

## Super-charged shop vac

### *Oneida Dust Deputy Kit*

When we first reviewed the Dust Deputy, we found that the mini-cyclone captured incoming dust and saved our shop vac from suction-stealing clogs. However, finding the necessary hoses and fittings, and building a cart for the cyclone/vac combo was not entirely intuitive. Oneida's Dust Deputy Kit is not only more user-friendly, but has also lowered the price, making this dust buster more attractive than ever.

The cyclone is sold separately or as part of a ready-to-attach kit (if your repair projects

require two or more dashes to the hardware store, buy the kit). To install, simply drill a pair of holes through your vac's canister, bolt on the bucket (a second bucket fits within the bolt-on for easier emptying), and then use the short hose to attach the cyclone to the vac.

Seeing is believing. During my three-day stint at the Association of Woodworking & Furnishings Suppliers Fair, I watched the demonstrators attack a pile of MDF dust dozens of times. At the end of the show,



the filter was a light tan—most of the dust went to, and stayed in, the bolt-on bucket. In regular shop use, this means that you could use your vac for months before getting into a dust fight with your filter.

**Dust Deputy Kit**  
#149951 \$99.99

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