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From futurism to old-world romance, designers offered boldly different visions for spring. Here, a closer look at the season's strongest trends.

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Designers went back to the future for spring, as Lanvin, Stella McCartney, and Pollini riffed on the A-line dresses and chain-metal shifts of André Courrèges and Paco Rabanne. At Givenchy and Balenciaga, Darth Vader capes and C-3PO leggings hinted at late-night *Star Wars* marathons. Completing the picture were the space-goddess gowns of flowing jersey framed by arabesques of weightless plastic at Versace. And although they may properly belong in a museum, not the mall, there was nothing retro about Hussein Chalayan's morphing, mechanical frocks.



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