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THE PROMISE

THE SCOOP

THE DETAILS

We sniff out some current deodorant options—but not just for you.

OK, we confess. We check our armpits. After all, who wants coworkers calling you out about body odor or catching you trying to mask it with Chanel No. 5.

Despite spending \$2.4 billion in 2006 on deodorants, 42 percent of us still find odor a persistent problem, according to a survey of 2,100 adults by Certain Dri Antiperspirant. Surely there's hope.

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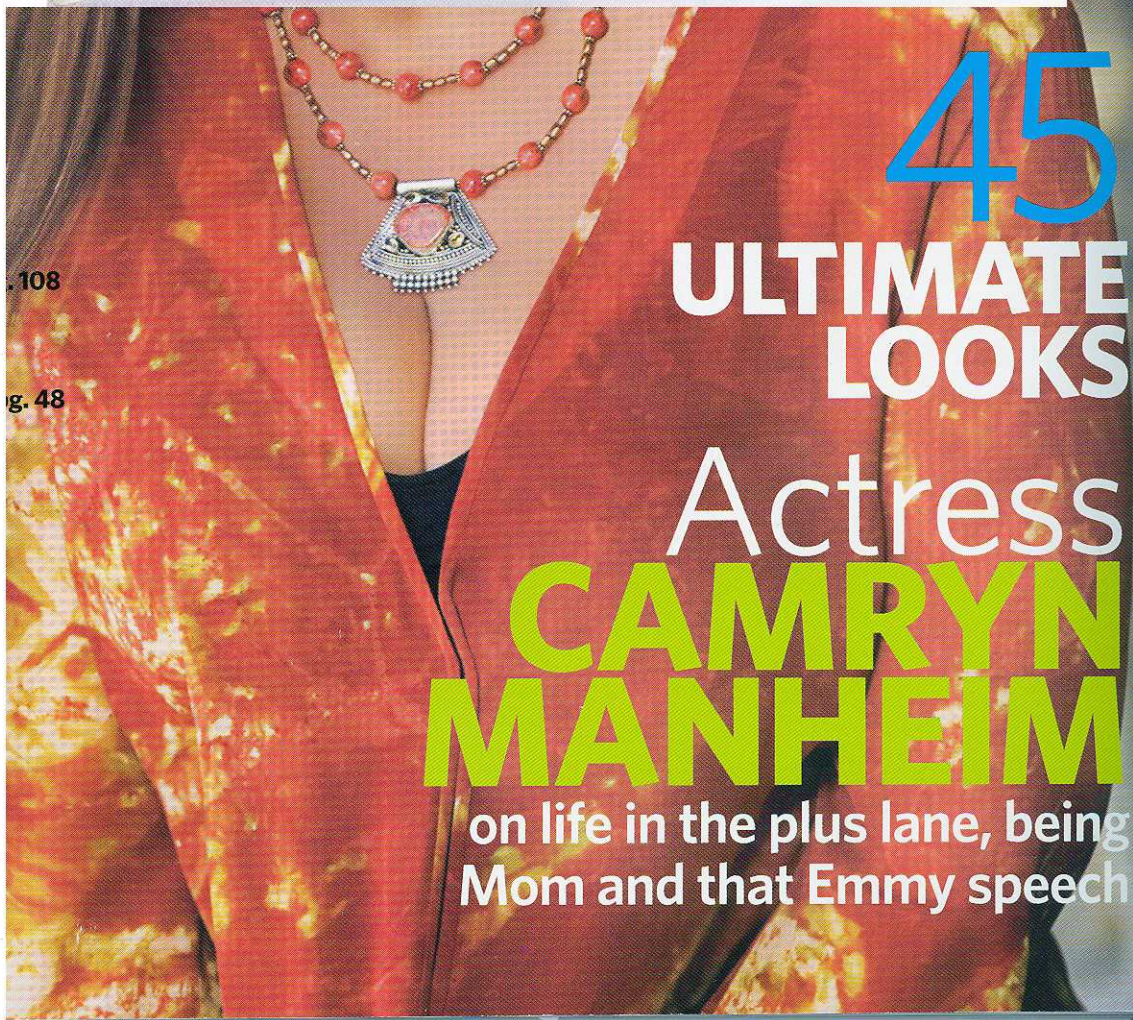
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Certain Dri A.M. Scented Stick: So effective, you only need this full-force formula a couple of times a week to keep you shower-fresh.

If you can get past the clinical packaging, you'll enjoy the easy application and pleasant, light fragrance. It leaves no white marks, but some grit behind.

\$5.50; certaindri.com, 800/331-0221



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