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3 THE HIGH-GLOSS PONY

"Spray shine spray through hair that is almost dry, and rake through with a wide-tooth comb," advises Sydney and New York session stylist Anthony Nader. "Divide hair into two sections and clip the top half away so you can straighten hair carefully with a hair dryer and a large nylon bristle brush. Unclip the top section and repeat, then gather up your ponytail and secure with a hair bungee."



Spornette Grippers hair sectioning clips, \$12.

KMS California Color Vitality Shine and Shield, \$32.

Brushworx Keratin Silk Ceramic Paddle Brush, \$20.

Evo Mister Fantastic Hair Bungee, \$9.

Lady Jayne volumising wide-tooth comb, \$4.



At House of Holland.

5 LOOSENED WAVES

"Prep the hair with my mousse, then use a large-barrelled curling iron," says celebrity hairstylist David Babaii. "Keep it unstructured and a little un-perfect for that sexy, cool, modern look. Finish with a small amount of my creme serum to accentuate the piecey texture."

VS Sassoon Big Hair Soft Curls Styler, \$43.

David Babaii Whipped Volume Mousse, \$25.

David Babaii Polished Creme Serum, \$25.



At Tory Burch.

O&M Rootalicious Root Lift, \$32.

O&M Surf Bomb Sea Salt Spray, \$25.

O&M K-Gravel Texture Clay, \$32.

4 THE FISHTAIL BRAID

"Apply a root lift style product to build a foundation for the braid," says O&M creative director Janelle Chaplin. "Then brush the hair with a flat broad-head brush to give it floaty texture. Gather the hair into the centre or side of the head and cross over small sections of each part to the other strand, overlapping in the centre, to create a volumised pigtail braid that has the same dimensions from top to bottom. Tease the braid and apply combination of a texture clay and sea salt spray to give the illusion of a non-styled, gritty hairdo."



At Alexis Mabille.

Fudge Paintbox Creative Conditioning Colour in Electric Blue, \$19.

Evo Fabuloso Colour Intensifying Conditioner in Purple Red, \$40.

New HUE

How bold can you go? Winter's best colour trends are as daring as you are.



Christophe Robin Masque Régénérant (regenerating mask), \$62.

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Kevin Murphy Color Bug in Pink, \$25.

Keratin Complex Sparkle + Shine Bronze highlighting powder, \$40.



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Alexa Chung

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WILD

BRIGHTS "Punk up your hair," says Wella ambassador Josh Wood, who looks after Elle Macpherson and Kylie Minogue. "Bold, unnatural colours as accents give any hairdo a modern twist." "I love pastels like pink, lemon and sky-blue on blondes," says leading hairstylist Renya Xydis. "It's a fun time for colour. Enjoy!"

BALAYAGE is a technique of painting colour through the hair. "Balayage, French for 'sweep', is the trend that's here to stay," says Janelle Chaplin, O&M creative director. "It can be natural or more extreme with lighter ends, giving the effect of grown-out colour," adds Michael Kelly, senior colourist at Oscar Oscar. This also means it's low-maintenance. The latest take? "Smoky pastels either glossed straight over old balayage or smoky rose pieces mixed into classic blondes," says Maria Ardino, of Sydney's Ardino Salon.

RED HAIR is having its moment. "It started in the music world – think Florence Welch – and has flowed to Hollywood on Angelina," says celebrity hairstylist David Babaii. "It's a vibrant colour, with drama and impact. Redheads are seen as feisty, confident and sexy. It's not a hard colour to carry off; the trick is to play to your natural tones. Brunettes should do dark auburns; blondes a strawberry ginger; mid-shades can do outrageous cherry reds."

BLOCK COLOUR is also returning, especially for blondes, such as Kate Hudson and Uma Thurman, Babaii says. "In the cooler months, choose more natural colours," says LA colourist Tracey Cunningham. Says Chaplin: "It gives hair a strong feel. Nicole Kidman has a solid biscuit colour, which makes her hair look thicker." She believes most skin tones can wear block colour, but she likes it on pale skin best.

SHEER natural shades are having a rebirth. "A big trend is hair that doesn't look coloured – natural, sheer tones," says Wood. "Start with your natural colour and find shades in that family," Cunningham says. "I'm a big fan of natural hair colouring." Chaplin believes the best way to achieve "that see-through, floaty hair" is a gloss service at your salon.

MILD

Head START

The latest tress-TAMING innovations promise shiny, sleek hair.

BIG TEASE
The double-level bristles of Lady Jayne's Teasing Brush, \$6, make backcombing a breeze.

SAVING GRACE
For the minimalist or multi-tasker comes this three-in-one wonder. Philosophy Living Grace Shampoo, Bath and Shower Gel, \$35, smells like fresh linen and flowers.

STAYING POWER
A staple during the backstage bedlam at London Fashion Week, Label.m Extreme Hold Hairspray, \$33, offers steadfast hold minus the inherent tacky residue.

IRON WILL
Ghd has redesigned its cult creation with even more oomph and a sleeker, high-tech silhouette. The Ghd Eclipse styler, \$300, maintains an optimal 185-degree heat for speedy "one pass" styling, while aerogel insulation means the outside remains cool to touch, and a sleep mode turns it off after 30 minutes. Sheer genius.

SLICK TRICK
Keune So Pure Moroccan Argan Oil, \$30, is a super-pure, fast-absorbing oil that repairs, smooths and adds bucketloads of shine to tortured hair.

COME CLEAN
A clutch-size hairspray for the eco-minded, Yarok Feed Your Hold hairspray, \$15, from www.nourishedlife.com.au, is free of alcohol, parabens and sulfates and smells of rosemary.

GET (UN)KNOTTED
Brush conditioner through hair in the shower or get knots out of pool-tangled strands with the Tangle Teezer Aqua Splash, \$33. The slim bendy bristles promise disaster-free detangling.

BESPOKE ARTICHOKE
Trilogy Smooth & Nourish Shampoo and Conditioner, \$20 each, contain Keracyn, a high-protein antioxidant derived from artichokes, to leave hair looking shiny and smelling fresh.

SET FOR LIFE
Reinvent the hot roller set with Silver Bullet Super Pod Large Thermal Hair Rollers, \$28 for four, designed for use in the Silver Bullet Super Pod Hot Roller Heater, \$200.

MASKED CRUSADER
Fashion e-tailer Asos is now delivering the sleek range from UK celebrity hairstylist Nicky Clarke to Oz. We love the Stop Fade Moisture Mask, \$37, for preventing colour run-out.

LITTLE SQUIRTS
Break one of these Senscience True Hue Colour Protecting Capsules, \$50, into your hands and run it through towel-dried hair before styling to protect colour and enhance lustre. Handy for the travel beauty bag.

