



The designer also added that vertical stripes create a 'tall' illusion. So here is a tip for the guys; if you thought platform shoes are your only saviours, look to vertical stripes instead.

Another general guideline by Mehruz is that horizontal or vertical 'thin' stripes were 'IN' and thicker stripes were definitely out for a considerable time.

If you just follow these simple rules, you will be able to sport stripes with confidence. Some of you may still be sceptical, professing that stripes were only meant as western wear, you could not be more wrong! Dig up a few of your mum's old saris and viola! Striped saris have been popular since the dawn of fashion and have always looked chic and trendy.

So here's wishing a colourful wardrobe especially stacked with those classic navy-and-white nautical stripes that we all know and love.

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