

NEWPORT BRASS®

Flawless Beauty. From Faucet to Finish.™

GROUP I



26 - POLISHED CHROME

GROUP II



01 - FOREVER BRASS (PVD)



03N - UNCOATED POL. BRASS



034 - AGED BRASS



04 - SATIN BRASS (PVD)



06 - ANTIQUE BRASS



07 - ENGLISH BRONZE



10B - OIL RUBBED BRONZE



VB - VENETIAN BRONZE



14 - GUN METAL



15 - POLISHED NICKEL



15A - ANTIQUE NICKEL



15S - SATIN NICKEL



20 - STAINLESS STEEL (PVD)



50 - WHITE



52 - MATTE WHITE



54 - BLACK



56 - FLAT BLACK



65 - BISCUIT

GROUP III



03W - WEATHERED BRASS



08A - ANTIQUE COPPER



08W - WEATHERED COPPER



10 - SATIN BRONZE (PVD)



24 - POLISHED GOLD (PVD)



24A - FRENCH GOLD (PVD)



24S - SATIN GOLD



ORB - OIL RUBBED BRONZE
HAND RELIEVED

01	FOREVER BRASS (PVD)	10	SATIN BRONZE (PVD)	24A	FRENCH GOLD (PVD)
03	POLISHED BRASS COATED	10B	OIL RUBBED BRONZE	24S	SATIN GOLD (PVD)
03N	UNCOATED POL. BRASS	ORB	OIL RUBBED BRONZE	26	POLISHED CHROME
03W	WEATHERED BRASS	VB	VENETIAN BRONZE	50	WHITE
034	AGED BRASS	14	GUN METAL	52	MATTE WHITE
04	SATIN BRASS (PVD)	15	POLISHED NICKEL	54	GLOSS BLACK
06	ANTIQUE BRASS	15A	ANTIQUE NICKEL	56	FLAT BLACK
07	ENGLISH BRONZE	15S	SATIN NICKEL (PVD)	65	BISCUIT
08A	ANTIQUE COPPER	20	STAINLESS STEEL (PVD)		
08W	WEATHERED COPPER	24	POLISHED GOLD (PVD)		

NEWPORT BRASS DECORATIVE FINISHES INFORMATION SHEET

Finish Code	Finish By Name	Finish Coating	Product Warranty #	Price Group	Comments
* 01	Forever Brass®	PVD	Lifetime	2	
*** 03	Polished Brass, Coated	Lacquered Clear	10 Year Warranty	2	Available on Brasstech items only.
** 03N	Polished Brass, Uncoated	None	No warranty offered.	2	Living finish, no warranty, no returns. Finish subject to change regardless of usage and maintenance.
03W	Weathered Brass	Clear Matte	10 Year Warranty	3	
034	Aged Brass	Clear Gloss	10 Year Warranty	2	Each component could have its own unique color properties from part-to-part within the same product.
* 04	Satin Brass	PVD	Lifetime	2	
06	Antique Brass	Clear Gloss	10 Year Warranty	2	Depending on product detail, the finish may be heavily antiqued, or barely at all.
07	English Bronze	Clear Matte	10 Year Warranty	2	Finish can be inconsistent due to reaction with brass used for different components.
08A	Antique Copper	Clear Gloss	10 Year Warranty	3	Depending on product detail, the finish may be heavily antiqued, or barely at all.
** 08W	Weathered Copper	Clear Matte	No warranty offered.	3	Living finish, no warranty, no returns. Finish subject to change regardless of usage and maintenance.
**** 09	Old World Bronze	Clear Matte	10 Year Warranty	2	Select Newport 365 collections only
* 10	Satin Bronze	PVD	Lifetime	3	It is the nature of the finish to have an inconsistent hue.
10B	Oil Rubbed Bronze	Powder Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	
ORB	Oil Rubbed Bronze - Hand Relieved	Clear Matte	10 Year Warranty	3	
VB	Venetian Bronze	Clear Matte	10 Year Warranty	2	
14	Gun Metal	Clear Matte	10 Year Warranty	2	
15	Polished Nickel	Plated	10 Year Warranty	2	
15A	Antique Nickel	Clear Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	Depending on product detail, the finish may be heavily antiqued, or barely at all.
* 15S	Satin Nickel	PVD	Lifetime	2	
* 20	Stainless Steel	PVD	Lifetime	2	
* 24	Polished Gold	PVD	Lifetime	3	
* 24A	French Gold	PVD	Lifetime	3	
* 24S	Satin Gold	PVD	Lifetime	3	
26	Polished Chrome	Electroplated	Lifetime	1	
50	White	Powder Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	
52	Matte White	Powder Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	
54	Gloss Black	Powder Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	
56	Flat Black	Powder Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	
65	Biscuit	Powder Coat	10 Year Warranty	2	

* PVD is not available for all items, substitute finish may be used on select products.

** Finish is a "living finish" and is subject to change over time regardless of usage and maintenance.

*** Available on Brasstech items only.

**** Available on select Newport 365 collections only

Polished chrome and PVD finishes on kitchen, bath, and lavatory drains and baskets are warranted for one (1) year. All other drain finishes have no warranty.

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PVD Finish Overview

Physical Vapor Deposition (PVD) is a finishing process that takes place inside a vacuum chamber where pure metals are combined with reactive gases to create hard, durable metallic colors. Within this chamber, plasma vapor consisting of reactive gases such as nitrogen and acetylene combine with certain metals and are deposited on the parts being coated to create the desired color.

PVD finishes have a high degree of hardness and are highly resistant to abrasion and to chemical attack. PVD is superior to other plated finishes and offers the most durable and vibrant finishes available. It is smoother, brighter and harder, and is a 100% environmentally friendly process. No pollutants or harmful gases are created during the PVD process. PVD eliminates most problems associated with plated and organically coated finishes that can tarnish if the clear coating covering them is scratched. With PVD, the desired decorative finish is even more durable than polished chrome.

In addition to being durable and beautiful, PVD finishes are discoloration resistant and easy-to-clean, important features customers expect from kitchen and bath fixtures.

All PVD finishes from Newport Brass carry a lifetime warranty against corrosion, tarnishing, or discoloring.



Aged Brass Finish (034) Overview

Due to the artisan manufacturing process utilized to create the aged brass aesthetic, color variations should be expected. Each component may have its own unique color properties due to the following factors.

- A variety of brass alloys are utilized during the manufacturing process. Each type of brass has different properties including strength, machinability, and color. These differing factors affect the absorption characteristics of the base material and how a particular part looks after it has gone through the finishing process.
- The manner in which brass is formed and shaped also impacts the appearance of the ultimate finished piece. As an example, a forged component may have a different color profile than a machined component, which in turn may have different absorption properties than a bent tube.

The natural color variations of the Aged Brass Finish have been developed specifically to add depth, character, and distinction to each elegant design. The aging process showcases the natural variations of the underlying brass substrate, giving each fixture its own aesthetic characteristics.



Living Finish Overview

Polished Brass, Uncoated (03N) and Weathered Copper (08W)

Living Finishes have **NO PROTECTIVE COATING** so they are very delicate and can easily be scratched or scuffed if not cared for properly. The unique characteristic of these finishes is that they wear and age over time. Essentially, the finish replicates what nature would do to the surface material naturally when exposed to the elements. These products will tend to darken on the areas that are infrequently touched and lighten or highlight on the areas that are contacted on a consistent basis. It is important to note that the aging process will vary depending on a number of factors including but not limited to:

- Newport Brass utilizes a variety of brass alloys during the manufacturing process. Each brass has different properties and absorption characteristics that can impact how a particular part ages over time.
- The manner in which brass is formed may also impact the appearance of the ultimate finished piece. For example, a forged component may have a different color profile than a machined component which in turn may look different than a bent tube.
- Environmental factors including ozone exposure, salt content in the atmosphere, and UV light may impact the aging process.

The net effect is that each component could have its own unique color properties from part-to-part within the same product. In effect, the aging process cannot be predicted or controlled and color variations should be expected. The **buyer** assumes the risk that a product may fail to meet their expectations as the product ages.

Examples of color variations of the 03N finish are shown below. These pictures depict differences in the aging process within the same product due to the factors previously described. These photos are not a guarantee or predictor of how this same product would age if placed into a particular environment. Each product and environment is unique.



Soaps, acidic fluids, and astringent cleaners can damage the finish. Avoid using abrasive pads, sponges, or cloths to clean the product. Do not allow water spots to dry on the fixture. Periodic cleaning can be done by using a micro-crystalline wax (Renaissance Wax is recommended). Apply the wax with a soft tissue or cloth and gently buff the wax with a soft clean cloth to remove surface spots and add a protective coating to the finish.