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RUST-OLEUM®
SPECIALTY

SPECIALTY CHALKBOARD PAINT TINT BASE

DESCRIPTION AND USES

Rust-Oleum® Specialty Chalkboard Paint Tint Base is an ultra-hard scratch resistant finish that allows you to create a unique writeable-erasable surface. Chalkboard Paint can be applied to wood, metal, masonry, drywall, plaster, glass, concrete, terra cotta, paperboard and hardwood. Products are formulated with slate-like materials. It provides the perfect surface for chalk writing on walls, doors, tables, cabinets, picture frames, flower pots and more. It's also ideal for resurfacing ping pong tables.

PRODUCTS

SKU	Description
243783	Tint Base

Available in 12 colors using 243783 Tint Base. Colors include Banner Blue, Coffee, Deep Teal, Fresco Red, Garnet, Grape Fizz, Latte Moonstone, Peapod, Periwinkle, Raspberry, and School House.

PAINTING APPLICATION

SURFACE PREPARATION

Remove loose paint and rust with a wire brush or sandpaper. Lightly sand glossy surfaces. Clean with soap and water, rinse and let dry.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand or remove old paint, you may release lead 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 sand, 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.

PRODUCT APPLICATION (cont.)

PRIMING

Use of Painter's Touch® or American Accents® latex primer provides for excellent adhesion and hiding and is especially recommended for bare wood and metal. You can apply Chalkboard Paint 2 hours after applying the primer. After priming bare wood, sand lightly to smooth out the surface.

APPLICATION

Mix thoroughly to ensure any settled pigment is re-dispersed. Thinning is not required. In hot, dry conditions, you may thin up to 2 oz. per quart with water to extend dry time. Use a good quality synthetic brush, ¼" to ⅜" nap roller or a foam roller designed to give a smooth finish. Avoid excessive brushing or rolling. Use light, even stokes to ensure an even and the smoothest finish. Minimum of 2 coats is required. May require more additional coats over contrasting colors.

DRY & RECOAT TIMES

Dry and recoat times are based on 70ºF (21°C) and 50% relative humidity. Allow more time at cooler temperatures. Dries to touch in 30 minutes, to handle in 2 hours and is fully dry in 2-4 hours. May be recoated after 4 hours.

CLEAN UP

Clean brush and other application tools immediately with soap and water. Properly discard empty container.

CONDITIONING AND USE

After 3 days, the chalkboard finish is ready for use. Before writing, condition the surface by rubbing the side of a piece of chalk over the entire surface and erase. This will leave a coat of chalk dust that will provide the best erasability. Chalkboard can be wiped clean with a damp cloth. Wait 7 days after painting before wiping it down. Repeat conditioning step after cleaning.

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TECHNICAL DATA

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PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

		CHALKBOARD TINT BASES
Resin Type		Acrylic
Pigment Type		Titanium Dioxide, Nepheline Syenite
Solvents		Water, Glycol, Ester Alcohol
Weight	**Per Gallon**	10.6 lbs.
	Per Liter	1.27 kg
Solids	**By Weight**	54.6%
	By Volume	41.8%
Volatile Organic Compound		<250 g/l (2.08 lbs./gal.)
Recommended Dry Film Thickness (DFT) per Coat		1.5-2.0 mils 37.5-50µ)
Wet Film to Achieve DFT (unthinned material)		3.5-5.0 mils (87.5-125µ)
Practical Coverage at Recommended DFT (assumes 15% material loss)		95-120 sq.ft./30 oz. (based on actual application)
Dry Times at 70-80°F (21-27°C) and 50% Relative Humidity	**Touch**	30 minutes
	Handle	2 hours
	Recoat	4 hours
Shelf Life		5 years
Dry Heat Resistance		NA
Flash Point		>200°F (93°C)
Safety Information		For additional information, see SDS

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