

My Rust concoction, quick, easy & effective.

### **Mixtures**

Not all salt, vinegar and iron fillings are equal, I have spent years trying different types of all and these listed simply work so well.

Make sure you have the proper ingredients to achieve a fast and exceptional looking rust, the type of iron fillings, vinegar and Hydrogen peroxide must be the same as listed, this is very important, and use protective gloves.

Add 1 part salt, 4 parts vinegar and 6 parts peroxide (by volume). Into a small tub.

Mix all ingredients well until the salt has fully dissolved, the finer the salt the easier to mix.

Transfer this mixture into a fine mister bottle and label it Activator.

Pour pure hydrogen peroxide into a second mixer bottle and label it Hydrogen Peroxide 3%

Fill a shaker bottle with the magnetic iron fillings.

### **Application**

I use a few ways to apply this:

1. Place item onto a sheet of paper, apply Quick grab glue with a brush to the area you wish to rust, while the glue is still wet sprinkle the magnetic iron fillings into the glue, shake off excess onto the paper, return the fillings back into the shaker pot and allow to dry.

2. Spray a generous coat of activator to the surface, you will notice rust starting to form instantly, you will also get some bubbling, this is just a reaction and completely normal. Wait approximately 15mins and spray another coat of activator and allow to dry. After this you can spray pure Hydrogen Peroxide at intervals to keep developing the rust effect, it all depends on what you want.

1A. Stipple quick grab glue through a stencil of your choice  
Repeat steps 1&2.

2A. Apply a thin coat of Quick grab glue onto a teflon sheet, a glazed ceramic tile or sheet of glass. Using a rubber stamp, pat it into the glue and stamp the surface of your substrate.  
Repeat steps 1&2

3A. For finer detailing and patches of the glue and allow to dry slightly until tacky, pick up the fillings with a small dry soft brush and gently apply onto the tacky glue.  
Repeat step 2.

Experiment by dripping the solution on the surface to create rust runs.

**Please note: do not dip a brush used for applying iron fillings directly into the bottles, it will start the reaction and render them useless.**