



# 12'x18' Storage Shed Plan

### 12'x18' storage shed material list

#### **Site Preparation**

- Concrete
- Bricks

#### **Bottom Frame**

- Pressure-Treated Lumber
- Plywood

#### **Walls Frames**

• Pressure-Treated Lumber

#### Shed's Roof

- Pressure-Treated Lumber
- Pressure-Treated Board
- Plywood
- Building paper
- Asphalt shingles
- Metal drip edge

#### Front/Side Shed's Window

- Pressure-Treated Lumber
- Window beading
- Glass

#### **Walls Exterior Siding**

- Pressure-Treated Lumber
- Wood siding boards

#### **Top Frame**

• Pressure-Treated Lumber

#### **Fasteners & Hardware**

- Corner braces
- Galvanized nails
- Wood screws

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### Framing the Floor

**1.1** Assemble the frame using 1 1/2" x 7 1/4" pressure-treated lumber. You will need thirteen boards cut to 11'-6 1/4" that will be the joist.

**1.2** Secure the beams with 8x3" wood screws.



#### **Assemble Front Wall Frame**

**2.1** Using 1 1/2" x 3 1/2", 1 1/2" x 7 1/4" and 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" pressure-treated lumber, construct front wall frame using the drawing below as a reference. You will need twelve boards cut to 6'-11", two boards cut to 5'-10 1/2" that will be studs, two boards cut to 6'-2 3/4" that will be the bottom plates, one board cut to 17'-9 1/4" that will be the top plate, two boards cut to 5'-7" that will be the door header and five boards cut to 5 1/4" that will be cripple studs.

**2.2** Connect the beams with 2x3" and 2x5" wood screws.



### **Assemble Back Wall Frame**

**3.1** Using  $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \frac{1}{2}$  and  $3 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \frac{1}{2}$  pressure-treated lumber, construct back wall frame using the drawing below as a reference. You will need fifteen boards cut to 6'-11'' that will be the studs and two boards cut to  $17'-9 \frac{1}{4}$  that will be the top and bottom plates.

**3.2** Connect the beams with 2x3" wood screws.



### **Assemble Side Wall Frames**

**4.1** Using  $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \frac{1}{2}$  and pressure-treated lumber, construct side wall frames using the drawing below as a reference. For each side wall you will need ten boards cut to 6'-11" and two boards cut to 11'-2  $\frac{1}{4}$ " that will be the top and bottom plates.

**4.2** Connect the beams with 2x3" wood screws.



### **Assemble the Roof Frame**

**5.1** Using 1 1/2" x 5 1/2" pressure-treated lumber, cut thirty rafters 7'-5" long according to the dimensions in drawings below.

**5.2** Using  $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 3 \frac{1}{2}$  pressure-treated lumber, cut thirteen collar ties 5' long according to the dimensions in drawings below.

**5.3** Using  $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 5 \frac{1}{2}$  pressure-treated board, cut one board  $2 \frac{1}{4}$  long and thirteen boards cut to  $1'-2 \frac{1}{2}$  long that will be ridge boards according the illustration below.

5.4 Connect the beams with 3"and 5" wood screws.



### **Assemble and Install Shed Doors**

**6.1** Build the door frames for the shed using 1 1/2" x 3 1/2" pressure-treated lumber and secure with 5" wood screws. You will need two boards cut to 5'-4 3/4" that will be the vertical girts, two boards cut to 2'-7 3/4" that will be the horizontal girts, two boards cut to 3'-3 1/4" that will be cross braces and one board cut to 2'-3/4 that will be middle girt.

**6.2** Prepare the 5/8" plywood sheet with dimensions 5'-11 3/4" x 2'-7 3/4" for the doors according to the drawing.

**6.3** Use 3/4" x 2 1/2" pressure-treated lumber for the door trim and fasten with 2" wood screws. You will need two boards cut to 5'-11 3/4" and two boards cut to 2'-2 3/4".

6.4 Using 1/4" x 3/4" pressure-treated lumber, cut and install a starter course 2'-2 3/4" long.

**6.5** For the exterior siding on the door, use 1/2" x 6" wood siding boards and the illustration below as a reference. Assemble siding shields with 2" galvanized nails.

**6.6** Install three 4" door hinges using 6x1" wood screws. Finish the doors installation by attaching 4" surface bolts and 6" door pulls (see nodes E, F, G.













### **Roof Sheathing Installation**

7.1 You will need 285 Sq Ft of building paper and asphalt shingle roofing.

**7.2** Cover the plywood and drip edge with building paper. Try to install sheets with 1" overlapping. Use 2" nails to secure the sheets.

7.3 Install asphalt shingle roofing using an industrial stapler.



### **Assemble and Install Door Ramp**

**8.1** Using 3/4" x 3 1/2", 3/4" x 5", 1 1/2" x 3 1/2" and 1 1/2" x 7 1/4" pressure-treated lumber, construct door ramp using the drawing below as a reference. You will need five boards cut to 2'-9 1/2" that will be support girts, four boards cut to 1'-2 1/2" that will be joists (cut the top edge to fit the angle of support girts, one board cut to 5'-5 1/2" that will be rim joist and ten boards cut to 5'-5 1/2" that will be top sheathing.

8.2 Assemble siding shields with 2" and 3" galvanized nails.



### Assemble and Install Roof Drainage System

**9.1** Assemble roof drainage system on the front fascia board. You will need 5" half round gutter 16'-8" long, two end pieces with the outlet, six 45° elbows, two 3" pipe 6' long, two joint connectors and two end caps.

**9.2** Fasten the round gutter to the fascia with the seven round hungers.

**9.3** Fasten the vertical pipe section with the two wall fasteners for each side.





### **Thank You**

Now that your shed is all done, you are ready to decorate it any way you want using your favorite paint, stain, or preservative.



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