

VINTAJ TOOL GLOSSARY



1.5mm Hole Punch
Pliers

Ideal for riveting and hole punching in Vintaj blanks and more. Plier offers a 1.5mm round punch with precise clearance for a clean cut. Punches the perfect size hole for riveting with Vintaj nail head rivets. Also, punch additional holes in blanks to create drops and connectors. Built in gentle return springs and grip handles provide optimal comfort.



Round Nose Pliers

This is a must have for creating settings with Vintaj filigree. Great for linking with eye pins and head pins. Features round nose with extra fine tips for creating simple and wrapped loops. Ideal for wire techniques. Built in cutter. Hardy, durable with a secure Ergonomic grip.



Chain Nose Pliers

This is the ultimate Vintaj crimping, clamping, clasping tool. We highly recommend this plier. This is essential for closing jump rings, crimping, for use in the Vintaj linking process and is invaluable for creating settings with Vintaj filigree. Built in cutter. Hardy, durable with a secure Ergonomic grip.



1-Step Looper

Create and trim eye pins in one motion with consistent size loops every time. Works with dead-soft or half-hard precious metal wire, craft wire, copper or brass core wire. Bends and trims wire between 26-18 gauge. Easily customize the length of eye pins. Save time designing with this convenient tool.



Filigree Shaping/Bale
Pliers

This is the ultimate Vintaj creative settings tool. Ideal for bending, forming, and shaping filigree into settings, bails, rings, and more. Its cylinders create symmetrical bends and loops. Built in spring-action reduces hand fatigue. Secure, non-skid grip. Two cylinder sizes: 6mm and 8.5mm.



Steel Bench &
Rubber Dampening Blocks

Steel Bench Block has 6 working surfaces which offer ideal resilience when texturing, letter imprinting, riveting, and more. Perfect for filing and other detail work. Use with Rubber Dampening Block to deaden sound and vibration, while having a sturdy and solid creating surface. Rubber block's non-skid surface is also ideal for hammering and removing dents from metal.



Letter & Number
Imprinting sets

Use these punch sets to stamp words and numbers into metal. These durable punches create 3mm (1/8") tall stamped impressions. Letter set includes 26 uppercase alphabet punches, plus an "&" symbol. Number set includes 9 number punches. All punches are marked for easy letter orientation. Includes a compact deluxe canvas storage pouch. Individually labeled slots keep punches organized to find the punch you need quickly and easily!



8 oz Hammer

4 oz Riveting Hammer

These Ball Pein hammers can be used universally in crafting, jewelry, and more. 8 oz size is ideal for imprinting words into altered blanks. 4 oz size is ideal for riveting. Use either to texture metal, as well as hammer charms and findings to create a distressed look.



Dapping Block &
Punch

Form, dome, and shape altered blanks. Features 6 different size depressions. Will not scratch or mar precious metals. Pair 8 oz Hammer with wood punch to dap. Set includes one wood dapping block and two dapping punches.



Flush Cutters

Ideal for cutting head pins, eye pins, wire, rivets, chain, filigree and more. Precision cutter stays sharp and produces a clean, flush cut. Easy to use with a comfortable Ergonomic grip.



Metal Shears

These metal shears cut easily through Vintaj blanks and sheet metal. 1.5" long straight cutting blades. Single-leaf spring for added comfort and ease of use. Locking mechanism for safe storage.



Metal File

Use this metal file for a range of purposes with Vintaj metals. Smooth or file any edge. Smooth rough edges of altered blanks cut with Metal Shears. Smooth burrs created when cutting loops off of charms. Ergonomic grip.



Metal Awl

Expand loops or holes in charms to accommodate rivets, as well as enlarging openings in filigree and expanding soldered chain links to accommodate jump rings. Ergonomic grip.



Ring Mandrel

Solid steel heavy duty wire working tool. Ideal for hammering metal, forming rings, and re-shaping rings that have become bent.



Patina & Glaze

Vintaj Patinas are opaque inks specially formulated by Ranger Ink to adhere to metal. They create beautiful, durable patina effects, and easily clean up with water. Colorize metal, leather, wood, and more. Available in a variety of hues, the Patinas can be blended and layered to create endless effects. Fast drying with a permanent satin finish. No acids and UV safe. Available in Matte and Satin finishes, Glaze can be used as a Patina extender to create a color wash, or metal sealer to prevent oxidation.



Non-stick Craft sheet

Protect and keep your work surface clean. Smooth, non-stick, reusable, multi-purpose craft sheet allows for easy clean up. Ideal for use with patinas, glaze, resin, adhesives, and more.



Sizzix BIGkick

BIGkick machine cuts, embosses and etches many different designs while customizing almost endless combinations of creations. Emboss and Etch Vintaj blanks, and cut and emboss Vintaj arte foil to create a variety of beautiful jewelry components and craft embellishments. Compatible with DecoEtch, DecoEmboss and Bezel Framelit Dies. Standard cutting pads, solo platform and shim included. Additional accessories available.



DecoEtch
Die



DecoEmboss
Die

Each DecoEtch die instantly etches intricate patterns into different shapes of Vintaj blanks (without the use of chemicals).

Each DecoEmboss die elegantly embosses beautiful designs onto different shapes of Vintaj blanks.

Use Deco dies with Sizzix BIGkick on malleable metals only. Create unique metal charms, pendants and embellishments for personalized projects such as jewelry. For different design possibilities place the metal blank onto varying areas of the dies with each use. To highlight the raised areas of an etched or embossed blank, use the Vintaj Metal Relieving Block.

Bezel Framelit
Dies



Cut what you see. It's that easy with Bezel Framelits. These wafer-thin die sets feature the perfect registration without interference from any ridges at the edge of the die opening. Designed to coordinate with the shapes of a variety of Vintaj bezels. Use with Sizzix BIGkick to personalize jewelry and more. Simply cut a single sheet of Vintaj Arte Foil, matte photo paper, cardstock paper, vellum or thin fabrics to place into bezel openings. Excellent for clearly cropping photos, or can be used as a stencil. Solo Wafer-Thin Die Adapter is required for use with Framelits (sold separately from BIGkick machine).



Metal Relieving Block

Perfect for adding design relief to all of your projects. Created especially for sanding the raised areas of Vintaj metal products, to show off their fine detail. Remove patina from raised areas of metal, lightly relief embossed designs, buff and polish for added shine. Use on a variety of surfaces for all forms of art and craft.