

Picture



Object

Tank top and matching pants

Designe

Gianfranco Ferré

Label

GIANFRANCO FERRE/MADE IN ITALY

Year

1980

Season

Spring-Summer

Collection

Ready-to-wear

Look

final

Inventory

Size

40 (8)

Material

White cotton jersey with red/yellow/orange/pink/ black/green carnation&peony print complete with clear translucent plastic paillette embroidery (Jakob Schlaepfer, St. Gall); silver/apricot/wine/pink/fuchsia lamé knit stripe

Working process

Fabric with industrial application of paillettes (Jakob Schlaepfer, St. Gall)

Description

Straight tank top with round semi-halter neckline. Different widths of ribknit edging at neck, armholes and waist. Slimfit pants (free of fasteners) elasticized at waist and ankles with ribknit borders.

Remark:

The '70s casuals revolution loosening the link between type of dress and type of occasion and introducing an imaginative spirit in mix&matching becomes fertile ground for experimentation on the part of the young Italian fashion industry. Here Ferré gives the gymsuit a totally fresh look and function through the use of a new idea from the Swiss textile manufacturer Schlaepfer: a fabric with striking floral print and paillette embroidery. Ideal for a summer evening, for an exclusive resort, for the new lifestyle ever more into luxury and status symbols then taking hold in the West.

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Bibliography

Exhibitions

Acquisition

Author of file

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Condition

Good

