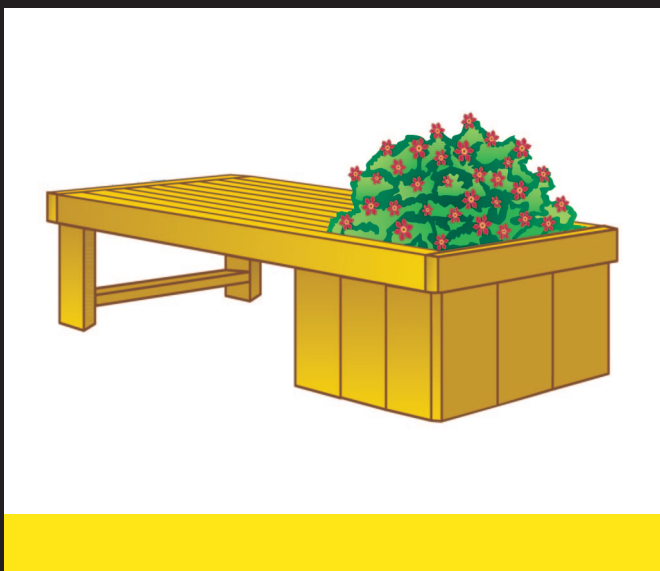




PLANTER BENCH



YellaWood®
Pressure Treated Pine

Important information about
YellaWood® brand products on back

YellaWood® brand pressure treated wood products are treated
with an Alkaline Copper Quaternary preservative.

Ask dealer for warranty details. Great Southern Wood Preserving, Inc., uses Osmose, Inc. wood preserving products, methods and technology in the treatment of wood products. For more information visit www.osmose.com. For important information concerning our products or for a copy of the YellaWood® brand Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), please visit us at www.greatsouthernwood.com or write us at P.O. Box 610, Abbeville, AL 36310.

PLANTER BENCH MATERIALS LIST

7 2" x 4" x 8' treated lumber
 3 1" x 6" x 8' treated lumber
 6d and 16d hot-dip galvanized nails meeting ASTM-A153 or ASTM-A653, stainless steel or other fasteners and hardware as recommended by the hardware manufacturer.*

TIP: In some applications you may use screws instead of nails for better hold down power.

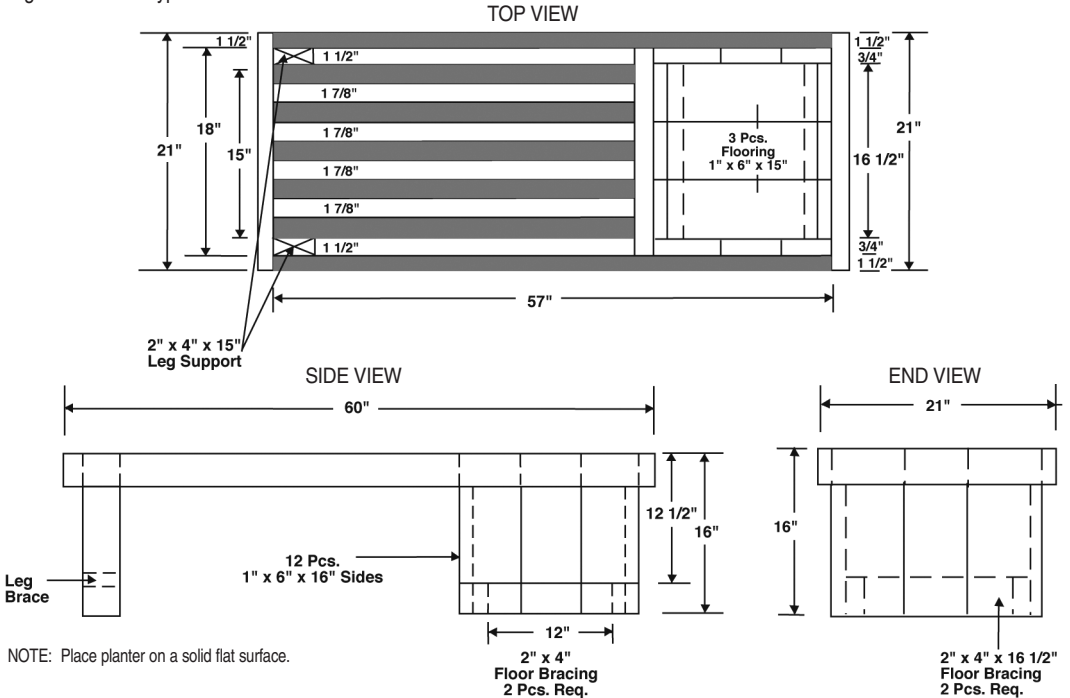
TIP: Use water repellent or stain with water repellent when your job is finished to help protect your pressure treated wood from splitting, checking, and warping.

Use fasteners and other hardware which are in compliance with building codes for the intended use.*

†Electroplated galvanized fastener and metal products are typically not accepted by the building codes for use in exterior applications, regardless of the type of wood used.

*Fasteners (and other metal products) for use with YellaWood® brand preserved wood products include:

- Hot-Dip Galvanized†
Fastener and hardware manufacturers have suggested the minimum hot-dip galvanized requirements for use with treated wood should conform to the following ASTM Standards: ASTM-A153 (for hot-dip fastener products) and ASTM-A653 (Coating Designation G-185 for hot-dip connector and sheet products).
- Stainless Steel Type 304 or 316
- Other fasteners and hardware as recommended by the manufacturer
There may be additional products (other than stainless steel or hot-dip galvanized) which are suitable for use with YellaWood® brand treated wood. Please consult with the individual fastener or hardware manufacturer for recommendations for use of their products with YellaWood® brand treated wood.
- Aluminum should not be used in direct contact with YellaWood® brand treated wood
Spacer materials or other physical barriers are recommended to prevent direct contact of YellaWood® brand treated wood and aluminum products.



NOTE: Place planter on a solid flat surface.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Warning-Certain metal products (including fasteners, hardware and flashing) may corrode when in direct contact with YellaWood products. To prevent premature corrosion and failure, it is important to follow the recommendations of the manufacturers for all metal products • Use fasteners, hardware and sheet products as recommended by the manufacturers or reference Fastener Information Sheet • Do not use preserved wood in direct contact with aluminum • Do not burn preserved wood • Wear a dust mask and goggles when cutting or sanding wood • Wear gloves when working with wood • Some preservative may migrate from the treated wood into soil/water or may dislodge from the treated wood surface upon contact with skin. Wash exposed skin areas thoroughly • All sawdust and construction debris should be cleaned up and disposed of after construction • Wash work clothes separately from other household clothing before reuse • Preserved wood should not be used where it may come into direct or indirect contact with drinking water, except for uses involving incidental contact such as fresh water docks and bridges • Do not use preserved wood under circumstances where the preservative may become a component of food, animal feed or beehives • Do not use preserved wood as mulch • Only preserved wood that is visibly clean and free of surface residue should be used • If the wood is to be used in an interior application and becomes wet during construction, it should be allowed to dry before being covered or enclosed • Disposal Recommendations: Preserved wood may be disposed of in landfills or burned in commercial or industrial incinerators or boilers in accordance with federal, state and local regulations • If you desire to apply a finish to your preservative treated wood, we recommend use of oil-based penetrating finishes that are transparent or semi-transparent. Some clear water repellents and semi-transparent stains can be applied to treated wood soon after construction. We do not recommend using paint or other film-forming finishes because long-term maintenance of these finishes can be problematic. Whatever finish you use, always check the label of the finishing product and follow the manufacturer's instructions. Apply the finishing product to a small exposed test area of your project before finishing the entire project to insure it provides the intended result before proceeding.

You may want to consider using 2x4s that have been treated .40 for ground contact for your leg braces.

Mold growth can and does occur on the surface of many products, including untreated and treated wood, during prolonged surface exposure to excessive moisture conditions. To remove mold from the treated wood surface, wood should be allowed to dry. Typically, mild soap and water can be used to remove remaining surface mold. For more information visit www.epa.gov.

Great Southern Wood Preserving, Inc. makes no warranties expressed or implied as to the fitness for a particular purpose of this plan. Projects should be designed and installed in accordance with federal, state and local building codes and ordinances governing the construction in your area, and in accordance with the National Design Specifications (NDS) and the Wood Handbook.

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