

RAISED GARDEN BED

REQUIRED MATERIALS:

For One 36" x 60" x 15" Bed:

- Six 2" x 8" x 8' ProWood® ground-contact treated boards
- One 4" x 4" x 8' ProWood® ground-contact treated post

For One 48" x 96" x 15" Bed:

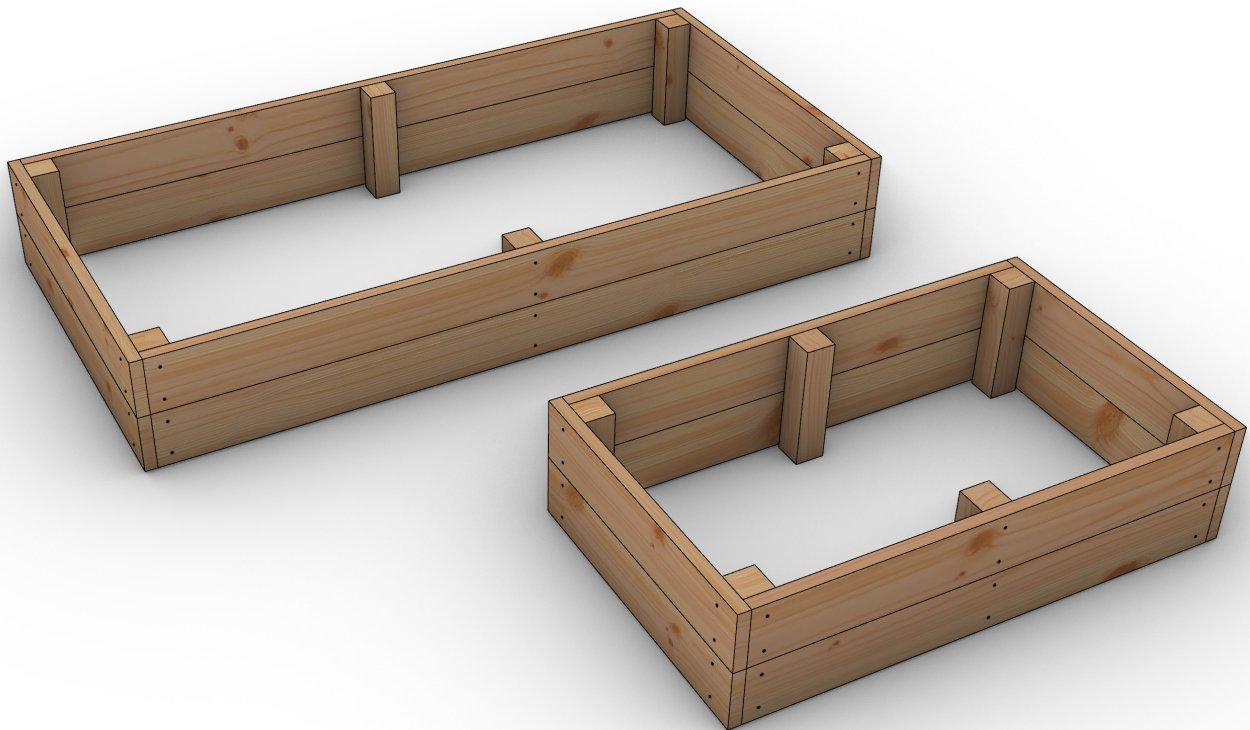
- Six 2" x 8" x 8' ProWood® ground-contact treated boards
- One 4" x 4" x 8' ProWood® ground-contact treated post

For Both Size Beds:

- One box of 3" long #8 galvanized screws
- Exterior wood glue (optional)

BASIC TOOLS:

- Circular or table saw
- Power drill & 1/8" drill bit
- Countersink bit (optional)
- Screwdriver
- Tape measure
- Carpenter's square



GENERAL ASSEMBLY TIPS

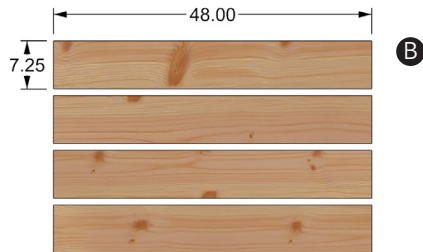
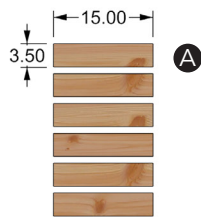
- We recommend only cutting lumber needed for each section as you assemble
- Establish a screw pattern to enhance the overall look and feel of the final assembled product.
- Pre-drill all screw holes with a drill bit to ease screw insertion and prevent wood splitting.
- Make sure the head of countersunk screws sit flush with the surface of the wood (optional).

CUT WOOD TO SIZE

Caution: Always wear gloves, a dust mask and eye protection to when sawing, sanding, or machining wood.
Circular, miter and table saw should be used clean, flat and level surface.

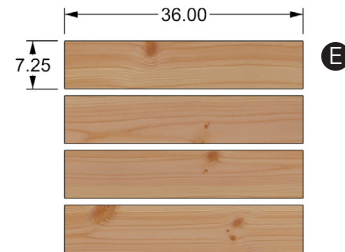
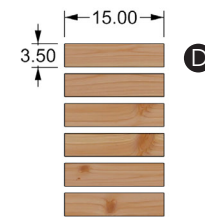
For One 48" x 96" x 15" Bed:

Sides: Four 2" x 8" x 93"
Ends: Four 2" x 8" x 48"
Posts: Six 4" x 4" x 15"



For One 36" x 60" x 15" Bed:

Sides: Four 2" x 8" x 57"
Ends: Four 2" x 8" x 36"
Posts: Six 4" x 4" x 15"



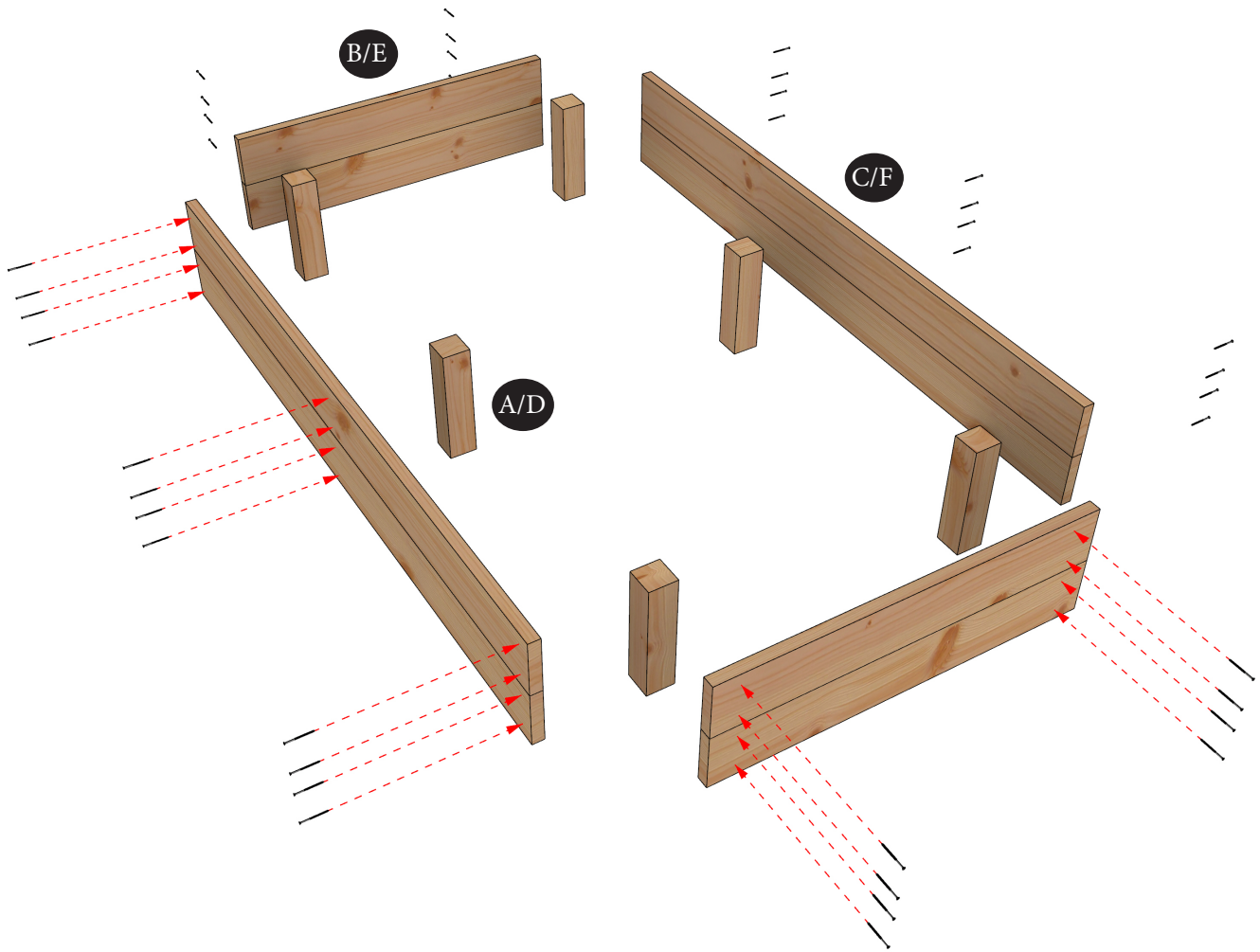


fig. 1

STEP 1: ATTACH SIDES

See fig. 2

- Place three posts (A/D) equally spaced a part from the two ends and middle (as shown).
- Place one side board (C/F) on top of the three posts (make sure sides are flush and square with posts sides/ends).
- With a power drill, attach side board and each post with four 3-inch galvanized screws (wood glue optional) as shown.
- Repeat step to build the second side.

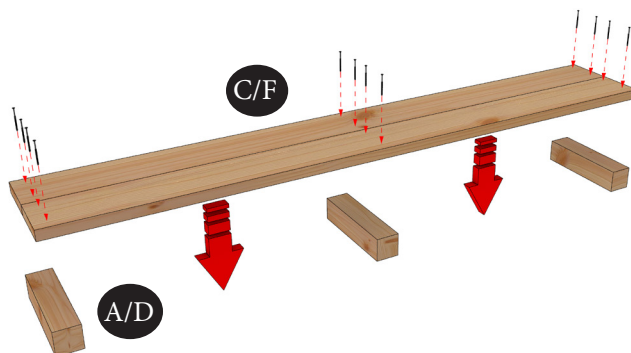


fig. 2

STEP 2: ATTACH ENDS

See fig. 3 and fig. 4

- Stand up completed sides parallel to each other (posts should face each other on the inside as shown in fig. 3).
- Make sure end boards (B/E) are flush and square with the posts and side boards (fig. 4).
- Attach the boards using 3-inch galvanized screws and wood glue.
- Repeat steps to build the second end.



fig. 3

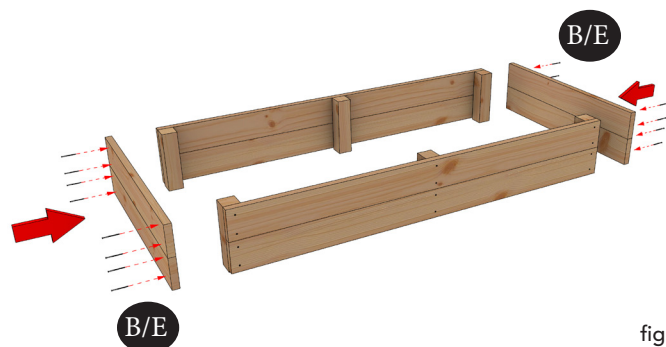


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STEP 4: INSTALLING GARDEN BED

See fig. 5 for completed project

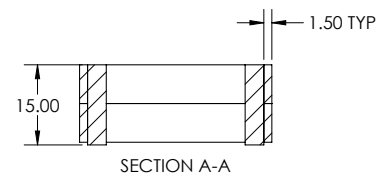
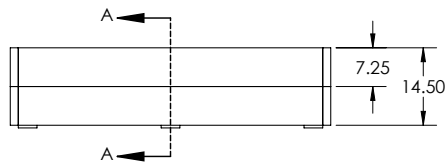
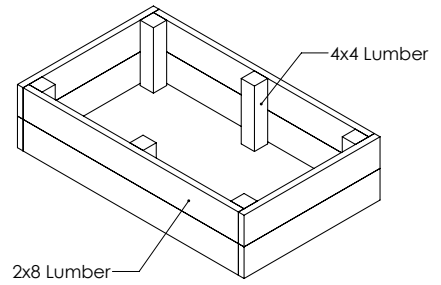
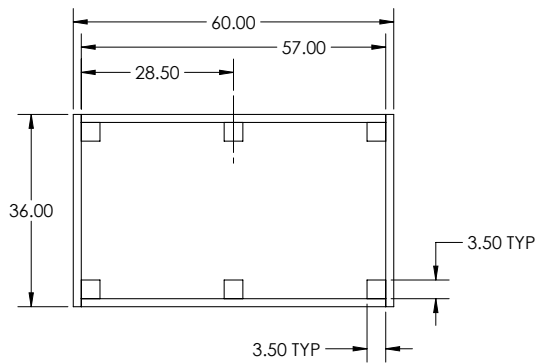
- Pick an area that is level and receives the right amount of sunlight specific to your garden needs.
- For Patio/Balcony: Use landscape fabric on the bottom of the bed using galvanized/stainless steel staples. Fabric will keep the soil from seeping out of the bottom and allow proper drainage.
- Once you locate the perfect place for your garden bed, make sure to break up and loosen 6 to 8 inches of soil with a shovel or garden rake until it's no longer hard or compacted. This will maximize drainage.
- Fill the bed with your preferred potting soil mix and sowing seeds. Tend to your garden as needed.



fig. 5

THE BLUEPRINTS

RAISED GARDEN BED - 36IN X 60IN



RAISED GARDEN BED - 48IN X 96IN

