



**AMERICAN ACCENTS
DECORATIVE KITS**

DESCRIPTION AND USES

Rust-Oleum® American Accents® base coat spray provides a durable metallic finish for use on interior/exterior metal, wood, plaster, masonry, wicker and unglazed ceramic surfaces. The base coat sprays dry to a smooth satin finish. Not for use on galvanized metal. The antique topcoat is designed to add antique quality to bare wood and previously painted wood, as well as metal, plaster, masonry and unglazed ceramics. It is suitable for interior use or for use in a covered outdoor location. This easy 2-step process does not require priming.

PRODUCTS

SKU	Description
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 temperatures are between 50-90°F (10-32°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 soap and water, 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 from any surface, you may release lead paint dust. **LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE; ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE.** Wear a NIOSH approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead.

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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 AND RECOAT TIMES

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.

TECHNICAL DATA

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		BASE COAT SPRAY	ACRYLIC TOP COAT
Resin Type		Modified Alkyd	Water-based Acrylic
Pigment Type		Varies with color	Calcium Carbonate
Solvents		Acetone, Naphtha, Xylene	Water, Glycol Ethers
MIR		Maximum value of 0.95	NA
Fill Weight		12 ounces	NA
Weight	Per Gallon	NA	10.5-10.8 lbs.
	Per Liter	NA	1.26-1.29 kg
Solids	By Weight	NA	47.6-52.2%
	By Volume	NA	34.2-37.8%
Volatile Organic Compounds		NA	<220 g/l (1.83 lbs./gal.)
Recommended Dry Film Thickness (DFT) per Coat		1.0-2.0 mils (25-50µ)	1.0-2.0 mils (25-50µ)
Wet Film to Achieve DFT (unthinned material)		NA	3.0-6.0 mils (75-150µ)
Theoretical Coverage at 1 mil DFT (25µ)		NA	34-38 sq.ft. per 8 oz. can (0.84-0.93 m ² /l)
Practical Coverage at Recommended DFT (assumes 15% material loss)		10-12 sq.ft./can (0.9-1.09 m ² /can)	14-32 sq.ft. per 8 oz. can (0.23-0.78 m ² /l)
Dry Times at 70-80°F (21-27°C) and 50% Relative Humidity	Touch	20 minutes	20 minutes
	Handle	1 hour	1 hour
	Recoat	Within 1 hour or after 24 hours	After 1 hour
Dry Heat Resistance		200°F (93°C)	NA
Shelf Life		5 years	5 years
Flash Point		-156°F (-104°C)	>200°F (93°C)
Safety Information		For additional information, see SDS	

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