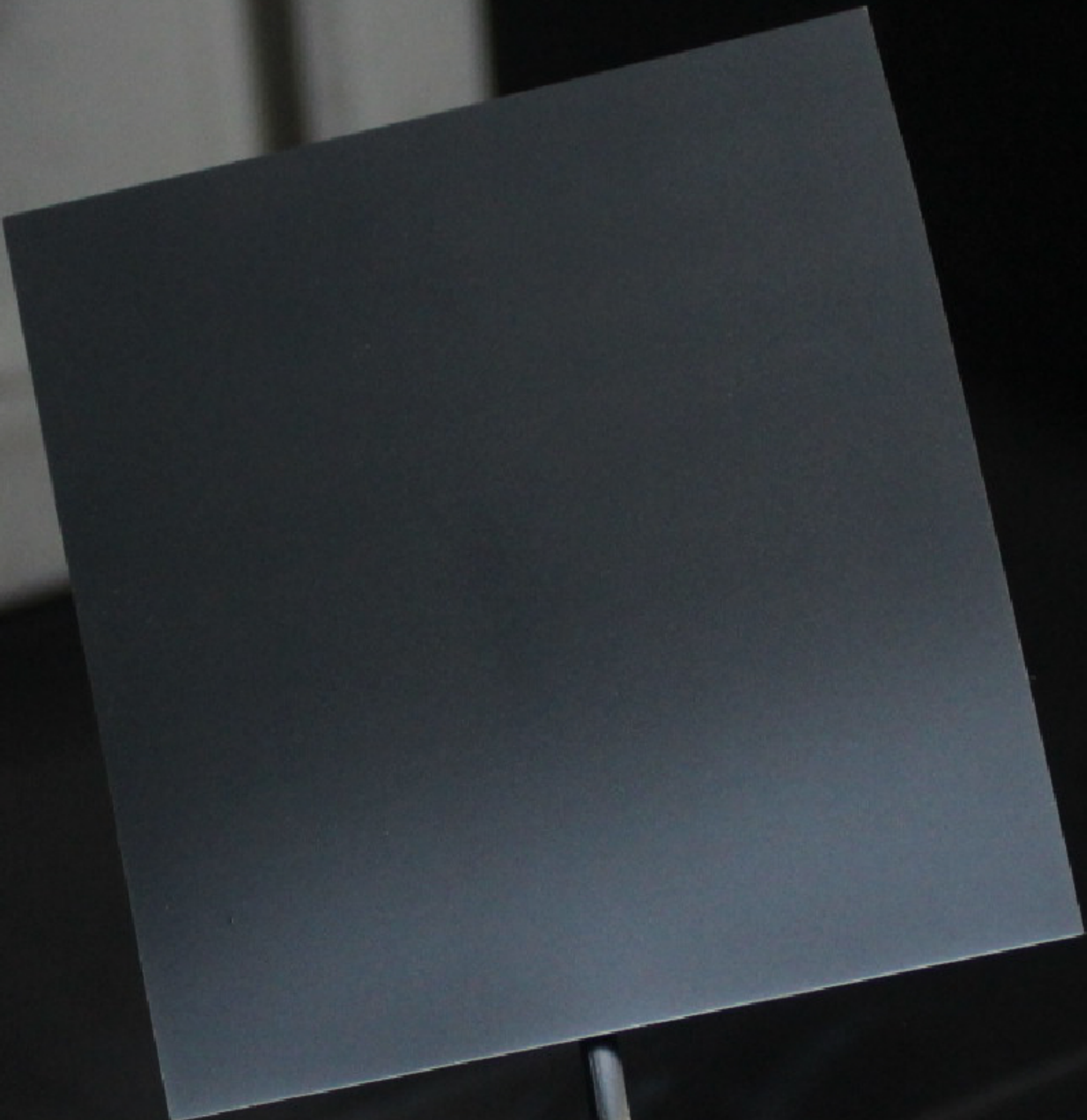




FEATHERING

Quick guide in adding detail to beam effect parts
for your projects.



Feathering is a technique used to smoothen the transition between colors.

Here is a sample on a piece of plastic plate.

TOOLS YOU'D NEED:

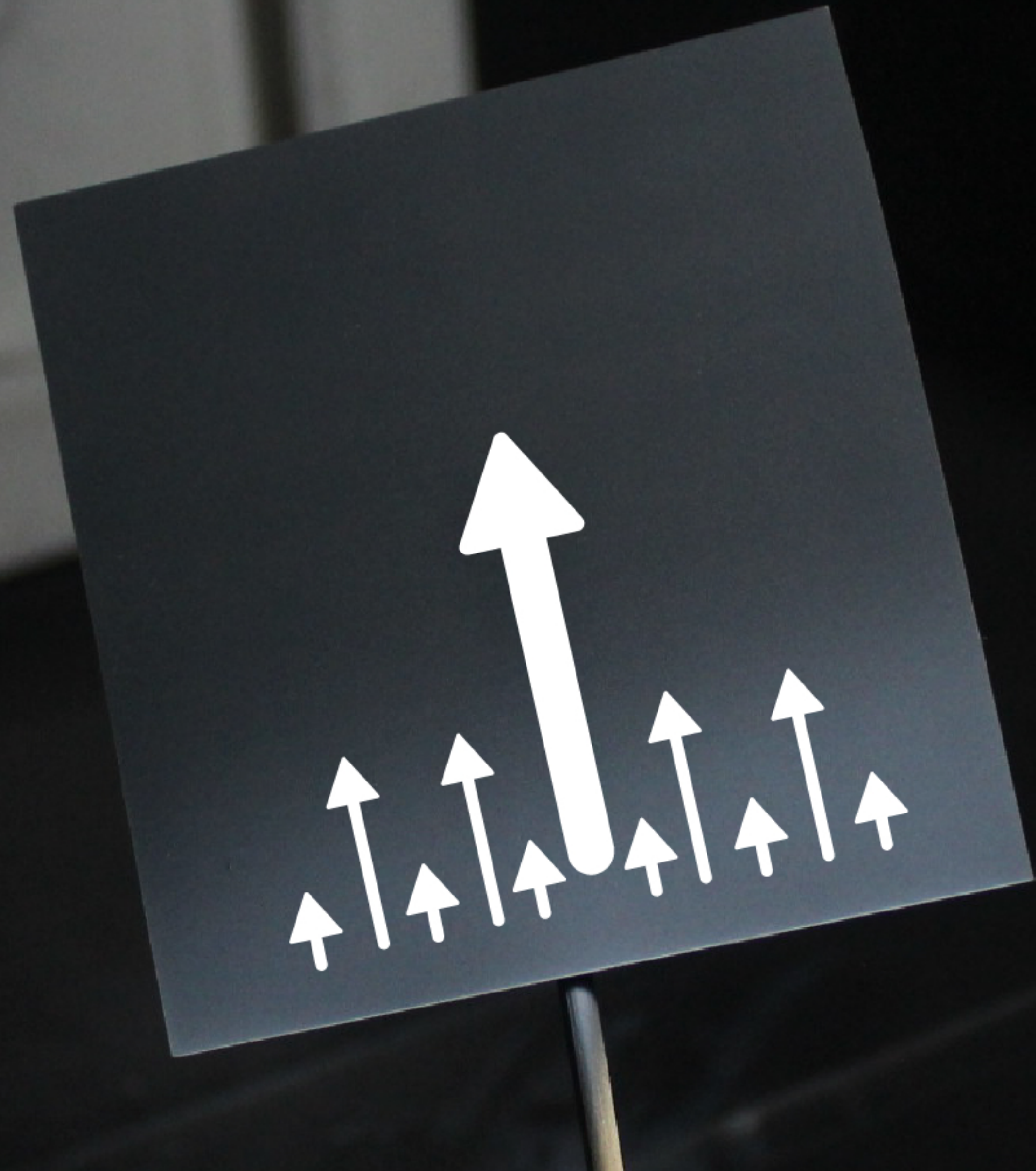
Effect part

Airbrush & Compressor

Acrylic / Lacquer Paint



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It is recommended to spray with minimal trigger pull for maximum control and prevent overspray.

Also, being consistent with the initial direction will give a more natural look.



TIP: Spray in a vertical motion. This aids in handling the depth of feathering that you wish to achieve.

For this tutorial, we will add a bit of white to beam effects that will help give it a **more energized** look.



Step 1: Start spraying at the bottom of the piece moving towards the tip of the beam saber. Focus specifically on the area near the beam saber handle.



Step 2: Practice your trigger control to get a smooth transition. Decrease trigger pull as you spray further from the edge. The key is heavier coats near the center that gradually fades out.

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