CLAIMS

1. Cosmetic use of at least one probiotic microorganism *Lactobacillus paracasei*, as an active agent that is useful for treating and/or preventing impaired radiance of the skin's complexion not related to greasy skin or skin prone to greasiness, said impairment being a blurry and/or dull skin complexion.

2. Cosmetic use of at least one probiotic microorganism *Lactobacillus paracasei*, as an active agent that is useful for treating and/or preventing impaired radiance of the skin's complexion not related to greasy skin or skin prone to greasiness, said impairment being skin imperfection chosen from spots, dartres, dyschromia, age marks, blackheads and/or melasma.

3. Use according to claims 1 or 2, for preventing and/or treating loss of radiance of the skin's complexion.

4. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, for giving the skin a luminous complexion.

5. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, in which the said probiotic microorganism is administered orally, topically or parenterally, and in particular orally.

6. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, in which the said probiotic microorganism is used in a live, semi-activated, inactivated or dead form.

7. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, in which the said probiotic microorganism is used in the form of a lysate.

8. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, in which the said probiotic microorganism is a *Lactobacillus paracasei* CNCM I-2116 (ST11).

9. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, in which the said probiotic microorganism is used in a composition in a proportion of from 0.0001% to 30%, in particular in a proportion of from 0.001% to 20%, more particularly in a proportion of from 0.01% to 15% by weight, in particular from 0.1% to 10% by weight and especially from 1% to 5% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition containing it.

10. Use according to any one of Claims 1 to 9, in which the said probiotic microorganism is used live via the oral route in a proportion of 10^3 to 10^{15} cfu/g, in particular from 10^5 to 10^{15} cfu/g and more particularly from 10^7 to 10^{12} cfu/g of live microorganisms per gram of composition containing it.

11. Use according to any one of the preceding claims, in which the said probiotic microorganism is used in combination with an additional active agent.

12. Cosmetic process for preventing and/or treating impaired radiance of the skin's complexion not related to greasy skin or skin prone to greasiness, said impairment being a blurry and/or dull skin complexion, comprising the administration of at least one probiotic microorganism *Lactobacillus paracasei*, as defined according to any one of Claims 5 to 10.

13. Cosmetic process for preventing and/or treating impaired radiance of the skin's complexion not related to greasy skin or skin prone to greasiness, said impairment being skin imperfection chosen from spots, dartres, dyschromia, age marks, blackheads and/or melasma, comprising the administration of at least one probiotic microorganism *Lactobacillus paracasei*, as defined according to any one of Claims 5 to 10.