



**AMERICAN ACCENTS  
 DECORATIVE KITS**

**DESCRIPTION AND USES**

Rust-Oleum® American Accents® base coat provides a durable metallic finish for use on interior/exterior metal, wood, plaster, masonry, and unglazed ceramic surfaces. Enamel Sprays provide a smooth satin finish, which dry fast and are ideal for indoor and outdoor projects to include wood, metal, wicker, and more. Not for use on galvanized metal.

**PRODUCTS**

7981955	Antique Gold
7985955	Light Patina
7983955	Antique Pewter
202732	Antique Copper

**PRODUCT KIT INCLUDES:**

- Metallic Base Coat Spray
- ½- Pint Antique Topcoat
- Foam Brush
- Abrasive Pad
- Idea Booklet

**PRODUCT APPLICATION**

**PAINTING CONDITIONS**

Use outdoors or in a well ventilated area such as an open garage. Use when temperature is between 50°F (10°C) and 90°F (32°C) and humidity is below 65% to ensure proper drying. Do not apply to surfaces, when heated, exceed 200°F (93°C). Avoid spraying in very windy and dusty conditions. Cover surrounding area to protect from spray mist.

**SURFACE PREPARATION**

Remove all dirt, grease, oil, salt and chemical contaminants by washing the surface with a commercial detergent, or other suitable cleaning method. Rinse with fresh water and allow to thoroughly dry. Remove loose paint and rust with a wire brush or sandpaper. Lightly sand glossy surfaces. **WARNING!** If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. **LEAD IS TOXIC.** Contact the U.S.EPA/Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).

**PRODUCT APPLICATION (cont.)**

**APPLICATION**

**Aerosol Base Coat** - Shake can vigorously for one minute after the mixing ball begins to rattle. If mixing ball fails to rattle **DO NOT STRIKE CAN**. Contact Rust-Oleum. Shake often during use. Hold can upright 10-14" from surface and spray in a steady back-and-forth motion, slightly overlapping each stroke. Keep the can the same distance from the surface and in motion while spraying.

Apply a light coat followed by a heavier wet coat for the best appearance. Do not use near open flame. The base coat dries in 30 minutes. Once the base coat has dried, gently rub the metallic base with the abrasive pad to promote adhesion between coats.

**Antique Topcoat** – Before applying the antique topcoat, dampen paper towels or lint-free rags with fresh water and set aside. Stir the topcoat thoroughly to ensure any settled pigment is re-dispersed. Working in small areas (6"x6"), use the sponge brush to wipe on the antique coating. Be sure to apply in all crevices and grooves. Do not apply too heavily to avoid drips. Immediately with the water towel or rags, begin to quickly wipe off the topcoat without removing from the crevices. Use a blotting motion to remove excess topcoat pooled in the crevices and grooves. The towel will not remove much antique coating as it absorbs excess quickly as the towel becomes saturated. Change towels frequently and allow the topcoat to collect in the crevices to enhance the antique effect. Extend the blotting beyond the painted area by about 1 inch to feather the edges and avoid striping. Once the desired look has been achieved, proceed to the next area and repeat the process.

**DRY & RECOAT**

Dry and recoat times are based on 70°F and 50% relative humidity. Allow more time at cooler temperatures. The aerosol base coat dries to touch in 20 minutes, to handle in 1 hour and fully dry in 24 hours. The antique topcoat dries to touch in 20 minutes and can be recoated after 1 hour.

**CLEAN-UP**

**Aerosol Base Coat** - When finished spraying, clear spray valve by turning can upside down and depressing spray button for 3-5 seconds. If the valve clogs, twist and pull off spray tip and rinse in a solvent such as mineral spirits. Do not insert any object into can valve opening. Clean-up wet paint with xylene or mineral spirits. Properly discard empty container. Do not burn or place in home trash compactor.

**Antique Topcoat** – Clean brush immediately with soap and water. Clean-up dried paint with xylene or mineral spirits.

**PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

		<b>AMERICAN ACCENTS DECORATIVE KITS</b>	
		<b>Base Coat Spray</b>	<b>Acrylic Finish</b>
<b>Resin Type</b>		Modified Alkyd	Water-based Acrylic
<b>Pigment Type</b>		Varies with Color	Calcium Carbonate
<b>Solvents</b>		Acetone, Naphtha, Xylene	Water, Texanol, Glycols
<b>MIR</b>		1.4 Max	NA
<b>Fill Weight</b>		12 ounces	NA
<b>Weight</b>	<b>per Gallon</b>	NA	10.5-10.8 lbs.
	<b>per Liter</b>	NA	1.26-1.29 kg
<b>Solids</b>	<b>by Weight</b>	NA	47.6-52.2%
	<b>by Volume</b>	NA	34.2-37.8%
<b>VOC</b>		NA	<218 g/l (1.81 lbs./gal.)
<b>Recommended Dry Film Thickness (DFT) per Coat</b>		1.0-2.0 mils (25-50 $\mu$ )	1.0-2.0 mils (25-50 $\mu$ )
<b>Wet Film to Achieve DFT (unthinned material)</b>		NA	3.0-6.0 mils (75-150 $\mu$ )
<b>Theoretical Coverage at 1 mil DFT (25<math>\mu</math>)</b>		NA	34-38 sq.ft. per 8 oz. can (0.84-0.93 m <sup>2</sup> /l)
<b>Practical Coverage at Recommended DFT (assumes 15% material loss)</b>		10-12 sq. ft./can (0.9-1.09 m <sup>2</sup> /can)	14-32 sq.ft. per 8 oz. can (0.34-0.78 m <sup>2</sup> /l)
<b>Dry Times at 77°F (25°C) and 50% Relative Humidity</b>	<b>Touch</b>	20 minutes	20 minutes
	<b>Handle</b>	1 hour	1 hour
	<b>Recoat</b>	Within 1 hour or after 24 hours	After 1 hour
<b>Dry Heat Resistance</b>		200°F (93°C)	NA
<b>Shelf Life</b>		5 years	5 years
<b>Safety Information</b>	<b>Flash Point</b>	-156°F (-144°C)	>212°F (96°C))
	<b>Warning!</b>	<b>For additional information, see MSDS.</b>	

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