

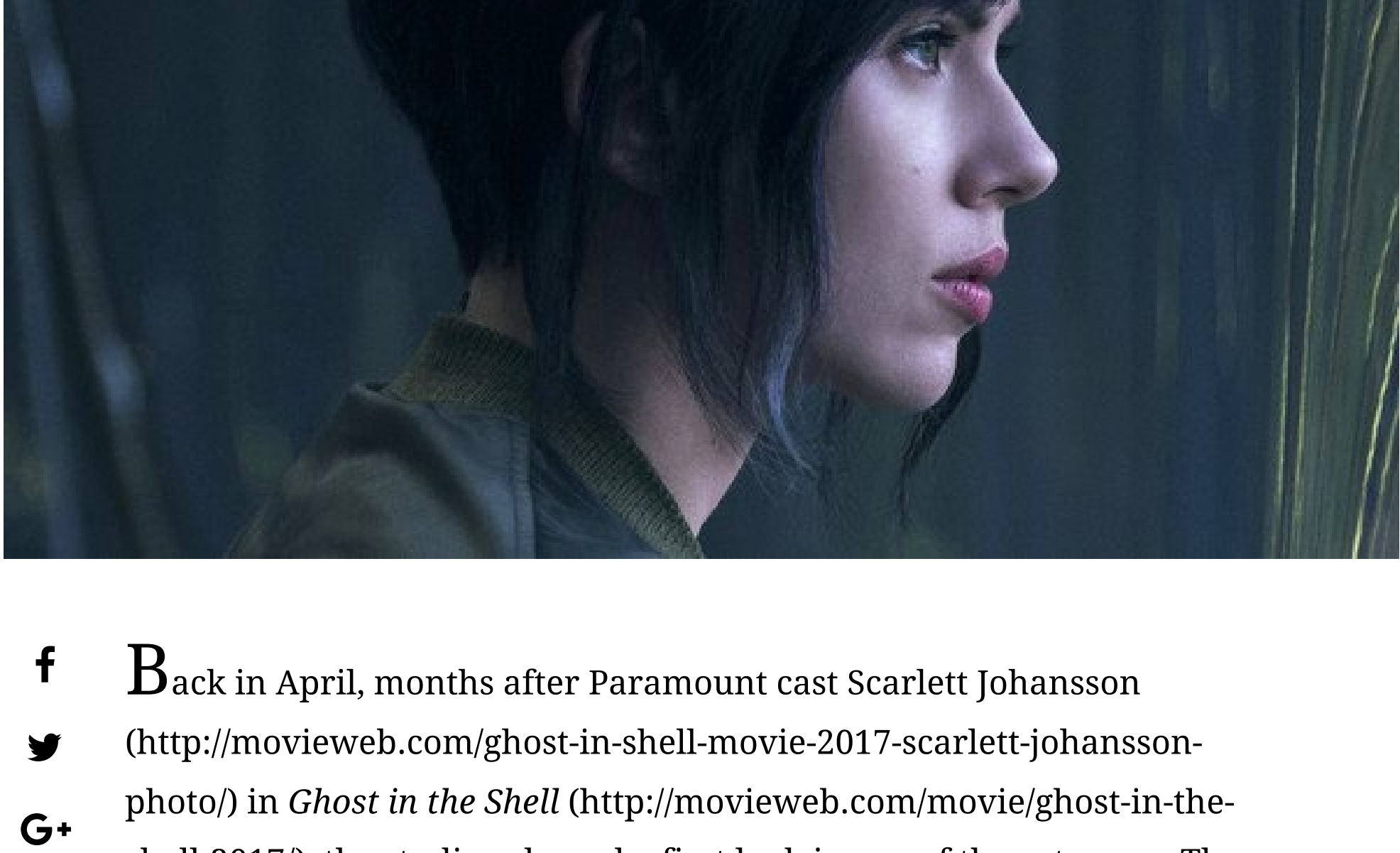
Leaked Ghost in the Shell Photos Show Scarlett Johansson & Section 9

Get a closer look at Scarlet Johansson's character in full costume, along with several of her co-stars in Ghost in the Shell.

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Back in April, months after Paramount cast Scarlett Johansson (<http://movieweb.com/ghost-in-shell-movie-2017-scarlett-johansson-photo/>) in *Ghost in the Shell* (<http://movieweb.com/movie/ghost-in-the-shell-2017/>), the studio released a first look image of the actress as The Major, known as Major Kusanaga in the original Japanese manga. Fans started to express their displeasure with this casting as production got under way, with *Ghost in the Shell* becoming part of the expanding conversation about "whitewashing" in Hollywood. As production continues, new photos have surfaced that not only reveal Scarlett Johansson in costume, but several of her co-stars.

Ghost in the Shell: The story centers on The Major, a special ops cyborg who leads a counter-cyberterrorist organization called Public Security Section 9 for Hanka Robotics. The Major and her team will set out to stop some of the most dangerous criminals in the world, led by the extremist The Laughing Man, played by Sam Riley (<http://movieweb.com/ghost-in-shell-movie-cast-sam-riley-villain/>). This villain will stop at nothing to destroy the Hanka organization and the man's advancements in cyber technology.

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This adaptation is based on the very popular manga that follows Kusanagi (Johansson), a cyborg that is a part of an elite cybercrime-fighting task force known as Section 9. The series was originally published in 1989 and was written by Masamune Shirow. It is generally considered to be one of the best manga series ever published. Other adaptations of *Ghost in the Shell* have come before, with an animated series, spin off books and even a video game. We'll have to wait and see if this live action movie can live up to the fans' lofty expectations. Take a look at these photos below, and stay tuned for more on *Ghost in the Shell*.

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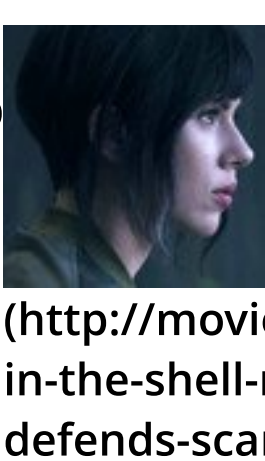


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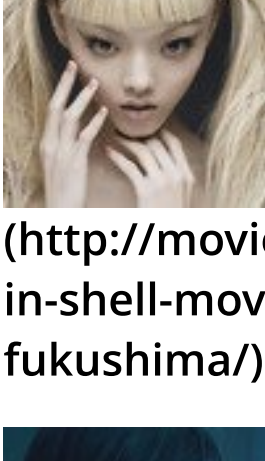
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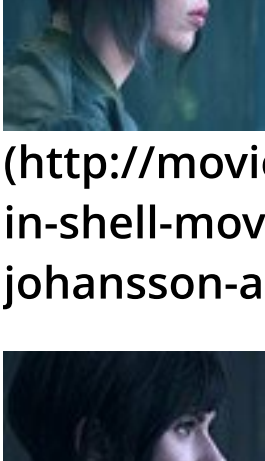
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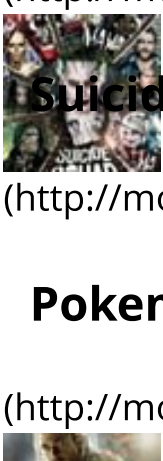


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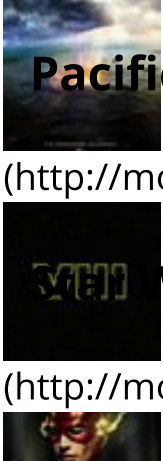
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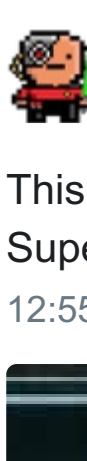
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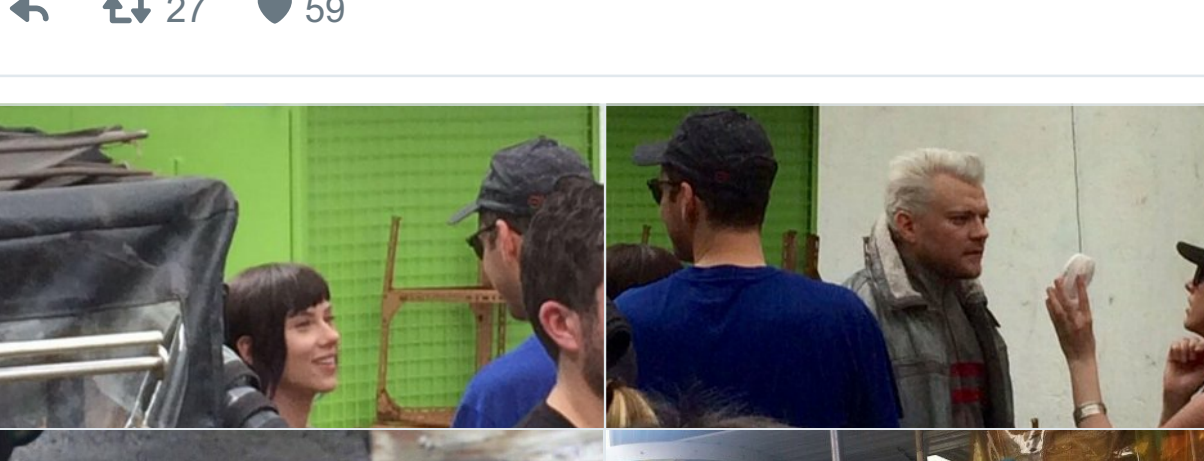
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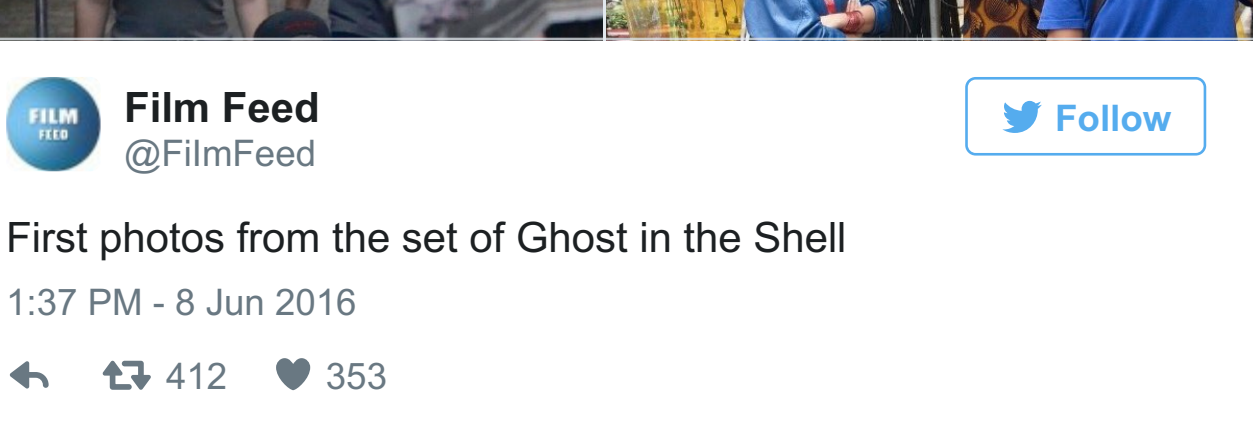
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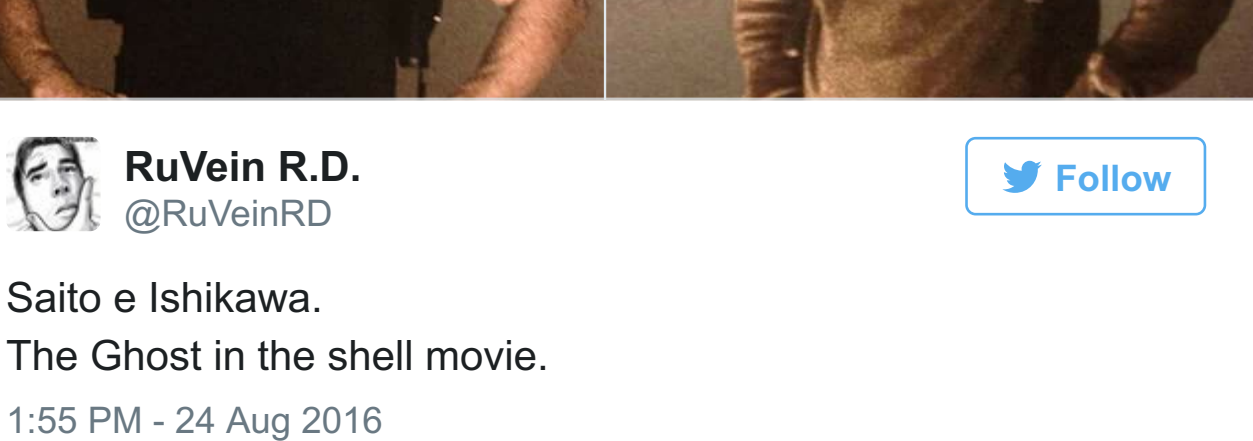
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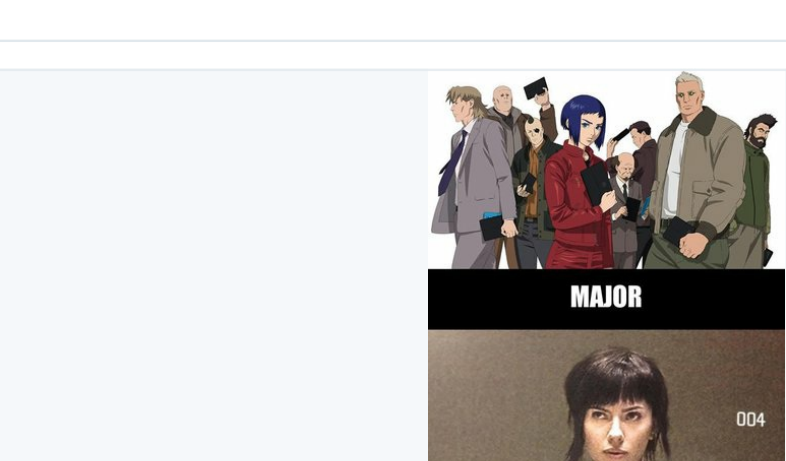
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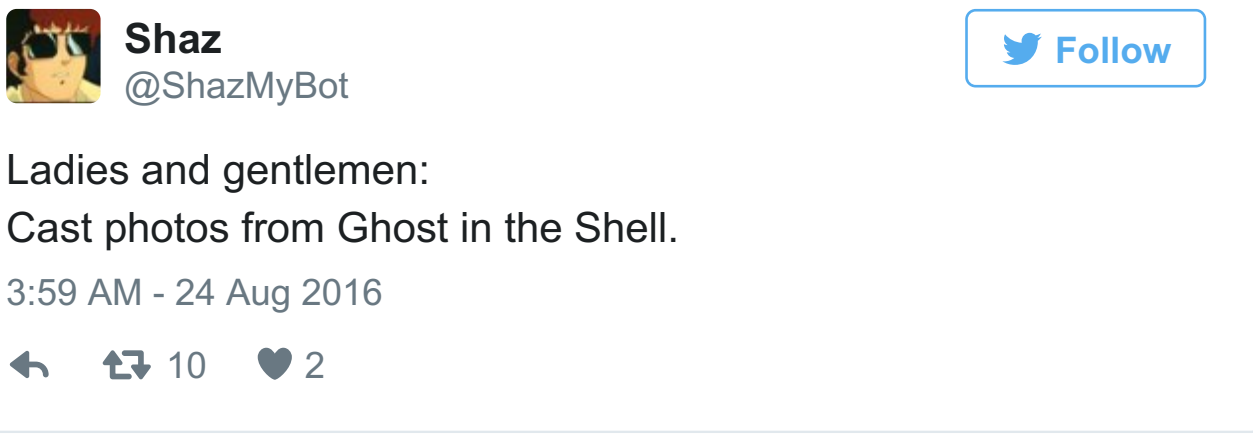
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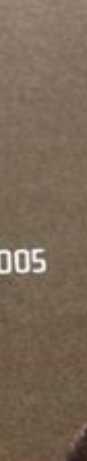
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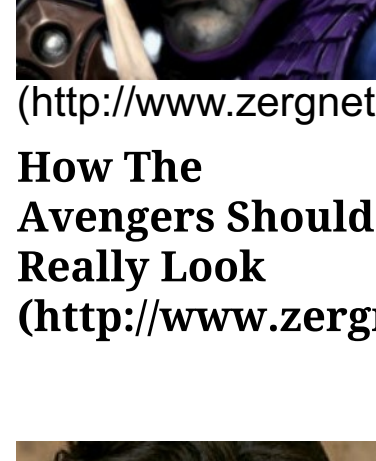
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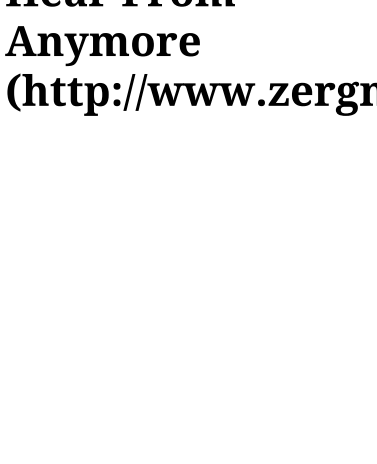
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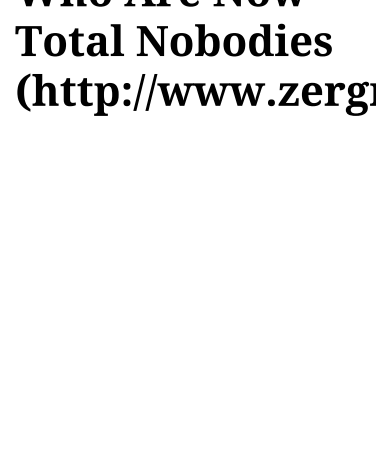
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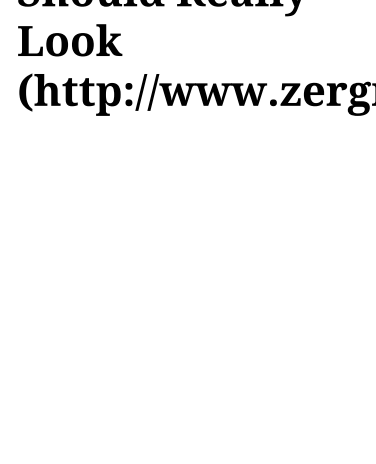
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