

Slip

Less friction. A gentler detangle.

Smoother detangling



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01 What slip means

In hair care, slip means the smooth, lubricated feel that helps strands slide past one another and a comb move through with less resistance. Conditioners can reduce surface friction and improve combability. A slippery feel describes handling; it does not establish that damaged hair has been permanently repaired. [1](#)

What influences glide [1](#), [2](#)

Conditioning formula	Condition of the cuticle
Wet or dry handling	Combing technique

02 Detangle with intention

- 1 Condition before you comb**
Use conditioner after washing. For thick, curly hair, detangle in the shower while conditioner is still on the lengths. [2](#)
- 2 Start at the ends**
Use a wide-tooth comb and work upward gradually. Move gently through tangles instead of pulling from the roots. [2](#)
- 3 Match the timing**
For straight hair, let it dry a little before combing. Wet hair is delicate, even when a product makes it feel smoother. [2](#)

03 Behind the smoother feel

Cationic conditioners

Positively charged conditioning agents attach to hair and help smooth its surface. [1](#)
The finished formula matters, not just one ingredient.

Film-forming agents

Ingredients such as dimethicone can lubricate the surface and reduce friction between strands. [1](#)
Different formulas deposit and rinse out differently.

Rinse-out vs. leave-in

Both formats can provide conditioning, but they are designed for different application steps. [1](#)
Rinse or leave in according to the product label.

04 A MANĚ leave-in option

For post-wash conditioning support; not a measured slip rating or a replacement for gentle technique.



POST-WASH CARE

[Kingman Keratin Hair Mist Leave-In Spray](#)

MANĚ describes this mist as supporting detangling. Listed key ingredients include hydrolyzed keratin, lactic acid and algae extract. Check packaging for the full formula. [3](#)

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Follow the formula. For Kingman, spray onto clean, damp hair, distribute with hands or a comb, and do not rinse. Follow current packaging directions and cautions. Keep detangling gentle rather than forcing a comb through resistance. [3](#), [2](#)

Educational guidance, not a diagnosis. For persistent hair or scalp concerns, consult a board-certified dermatologist.

Sources & product details

Sources checked 2026-09-13

[Fernandes et al. \(2023\) · Hair conditioning & friction](#)
[MANĚ · Kingman product details & directions](#)

[American Academy of Dermatology · Healthy hair tips](#)