DIY DOWNLOAD #3





COST £33 TIME 45 MINS LEVEL MEDIUM

The Guest Bench is the ideal piece of furniture to fill that awkward space in your home.

An inexpensive yet elegant fix. Constructed with pine wood and using only straight cuts with minimal steps.

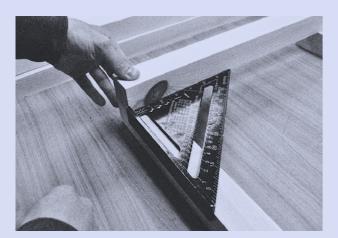
STEP 1

Start by creating a large rectangle, using x2 A's and x2 B's. Use glue and pin/screw to fix down through the B's and into the A's.



STEP 1 CONT.

Try to ensure all angles are square when fixing.



WHAT YOU NEED

 B 450mm
 x4

 C 590mm
 x4

 D 305mm
 x2

 F 215mm
 x2

Wood

(W) 42mm x (T) 42mm smooth square edge Pine wood. Available from most hardware shops. You will need x 12 metres of (2x2) Pine wood.

Glue

We recommend using wood glue but PVA will work

Fixings

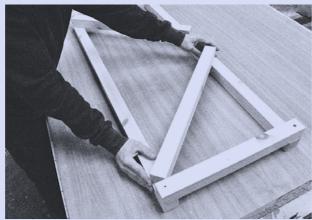
Nails/panel pins (70mm) or screws (3.5 x 65mm), available from anu hardware shop.

Tools

Saw to make straight cuts and a hammer or drills

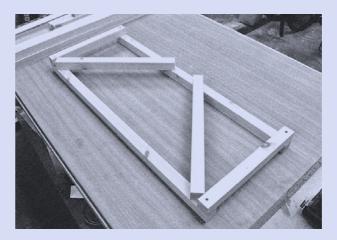
STEP 2

Align your C's like the image below. Ensuring your butt up against the B and flush with the top and bottom A's.



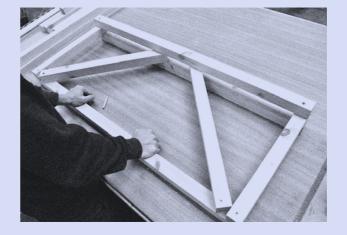
STEP 3

Once you've fixed your first C, repeat the process on the other side of the frame - see picture below. Use glue and pin/screw to fix down.



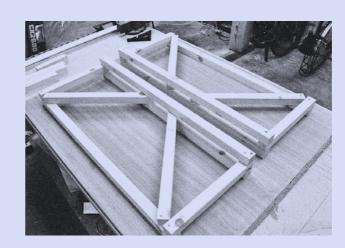
STEP 4

Take another A and position it like the image below. Running identical to the A below it. Use glue and pin/screw to fix down. This is one finished side.



STEP 5

Repeat the first 4 steps to create another identical side, so you have two finished sides.





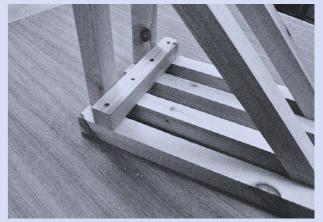
STEP 6

Stand both sides up (upside down), see picture below. Now it's time to fix them both together.



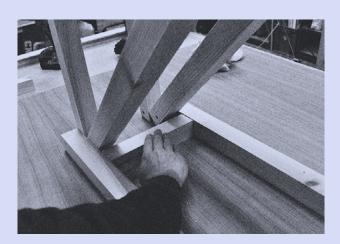
STEP 7

Take xD and position it like the image below.
Use a spare piece of the same wood to ensure the gap between your two sides is equal.
Use glue and pin/screw to fix down.
Repeat this process on the opposite side.



STEP 8

Flip your bench so it's stood upright. Take xI E and position it between the two A's sat on the ground. Ensure it's flush into the two angles. Use glue and pin/screw to fix. Repeat this process on the opposite side.



STEP 9

This is your finished Guest Bench. Take a seat and relax. You can now clean up and rough edges with sand paper and finish it as you feel necessary.



