

Nine French Beauty Products Decoded

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The fashion collective might be in Paris to do that whole runway watching thing, but we all know what they're actually there for: to single-handedly wipe out French pharmacies of their goods. The first to sell out will be makeup artist and model favorites like Embryolisse face cream and Bioderma Crealine cleansing water, both of which are virtually impossible to find stateside. However, don't be discouraged; you too can look as ageless and radiant as [the chicest Parisian](#): A slew of great French products are readily available in the U.S. of A. It's possible you've even encountered these items in your drugstore but have never been able to get past the oblique frenchified product descriptions. Today we've done the work of figuring out what they actually do for you so you can go home and apply them while you look at [our runway galleries](#). You'll feel just like you work at *Vogue Paris*.



9. Biologique Recherche Lotion P50 (\$57, [Biologique Recherche](#))

Makeup artist Tom Pecheux relies on this product to reverse years of what he calls "bad skin decisions" (smoking included). A daily swipe of a cotton ball soaked in the clarifying toner (it's not an actual lotion) will help improve the appearance of pores while also hydrating skin and balancing its sebum production.