

DermProtect Barrier Defense™

Intensive moisturizing cream for dry to very dry, sensitive and mature skin

P R O D U C T F A C T S H E E T

packaging size	product pH level	product should last	additional sizes available
1.7 oz / 48 g	Skin-Neutral	1.5 - 3 Months	Travel 0.5 oz / 14 g

Key Features (in priority order)

- Resets and regulates skin's natural 24-hour cycle, maximizing daytime defense and nighttime regeneration
- Reduces skin barrier disruption and repairs skin barrier function
- Supports a balanced microbiome and skin's natural lipid production
- Increases skin hydration and reduces transepidermal water loss (TEWL)
- Delivers immediate and long-term hydration
- Soothes, calms, and revitalizes dry skin
- Optimizes skin barrier health and function to maximize the effectiveness of all skincare

Points of Difference

DermProtect Barrier Defense™ is an intensive moisturizer that delivers maximum hydration, replenishes natural lipids, and enhances moisture retention. Advanced technology goes even deeper to target the source of dryness by resetting and regulating skin's natural 24-hour cycle to maximize daytime defense and nighttime regeneration, optimizing barrier function and rebalancing the microbiome for enhanced skin resilience.

- By day, it fortifies the skin barrier against harmful environmental aggressors, effectively locking in essential moisture to maintain deep, lasting hydration.
- At night, it actively supports the skin's natural repair processes, aiding to repair damage and significantly enhancing resilience and overall skin health.

By strengthening the skin barrier and rebalancing the microbiome, DermProtect Barrier Defense™ creates a healthy foundation to complement and maximize the effectiveness of every step in a skincare routine, supporting lasting results for a healthier, more resilient complexion.

Who is it For

Those with dry to very dry and/or sensitive skin, due to:

- Aging, mature skin
- Hormonal fluctuations, including perimenopausal and menopausal skin
- Seasonal or harsh climate/conditions
- Use of ingredients known to cause skin dryness, i.e. retinoids

How to Use

Apply twice daily after cleansing and using all other treatment products. Smooth cream onto the face avoiding the eye area. Follow with an application of sunscreen in the morning.

Retail Jar: Place two fingers on either side of the opening on the top of the jar and gently press down to dispense one to two pumps.



Ingredients

WATER (AQUA), GLYCERIN, BUTYROSPERMUM PARKII (SHEA) BUTTER, JOJOBA ESTERS, CETEARYL ALCOHOL, PENTYLENE GLYCOL, CETYL ESTERS, DIMETHICONE, HELIANTHUS ANNUUS (SUNFLOWER) SEED OIL UNSAPONIFIABLES, PROPANEDIOL, ETHYLHEXYL STEARATE, ETHYLHEXYL PALMITATE, GLYCERYL STEARATE, GLYCERYL STEARATES, PEG-100 STEARATE, TETRAHEXYLDECYL ASCORBATE, SODIUM HYALURONATE, SQUALANE, CERAMIDE NP, CERAMIDE AP, CERAMIDE EOP, COCOS NUCIFERA (COCONUT) FRUIT EXTRACT, HIBISCUS SABDARIFFA FRUIT EXTRACT, LINDERA STRYCHNIFOLIA ROOT EXTRACT, CAPRYLIC/CAPRIC TRIGLYCERIDE, SANTALUM ALBUM (SANDALWOOD) EXTRACT, PHELLODENDRON AMURENSE BARK EXTRACT, HORDEUM DISTICHON (BARLEY) EXTRACT, ALPHA-GLUCAN OLIGOSACCHARIDE, BACILLUS FERMENT, ROSMARINUS OFFICINALIS (ROSEMARY) LEAF EXTRACT, ASTRAGALUS MEMBRANACEUS ROOT EXTRACT, UBIQUINONE, TOCOPHEROL, URSOLIC ACID, TOCOPHERYL ACETATE, SODIUM POLYACRYLATE, SODIUM LAUROYL LACTYLATE, LECITHIN, PHYTOSPHINGOSINE, ERYTHRITOL, STEARETH-10, STEARETH-20, CHOLESTEROL, DIMETHICONOL, DIPROPYLENE GLYCOL, ETHYLHEXYLGLYCERIN, CARBOMER, XANTHAN GUM, SODIUM BENZOATE, CITRIC ACID, POTASSIUM SORBATE, PHENOXYETHANOL



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F R E Q U E N T L Y A S K E D Q U E S T I O N S

1 Why is a healthy skin barrier important? The skin barrier is the body's first line of defense, providing round-the-clock protection against internal and external aggressors while supporting a balanced microbiome. By day, it shields the skin from harmful environmental factors and locks in essential moisture to maintain deep hydration. At night, it supports the skin's natural repair processes, helping to repair damage and strengthen resilience. Together, these elements ensure the skin stays balanced, healthy, and resilient.

2 How do I know if my skin barrier is compromised? Skin dryness, redness, irritation, flakiness, and/or increased sensitivity can be indications of a compromised skin barrier. When the skin barrier is compromised, it loses its ability to retain moisture and defend against environmental factors, disrupting the microbiome's balance. A weakened barrier accelerates moisture loss, leaves skin feeling tight and dehydrated, and makes it more vulnerable to insults from external stressors. In this compromised state, skin is unable to optimize the full benefits of skincare products, and potent ingredients may increase the risk of irritation due to heightened sensitivity.

3 Why is it important for long-term skin health that the skin barrier and microbiome are in balance? The skin barrier and the microbiome are deeply interconnected, and this collaboration is vital in maintaining healthy, balanced, and resilient skin. A healthy skin barrier provides a stable environment for the microbiome to thrive, helping to prevent microbiome dysbiosis and ensuring that beneficial microbes can continue to contribute to the skin's regenerative functions. In return, the microbiome reinforces the skin barrier by producing molecules/nutrients that protect against harmful pathogens that can cause irritation and helps maintain the lipid matrix, promoting hydration and preventing transepidermal water loss (TEWL).

4 Can someone with dehydrated skin benefit from using DermProtect Barrier Defense™? Absolutely. DermProtect Barrier Defense™ is an intensive moisturizer designed to address both the symptoms and source of dryness and is clinically proven to deliver immediate and long-term hydration to soothe, calm and revitalize dry skin. So, whether skin is dehydrated due to age, hormonal fluctuations, seasonality, environmental conditions, or even post-treatment, DermProtect Barrier Defense™ is a great solution.

5 If I am using D-E-J Face Cream® and/or D-E-J Night Face Cream®, do I need DermProtect Barrier Defense™? DermProtect Barrier Defense™ is an intensive moisturizer designed to strengthen skin barrier function and rebalance the microbiome, creating an optimal foundation to complement and maximize the effectiveness of every product. If you use D-E-J Face Cream® and/or D-E-J Night Face Cream® and find that you would like additional moisture – whether daily or seasonally – or you're looking to maximize the effectiveness of your products, DermProtect Barrier Defense™ is the perfect complement to your regimen.

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