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# Make Beauty Face Gloss Review

You need this!



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Winter skin is the worst. Throughout the season my face looks thinner, paler, blotchier; my coloring is all off. The amount of maintenance required to keep myself minimally presentable involves a multi-step regimen and lots of prayers that the hot water doesn't run out halfway through my shower again. Thank Goddess I work from home most of the time.

That's why, when my makeup is applied and set, I've started to rely on [MAKE Beauty's Face Gloss](#) to impart the subtle glow my winter skin craves — and can't seem to produce on its own. MAKE's Face Gloss is remarkably effective, a colorless gel in a discreet little black tube that imparts a dewy sheen wherever it's applied. I dab it along the high points of my face to better catch the light, reapplying every few hours when the dry indoor air has taken its toll in the hopes of achieving a brighter, better-rested-looking complexion (without having to log off of Instagram at a reasonable hour.) It's a mess-free, handbag-friendly alternative to my default highlighter, MAC's Mineralize Skin Finish — and it doesn't require a brush.

The main ingredient is a synthetic oil (polyisobutene, used in place of a mineral oil) that's an emollient and moisturizer, plus a blend of polymers that increases the product's viscosity. I have relatively normal skin, with the occasional mild breakout here and there, and the product is rather thick with a gel-like consistency. (I tried applying it over eyeshadow for a glossy lid and ended up just smearing my eyeshadow everywhere. I probably dabbed on too much.) I wouldn't recommend it for the shine-conscious, but if you're not a fan of contouring and looking to avoid dullness, this is your product.

Another staple for those in need of dew and a dollop of color is the brand's [Blot Pot in Rouge](#). It's a tinted, oil-based balm that imparts a subtle rosy glow to cheeks and lips without as much shine. Plus, it's formulated with vitamins C and E for added antioxidant protection. After all, 'tis always the season to put your best face forward — no matter the weather forecast.

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