

# FOLDING COFFEE TABLE



DIMENSIONS: 24" X 40" X 18" DIFFICULTY LEVEL: EASY

### **TOOLS**

**REQUIRED** 

18V Drill 18V Jigsaw

18V Finish Sander

18V Circular Saw

**OPTIONAL** 

**18V Router** 

Miter Saw

Table Saw

## **ADDITIONAL REQUIRED ITEMS**

Tape Measure Pencil Square Safety Glasses Hearing Protection

### **PURCHASE LIST:**

(1) 24" x 48" x 3/4" (Pre-cut 3/4" Sheet. Anything smooth except MDF)

(1) 2" x 2" x 8' (Furring Strips. Find Straightest Piece Possible)

(8) 1 1/4" Screws

Support Hinges 2 of Each:

THD SKU(s): 1000-020-966 (Right)

1000-020-965 (Left)

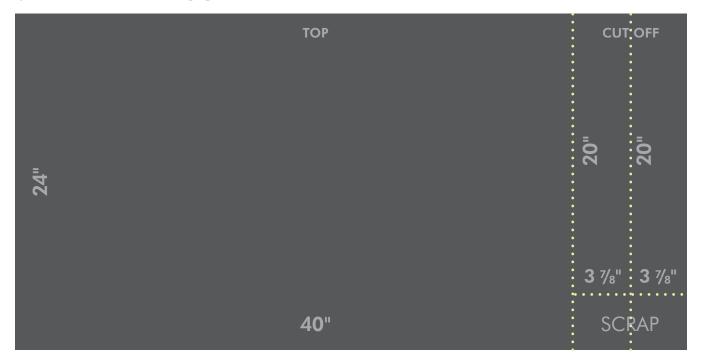
(2) Folding Hinges

150/220/320+ Grit Sand Paper



## **LUMBER CUT LIST:**

3/4" X 2' X 4' PLYWOOD



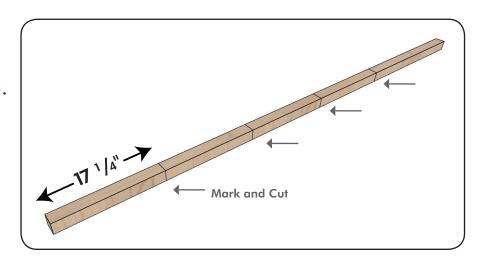


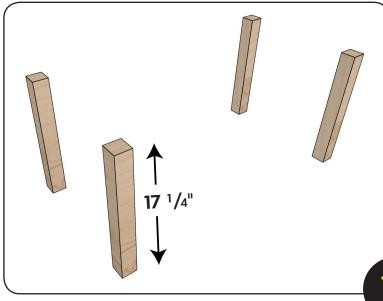
## **ASSEMBLY:**



#### **MAKING THE LEGS**

Cut the furring strips (legs) down to 17 1/4" using the jig saw (miter saw if possible).





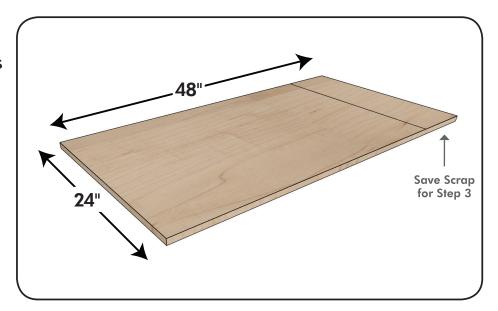


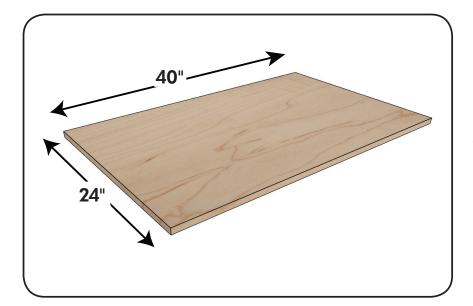
## **HELPFUL HINT**

Overall table height should equal height to couch seat, so adjust accordingly and account for 3/4" top

#### **TABLE TOP**

Mark both sides of the material at 40" and connect the lines with your straight edge for most accurate line to follow.





Cut  $^{3}/_{4}$ " sheet from 48" down to 40" using the circular saw.



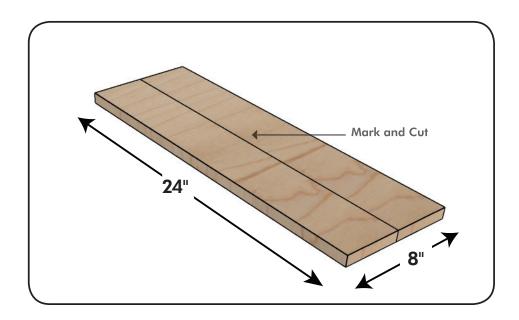
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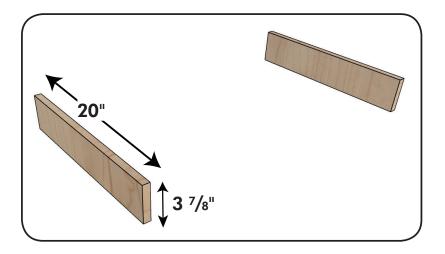
Move slow enough to maintain a straight line, but fast enough to not burn the wood with the blade

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#### LEG CONNECTING PIECES

With the cutoff piece from the top (8" x 24"), rip cut the material in half to give you two pieces about 3  $^{7}/_{8}$ " x 24".



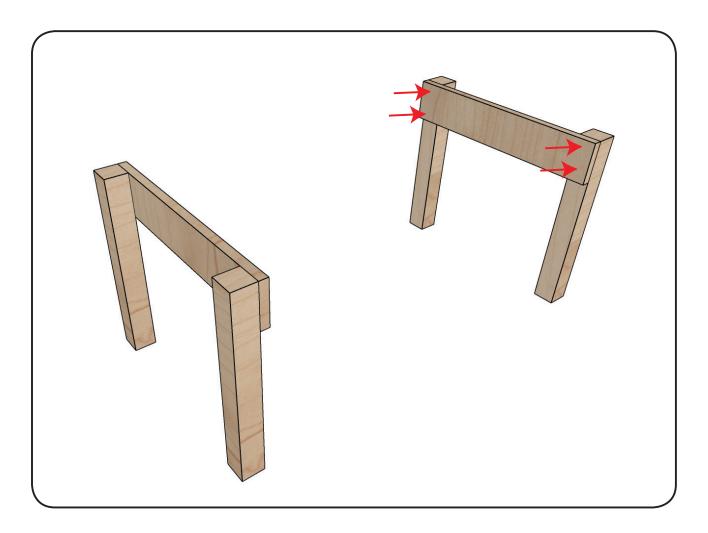


Once you have rip cut the material, cut both pieces down to  $3^{7/8}$ " x 20".



#### ATTACHING THE LEGS

Fasten 2 legs to each piece of 3  $^{7}/_{8}$ " x 20" x  $^{3}/_{4}$ " by drilling a pilot hole (so the wood doesn't split) and fastening with your screws. Make sure that the pieces are flush along the sides and top.





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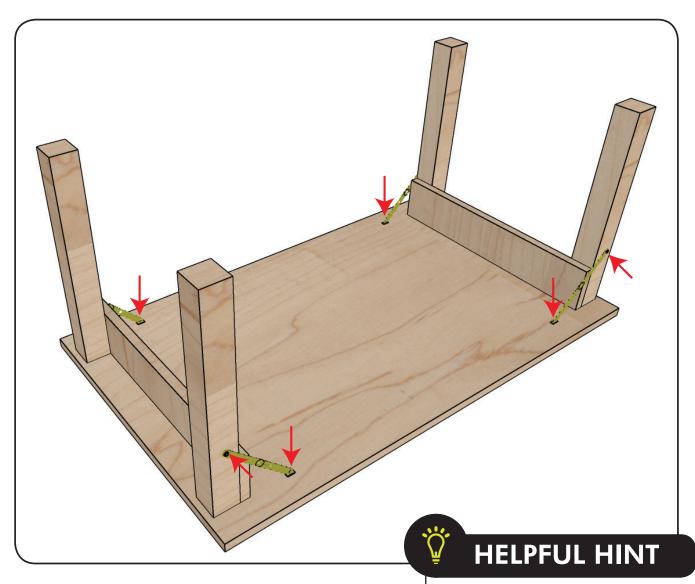
Drill and fasten from the 3/4" side because that will be the side facing inward and will not be seen giving the best overall look for your table.



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#### ATTACHING THE HINGES

Lightly mark the underside of the top 1/2" in from the middle of the 24" side and 4" in on both sides of the 40" side. This will be where your legs stand in the upright position.



With your legs resting on the marked positions, fasten the hinges onto the legs and table.

Use a pencil so you can sand off the markings or at least cover easily with your finish



#### **FINISHING**

Sand your coffee table to get it smooth to the touch and clean off with a damp rag. Once dry, apply a finish of your choice.





# **HELPFUL HINT**

When sanding, start with a 150/220 grit. If desired, finish with 320+ grit for best feel before applying finish coat