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ROSE

We're tickled pink by the shade of the season. From the palest blush to head-turning fuchsia, the pretty hue is softening up fall wardrobes

FASHION FLIRT

TIP Tiptoe into the shade with luxe accessories in eye-popping fuchsia, while sticking to classic black, white and nude on top.

1. Leather driving gloves, \$120, Ted Baker, tedbaker-london.com
2. Vintage-inspired statement necklace, \$78, Ann Taylor, anntaylor.com
3. Black-and-white coat, \$198, French Connection, canada.frenchconnection.com
4. Two-tone ankle-strap pumps, \$120, Nine West, ninewest.ca
5. Folli Follie leather bag, \$255, Holt Renfrew, holtrenfrew.com
6. Lace-embellished shift dress, \$248, Ann Taylor, anntaylor.com

RISK TAKER

TIP Jump head first into pink and go bold in a monochromatic ensemble with hits of high-shine metallic.

1. Wide-collar alpaca wrap coat, \$650, Sentaler, sentaler.com
2. Transparent Plexiglas clutch, \$2,750, Stella McCartney, stellamccartney.com
3. White Plexiglas-and-metal cuff, \$2,225, Chanel, chanel.com
4. Jacquard shirt, \$268, and skirt, \$188, J.Crew, jcrew.com
5. Gucci metallic lace-up booties, \$1,250, Holt Renfrew

COOUTURE GURU

TIP Update all things rosy by mixing in a splash of wine – as in burgundy-toned accents in luxe-to-the-touch textures.

1. Geometric hoops, \$30, JewelMint, jewelmint.com
2. Drape-front satin-finish blouse, \$60, Mango, mango.com
3. Brooch-embellished pumps, \$225, Badgley Mischka, badgleymischka.com
4. Akris zipper-front jacket, \$795, Holt Renfrew
5. Boyfriend jeans, \$328, True Religion, truereigionbrandjeans.com
6. Patent-pyhton satchel, \$1,295, Boss, hugoboss.com



The shades of a typical fall season run the gamut from rich browns to inky blacks, but this year designers got the warm fuzzies over the most feminine shade of the rainbow – pink. Hollywood is also smitten with the hue, with stars like Kate Bosworth (right) and Rachel Bilson already rocking it on the red carpet.





This year's Met Gala theme – Punk: Chaos to Couture – left a lasting impression. Model Rosie Huntington-Whiteley soaks up Balmain's cool factor in cropped leather, while designers sent models dripping in chains and high-shine patent down the runway. Rock on!

TIP Riot against basic black leather and slip on something red-hot such as Anja Rubik's Anthony Vaccarello minidress.

POSH PUNK

Give a rebel yell to the musical invasion of the season. Spikes, studs and loads of leather had the runways rocking!



FASHION FLIRT

TIP Channel Chanel and mix chunky knits with chains, studs and loads of leather for a hint of hard rock.

1. Leather-bottom jeans, \$60, Mango, mango.com 2. Chain-embellished quilted handbag, \$4,950, Chanel, chanel.com 3. Leather-lapel moto vest, \$525, Rebecca Taylor, rebeccataylor.com 4. Manolo Blahnik studded ankle-strap pumps, \$950, Davids, davidsfootwear.com 5. Maje striped sweater, \$330, Hudson's Bay, thebay.com 6. Multi-chain necklace, \$4,250, Chanel



RISK TAKER

TIP Meld punk with glam rock courtesy of a vintage-inspired tee and tons of gold. Add an ear cuff for good measure.

1. Red leather jacket, \$1,295, Iro, iro.fr 2. Reposi gold-and-diamond ear cuff, \$13,781, Net-a-Porter, net-a-porter.com 3. Red leather ankle boots, \$950, Saint Laurent, ysl.com 4. Bowie sleeveless T-shirt, \$35, Mango 5. Studded leather clutch, \$995, Christian Louboutin, christianlouboutin.com 6. Metallic-striped jeans, \$80, Mango



COUTURE GURU

TIP Party like a rock star in a metallic blazer and chunky heeled boots with a bevy of buckles.

1. Silk strappy dress, \$440, Tibi, tibi.com 2. Buckle-and-zipper boots, \$995, Michael Kors, michaelkors.com 3. Studded leather belt, \$132, Brave, braveleather.com 4. Eddie Borgo jade-and-rhodium earrings, \$350, Net-a-Porter 5. Metallic blazer, \$2,950, Saint Laurent 6. Leather bucket bag, \$179, Danier, danier.com



How does Marion Cotillard's garden grow? With silk petals by Erdem and roses by Dior, of course. The French beauty can't resist a floral print, and this fall, neither can we!

BLOOM ON

Don't pack away those floral prints just yet! Plant seeds for a stylish season of enchanting blossoms in autumnal hues

TIP Everything comes up roses with a garden print, ladylike accessories and a Duchess of Cambridge-approved



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1. Dolce & Gabbana floral-print crepe dress, \$1,975, Neta-Porter, neta-porter.com 2. Prada bow-front pumps, \$530, Holt Renfrew, holtrenfrew.com 3. Pleated wool coat, \$298, Ann Taylor, anntaylor.ca 4. Rose-gold and silver rings, \$657 for 3 (sold separately), Thomas Sabo, thomassabo.com 5. Chain-link purse, \$575, Hugo, hugoboss.com

TIP Long sleeves – as worn by Isla Fisher in this Dolce & Gabbana gown – signal a change of season and help make florals a perennial trend.



RISK TAKER

TIP Who said matchy-matchy was a bad thing? Double up on photographic blossom prints with a bustier-inspired bodysuit and envelope clutch.

1. Quilted buckle booties, \$1,595, Brian Atwood, brianatwood.com 2. Sophie Hulme leather clutch, \$820, Ssense, ssense.com 3. Silk bomber jacket, \$288, Equipment, equipmentfr.com 4. Floral bodysuit, \$140, Ted Baker, tedbaker-london.com 5. Helmut Lang leather shorts, \$635, Ssense 6. Leather and mother-of-pearl watch, \$195, Kate Spade, katespade.com 7. Eugenia Kim silk hat, \$187, Neta-Porter



COUTURE GURU

TIP Toughen up feminine florals with a shot of leather and a speckling of studs.

1. Vintage amethyst and tanzanite earrings, \$995, Alan Anderson, jewelsbyalananderson.com 2. Colour-block biker jacket, \$148, French Connection, canada.frenchconnection.com 3. Floral-print pencil skirt, \$128, French Connection 4. Valentino studded tote, \$3,395, Neta-Porter 5. Jones New York Collection blouse, \$60, Hudson's Bay, thebay.com 6. Ankle-wrap sandals, \$90, Aldo, aldoshoes.com

CALL OF THE WILD

Rule the fashion kingdom in prints and textures that are anything but tame. Classic leopard is still spot-on – as are croc, zebra and anything furry!

FASHION FLIRT



TIP Anchor leopard prints with colour-block separates and buttery-soft leather on the bottom.

1. Leopard-print cape, \$148, Ann Taylor, anntaylor.ca 2. Colour-block leather tote, \$495, Rebecca Minkoff, rebeccaminkoff.com 3. Colour-block turtleneck, \$55, Gap, gapcanada.ca 4. Two-tone leather oxfords, \$625, Reed Krakoff, reedkrakoff.com 5. Mini pearl ring, \$695, Links of London, linksoflondon.com 6. Leather pants, \$219, Olsen, olsenfashion.com

RISK TAKER



TIP Roar into the trend courtesy of a statement-making faux-fur coat paired with purr-worthy pieces that hint at your wild side.

1. Reed Krakoff zebra-print handbag, \$1,290, Holt Renfrew, holtrenfrew.com 2. Faux-fur jacket, \$70, H&M, hm.com/ca 3. Happy necklace, \$1,060, Larvin, larvin.com 4. Open-toe booties, \$875, Guiseppe Zanotti, guiseppezanottidesign.com 5. Croc-quilted dress, \$305, Sandro, sandro-paris.com

COUTURE GURU



TIP Liven up a posh camel coat with high-shine croc embossing and chunky knee-high boots.

TIP Break up a fierce print with a skinny belt in a solid shade, just as animal lovers Claire Danes (left) and Eva Mendes do.

1. Alexander Wang croc-embossed leather top, \$995, Holt Renfrew 2. Stella McCartney camel coat, \$1,745, Matches, matchesfashion.com 3. Structured knee-high boots, \$698, Stuart Weitzman, stuartweitzman.ca 4. Animal-print cross-body bag, \$1,450, Burberry, burberry.ca 5. Leather pleated skirt, \$2,035, Mulberry, mulberry.com



There wasn't a dark horse in the running as designers adopted every animal onto their runways this fall. Rich textures, embossing and super shaggy furs make the look new. Mix and match to your delight!

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