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## Prickly pop

American pop art paintings by artists including Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein and Tom Wesselmann have gone on display in a forest of cacti.

The London gallery Ordovas said it wanted to bring “a taste of the wild west to W1” in its free display titled Marilyn, Flowers, Lips, Gun, Mirror, Cactus. The works are collectively worth £39m and are going on show in the UK for the first time.

The cacti sculptures, also for sale, have been made by Italian design company Gufam. The show, at Pilar Ordovas, Savile Row, runs until 16 December.



In the days before map apps the gallery was also difficult to find, something which has also been addressed by better signage. The lack of proper environmental controls often meant borrowing works for exhibitions was tricky and posed huge problems for the Merz Barn Wall.

Schwitters' work is based on the idea of collage with found objects incorporated with paint and plaster swirled in to the wall. The Observer's Rachel Cooke described it as “part cave painting, part modernist fantasia”.

The wall is the only fragment from his Dadaist Merzbau project - room-sized sculptures that dominated Schwitters' life. He created his first Merzbau between 1923 and 1933 in his home in Hanover, but it was destroyed by an RAF bomb in 1943.