

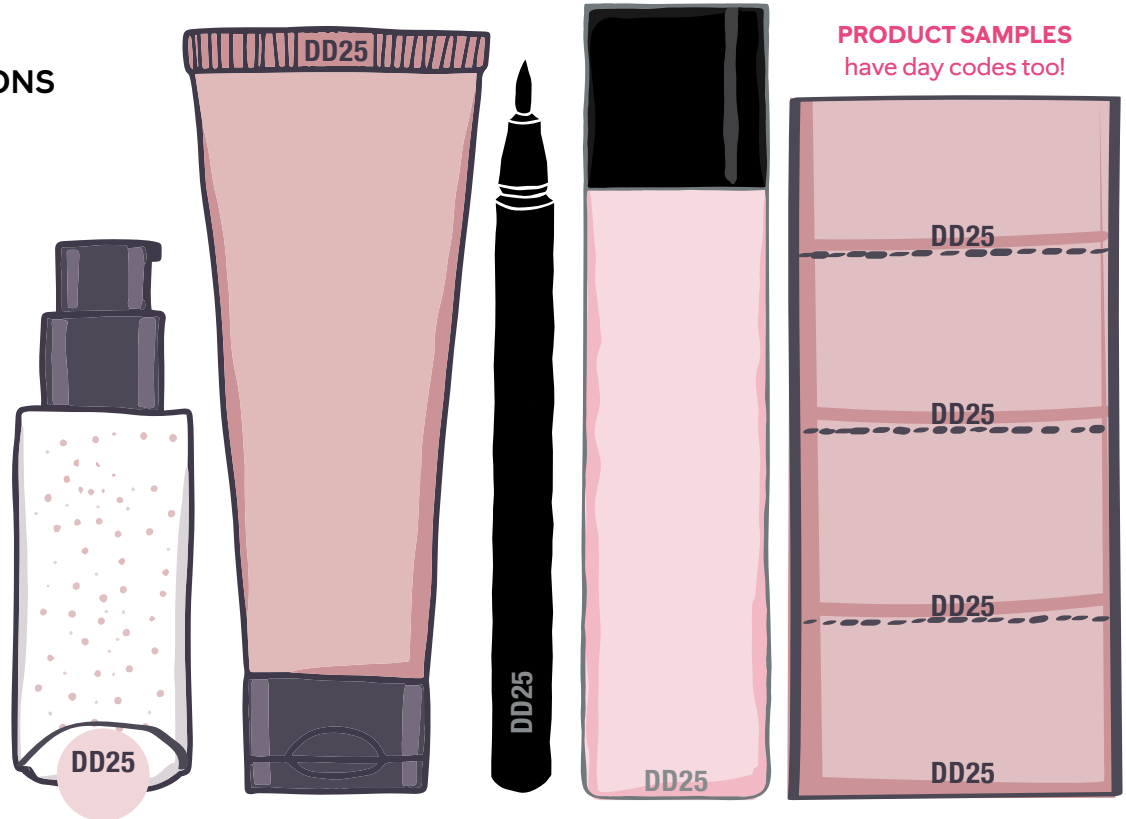
HOW TO READ A MARY KAY® DAY CODE

Each *Mary Kay*® product is stamped with a four-character day code of numbers and letters. The day code represents the date that product was manufactured. Most products have a shelf life of three years from the date of manufacturing. For products that have a shorter shelf life, an Expiration Date (EXP) may be added.

MOST COMMON LOCATIONS TO FIND THE DAY CODE

The day code can be found on the:

- bottom of a container.
- crimp of a product tube.
- barrel of a pencil.
- side of a container.
- back side of a product sample.



PRODUCT SAMPLES
have day codes too!

DD25

YEAR MONTH DAY

THE DAY CODE

The day code shown above is DD25. That means this product was manufactured on April 25, 2023.

Assuming it is a product with a three-year shelf life, this product is best before April 25, 2026.

KEY TO YEARS

A 2020	B 2021	C 2022	D 2023
F 2024	H 2025	K 2026	M 2027
R 2028	T 2029		

KEY TO MONTHS

A January	B February	C March	D April
F May	H June	K July	M August
R September	T October	V November	X December