

# General Wood Instructions

## Sanding

The rule of sanding is "Never across the grain".

1. Do not tear sandpaper. If you do, the ragged edges will often scratch the wood surface.
2. For flat surfaces, wrap a piece of sandpaper around a block of wood or use a store bought holder. Start with a coarse grade of paper and finish with a fine grade of paper(not included).
3. Be consistent. Do not sand one area with fine and another with coarse grade.

## Staining

1. Be sure the wood surface is smooth and clean. Stains can accentuate any roughness or scratches of cross grain sanding. Wipe off any dirt or dust with a soft cloth.
2. A base coat of sealer/primer and a light sanding before applying stain will insure a uniform stain.
3. Apply stains in one direction following the wood grain. Use a soft brush or foam brush. Let the stain penetrate the wood, then wipe off excess stain with a soft cloth.
4. If stain looks too dark, dampen the cloth with water/thinner and wipe until you achieve the desired color. If stain is too light, let dry, then apply another coat of stain and wipe off.

## Finishes

1. Outdoor projects may be finished with polyurethane or varnish.

**These are toxic and must be used in a well ventilated area.** Indoor projects may be finished with decoupage or left unfinished.

## Safety First!

This Product May Contain Silicon Gel Packets.  
**REMOVE PRIOR TO USE!**

**Unfinished Storage Caddy, Unassembled Item# WD3136**

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**PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE STARTING**



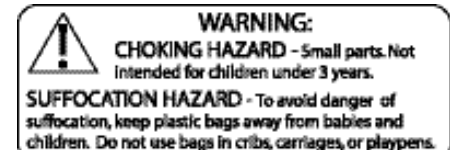
- ✓ Slotted Wood Sides
- ✓ Wood Divider
- ✓ Wood Front Piece
- ✓ Wood Back Pieces
- ✓ Plywood Bottom
- ✓ Sandpaper
- ✓ Instructions

## YOU WILL NEED...

Soft Cloth  
Paint or Stain  
Glue  
Protected Work Surface  
Wood Finish (optional)

**PREP TIME: 5 MIN**

**PROJECT TIME: 45 MIN**  
Plus glue drying time.



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## Product Instructions:

- 1 a. Test fit the 2 (D) back pieces, (B) divider and (C) front piece into the slots of the (A) side pieces (see Figure A).
  - b. Working with the grain, sand all pieces until smooth, making sure the edges of B, C and D are sanded to fit into the slots if necessary.
- 2 Paint and/or stain the pieces before assembling, leaving the areas where the panels are to be glued free from paint and/or stain.
- 3 a. Lay one of the (A) side pieces flat with the slots facing up.
  - b. Put a small amount of glue along the inside of the slots.
  - c. Fit the (D) back pieces, (B) divider and (C) front into the slots (see Figure A).
  - d. Put glue into the slots of the other (A) side and repeat step 3c.
  - e. Tap the (A) side pieces gently into place, protecting the wood if using a hammer.
- 4 Apply glue to the bottom edges of the two (A) side pieces and center the (E) plywood piece onto it (see Figure B). Let dry.

FIGURE A

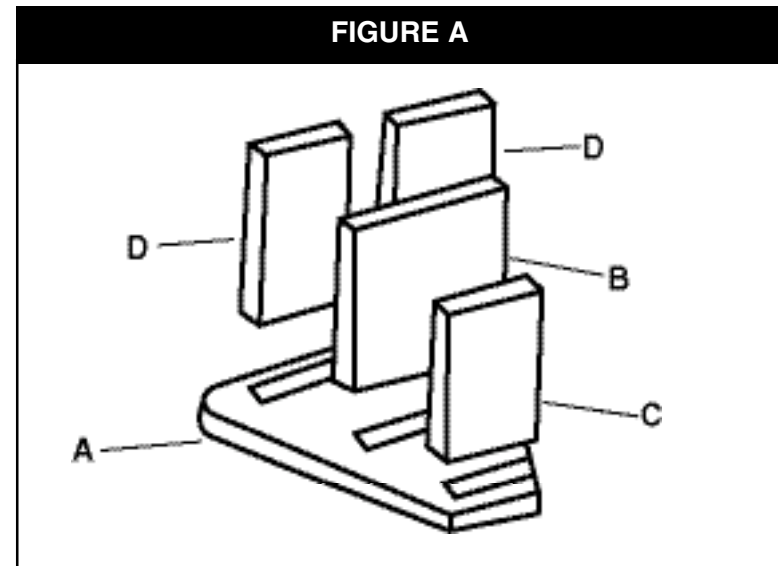


FIGURE B

