

Ste With Modern Masters

METAL EFFECTS® KIT | A Guide to a Rust Finish



The oxidizing finish kits from Modern Masters transform any paintable surface* in minutes, turning ordinary objects into extraordinary works of art. The Aging Solution reacts with the real metal in the paint. The result is a real patina finish, just like Mother Nature.



SUPPLIES INCLUDED IN KIT

Instructional Pamphlet, Metal Effects Primer, Oxidizing Iron Paint, Rust Activator, Chip Brushes, Stir Sticks NOT INCLUDED IN KIT Dropcloth, 2" painter's tape, masking paper (optional), clean cotton rags

PREP IT

For best results the project surface should be sound, clean and dry prior to priming. Remove all loose, peeling paint. Scuff sand glossy surfaces.

*Metal Effects Primer does not stick well to a galvanized surface nor an oil base surface.



Step-by-Step with Modern Masters

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PRIME IT

Metal Effects Primer can be applied to clean metal, wood, masonry, plaster and previously painted surfaces.

- 1. Stir well before use with the stir stick provided.
- 2. Apply 2 coats (wait approx. ¹/₂ hour between coats) of Metal Effects Primer with the chip brush supplied. DO NOT THIN! Allow primer to dry (approx. 12 hours).



PAINT & OXIDIZE IT

- 3. Stir Oxidizing Iron Paint well before use with the stir stick provided. Apply two or more coats (until full coverage is achieved) with the chip brush supplied. Wait about 1/2 hour between coats. Allow to dry (approx. 1 hour).
- 4. Spray on a light coat of Rust Activator over the entire surface. Do not saturate the surface as it will create pooling and over activate the finish. If you do overspray, simply blot the area with a clean cotton rag. After 5 minutes, reapply Rust Activator. As the activated surface dries (approx. 30-40 min.) a real rust finish will appear (fig. 6). Cold temperature and/or humid conditions will prolong the oxidation process and dry time.
- 5. Optional: It's recommended to seal the Rust finish on interior areas where there may be contact to prevent rub-off and exterior applications to prevent runoff of the finish onto surrounding surfaces. Shake well before using. After surface is dry for 24 hours, spray on a light coat of Permacoat Xtreme Sealer over the entire surface. Do not saturate the surface as it will create pooling. Repeat the process if necessary for complete surface coverage.

You are done!