



SERGIO TACCHINI

TENNIS COLLECTIONS FOR THE AUSTRALIAN OPEN

Milan, December 2015 – Sergio Tacchini will use the occasion of the first Grand Slam of the new year to present his new men's tennis line, and for the debut of his new women's tennis collection.

The novelty in the men's tennis wear is the **Break line**: the design, with stripes on the sleeve and chest, echoes a tennis line produced by Sergio Tacchini in 1987. The stripes play with the background pixels, in tone on tone so that the optical effect is not too heavy. The polo shirt is in quick dry, UV resistant interlock and the neck is engineered with micropores to guarantee breathability. In addition to the classic black and white, there is a range of bright colours such as acid lime, to dazzle under the Australian sun.

The shorts have a clean, elegant line, with contrasting piping on the sides. They come in a poly soft touch fabric with mechanical stretch (an elasticated effect obtained on the loom, without the addition of spandex). The inside of the waistband is in terry towelling for optimal absorption of sweat, while the drawstring at the waist ensures practicality and comfort.

As always, the line comes complete with matching accessories: wristbands, cap, bandana and high performance socks, with Drytex leg and upper part of the foot, and antibacterial treatment for greater protection and hygiene.

The great novelty of 2016 is the return of the high tech women's tennis line for playing at the professional level. The **Optical Dots line** will make its debut at the Australian Opens, taking its name from the polka dot design that plays with the basic double band of the Young Line, in a contrasting colour with the rest of the garment.

The tennis dress takes pride of place, with its simple, elegant cut, its cute side pleating, cross-straps on the back and a very feminine neckline that allows maximum comfort while playing.

The line includes a skirt, with integrated culottes. Straight and close-fitting over the hips, the skirt ends with a very elegant pleated border, adding grace and a coquettish touch to the garment. The vest and T-shirt to go with the skirt are simple and elegant, with mesh side panels for breathability and comfort. The piping on the side follows the feminine lines of the bust, with colour contrasts around the neckline and armholes. It is available in dark blue with white dots, yellow with blue dots and white with red dots. All the garments are in UV resistant interlock fabric with quick dry treatment.

Completing the line are the visor, wristbands and no-show high-tech socks.

Both lines will be available from 12 January from the online store: sergiotacchini.com