

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. What is RUST-X?

A. RUST-X is a specialty engineered water-based coating for covering and stopping rusting on asphalt and concrete pavements. Being black in color, it can be used as a primer or stand-alone product.

Q. When should I use RUST-X?

A. It should be used when rust spots start appearing on asphalt surfaces. Prime with RUST-X for preventing and progression of rusting. Recommended for All asphalt surfaces with rust spotting problems, e.g. commercial and residential properties. Concrete surfaces with rust spots can also be treated with RUST-X, but the entire surface will have to be coated with Rust-X, for even satin black appearance.

Q. How does STAR RUST-X work?

A. As the pavement ages, iron (pyrites) in the aggregate oxidizes and change into rust (Iron Oxide). Rust inhibiting chemicals built in RUST-X, hinder the formation/expansion of Iron oxides by forming a protective barrier, thus reducing rusting. And as a black coating, it hides the rust spots and renders the pavement a uniform textured black appearance.

Q. How to use RUST-X?

A. It is supplied ready to use, suitable for application with a brush, roller, or a spray.

Q. Why would someone pay for the added cost of RUST-X? What is the cost benefit?

A. RUST-X.

- Doubles as a primer and finish coat. Improves pavement integrity.
- Highly economical, it covers 125-150 sq. ft/gal., in one coat application.
- Fast drying- dries in 30 minutes. Workers can move on to other projects sooner.
- Enhance the appearance of the pavement by covering all the rust and oil spots. Improving your credibility with customers.

Q. How long does it last?

A. RUST-X will last 2-3 years. The effectiveness may vary based upon asphalt pavement composition.

Q. Can I use RUST-X on already sealcoated Pavement?

A. Yes. RUST-X is designed to be compatible with most common sealcoatings.

Q. Does RUST-X extend the lifespan of Sealcoating and the pavement?

A. Yes, by preventing the rust spots from expanding and erupting under the sealcoating, it will improve the integrity of both the sealcoating and the pavement.

Q. How long has it been on the market?

A. RUST-X has been on the market for years, with excellent track record.

Q. Performance testimonials?

A. Yes, after extensive field trials at several STAR plant locations.

