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Fall Winter 2022/23 Collection by Casey Cadwallader

The Mugler Fall Winter 2022-23 collection celebrates a return to the Paris runway for the house under creative director Casey Cadwallader. After a two-year hiatus spent pushing the boundaries of fashion film in a subversive, era-defining suite of short films, Cadwallader re-materialises the Mugler experience. Within the vaulted, industrial hangar of the Grand Halles de la Villette in the 19th arrondissement of Paris, the veritable whiplash of our collective experience is personified by a cast of extraordinary characters. Both strange and familiar, their unapologetic individuality and freedom of expression remains the pulsing lifeblood of the Mugler attitude and silhouette. Breaking the 4th wall to invite voyeurism and the serendipitous theatre of fashion, backstage preparations and technical infrastructure become vital props in the hyperbole - amplifying the tropes of the fashion show in vignettes that preserve the urgent sense of spectacle intrinsic to Mugler.

With equal parts grit and glamour, the Fall Winter 2022-23 collection revels in the daring, the deconstructed, and the decadent - proposing a revelatory line that embodies feminine strength for our time. Grazing erogenous zones from head to toe, lines are drawn — slicing thighs, pelvis, décolleté. Satin, leather and lace are employed as mediums for sculpting and draping, allowing construction and fluid movement to coexist. Masculine archetypes exist alongside the ultra feminine: boned biker jackets, spiral denim shorts, parkas and topcoats collide with intricate lingerie, silver fringe, ruched peasant sleeves and corseted denim in ensembles that evolve the phenomenon of the Mugler bodysuit far and beyond its origins. Contrasting their attenuated forms, exaggerated bow volumes, flared tulle cuffs and draped cascades embody the prowess of a silhouette engineered in 360°. Adorning the body, aggressive chromed and resin jewellery evokes blades, thorns, and twisting spikes, whilst armoured sandals or knife-point pumps and boots extend the season's sensual geometries with perpetual inertia.

The Fall winter 2022-23 collection unveils the spiral curve bag designed by Casey Cadwallader - a high-frequency embossed 'torsade' shoulder bag in embossed calf leather or crystalised satin with a sculpted twist handle in recycled aluminium.

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Featuring

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Lidia Judickaite
Qisi Feng
Alex Cosani
Arca
Alix Bouthors
Memphy
Paloma Elsesser
Aweng Chuol
Raynara Negrine
Sacha Quenby
Gia Bab
Vilma Sjoberg
Syd Acker
Victoria Fawole
Cara Taylor
Dominique Jackson
Raya Martigny
Adut Akech
Ziwe
Yilan Hua
Lukresia
Emmi Freeman
Lina Zhang
Natasa Vojnovic
Mariacarla Boscono
Elyas Polat
Razak Salifou
Felice Nova Noordhoff
Irina Shayk
Omahyra Mota
Debra Shaw
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