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THE 50 BEST

Men's grooming gear

From chic shaving kits to macho moisturisers, **Lee Holmes** handpicks the finest products to keep a gentleman smelling fresh and looking good



1 **Comme des Garçons
2 Man Eau de
Toilette**

If you like a heavy, almost wintry smell then you'll love this number from Comme. Heavy on the incense and mixed with mahogany, this is definitely a fragrance that is not for the faint of heart. Even the amber bottle glass gives a hint of what is contained within.

Where 020-7494 6220
How much £38 (50ml)



2 **Burt's Bees
Therapeutic
Bath Crystals**

If one of your new year's resolutions was to spend more time at the gym, then these bath crystals should become part of your evening workout too. Adding a couple of tablespoons to running water and then soaking your body for 15 minutes is supposed to help release lactic acid, which builds up in the body after physical activity and relieving muscle soreness.

Where www.waitrose.com
How much £10.50 (1lb)



3 **M LAB Anti-Aging
Blemish Control
Treatment**

If you suffer from problem skin and have tried everything you can think of, then take heart - try this blemish-controlling cream from M Lab. Expensive, yes, but it claims to help to reduce free radicals, decreasing excess skin oils. It also helps to hydrate skin and deliver essential fatty acids.

Where www.mlaborline.com
How much £150 (30ml)



4 **Edwin Jagger
Premium Shaving
Cream**

This is a traditional-type shave cream that comes in an old-fashioned type of pot. Rich and creamy, you should save this product for special occasions - give yourself an old-fashioned, barber-shop-style shave at home.

Where Liberty (020-7734 1234)
How much £12.50 (100ml)

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