



# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

## Vista Patinas

**Product Description:** **Vista Patinas** are designed to create a unique look every time. Blending the world between reactive and non-reactive patinas, Vista Patinas should develop into a blend between green and the color of purchase. For example, the Vista Rust will be green and rusty colored while the Vista Blue will be green and blue in color. Always allow the Vista Patinas to dry a minimum of 3 days before clear coating. Though not normally recommended, Vista Patinas will cause rust plus the color of purchase if used on steel and iron. **DO NOT** apply in direct sunlight, optimal temperature is between 50-80° F.

**Safety:** Use in a well ventilated area. Always wear goggles or face shield, vapor respirator, protective clothing and gloves when handling the product.

**Directions:** 1) Clean the metal with Sculpt Nouveau Metal Cleaner and Degreaser and a Scotch-Brite pad, rinse with water after a few minutes. For more consistent and better reactions, sanding or sandblasting is recommended. Cleaning the surface is mandatory after sanding or handling with bare hands.

**DO NOT** use Acetone or any solvent based cleaners.

2) Apply the Vista Patina to the metal surface or Metal Coating surface, by brush, sponge, roll, or spray, however you get the patina on the metal, it will react with the surface but it may show characteristics based on application method. Spraying is the most common method for uniform finishes and sponging is nice for more of a mottled finish. Normal reaction time is multiple hours even though it will start showing some changes in the first couple of hours. It is recommended to apply the patina and leave it alone overnight. **DO NOT** rinse this patina; it is designed to dry on the surface.

3) After 24 hours, if desired, you can reapply the patina, apply a different patina, or burnish the finish back. Try not to apply heavy additional coats, only light additional coats should be added to avoid causing the patina to flake. For burnishing, use water, micro fiber towels, or 0000 steel wool to achieve the look you desire.

4) About 72 hours after you apply the patina, you can clear coat the metal. Heat the metal with a heat gun or allow it to dry on its own. In any case, you need to be sure that there is no excess moisture retained in the metal surface. This will cause the patina and clear coat to not adhere properly. Apply desired clear coat such as Clear Guard EF or Ever Clear.

**Before Using:** Please read, understand, and follow all the precautions shown on the product label and on the Safety Data Sheets.

The Safety Data Sheets can be found on our website: [www.sculptnouveau.com](http://www.sculptnouveau.com)

### Technical Data

Physical State: Liquid color of purchase

Boiling Point: > 100°C (>212°F)

Coverage: About 200 Sq. Ft. Per Gallon

Solubility In Water: Complete  
PH: 2.4

V.O.C.: Not applicable

Metals that it is designed

Flammability Limits: Not flammable

to be used on: Bronze, Brass, and Copper

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