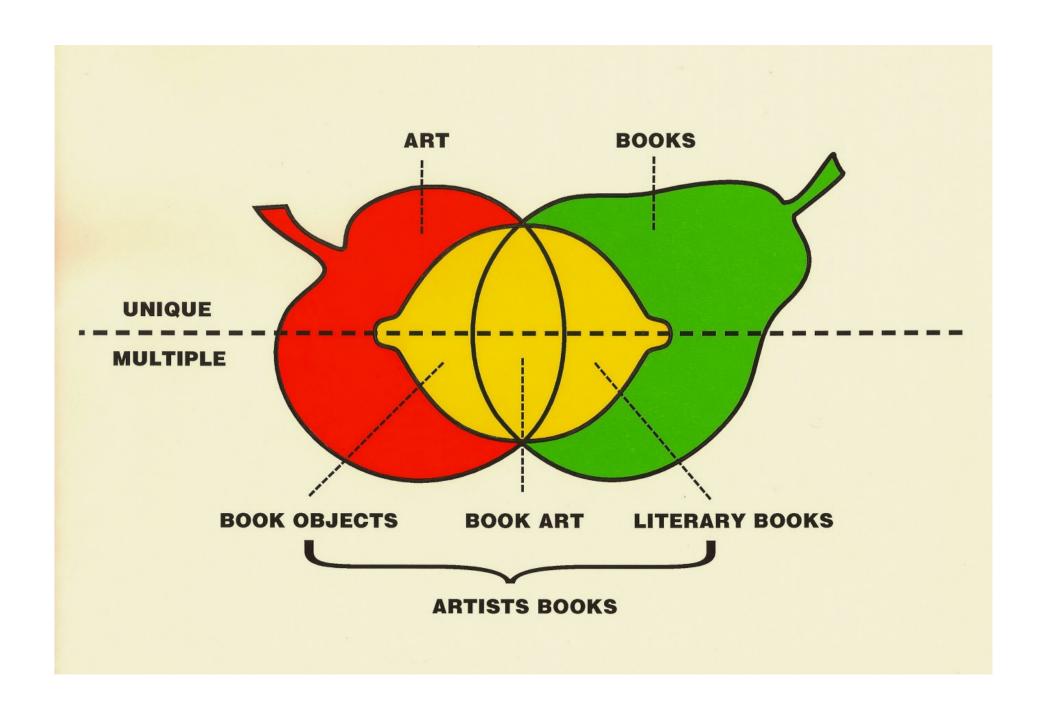
There was something Anthony Froshaug once said to me: 'you've got the publishing bug as well.'

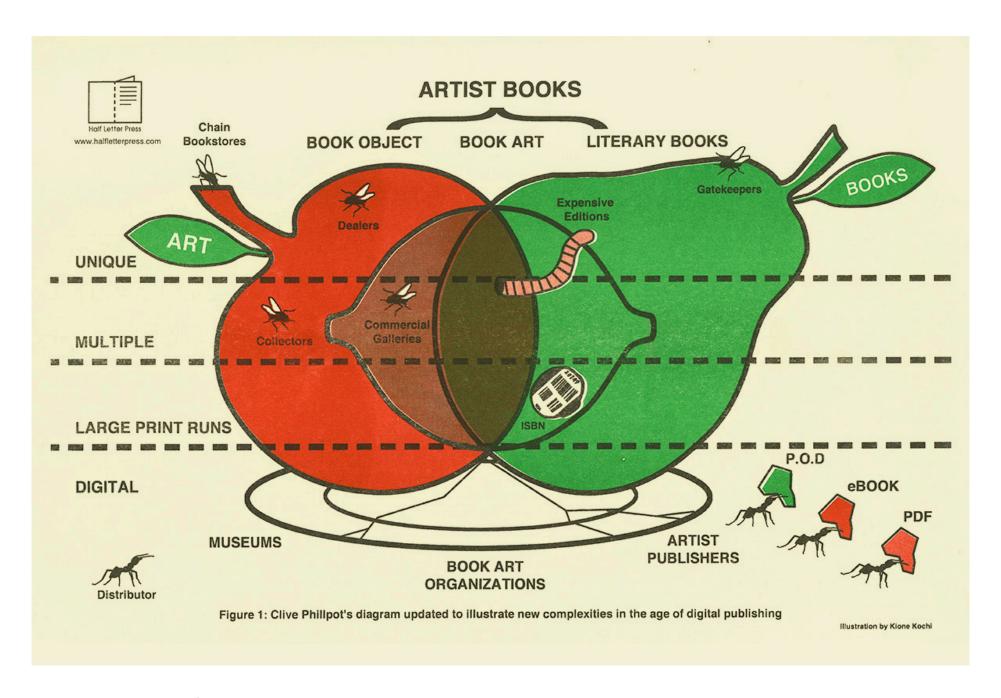
He'd had it too. A lot of people have it. It's some wish to disseminate: to produce books or texts or information, and spread it around. Maybe it is a bug or a disease.

There's something I do continually: if I see a newspaper article that I think will interest someone else, I cut it out and give it to them. Or I make two photocopies, and give one to that friend and the other to someone else. Maybe that's the publishing activity at its most basic: perhaps it's an instinct rather than a disease.

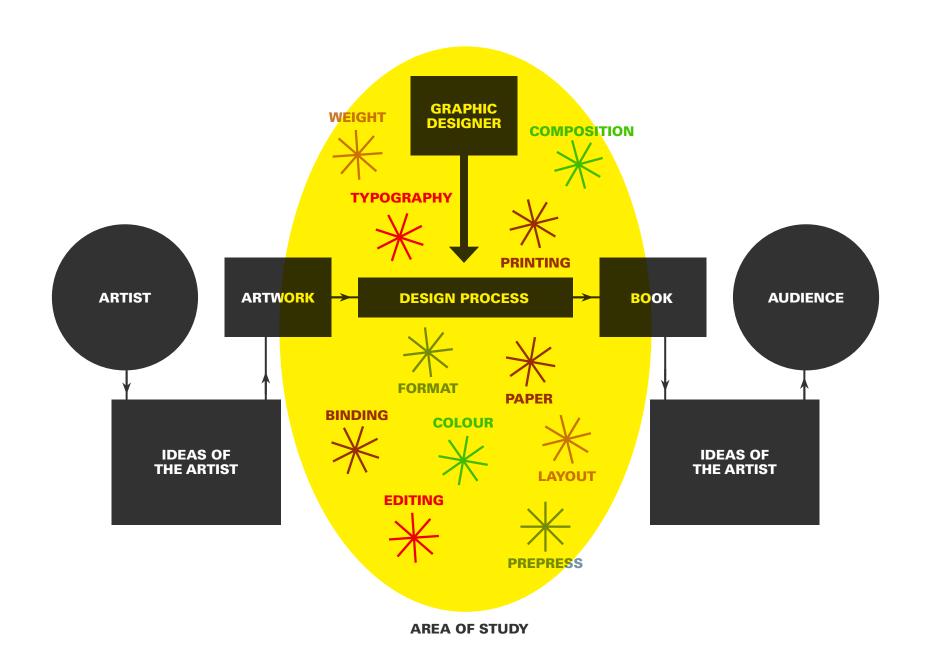
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Clive Phillpot. Artists' Books 'Fruit Salad' Diagram, 1982.



Clive Phillpot's diagram updated to illustrate new complexities in the age of digital publishing. Illustration by Kione Kochi. Half Letter Press, 2013.



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