

THE FLAVOUR OF FASHION

very VOGUE

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Cloth-covered wedges, Cesare Paciotti, price on request

Catwoman

Betty Boop

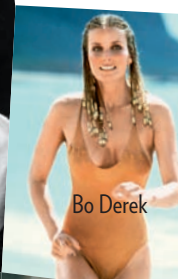


Untitled by Henry Moore



Madonna at the *Blonde Ambition* concert

Art Nouveau earrings in 18K gold, Baroque pearls and rubies, Hanut Singh, price on request



Bo Derek



body-con

noun: BODY-CONSCIOUSNESS

Think sculpting your body with second-skin clothing, from high-waisted trousers or leggings to bodysuits. If the thought of shrink-wrapping yourself is scary, note that fashion's return to old Hollywood seduction has made body-con more contemporary and 'less spandexy' to create the illusion of shapeliness. Go ahead, channel Betty Boop's impish sexuality or recall Madonna's *Blonde Ambition* corset power. Body-con can be versatile and fun! Look out for Hervé Léger bandage dresses and do the skinny with Roland Mouret, Balmain and Emilio Pucci!

Body Consciousness, amazon.com, Rs 1,067



Satin and tulle panelled corset, La Perla, Rs 20,052, at Net-a-Porter.com



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HERVÉ LÉGER



VERSACE



Scarlett Johansson

Kareena Kapoor

Jennifer Lopez

'Minaudière' printed silk clutch, Emilio Pucci, Rs 94,906



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