



**DO IT YOURSELF**

**Taschen, £25, ISBN 978-3-822805628-4**

German fashion photographer Uwe Ommer has worked for Revlon, Renault and Castrol and produced numerous books and exhibitions. Here teaming up with Taschen for a second time, *Do it yourself* is the very definition of a mixed bag. Supposedly inspired by Ommer catching a babysitter alone with just his Polaroid and a bathroom mirror (the mind boggles), it's a series of self-portraits taken by artists, actors, models, dancers and musicians that are equal parts sexy, playful or marginally provocative. Even so, *Do it yourself* isn't quite as cutting edge as it could have been.

**RATING ★★★**