

New Woman

YOU CAN'T PUT A NEW WOMAN DOWN

THE BEST SEX HE'S EVER HAD

The ultimate tips that guarantee it really is you

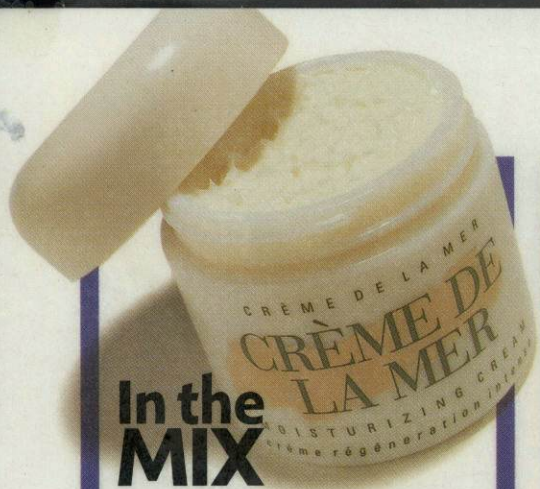


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Not Posh. And proud of it!



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by Becci Field beauty Q&A



In the MIX

This month: FRESH SEA KELP

Don't fancy rubbing sea slime on your face? Well you haven't tried **Crème de la Mer** by Estée Lauder. Sea kelp is the key ingredient (with calcium, vitamins B12, C, D and E and wheatgerm) which makes it a miracle-worker eye cream, moisturiser and smoothing agent all in one. At £65 for 30ml, it's steep, but miracles rarely come cheap. Available by mail order on 020-7730 1234.

WILL IT WORK IN A WEEK?

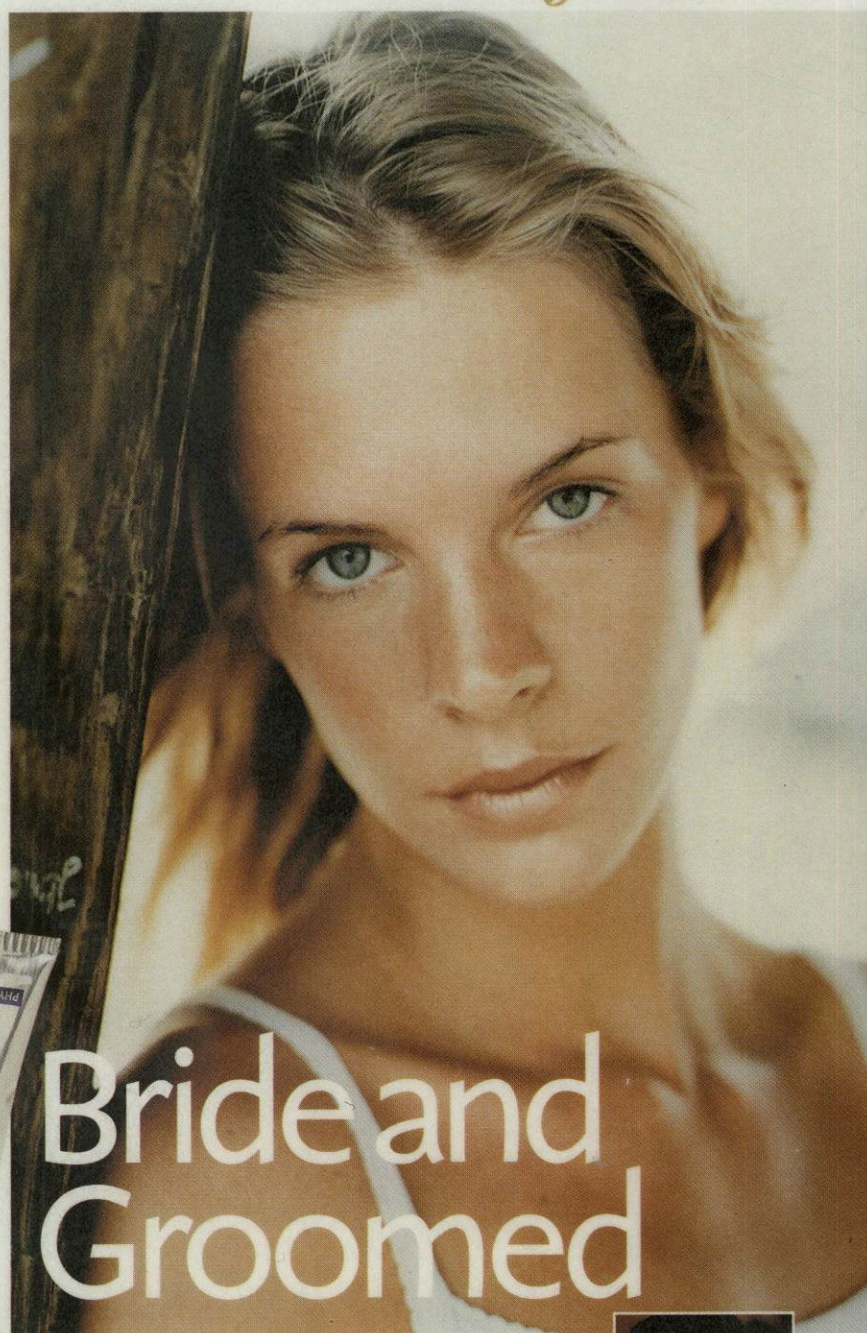
Phytonuance Preparing Shampoo, £7, and Colour Enhancing Shampoo, £8. Tested by Anna, 28, shop assistant. 'This stuff is great if you're suffering from **hair colour fade**. Use the Preparing Shampoo first to open the shaft of the hair and allow the colour to hold better. Then massage in the shampoo. I used "Platinum" to boost my **blonde highlights**, but there are six other shades in the range. The result? After 15 minutes my hair was gleaming and blonde again. And no, you can't have it back.'

OFF! OFF! OFF!



Q I've just been dumped, so I've decided to chop my hair off, for a sexy new look. Can you tell me what the trendiest look for summer is? AL, 25

A Well, Nic Davis, Assistant manager at Vidal Sassoon, says the most versatile cut is this one Cameron Diaz is sporting. It's a combination of short internal layers with a longer external shape (your hairdresser will understand!). Best of all, it's low maintenance – just blow-dry with Vidal Sassoon Volumising Mousse, £6, and finish with Vidal Sassoon Shine Enhancing Spray, £12. Have a chat with your stylist. Show him/her this pic of Cam and ask if it'll suit you. Then nip down to your ex's local to make him squirm.



Bride and Groomed

Q I'm getting hitched in Mexico next month and I still haven't worked out how to do my make-up. I'll be tanned, but I still want to look, sexy, sophisticated and well-polished. Any ideas? LK, 29

A The golden rule in tropical heat is not to go mad. You want your groom to be gobsmacked when he sees you... but not because your face is sliding down your dress. If you're tanned, you won't need foundation, but if you must, go for an even, sheer finish. Unmakeup by Prescriptives,

£19.50, comes in 11 shades and makes skin look perfect. If you're after 'sexy and sophisticated', you can't go wrong with the look sported at the Chloé shows (see right). Guerlain have launched some products in their Météorites range that are perfect for this look. Get your skin gleaming with their Complexion Highlighter 'Abricot Polaire', £23. Smudge their Eye Shadow Pen 'Beige Etoile', £12, over your eyelids to leave an iridescent shimmer. Dot it in the inner corners to make your eyes look bigger. Finally, use their Lip Gloss – I love 'Rose Comète', £12, – to give your lips a sexy wet look. You'll look gorgeous!

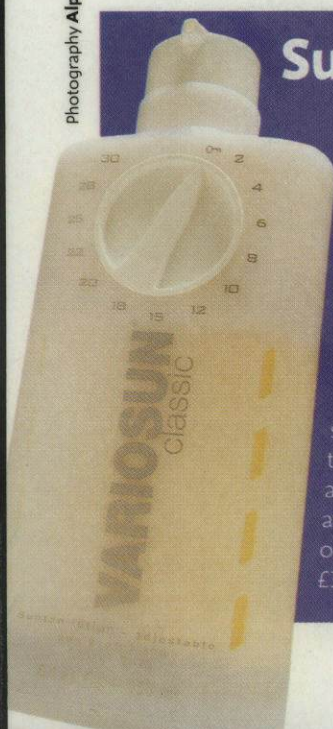


Don't go mad – go even.

Sun, sand and skint

Q I've blown my budget booking a holiday, so I don't have much cash for suncreams. I burn before I brown so I need a couple of different factors. What's good but cheap? TW, 27

A Stock up on Variosun. It's a great new cream with an adjustable sun protection lotion. For £11.99 you get a pump dispenser with two re-fillable cartridges – one contains factor 2, the other factor 30. The dispenser has a dial, so you decide what factor you need, turn the dial and it mixes exactly the right amount of cream. Smart or what? It's available from Harrods or by mail order on 0800-026 0220. Refill cartridges cost £3.99 for SP2 and £4.99 for SPF 30.



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