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NOTE: Read all directions before beginning

- ..Carpenter's glue should be used to reinforce all joints
- ..Set glues and countersinks before use and drill as necessary to spot nails and screws before finishing wood
- ..Dimensions shown in brackets denote millimetres
- ..Wipe off excess glue with a wet cloth before it has time to set

Directions:

Procedure 1) – See Figure 1

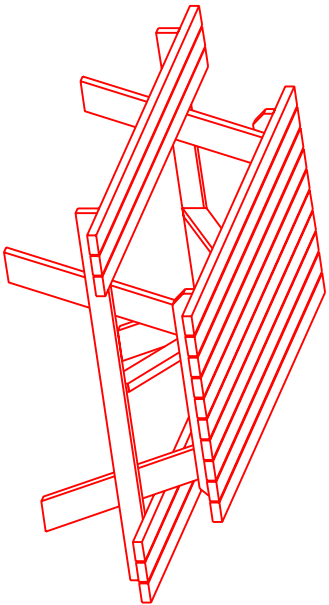
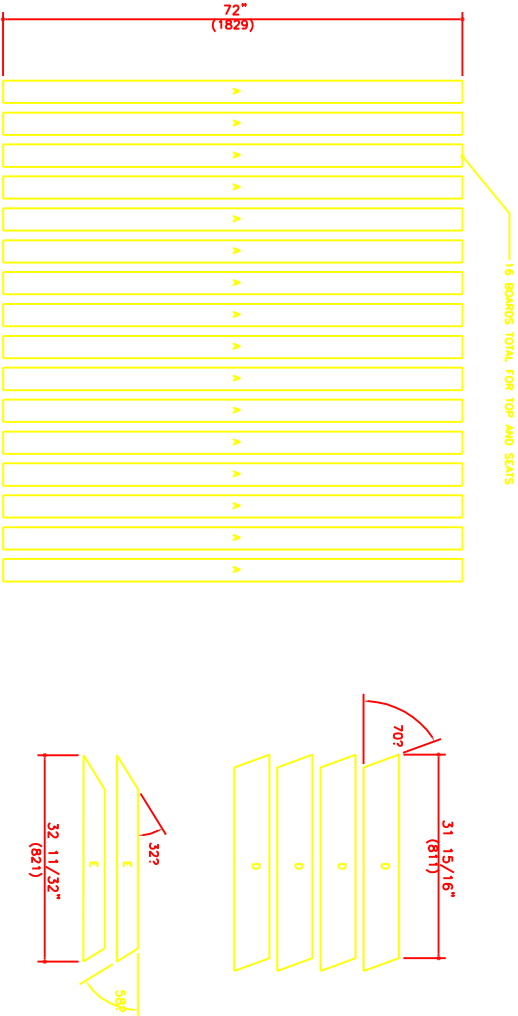
Begin your project by laying out all materials as illustrated in Figure 1 (Material Layout). Using a pencil, measuring tape and straightedge, (along with a protractor, compass or miter gauge if required), draw out all the parts exactly as shown using the dimensions and strokes illustrated in Figure 2 (Cutting Diagram). Be sure to include the part number designation for each piece as well.

Due to the complexity number of various pieces, as this is an outdoor item, we recommend finishing with stain or oil prior to assembling the project.

Procedure 2) – See Figure 2

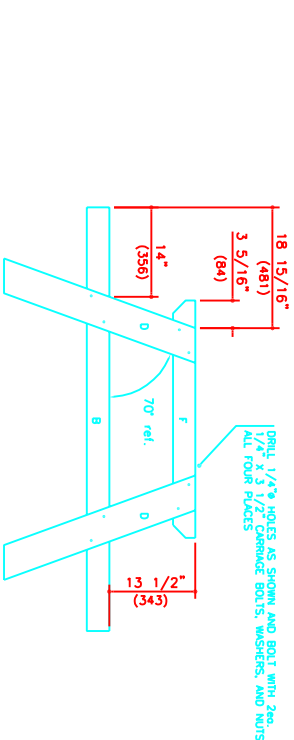
Begin the construction with the assembly of both end frames as illustrated in Figure 2. Be sure to maintain the dimensions shown to ensure both ends being the same. You should either lock the top completely loosely with the 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" bolts or clamp it down together with a C-clamp at each joint. Drill two 1/4" holes through both members at each joint and bolt together with 1/4" x 3 1/2" carriage bolts as shown. We recommend using plated carriage bolts, nuts and washers, as they will not rust.

MATERIAL LAYOUT
AND
CUTTING DIAGRAM
FIGURE 1



PICNIC TABLE
COMPLETED PROJECT

END FRAME ASSEMBLY
FIGURE 2



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PICNIC TABLE – Project #216

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Materials

Twenty-Two 2"x4"x8' (cedar, redwood, fir)
Two 2"x6"x8' (cedar, redwood, fir)
Twenty 1/4"x3 1/2" plated carriage bolts
Two 1/4"x5 1/2" plated carriage bolts
Four 3/16"x3 1/2" plated lag bolts (optional)
Stain or oil for finishing

Materials (Second Option)

Eleven 2"x6"x8' (cedar, redwood, fir)
(to replace the Sixteen 2"x4")
(ref Figure 5)

Tools

Pencil, Tape & Square
Protractor
Tobiasse or Miter Saw
Power Drill
7/64" & 1/4" drill bits
Hammer
Screwdriver & 7/16" Wrench