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# Life

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 **The  
Chosen  
Ones**

# Vanity Fare

THREE OF THE BEST NEON NAIL POLISHES. By Natalie Reilly.

TOP  
pick



**\$8**

## Australis "Titania"

This year has seen the death of too many 1980s icons (Michael Jackson, John Hughes, Madonna's face) but those classic '80s colours are still going strong. Neon has been back in vogue for a couple of seasons now, but warmer tones – like this glorious bright orange I painted on my toes – show no sign of dimming.

**\$19**

## Essie "Perky Purple"

If I was Rihanna, clad in short shorts and with Kanye West grinding up behind me in a music video, this colour could really work. All that fierce attitude and beautiful brown skin is perfectly suited to bright purple polish. Alas, my complexion more closely resembles devon, or processed ham if you will, so I didn't quite make it.

**\$22**

## MAC "Creamy Steamy"

I won't pretend to understand the name of this hot-pink polish (having never written for *Grey's Anatomy*) but the shape of the bottle is nifty and the colour is very pretty.