



My First Project[®] Tool box

Supply List:

- Hammer
- Sand Paper
- Glue (optional)
- Rags
- Ruler

Things To Remember:

- Keep a clean damp cloth available to wipe off excess glue. The glue is difficult to remove when it dries, especially in the corners, so pay extra attention during the assembly.
- When applying glue use a glue brush and apply a thin layer over the entire edge to be glued. The glue should not “run” or “drip” when nailed. When the two pieces are nailed together, only a very small amount of glue should squeeze out. Remember, if you squeeze out all the glue you don’t have any glue between the two pieces of wood to dry and fasten the wood together.
- When nailing, be careful to make sure the nails are straight and the pieces are well supported on the bottom.
- If a nail bends, pull it out and use a straight one. Do not try to straighten a bent nail.

Step-By-Step Instructions:

1. Layout and identify each of the following pieces. Note that several of the pieces have pre-drilled holes and it is critical that they are positioned correctly during the assembly. (Photo 1)

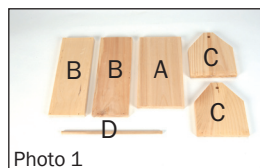


Photo 1

A) Bottom $8\frac{3}{4}$ " x 4"

B) Front & Back $10\frac{1}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "

C) Sides (2) 4" x $5\frac{3}{4}$ "

D) Handle-Dowel $\frac{1}{4}$ " x $9\frac{3}{8}$ "

2. Align the 4" edge of a side (C) with the 4" edge of the bottom and nail using the pre-drilled holes in the side. (Photo 2)



Photo 2

3. Lay the assembly so the attached side is in the work surface. Insert the handle in the hole. Align the second side to the bottom with handle inserted in the hole also. Nail the side to the bottom using the pre-drilled holes.



Photo 3

4. Apply a thin layer of glue to the long edge of the bottom piece and the straight edges of each side on the one side of the assembly. (Photo 4).
5. Align the front (B) and nail using the pre-drilled holes. **NOTE: Make sure all edges are square and flush.** (Photo 5)



Photo 4

6. Repeat the same process for attaching the back (B). (Photo 6)
7. Sand to the desired finish.
8. Apply finish of choice.

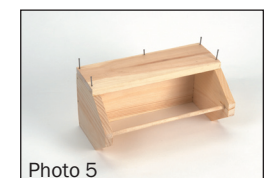


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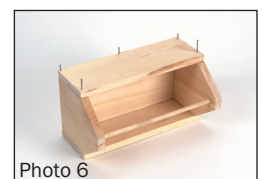


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