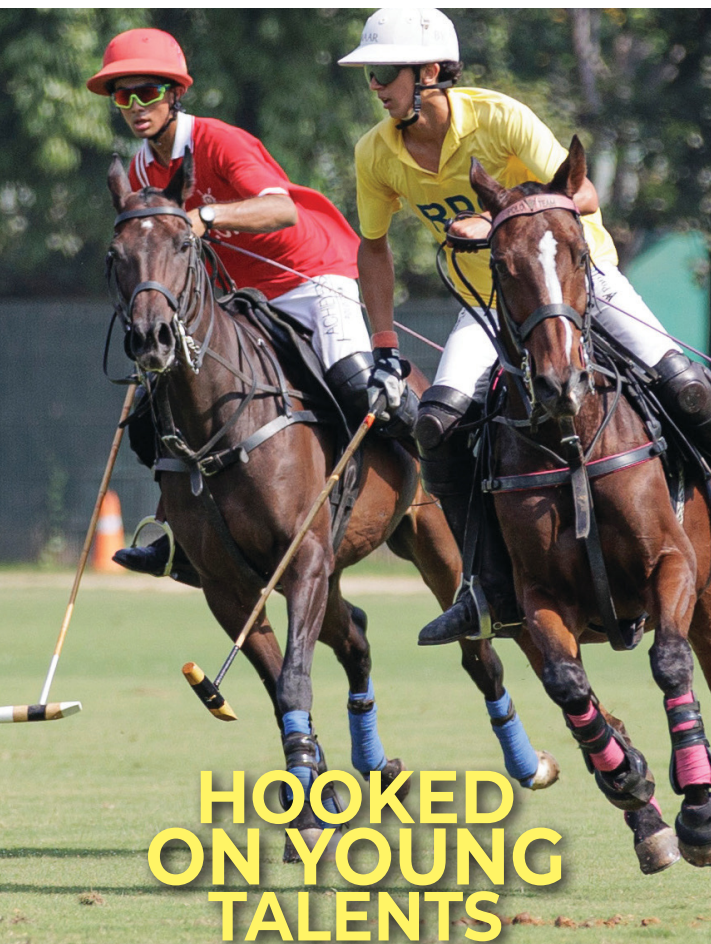


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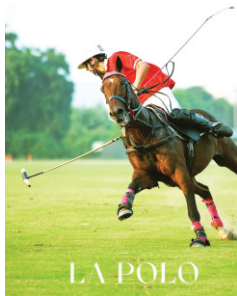
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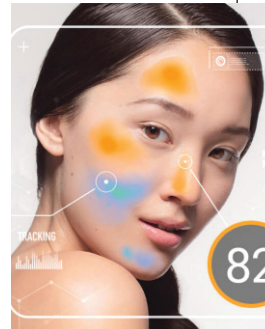
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ARMY COMMANDER'S CUP

(6 Goal Tournament)

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This season brought together six powerhouse teams across two pools. With seven matches packed into five days, the event promised adrenaline-filled, non-stop action. Here's a glimpse of highlights from last week's matches.



Participating Teams

POOL-A

JAIPUR

Mahendra Singh -2/Ranveer
S. Saharan -2

Salim Azmi +1

Lance Watson +4

HH Maharaja Sawai Pad-
manabh Singh of Jaipur +3

ASC ROYAL ENFIELD

Sep Mukesh Gujjar 0

Nk Ravindra Mang +1

Hurr Ali +2

Angad Kalaan +2

MAYFAIR POLO TEAM

Anay Shah 0

Vishwarupe Bajaj 0

Siddhant Sharma +3

Simran Shergil +3

Pool-B

CHANDNA POLO
Siddhant Singh 0
Ashok Chandna 0
Kuldeep Singh Rathore +2
Dane Joshua +3
V POLO-CAVALRY
Maj Mrityunjay Singh Chouhan 0/ Capt. Anmol Ratan Singh Warraich 0
Gaurav Sehgal 1 / Lt. Col Vishal Chauhan
Nimit Mehta 0
Gerardo Mazzini +4
BEDLA POLO TEAM
Zeeshan Ali Merchant -1
Rao Himmat Singh Bedla +1
Shamsheer Ali +3
Bauti Alberdi +3



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**MATCH 1
Jaipur vs ASC-Royal Enfield**

DATE: 25 SEPTEMBER

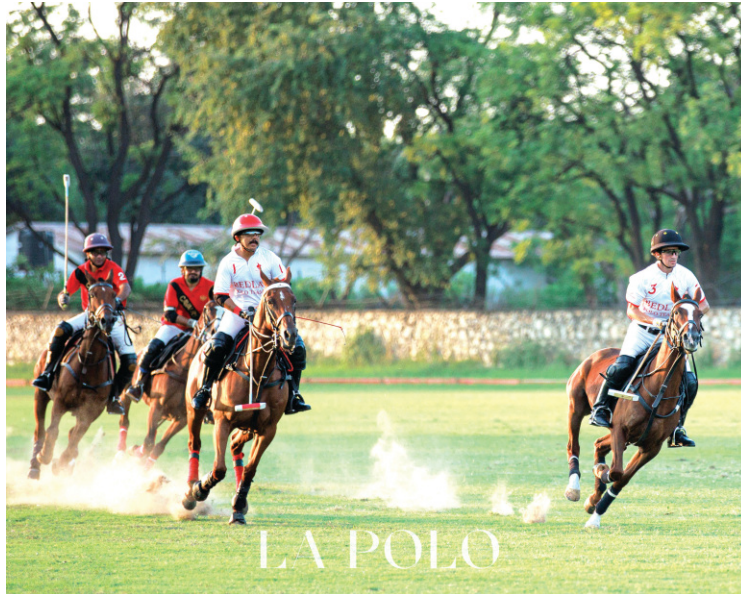
The event's first game was an intriguing contest between Jaipur and ASC-Royal Enfield. The latter had an advantage going into the match. Despite the snag, Jaipur soon overcame all the hurdles and gained the upper hand in the game, scoring nine goals to end up on top.

**Winners:
Jaipur (9-6.5)**

**MATCH 2
V Polo-Cavalry vs Chandna Polo**

The second game of the same day featured V Polo-Cavalry and Chandna Polo. The match took an interesting turn when V Polo-Cavalry charged and scored some extra goals to place themselves ahead of Chandna Polo and win the game with a two-point lead.

**Winners:
V Polo-Cavalry (6-4)**



MATCH 3
Mayfair Polo vs ASC-Royal Enfield

DATE: 26 SEPTEMBER

The next day was an exciting double-header, with the first game between Mayfair Polo and ASC-Royal Enfield. Being on top of their game, Mayfair displayed exceptional skills with the ball and pulled the game completely towards their side against ASC-Royal Enfield. Despite being at a disadvantage at the start, Mayfair Polo overcame the lead strongly and scored more than twice the number of goals as their opponents.

Winners:
Mayfair Polo (8-3.5)

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MATCH 4
Bedla Polo vs Chandna Polo

The second game featured Bedla Polo against Chandna Polo. Bedla Polo, a strong title contender, made an impressive start in their inaugural match, displaying a perfect balance of aggression and defence. By the final chukker, they had scored six goals, securing a decisive win

Winners:
Bedla Polo (6-3.5)

MATCH 5

Mayfair Polo vs Jaipur

DATE: 27 SEPTEMBER

Moving towards the most crucial stages of the tournament, Mayfair Polo was faced up against Jaipur. This could be by far the most thrilling experience in the entire event. Jaipur was determined to win the game and closed up on half a dozen points, but Mayfair had other plans. In the concluding chukker rounds, they were able to pull off a miracle and not only level the goals but also score one extra to get them a ticket into the finals.

Winners:

Mayfair Polo (7-6)

MATCH 6

Bedla Polo vs V Polo-Cavalry

The final league game saw the mighty Bedla Polo face V Polo-Cavalry. Bedla Polo closed out the league stage in style, dominating their opponents with multiple goals to establish a commanding lead. Despite V Polo-Cavalry's efforts to stay in the game, they were outclassed and lost by six points.

Winners:

Bedla Polo (10-4)



FINAL

Mayfair Polo vs Bedla Polo

After a fierce week of competition, Mayfair Polo and Bedla Polo emerged as the rightful finalists. Bedla Polo got off to a strong start, scoring six goals by the second chukker and securing a two-point lead. Despite their strategic play, Mayfair Polo refused to back down. They levelled the scores in a dramatic final round and clinched victory with a decisive goal in the sudden-death round

Winners:

Mayfair Polo (10-9)



Date	Round	Team	Goals	Team	Goals
25 September 2024	League	Jaipur	9	ASC-Royal Enfield	6.5
25 September 2024	League	V Polo-Cavalry	6	Chandna Polo	4
26 September 2024	League	Mayfair Polo	8	ASC-Royal Enfield	3.5
26 September 2024	League	Bedla Polo	6	Chandna Polo	3.5
27 September 2024	League	Mayfair Polo	7	Jaipur	6
27 September 2024	League	Bedla Polo	10	V Polo-Cavalry	4
29 September 2024	Final	Mayfair Polo	10	Bedla Polo	9

JAIPUR JUNIOR UNDER 21

(0 Goal Tournament)

With meticulous preparation, polo personnel organised the Jaipur Junior Under 21, a showcase for emerging talent and the future of Indian polo.

An exciting polo event focused on nurturing talent took place last week in Jaipur. Three teams, filled with promising young players, competed with high hopes of claiming the title. Here's everything you need to know about the teams and the tournament's progression, which concluded this past Sunday.



Participating Teams
POOL A

NAHARGARH

- Dev Sharma Khoj -2
- Rayyan Kidwai -2
- Kr Divyamaan Singh Dujod -1
- Ranshay Purohit +1

JAIGARH

- Yashovardhan Singh/
Laksharaj Singh -2
- Devrat Singh -2
- Ranveer Singh Saharan -2
- Savir Mehraj Godara 0

AMER

- Vivaan Mehta -2
- MDroun Shekhawat -2
- Sanjula Mann-1
- Benjamin Yanzon -1

Date	Round	Team	Goals	Team	Goals
23 September 2024	League	Jaigarh	5	Amer	4
26 September 2024	League	Jaigarh	7.5	Nahargarh	5
27 September 2024	League	Amer	7	Nahargarh	5.5
29 September 2024	Final	Jaigarh	8	Amer	3

MATCH 1

Jaigarh vs Amer

DATE: 23 SEPTEMBER

The tournament's first game was between Jaigarh and Amer. The young stars put on a great show for spectators filled with intensity, suspense, and thrills. Both teams were almost at the same score level. Jaigarh avoided going into any kind of overtime by grabbing an extra goal for themselves before the final bell rang, which helped them register the inaugural win.

Winners: Jaigarh (5-4)

MATCH 2

Jaigarh vs Nahargarh

DATE: 26 SEPTEMBER

The second game introduced Nahargarh, facing off against the game-one winners, Jaigarh. Jaigarh gained an early advantage, and while Nahargarh attempted a comeback by scoring goals, their lack of solid defensive strategies allowed Jaigarh to score too many goals for them to recover..

Winners: JAIGARH (7.5-5)

MATCH 3

Amer vs Nahargarh

DATE: 27 SEPTEMBER

It was time to unveil the second finalist in a contest between Amer and Nahargarh. Both teams had lost their previous games to Jaigarh, but one of these teams was about to make their first win and also write themselves a ticket to the finals. Nahargarh had the upper hand before the game, but the opposition didn't let it matter. Focusing on their game, Amer scored more than half a dozen goals to qualify for the finals in a vogueish way.

Winners: AMER (7-5.5)

FINAL

Jaigarh vs Amer

DATE: 29 SEPTEMBER

Following a huge win the previous day, it was time to crown another victor. Jaigarh faced Amer in a high-stakes rematch. The first chukker ended with both teams level, but after that, Jaigarh took control, scoring a flurry of goals. Despite Amer's best efforts, Jaigarh made it look effortless, thanks to solid strategy and experienced teamwork.

Winners: JAIGARH (8-3)



EXHIBITION MATCH (INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR TEST MATCH):

RPC India vs Great Britain

DATE: 28 SEPTEMBER

A proud moment unfolded last weekend as Under-16 teams from India and Britain gained valuable exposure in an exhibition game. With professional players accompanying both sides, the match began to enthusiastic cheers. The British team displayed impressive skills, but the Indian team kept pace, scoring crucial goals at key moments to win the cup and make the nation proud.

Winners:

RPC INDIA (7-6)



EXHIBITION MATCH: Annual Polo Tournament at Harvard University

Mayo College Polo was the first team from India to be invited by Harvard University for its Annual Polo tournament. The team performed exceptionally well and displayed their sublime skills, which resulted in Mayo College Polo winning the coveted match.

Winners:

**MAYO COLLEGE POLO
(5-4)**



POLO EVENTS

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THIS WEEK



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1 NATIONAL ARENA CHAIRMAN'S CUP

Date: 29 June - 28 September

Location: Lakeside Polo Club, USA

GOAL LEVEL: 6-12

Winner:
Sermus (24)
vs Can This! (23)

UPCOMING WEEK



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1 COMPIANTO ITALIANO DE POLO - US POLO ASSN

Date: 26 September - 6 October

Location: Roma Polo Club, Italy

GOAL LEVEL: 6



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2 TORNEO METROPOLITANO ALTO

Date: 16 September - 6 October

Location: Asociacion Argentina De Polo, Argentina

GOAL LEVEL: 24



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COUPE DE FRANCE

Date: 28 September - 6 October

Location: Chantilly Polo Club, France

GOAL LEVEL: 3-4

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CHAMPIONNAT DE FRANCE

Date: 28 September - 6 October

Location: Chantilly Polo Club, France

GOAL LEVEL: 8

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Date: 30 September - 4 October

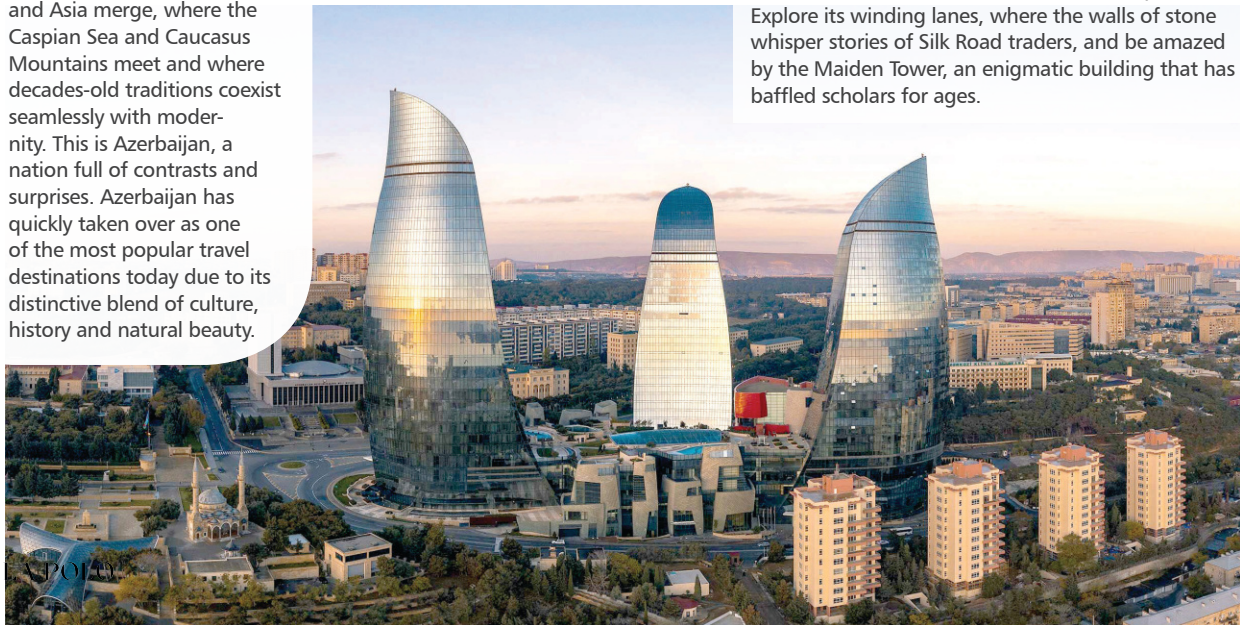
Location: Asociacion Argentina De Polo, Argentina

GOAL LEVEL: 15

WHY AZERBAIJAN SHOULD BE NEXT ON YOUR TRAVEL LIST?

Azerbaijan has quickly become one of the most popular travel destinations due to its distinctive blend of culture, history, and natural beauty.

Take a moment and envision a land where Europe and Asia merge, where the Caspian Sea and Caucasus Mountains meet and where decades-old traditions coexist seamlessly with modernity. This is Azerbaijan, a nation full of contrasts and surprises. Azerbaijan has quickly taken over as one of the most popular travel destinations today due to its distinctive blend of culture, history and natural beauty.



BAKU: THE PARIS OF THE EAST

The first thing that comes to mind when we think of Azerbaijan, is its modern seaside capital, Baku. Wearing its history well, Baku still holds its medieval charm with European style boulevards and Venetian gothic churches, gaining its nickname, 'Paris of the East.'

Baku's skyline is a captivating fusion of the old and the new. The cityscape is dominated by the three buildings known as the Flame Towers, which are fashioned like flames and shine at night like a contemporary lighthouse for travellers. Though the city is beaming with the spirit of development, Baku's soul is nonetheless anchored in the past. Explore its winding lanes, where the walls of stone whisper stories of Silk Road traders, and be amazed by the Maiden Tower, an enigmatic building that has baffled scholars for ages.

TRAVEL

GOBUSTAN: A WINDOW INTO PREHISTORIC AZERBAIJAN

Just a stone's throw away from Baku is Gobustan, a historical treasure. A UNESCO World Heritage site, this outdoor museum is home to thousands of petroglyphs, or prehistoric carvings that go back up to 40,000 years. These interesting glimpses into the lives of our ancient ancestors are provided by rock engravings, which portray scenes of hunting, dancing, and even ritualistic activities.



SHEKI: A JOURNEY THROUGH SILK ROAD HERITAGE

If countryside living is more up your alley, then Sheki is the place for you, a quaint town that looks like something out of a fairytale! Sheki, tucked away in the Greater Caucasus Mountains' foothills, is a lovely town with cobblestone lanes, small-town wooden homes, and an abundance of greenery. But Sheki's rich Silk Road legacy is what really makes it unique.

For centuries, Sheki has been an essential stop on the Silk Road, and the legacy of this historical site is evident even now. The Sheki Khan's Palace, a magnificent 18th-century structure with elaborate stained-glass windows and opulent murals, is the town's crown treasure. The exquisite craftsmanship displayed here is a monument to the Azerbaijani people's artistic talent.

THE CASPIAN COAST:
SUN, SEA AND SERENITY

Once the history lessons and cultural jargon have tired you out and you're looking for a bit of relaxation, the Caspian shores offer just that. Stretching over 500 kilometres and lined with sandy beaches, luxury resorts and picturesque fishing villages, the coast

serves as the perfect getaway. One of the most popular coastal destinations is the city of Lankaran, known for its subtropical climate and lush tea plantations. Here, you can unwind on the beach, explore the nearby national parks, or visit the Lankaran Fortress, another nod to the country's storied past.

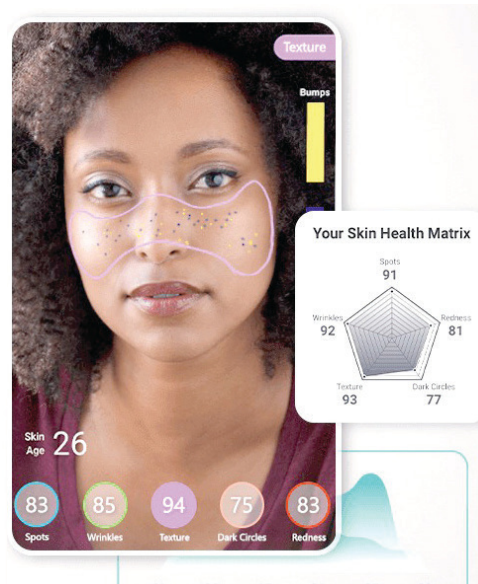


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AIn a world where trends ebb and flow at lightning speed, one innovation stands out by seamlessly merging tradition with cutting-edge technology: the AI-powered beauty revolution. This movement is reshaping the beauty landscape, combining the wisdom of time-honoured practices with the

precision and personalisation of artificial intelligence. This technology, formerly reserved for science fiction, is altering how we perceive and absorb beauty aesthetics. AI easily integrates into our skincare regimens, providing unparalleled levels of personalisation, efficacy, and accessibility.

AI'S ASCENT IN SKINCARE SECTOR

Artificial Intelligence has quickly evolved from a future notion to a current reality in cosmetics. The demand for personalisation and the need for rapid and long-term outcomes are driving this trend. AI's capacity to analyse massive volumes of data enables it to provide insights and recommendations previously only available to experienced dermatologists. For example,

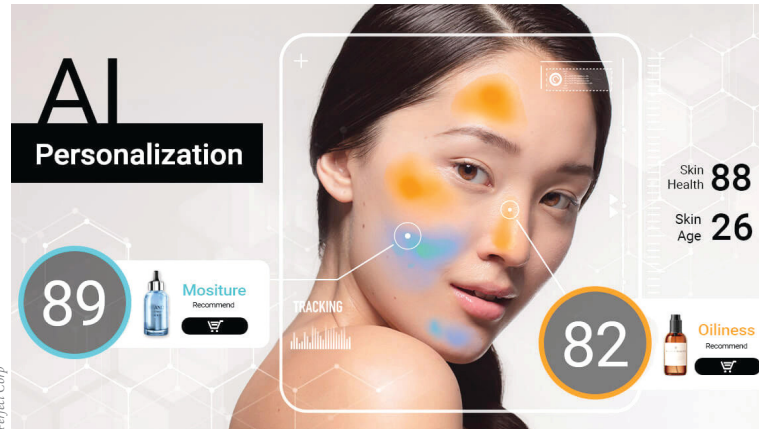
AI-powered diagnostic tools can accurately analyse skin issues, offering consumers personalised skincare regimens that address their needs.

In a recent interview, beauty mogul and Chief Digital and Operations Officer at L'Oréal, Stéphane Lannuzel, said integrating AI into the beauty industry is not merely about adopting new technology—it's about reimagining how beauty is experienced.

L'Oréal, a pioneer in the industry, has been at the forefront of this revolution, using AI to create personalised beauty solutions that cater to the specific needs of each individual. From AI-driven skin analysis tools to virtual try-ons powered by augmented reality, L'Oréal is redefining luxury by offering a more personalised, connected, and intelligent approach to beauty.



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AI-POWERED CUSTOMISATION

AI's most significant contribution to the beauty industry is its capacity to provide unrivalled customisation. AI takes into account each individual's unique characteristics—such as skin type, environmental circumstances, and lifestyle choices—before proposing a skincare program. This level of customisation means that people obtain products that are not just suitable but also ideal for their skin.

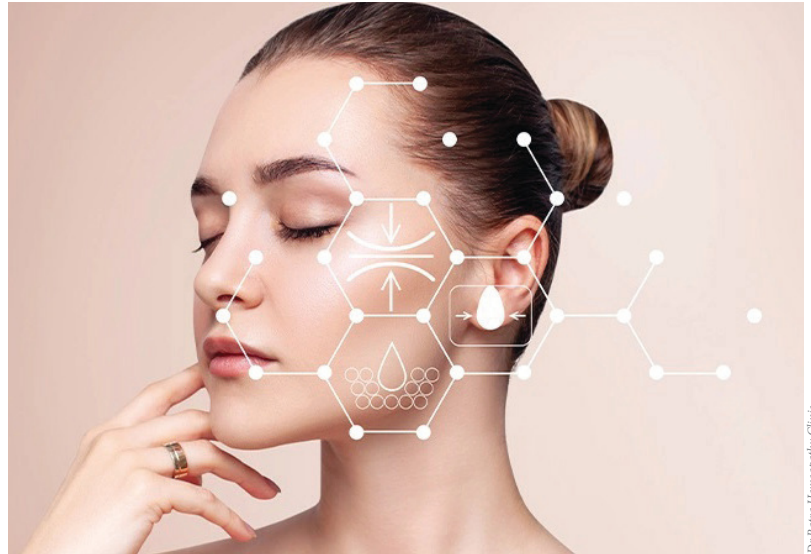
VIRTUAL BEAUTY ASSISTANTS

Skincare advice no longer requires a trip to the beauty counter. AI-powered virtual beauty assistants can now provide professional advice from the comfort of your own home. These digital concierge services employ AI to analyse your skin using selfies, ask questions about your skin issues, and then recommend specific products. Brands such as Shiseido, with their Skincare Advisor Tool, and Sephora, with their Smart Skin Scan, have skillfully leveraged AI in their user interface to give users the ultimate form of personalised skincare.

AI AND ANTI-AGING SCIENCE

Ageing is a multifaceted process driven by genetics, environmental circumstances, and lifestyle preferences. AI's capacity to analyse these characteristics enables it to provide more accurate and effective anti-ageing remedies. For example, AI can analyse your genetic composition to forecast how your skin will age and offer items to help slow down the process.

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Dr. Batra Homeopathy Clinic

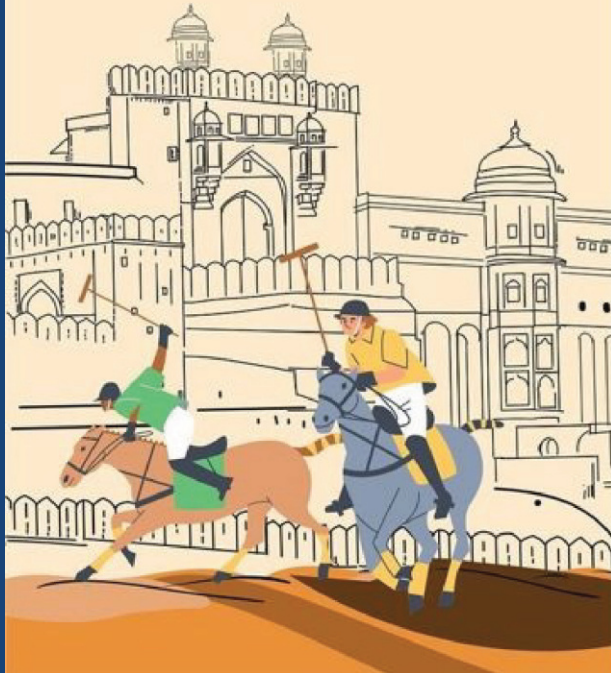
USING AI IN LUXURY SKINCARE

In the world of luxury skincare, it's no longer only about the product's performance but also about the overall experience, which lifts the ritual from routine to extravagance. Cutting-edge businesses are now using AI to adapt every part of the skincare process, ensuring their premium customers have a genuinely

personalised experience. Imagine walking into a flagship shop where AI-driven diagnostics precisely analyse your skin's particular needs, and virtual consultations provide real-time, personalised guidance. This degree of personalised attention elevates a routine skincare purchase to an engaging and pleasurable experience, transforming the commonplace into the beautiful.

JAIPUR POLO SEASON

02 SEPTEMBER TO 27 OCTOBER 2024



TOURNAMENTS

Sawai Man Guard Cup (6 Goals)

30 September - 6 October

Sternhagen Bhavnagar Polo Trophy (8 Goals)

7 - 13 October

Haldighati Cup (61 Cavalry) (2 Goals)

7 - 13 October

Maharaja Sawai Man Singh Polo Cup (8 Goals)

14 - 20 October

General Amar Singh Kanota Cup (6 Goals)

21 - 27 October

EXHIBITION MATCHES

International Junior Test Match

28 September

Mayo Polo Cup

5 October

Exhibition Polo Match

23 October

Mathuradas Mathur Exhibition Polo Cup

26 October

Ladies Polo Cup

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NOIDA POLO SEASON 2024

Jindal Estate Cup (6 Goal)

1-5 October

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