

# the beauty spot

the feature: Kate Duggan

Create the perfect curves for this season's cosmetic cosmetics...



## the perfume

Missoni

The long-awaited Missoni fragrance is as delightfully distinctive as you would expect from the brand. Combining some of the Missoni family's favourite scents, including chocolate, mandarin, peonies and bergamot, the scent evokes images of a warm, sultry summer's night. Although it's priced from £38 for a 50ml eau de parfum spray, the one to want is the 15ml perfume concentrate housed in a Missoni pouch for £200.



## the cleanser

Freeze 24.7 SkinGlace

This icy green gel acts as a daily skin mask and cleanser, with rice bran to calm, condition and hydrate the skin, and hydrolyzed soy protein to help diminish fine lines and wrinkles. Kojic acid draws out impurities and Vitamins C and B5 work as anti-oxidants. All in all, the perfect first step in your facial beauty routine. £29

## the serum

Steven Victor M.D. Miracle Serum

Five beauty complexes have been combined in one to create a moisturising serum that visibly refreshes skin in an instant, while increasing hydration by up to 80%. Supercharged vitamins combine with golds to regenerate collagen and elastin, helping to minimise fine lines and slow down further signs of ageing. £149



## the moisturiser

Re-Nutriv Re-Creation Day Crème SPF15 and Re-Creation Night Crème

Almost 50 years since the launch of the original Re-Nutriv cream, Estée Lauder have released a day and night cream combo that sets a new standard for luxury skin care. The duo utilises your own reserves of collagen to help repair and hydrate your skin continuously, 24 hours a day. What it comes to skincare ingredients, Re-Nutriv really does only contain the 'best of the best'. Lauder's skincare scientists have scoured the earth and seas to source ingredients, which include 74 vital trace minerals, deep seaweed from 2000ft below sea level in Hawaii, mumi, mumi butler, sandalwood bark extract and hyaluronic acid. £359 for the pair.



## the foundation

SK-II Power Signs Treatment Foundation

In the age of instant gratification, we are always keen to try out products that do two things at once. The SK-II Power Signs Treatment Foundation, therefore, was a real find. Along with ensuring a perfect finish, this liquid-to-powder compact foundation also acts as a skin treatment, as it's packed with anti-ageing and evening ingredients, including concentrated Pitera (SK-II's signature ingredient) and a host of vitamins. It's even got an SPF of 15. Now if they could just invent a washing machine that also did ironing for you... £55

## the facial scrub

Leaf & Rusher Rapid Resurface

Rice powder and balched algae gently polish your skin without irritating it, while aloe and camellion green tea act as anti-oxidants. Available from Space NK for £28

## the body lotion

Crème de la Mer Body Lotion

Promoted as a virtual 'seaweed wrap-in-a-jar', this lotion uses several types of algae, along with essential nutrients, to give instant hydration to even the driest skin. £145