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FROM CORDLESS TRIMMERS TO SHEARS FOR LEFTIES, WE FOUND A SLEW OF NEW TOOLS. YOU KNOW YOU WANT THEM.—K.K.

# CUTTING EDGE



**MARTINO**  
by Martino Cartier Shears

feature Hitachi Japanese steel and smooth triple-hand-honed blades that slide through the hair with their true convex edge.



**WAHL**  
Chromini T-Cut Trimmer

is lightweight yet powerful, gives you 100 minutes of run time, and has a high-speed rotary motor. What's more, the extra wide detachable T-blade is ideal for detailing and close trimming.



**WAHL**  
5-Star Cordless Detailer

may be small, but it has a powerful rotary motor. Another plus: An adjustable lever allows for sharp lines on all hair textures.



**WASHI**  
Knockout Master Set

is forged from Japanese cobalt steel and features Washi's Anti-Push Edge technology for a sharp edge and superior cutting performance.



**ANDIS**  
SlimLine Pro Lithium Ion Cordless Trimmer

is perfect for light-duty touch-ups and trimming around necklines. The improved rotary motor provides more speed and power and offers up to two hours of run time.



**KAMISORI**

Jade & Rosa

shears are handcrafted and forged with ATS-314 cobalt stainless super steel. They're perfect for soft cuts as well as slice-, point- and blunt-cutting.



**FUEL Lefty Shears**

are made for left-handed stylists and ensure blade stability to avoid the "push-away" effect. Cutting edges are finished with a clamshell blade that slides gently through the hair, offering comfort and precision.



**ANDIS Supra ZR Detachable Blade Clipper** is cordless, delivers up to two hours of run time and offers five cutting speeds. The interchangeable blades can achieve any cut on wet or dry hair.



**DANIEL ROLDAN Dry Cut Shears**

are made from premium Japanese stainless steel and feature a sword blade designed especially for dry and condensed cutting.



# The Right Stuff

YOU'RE ONLY **AS GOOD AS THE TOOLS IN YOUR ARSENAL.**  
HERE ARE A FEW YOU MIGHT WANT TO CONSIDER.



## Clippers and Combs

**1** The **Slimline Pro Lithium Ion Cordless Trimmer** from **Andis** is a new ergonomic tool that has an improved rotary motor providing more speed and power. A lithium battery allows for up to two hours of consistent run time with only a two and a half hour charge. Need a nearly bare finish? This tool delivers with the close-cutting T-blade that can be zero gapped for a closer shave.

**2** **Denman's ProEdge Comb** features a unique ledge designed to help barbers and stylists accurately position scissors or clippers in place to ensure a smooth, steady cut. An added plus: this tool creates greater confidence and control and promotes proper posture for a comfortable cutting experience. Great for any scissor-over-comb technique.

**3** The newest edition to **Wahl's** range of tools is The **Big Mag Cordless Clipper**, a full-sized clipper that uses a 5-in-1 adjustable blade to easily glide through any hair texture. The adjustable blade allows for precise cutting on longer lengths of hair but can also blend fades with ease.

**4** The **DS/X4 razor** designed by **Donald Scott NYC** is a patented tool that offers perfect balance and control with a zinc-alloy top and blade holder. There's even a built-in finger holder and pinky rest for comfort—ideal for precision work around the nape of the neck, detailing behind the ears and eyebrow shaping.

**5** The **FXC880 clipper** by **BaByliss Pro** is their fastest and most powerful clipper with 9,200 cuts per minute and 25 pounds of cutting torque. What's more, it cuts all hair types wet or dry and comes with six comb attachments to cut any length. The handle has a cylindrical grip for no-slip maneuverability.



**1** **Nufree 4 Men** is a non-wax hair removal process that can remove hair from virtually any part of the body without causing pain, swelling or redness. Now you can offer male clients a pain-free method of hair removal made just for them.

**2** Want to take your professional shave game to the next level? **Wahl's Hot Lather Machine** completely heats its '19 liquid lather in 50 minutes. The lather is self-lubricating allowing the razor to glide evenly over the skin without pulling or skipping. The result: soft, clean-shaven skin.

### THE BARBERS OF INSTAGRAM

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