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The chromatic number of the *n*-dimensional Euclidean space, denoted  $\chi(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , is the minimum number of colors that can be assigned to the points of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  so that no two points at distance one receive the same color. In this note, we present better lower bounds for  $\chi(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for several small values of n. (Received January 20, 2015)