

TRADITIONAL & TRADITIONAL DARK BRONZE RECOVERY

Traditional Bronze is considered a living finish as it will change over time. Typically it will grow darker in color to almost black. The environment bronze is exposed to such as water quality and sunlight are variables which can turn bronze blue, green, black, or brown. Bronze may even accumulate calcium deposits if not properly maintained. Hair products and other household chemicals can also discolor bronze. Please refer to our maintenance program to prevent undesirable discoloration. Traditional bronze is a base patina, it will always be the prominent color of your sink. Discolorations will only exist on the surface of the traditional bronze patina, these can usually be buffed back with a 0000 steel wool pad. Then rewax and over time should regain its original color.

How to Restore Traditional Bronze

- 1. Clean sink thoroughly taking care all wax/residue is removed.
- 2. Dilute 1 of the 3 liver sulfur stone in a (disposable cup) of warm water. Dissolve completely stirring if necessary.

 NOTE: Though liver of sulfur has a strong odor it is non toxic.
- 3. Fill sink with warm water leaving enough room for the cup of diluted liver sulfur, if your sink has an over flow plug with a rubber seal.
- 4. Add diluted liver sulfur to water taking care **not** to drip onto lip of sink as this will cause spotting. Stir gently making sure sink is evenly exposed.
- 5. Allow to sit, within 5 minutes there should be color change varying from dark brown to black. If there is no change strengthen formula (step 2).
- 6. When color change has occurred drain, rinse then dry with a hair dryer. **Do not leave formula in sink after color change.**
- **7.** Wearing latex gloves burnish the sink in a clockwise direction with a 0000 steel wool pad buffing back to reveal the traditional bronze patina.
- 8. Wipe out residue with a clean dry cloth. Wax to protect your restored traditional bronze sink.

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