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THEIR WEDDING
GIFT REGISTRY

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THE US GUIDE TO YOUR

Shhh... Don't tell, but even the sexiest of stars rely on style tricks. Follow their lead

LEG LENGTHENERS



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lengthens her five-foot-one frame in floor-skimming jeans.

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Tube necklace, \$78; 212-243-6930

Bluefly pants, \$40; bluefly.com

Felix Ray clutch, \$60; Bergdorf Goodman; 800-218-4918



ROSE MCGOWAN stretches her stature in a chocolate top and trousers.



Subtle pinstripes add inches (in height) to **PAMELA ANDERSON**.

Calvin Klein top, \$39; Nordstrom; 800-695-8000



Wet Seal pants, \$32; wetseal.com

Rock & Republic jeans, \$30; Bergdorf Goodman; 800-218-4918



PERFECT PANTS

with these hide-this, flaunt-that pants – and tips that'll make your bottom half look tops

WAIST DEFINERS



Bebe ripped-in waist blazer, \$158; bebe.com



Bebe pants, \$79; bebe.com

VIVICA A. FOX gets the bright idea with a laser-cut suit.

TRY THESE TIPS

- Pair slim-fit pants with a cinched jacket in the same color. The result? Dangerous curves ahead!
- "Buckle your belt one hole tighter than usual," suggests Weiss. Even the most boyish figures will turn into hourglasses.
- Top off low-rise pants with a slightly cropped top – preferably one with a waist-whittling V-front – to carve out your waist.



HEIDI KLUM creates curves by baring just a smidgen of skin at her midriff.

DKNY Jeans pants, \$69, select Macy's; 800-289-6229



Gap belt, \$24.50; Gap stores

MARY J. BLIGE buckles herself into a tummy-trimming look.

Necessary Objects pants, \$62; select Macy's



Aerosoles sandals, \$49; aerosoles.com



BUTT MINIMIZERS

TRY THESE TIPS

- "Go low," says stylist Danna Weiss, who dresses Jamie-Lynn Sigler. "Less fabric on your rear actually makes it look smaller."
- Detailing at the ankles or calves draws eyes down and away from problem areas.
- Look for pants with large pockets. Proportionately, your tush will look tinier.
- Try menswear trousers. "The wide cuffs balance out your butt," says Weiss.



◀ Redux halter, \$98; 212-564-8666



True Meaning capris, \$98; truemeaning.com



◀ J.Lo by Jennifer Lopez pants, \$79; shopjlo.com



DREW BARRYMORE ▼ balances her bum with menswear trousers.



BEYONCÉ KNOWLES ▲ works her assets in bejeweled denim capris.

Gap trousers, \$58; gap.com



Madeline heels, \$35; 888-368-7996



Gara Danielle earrings, \$65; 310-281-0043

◀ **JENNIFER LOPEZ** flatters her rear in low-riders from her J.Lo by Jennifer Lopez line.

THIGH HIDERS



Delia's corduroy pants, \$20; delias.com

Roberta Chiarella earrings, \$103; robertachiarella.com



TRY THESE TIPS

- Pull on pants with a slight bell-bottom or boot cut, which helps balance out upper legs, explains Weiss.
- Say *buh-bye* to thighs with corduroy. Its up-down grain elongates legs, so thighs virtually disappear.
- Pants with embellished details down the side are surprisingly slimming. They draw the eye down and away from the danger zone (read: your thighs).

Express jeans, \$44.50; expressfashion.com

◀ **MARISKA HARGITAY** rocks in russet cords.



▼ Plenty pants, \$195; bloomingdales.com



Marc by Marc Jacobs purse, \$198; eluxury.com



◀ **FRAN DRESCHER** downplays her thighs with a full-bloom design.



HALLE BERRY goes sexy in dark-rinse boot cuts.



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