

Many thanks for buying our rustic Veg Trough. We hope you enjoy growing and planting in it as much as we do.

Assembly Instructions for Rustic Veg Trough:

What's in the box ?



- Back section
- 2 x side leg sections
- Bottom section
- Front board
- Sloping front
- 16 x screws

You will need a screwdriver with a pz2 head and a pair of scissors to cut the liner to assemble this trough.

You will need approx. 180litres of soil to fill this trough.

Stage 1:



Take the back section (this is the large section with 4 boards in it) and turn it upside down so that the thin timber batten screwed to this section is now at the top. Take one of the end leg sections and turn that upside down. Line it up flush with the end of the back section as per the photo and screw to the back section through the pre-drilled holes using 4 of the larger 5 x 50 screws.



Stage 2:



Take the second end leg section and turn it upside down. Line it up flush to the other end of the back section as per the photo and screw it into place through the pre-drilled holes using 4 of the larger 5 x 50 screws.

Stage 3:



Stand the trough onto its feet the right way up and now slide in the bottom section (this has bottom written on it !) so that it sits on the thin timber battens running along the back and side pieces. Make sure the writing is on underside when you put this into place. Once you have this tightly in place screw it in at either end through the pre-drilled holes with the smaller 4 x 35 screws.



Stage 4:



Lay the trough onto its back and lay the front board (this is the board with our logo on it) across the top as per the photo. Make sure the board is flush to the top and the ends of the trough. Screw this board into place through the pre-drilled holes using 4 of the larger 5 x 50 screws.



Stage 5:



Stand the trough back onto its feet and slide the front sloping section (the only section you have left) into place. Make sure that the bottom of this section sits nicely onto the bottom section as per the photo. The sides of this section will sit onto the 2 angled battens to create the slope. Once you have this section tightly into place screw it in at either end through the pre-drilled holes using 2 of the smaller 4 x 35 screws.



Stage 6:



Place the hessian liner evenly into the trough. Make sure there is roughly the same overhang of liner all around the trough. Push the liner into the corners of the trough. Now start to fill the trough with soil and as you do make sure you push the soil into the corners to keep the liner tight in place. Take your time with filling the trough. As you fill keep making sure the liner is nicely and tightly in place. Once you have filled the trough it is advisable to give it a good watering at this stage to get the soil heavy which will help settle the liner into place. When you are happy with your soil level, trim off the liner with a pair of scissors. We like to leave the liner overhanging the trough slightly to give it a more rustic look, but you can trim off to whatever height you fancy !

Now plant up the trough with whatever you love to grow and eat. We love to grow lettuce at the shallow front followed by carrots and cabbage at the deeper rear. Or why not grow a wildflower bed to attract the bees ? We are sure you will find many combinations that suit you !

Happy growing and make sure you check out our other trough planters and vintage garden items on our website:

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