**LS 63-D** (1978) **Mitsubishi GALANT Λ ETERNA / DODGE CHALLENGER**

other number: **LS 79-A**

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| © year on base: 1978 / 1979  scale: 1:62 (cast / not cast on base)  length: 75mm  width: 30mm  height: 22mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic / bold italic in frame  additional lettering on base: Superfast (script) / none  company on base: LESNEY KK / LESNEY PROD & CO LTD  number on base: J-22 / none  cast license plate: ETERNA / none | metal grille & base  plastic interior  black plastic wheels with silver hubs  metal doors open |  |

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| **#** | **body** | **grille / base** | **interior** | **windows** | **wheels** | **deco** | **base no.** | **base name** | **© year on base** | **scale on base** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
| a01 | red | flat black **J** | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | none | **J-22** | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | yes | x | #22 / 70 |  | J | a01 |  | 1978 |
| a02 | yellow | flat black **J** | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | none | **J-22** | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | yes | x | #22 / 70 |  | J | a02 |  | 1978 |
| b01 | lt. met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | none | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | yes | x, a | #79 Sp. Sticks | MP | AUS USA | b01 |  | 1980 |
| b02 | **dk.** met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | none | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | yes | x | #79 Sp. Sticks | MP | AUS USA | b02 |  | 1980 |
| b03 | lt. met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | none | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** | x | #79 Sp. Sticks | MP | AUS USA | b03 |  | 1980 |
| b04 | **dk.** met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | none | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** |  | #79 Sp. Sticks | MP | AUS USA | b04 |  | 1980 |
| b05 | lt. met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | cream & red HOT POINTS tampo | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** | x | Hot Points Challenger | LE | USA | b05 |  | 1980 |
| b06 | lt. met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | **white** & red HOT POINTS tampo | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** | x | Hot Points Challenger | LE | USA | b06 |  | 1980 |
| b07 | lt. met. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | cream & red HOT POINTS tampo | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | yes |  | Hot Points Challenger | LE | USA | b07 |  | 1980 |
| c01 | lt. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 sp star 9x4.5mm | dk. green & white 2 tampo | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** | x | #63 |  | USA | c01 |  | 1981 |
| c02 | lt. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | 5 **square** 10x5.5mm | dk. green & white 2 tampo | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** |  | #63 |  | USA | c02 |  | 1981 |
| c03 | lt. green | flat black Ho | ivory | colorless | **malt. cross** 10x5.5mm | dk. green & white 2 tampo | none | GALANT Λ ETERNA | 1978 | **no** | x | #63 |  | USA | c03 |  | 1981 |
| c04 | lt. green | flat black Ho | **green** | colorless | 5 **square** 10x5.5mm | **black** 2 tampo | none | **DODGE CHALLENGER** | **1979** | **no** | x | #63 |  | USA | c04 |  | 1981 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 63-D** | **MB 79-A** | **MB J-22** |  |

**UK codes:**

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| **ROW numbers:** | **none** |  |  |
| **USA numbers:** | **63** (1981) |  |  |
| **Other numbers:** | **J 22** (1978) | **J 70** (1979) | **AUS 79** (1980) |

**NOTES:**

**This model was allocated the MAN number 090 in 1982.**

**The white version planned for release in 1982 in the USA was never issued.**

**Speed Sticks issues: labels supplied on label sheet.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **gift set labels** |
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| x | no labels |
| a | labels |

**Previous ref.: none**

**Later ref.: none**

**BOX TYPES:**

| **#** | **type** | **description** | **note** | **area** | **date** |
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| 01 | Jap-B1 | red & white box with J prefix | #J-22 | J | 1978 |
| 02 | Jap-B2 | red & white box without J prefix | #70 | J | 1979 |
| 03 | L | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" (MARCA REGISTRADA)..., five lines in rectangle, MARK I on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps | #79 | AUS | 1980 |
| 04 | L-USA | with NEW, "MATCHBOX" IS THE REGISTERED..., one line in rectangle, MARK on end flaps, no circled cross on inner end flaps | #63 | USA | 1981 |