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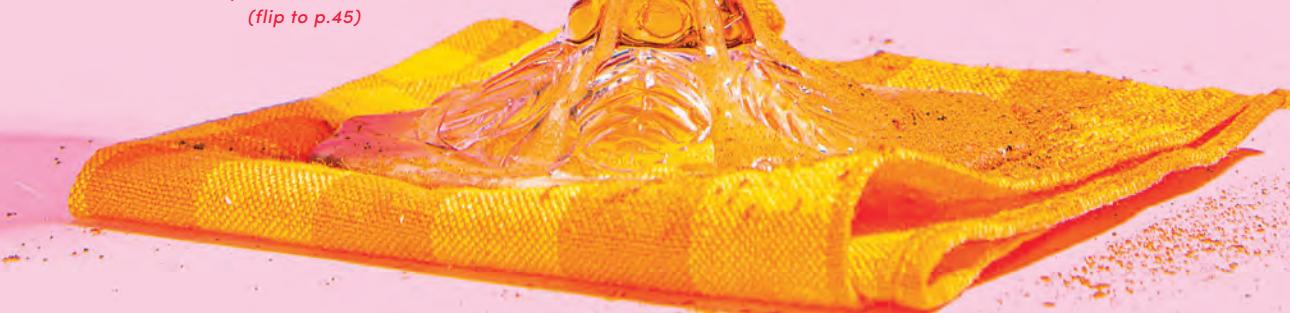
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Refillable glass bottles from Kindred Black

Zero to Hero

These sustainable, environmentally conscious makeup and skincare brands prove beauty truly does come from the inside.

BY ARUKA SANCHIR

DID YOU KNOW THAT THE BEAUTY INDUSTRY PRODUCES MORE THAN 120 BILLION UNITS OF PACKAGING ANNUALLY?

Most are not recyclable, and even if they are, about 85 percent of the plastic waste goes to landfills. As the global cosmetics market grows and our planet's resources dwindle, it's more important than ever to seek out brands and products actively fighting to solve these issues. To create less waste and ensure your skincare and beauty routines sparkle in more ways than one, turn to these standout cruelty-free and low-waste items fusing style with ethics.

▲ KINDRED BLACK

Slow beauty brand Kindred Black's facial oils are as gorgeous on any vanity as they are powerfully effective. Its contents are sustainably sourced from small-batch, credible collectives or farms worldwide (Moroccan prickly pear and French plum oil, to name a few). All done? Reuse or refill the uniquely shaped glass bottle—individually hand-blown by master glass artisans.

► AXIOLOGY

Whether it's cream multi-sticks used for lips and cheeks to cult-favorite "balmie" crayons perfect as highlighters, eye shadows, or lipsticks, simplicity is the name of the game for the beauty gurus at Axiology. Plus, the palm-oil-free, pigmented sticks are entirely plastic-free and wrapped in recyclable paper.



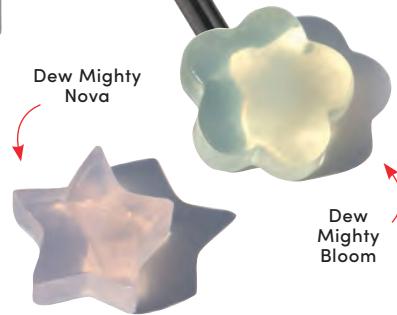


▲ IZZY

Finding a refillable, recyclable mascara is no small feat, but zero-waste brand Izzy saves the day. Its carbon-neutral-certified mascara comes in a stainless steel tube (down to the wiper) that members can send back once empty to be sterilized and refilled.

► BY HUMANKIND

Ready to take the next step in the sustainability journey and tackle your toothpaste? By Humankind makes it easy with natural toothpaste tablets designed with dentists for squeaky clean, sparkling teeth.

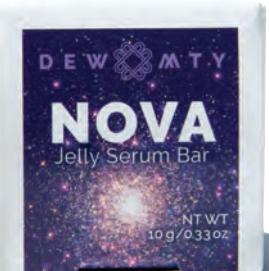


▲ ACTIVIST SKINCARE

While most sunscreens come in plastic tubes, skincare brand Activist knew there had to be something more sustainable. That's why we're obsessed with its reef-safe, tinted SPF 30 sunscreen enveloped in a bio-based, compostable push-up tube.

▼ DEW MIGHTY

Attention all circular skincare lovers! The masterminds at Dew Mighty have created first-of-their-kind serums in solid jelly form that you can refill over and over again. Even better? They come in permanent metal containers that'll last forever.



Purple Shampoo Bar from Superzero



◀ SUPERZERO

Haircare without bulky, unnecessary bottles that eventually end up in landfills is Superzero's vision for the industry. So that's why its entire collection of shampoos, conditioners, and shine serums (formulated for curly, dry, fine, oily, or colored hair) take shape as small-but-mighty bars.

► BRIXY

Step one: unwrap Brixy's bright and colorful paper packaging to reveal easy-to-use, soap-free facial cleansers or rich, moisturizing body wash bars—free of harmful sulfates, parabens, and synthetic scents. Step two: enjoy your brand-new, sustainable shower routine. VN

