

Over-sized Wooden Crate

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Difficulty

Easy

Large, wooden storage crate



Tools

Other Tools

Miter Saw

Table Saw

Nail Gun

Sander

Materials

Wood Products

7 Board , 1x4 , 72"

1 Board , 1x4 , 96"

1 Board , 2x2 , 48"

Hardware & Supplies

72 Brad Nails

1 Stain Or Paint Of Choice

1 Sandpaper

Cut List & Parts

- 6** Large Side Slates , 1x4x22"
- 6** Small Side Slates , 1x4x15"
- 3** Bottom Slates , 1x4x24'

Directions

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Step 1

Cut 6 - 1×4" to 22" (side slates)

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Step 2

Cut 3 - 1×4" to 24" (bottom slates)

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Step 3

Cut 6 - 1×4" to 15" (small side slates)

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Step 4

Cut 4 - 1x1" to 12" (inner supports – we ripped ours from 2x2's.)



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5**Step 5**

After you make all your cuts, get started nailing it together! I started by gluing and nailing the long sides to the 1×1's first.

Note-Make sure to place the 1×1 flush with the bottom of your 1×4 so that it will not be as noticeable from the top.



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Step 6

After both longer sides are together, nail on the 1x4's on each end. You may have to trim a little off of each board before nailing in place to make sure that they sit flush on the corners.



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Step 7

After we nailed the bottom slates on, we added feet made from round dowels that we had. This step is completely optional. I just like the cuteness that they added!



8**Step 8**

Before staining, I sanded and sanded and sanded some more! It can be a little difficult to get into all the cracks. You might do better to sand before putting it together. It's completely up to you. Once I finished sanding the crate I stained it with a dark walnut stain by Rust Oleum. I used a q-tip to get the stain into all the little grooves.



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Step 9

Let it dry over night before putting anything in it.

The next day I added the word "Pillows" on white vinyl using my Silhouette Cameo. You could easily paint this on your crate if you don't own a Silhouette or Cricket.



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