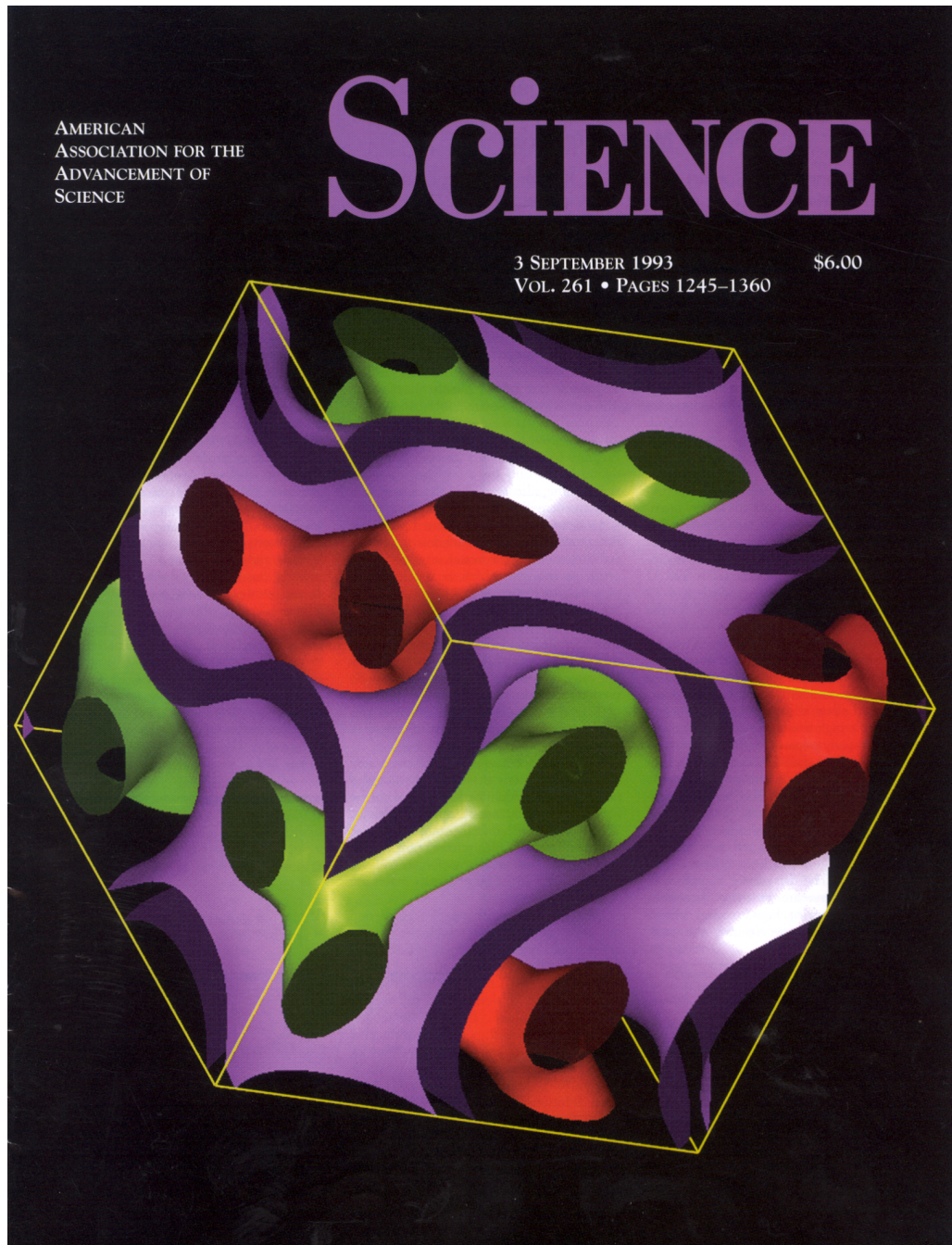


Computer-generated cubic unit cell (97.3 angstroms) of a silicate mesostructure; the lavender contours bound a periodic minimal surface along which silicate anions polymerize into an infinite sheet between two separate, bicontinuous surfactant volumes (green and red). [Image: A. Monnier, using Insight II software (Biosym)]



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