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Luggage scales, \$34.95, EasyWay, from LatestBuy, 1300 528 378, latestbuy.com.au.



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Bach Rescue Remedy, \$18.95, 1800 652 443.



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Collapsible shopping bag, \$18.95, French Bazaar, (03) 9017 7892, frenchbazaar.com.au.



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Great for toting those extra airport purchases.

Universal charger, \$119.99, Powermonkey, from Todae, 1300 138 483, todae.com.au.



8.

Portable power – so you'll never be caught out again.

Travel steamer, \$59.95, Korjo, (03) 9822 9252, korjo.com.



9.

This business-trip saviour makes fast work of wrinkles.

Inflatable hangers, \$11.95 for pack of 2, The Luggage Professionals, 1300 458 442, theluggageprofessionals.com.au.



10.

They fold away small so you can pack twice as many.

Electronics organiser, \$28, Flight 001, 1800 747 001, flight001.com.au.



11.

A neat purse to keeps your cords neat and tidy.

Travel bottles, \$19.95 for set of 6, Plane Jane, 0414 897 043, planejane.com.au.



12.

Saves you from lugging your full-sized favourites.

\$169, Peter Alexander, 1300 366 683, peteralexander.com.au.



\$359, Helveticus, from Safari Living, (03) 9810 4500, safariliving.com.



CARRY ON

Great for short trips, these overnighters are roomy enough for a weekend's worth of outfits – and then some.

\$300, Kikki.K, (03) 9645 6346, kikki-k.com.



\$59.95, Eb&Ive, 0411 589 113.



WHAT WILL THEY THINK OF NEXT? This hoodie houses an in-built neck cushion – just inflate, lie back and zzzzz...

Hoodie, \$179.95 (xsml-xlge), Burton, (02) 9935 9000.



THE GENTLE CLEANSER:
Dermalogica Special Cleansing
Gel, \$53, 1800 659 118.

One of the first products founder Jane Wurwand created in the '80s – and still a bestseller today – this soap-free gel is super-light, and fragrance and colour-free. Lather it up in your palms for a deep clean, minus the squeak.

THE SEA SALT SPRAY: David
Babaii For WildAid Bohemian
Beach Spray, \$23.70, 1300 387 204.

Adds sexy texture to your hair – no tools needed. It smells like a summer cocktail and gives even fine hair the perfect amount of guts without feeling like it's even there.

THE FINISHING SPRAY: L'Oréal
Elnett Satin Absolute Extreme Hold
Hairspray, \$9.95, 1300 659 259.

If we had a dollar for every hairstylist that recommended this, we'd be star-spotting Beyoncé in St Barts on our own luxury cruiser. The spray just celebrated its 50th birthday and the upgraded formulas are now tailored to hair type.

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**THE CREATIVE
COLOURS:** Napoleon
Perdis Color Discs in
(left to right) Blue
Crush, High-Voltage
Violet and Grape
Expectations, \$29
each, 1800 814 572,
napoleonperdis.com.

Your go-to for fancy eyes, in a rainbow of shades (and pretty new packaging that looks great on the dressing table). Heavy on pigment but silky on lids, we love the dense colour which is a no-brainer to apply.

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THE CURL MAKER:
BabylissPro Ceramic
19mm Curling Iron,
\$77.95, 1800 251 215.

It heats in a jiffy, creates waves, ringlets or tousled movement with ease and is snag-free, even on fine hair. Use the clamp to hold hair in place while you roll, or wrap around the outside for barely-there waves.

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'For heavy coverage, apply your base with a dry sponge, or for a lighter finish, wet it before you start.'

— Elsa Morgan

'Foundation applied to dry skin can look flaky. Let your moisturiser sink in for five minutes to prevent a patchy finish.'

— Korben Niblett

THE TOOL KIT

If you're not using fingertips, you should own one of these.

M.A.C 190 Foundation Brush, \$75, 1800 613 828, maccosmetics.com.au.

The tapered edges make blending and building colour easy.

BeautyPro Cosmetic Wedge Blocks, \$6.50 for pack of 8, 1800 251 215.

Sharp-edged to get to your nose and jawline.

Napoleon Perdis Complexion Perfection Brush 23s, \$49, 1800 814 572, napoleonperdis.com.

Works a treat on cream or powder.

THE TWO-FOR-ONES

Streamline your routine — these beauties already have brushes attached.

L'Oréal Paris Infallible 24H High Precision Brush Foundation, \$37.95, 1300 659 259.

The brush feels silky, and you'll get long-lasting coverage.

Australis Perfection Brush On Mineral Illuminating Wand, 16.95, 1300 650 981.

One click and swipe gives you shimmering cheeks.

Maybelline NY Dream LumiTouch Highlighting Concealer, \$17.95, 1300 369 327.

Instantly brightens dark spots and under-eye circles.

SMOOTH OPERATOR

Investing in a quality primer means you don't have to spend wads on your foundation. This is creamy, easy to use and leaves skin with an ultra-soft film that makes applying foundation a dream.

L'Oréal Paris Base Magique Transforming Smoothing Primer, \$29.95, 1300 659 259.

High Rollers

The stylist's fave for a reason, hot rollers are still the easiest way to get big, sexy hair.

HOW TO:

Master hot rollers

Want a look that's more Betty Draper than *Toddlers & Tiaras*? It's all in the technique. Hairstylist Keiren Street shows us how he rolls.



Step 1: APPLY MOUSSE TO TOWEL-DRIED HAIR

Use a tennis ball-sized amount and work evenly from roots to ends. "Concentrate on the lengths, where you want the curl to hold the most."

TRY: Fekkai Coiff Strong Hold Volume Mousse [1], \$46, from Mecca Cosmetics, 1800 007 844, meccacosmetics.com.au.



TIP: Using a round brush when blow-drying will give your ends a slight bend, perfect for pre-curling.

Step 2: BLOW-DRY HAIR

"Prepping and smoothing the cuticle with a good blowdry is essential for smooth volume – it's not a step you can skip."

TRY: Parlux 3500 SuperCompact Ceramic & Ionic Dryer [2], \$184.95, 1800 251 215.

Step 3: SPLIT HAIR INTO EVEN SECTIONS

"You're going for bounce and volume, not a full-on curl. Limit yourself to 6-10 sections, max, depending on the length and thickness of your hair." Spray each section before rolling, rather than after, to avoid that stiff, crunchy look.

TRY: Schwarzkopf Extra Care Volume Power Hairspray [3], \$6.99, 1800 022 219.

TIP: Longer hair needs bigger rollers. Use a smaller size for shorter hair, so you get curl as well as bounce.



Step 4: START FROM THE BOTTOM SECTIONS, WORKING UP

"Always roll in the direction you want hair to fall. For this particular style, that's slightly away from the face." Leave the front section until last.

TRY: Remington Body Waves Hot Rollers [4], \$43.95, 1800 623 118.



Step 5: FINISH WITH THE TOP HALF

"Rolling away from the part will give the most natural, bouncy shape." Leave for 10-20 minutes or until rollers have cooled – releasing them while they're still hot will make curls drop much faster.

TIP: To ensure you get the ends, hold rollers mid-way, then wrap them under before rolling upwards.

Step 6: BRUSH OUT WITH A SOFT BRISTLE BRUSH

"Brushing from underneath will enhance body. If you brush downwards, it will only flatten the curls," says Street.

TRY: Mason Pearson Junior Bristle & Nylon Military Brush [5], \$179, (03) 8587 4650.



THE ROAD-TEST

The ultimate multitasking hair tool, hot rollers can do so much more than curl. They smooth natural curls, create sexy waves, fake a pro blowdry or just add oomph to poker-straight hair. We suss three of the best.

Cloud Nine The O Pod, \$299 and rollers, \$29 for set of 4, 1300 294 247.

» The Prada of hot rollers, these give the best bouncy, faux-pro blowdry which lasts until your next wash.



BabylissPro 12-Piece Jumbo Ceramic/Titanium Hot Roller Set, \$109.95, 1800 251 215.

» The large, felt-covered rollers leave hair smooth and create all-over volume, rather than curls. Bonus points for the slip-proof butterfly clips.



VS Sassoon Classic Salon Multi Curls Setter, \$39.95, 1800 650 263.

» While the plastic rollers are fiddly, the variety of sizes creates a more tousled, bed-head look that's super-natural and sexy.



What to look for in a set:

* Roller size

Opt for a roller set that offers a variety of sizes. That way, you won't be locked into one style, with more freedom to experiment.

* The right grip

Beginners should start with a set that comes with clips instead of pins, which are much easier to use.

* What it's made of

For serious smoothness and shine, use velvet or felt-covered rollers instead of plastic or metal ones.

Try now: ROOT BOOSTERS

Wary of mousse? Try a spray volumiser. Finer in texture and practically foolproof, these moonlight as hairspray to give curls extra staying power.

1. DOUBLES AS A SEA-SALT SPRAY:

Garnier Fructis Style Volume Restructure XXL Thermo-Active Spray, \$7.95, 1800 659 259.

2. WON'T LEAVE STRANDS CRUNCHY:

Tresemme 24 Hour Body Root Boosting Spray, \$7.99, (02) 8264 5400.

3. BOOSTS SHINE TOO:

David Babaii for WildAid Volcanic Ash Root Amplifier, \$23.50, 1300 387 204.

4. WITH A HEAVENLY, ALL-NATURAL SCENT:

Mop Lemongrass Lift Volumising Spray, \$29.95, 1800 104 204.

5. THE BEST FOR TOUCHABLE VOLUME:

Living Proof Full Root Lifting Spray, \$39, from Mecca Cosmetica, 1800 007 844, meccacosmetica.com.au.



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STEP 1: WET

For easier to smooth hair that is humidity resistant, wash hair with **Sleek & Shine Thermo-Active Shampoo & Conditioner**.



STEP 2: PREP & PROTECT

Prep towel-dried hair with **Sleek & Shine Thermo-Active Spray**, comb through the strands to facilitate a frizz-free & shiny finish, whilst also providing protection from heat styling.



STEP 3: STYLE

Blow dry sections in a downward direction using a round brush so all cuticles are lying flat for extra sleekness & shine.



STEP 4: SET

For super-sleek locks, run a straightening iron over each section of hair twice, finishing with a spritz of **Elastic Power Fix Brilliance Hairspray** to lock in flexible shine without looking stiff.

Watch our online styling videos to get this look and more at www.garnier.com.au/fructisstyle

Take care.
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