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**RUST-OLEUM®**  
SPECIALTY**SPECIALTY  
CHALKBOARD SPRAY****DESCRIPTION AND USES**

Rust-Oleum® Specialty Chalkboard Spray is a finish that converts wood, metal, plastic, glass, paperboard, and hardboard into a useable chalkboard surface.

**PRODUCTS**

SKU	Description
1913830	Black (12 ounces)
302487	Clear (11 ounces)

**PRODUCT APPLICATION****SURFACE PREPARATION**

**ALL SURFACES:** Remove all dirt, grease, oil, salt and chemical contaminants by washing the surface with a commercial detergent, or other suitable cleaning method. Mold and mildew must be cleaned with a chlorinated cleaner or bleach solution. Rinse with fresh water and allow to thoroughly dry.

**STEEL:** Scrape and wire brush or power tool clean to remove loose rust, scale, and deteriorated coatings. Use 7569838 Red Primer for sound rusted or clean metal before application of a finish coat.

**PREVIOUSLY COATED:** Previously coated surfaces must be sound and in good condition. Smooth, hard, or glossy surfaces should be scarified by sanding to create a surface profile.

Removal of old paint by sanding, scraping or other means may generate dust or fumes that contain lead. LEAD IS TOXIC. Contact the U.S.EPA/Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD pr log on to [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).

**PRODUCT APPLICATION (cont.)****APPLICATION**

Apply only when air and surface temperatures are between 50-90°F (10-32°C) and the relative humidity is below 85% to ensure proper drying. Use in a properly ventilated area. Cover surrounding area to protect from overspray. Overspray can carry a significant distance. 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. Hold can upright 12-16" from surface and spray in a steady back and forth motion, slightly overlapping each stroke. Keep the can the same distance from the surface. Keep the can in motion while spraying. Apply several light coats a few minutes apart to avoid drips and runs. **Do not use near open flame.**

When fully dry, prepare the surface for use by rubbing side of chalk over the entire surface. Erase and the chalkboard is ready for use. For best results, use only calcium carbonate chalk and felt erasers. Other chalks will scratch the surface.

**DRY & RECOAT**

Dry and recoat times are based on 70°F (21°C) and 50% relative humidity. Dries tack free in 20 minutes and can be handled in 1 hour. Recoat within 1 hour or after 24 hours.

**CLEAN-UP**

Clean valve immediately after use by turning can upside down and depressing spray button for 3-5 seconds (some paint will be sprayed out, so be careful to not inadvertently spray yourself or other objects). Clean up wet paint with xylene or mineral spirits. Throw away empty can in trash pick-up. Do not burn or place in home trash compactor.

**CLOGGING**

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.

**TECHNICAL DATA**

**SPECIALTY CHALKBOARD SPRAY**

**PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical Properties		CHALKBOARD SPRAY
Resin Type		Acrylic Modified Alkyd
Pigment Type		Carbon Black (1913830), Silica (302487)
Solvents		Acetone, Butyl Acetate, Mineral Spirits, VM&P Naphtha, Xylene
MIR		0.80 Max
Fill Weight		12 ounces (1913830), 11 ounces (302487)
Practical Coverage at Recommended DFT (assumes 15% material loss)		Approximately 7 sq.ft./can (0.63 m <sup>2</sup> /can)
Dry Times at 70-80°F (21-27°C) and 50% Relative Humidity	Tack Free	20 minutes
	Handle	1 hour
	Recoat	Within 1 hour or after 24 hours
Dry Heat Resistance		200°F (93°C)
Shelf Life		5 years
Flash Point		-156°F (-104°C)
Safety Information		For additional information, see SDS

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