



1987 Mattel Hot Looks “Five Dolls w/ Stands & Plastic Covers

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Starting Bid **\$100.00**

Retail Value \$250.00

Donated by Dennis & Hada Rogers

Hot Looks were posable 19 inch "[fashion model](#)" dolls made by [Mattel](#) in 1987 and 1988. The doll's bodies were made from [stockinette](#) with a sturdy, bendable armature within to aid in posing, and their heads were [vinyl](#) with long, thick rooted vinyl hair, and inset faceted button-like earring studs, upon which hoops and various other dangles could be hung.

The five dolls in the 1987 line-up, all international teenage models at The Hot Looks Modeling Agency, were:^{[1][2]}

- Zizi ("Hot", #3899) from [Kenya](#).

- Elkie ("Cool", #3703) from [Sweden](#)
- Chelsea ("Warm", #3704) from [England](#)
- Mimi ("Cool", #3702) from [France](#)
- Stacey ("Hot", #3701) from the [United States](#).

In 1988, all the talk of fashion temperatures was judiciously edited out of the proceedings. The line expanded, with four new dolls, eight new extra outfits, and three new accessory assortments. but not all of these items were released worldwide. The four new dolls received a couple of noteworthy alterations from their 1987 predecessors: their inset stud earrings were changed to large round beads, with figural dangles being inserted from underneath, and their pinky fingers, which were extended on the 1987 dolls, were streamlined into an "easier to dress" mitten-like fabric hand. The new models were:^[2]

- Starr (#5510) from [Hollywood](#)
- Sachi (#5522) from [Japan](#)
- Steff (#5516) from [Australia](#)
- Shawna (#5517) from [Scotland](#),