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CONSUMER ALERT

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Linen Sweaters – Part 2

All 100% linen and linen-blend sweaters must be tested!

Linen sweaters can have wool threads in their joints. Alternatively, the sweater may be sewn with a wool yarn.

The **Elie Tahari** linen-blend sweater shown in this picture had shatnez. A wool-blend yarn was discovered in all of its seams.

It was made in China and its contents label listed 85% Linen 10% Polyester and 5% Metallic.



Shatnez was also recently discovered in these brands of Chinese Linen-blend sweaters:

- 1] **BCBGMAXAZRIA** (80% Linen, 20% Cotton)
- 2] **J. Crew** (55% Silk 45% Linen)
- 3] **Jones New York Collection** (52% Linen, 48% Viscose)
- 4] **Jones New York Collection** (53% Linen, 45% Viscose, 2% O.F.)
- 5] **Juicy Couture** (70% Cotton, 30% Linen)
- 6] **Khari Marcs** (68% Linen 32% Nylon)
- 7] **Lafayette 148 New York** (100% Linen)

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