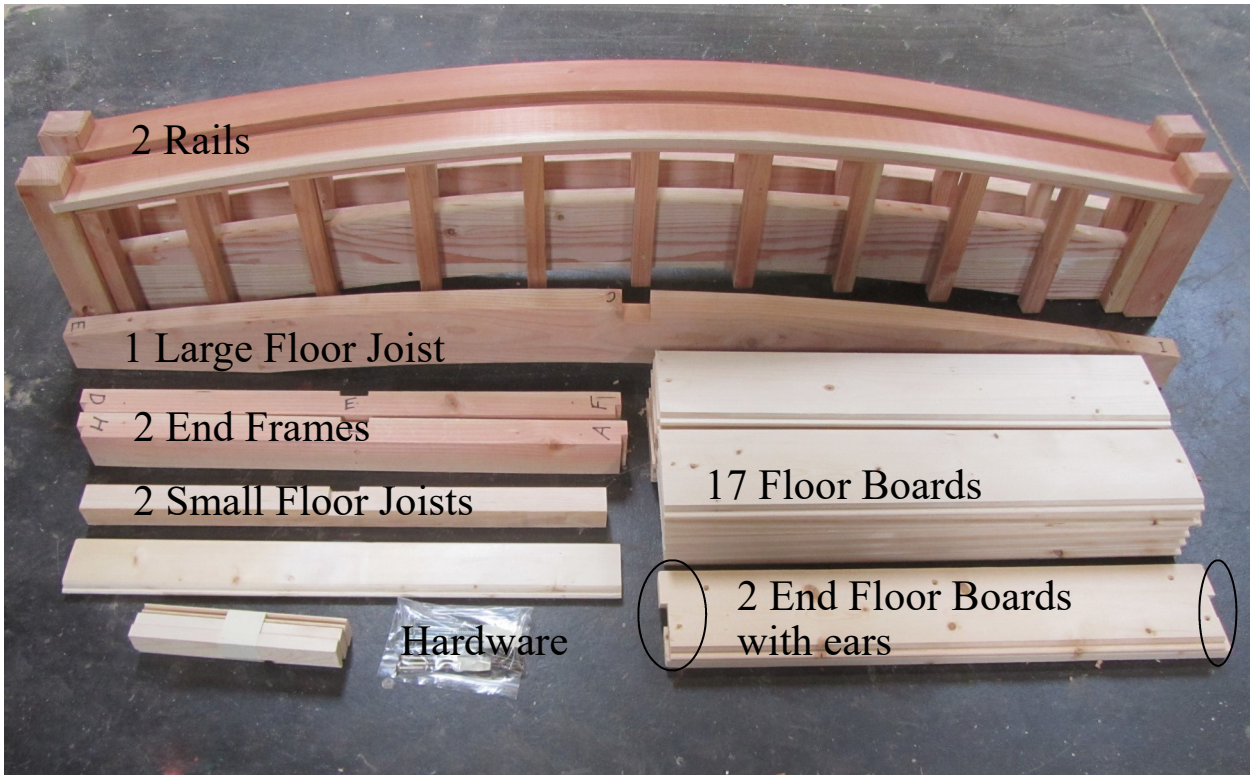




# 8' Bridge Assembly Instructions



Hardware (6 lag bolts, 3 large, 63small screws) is included.

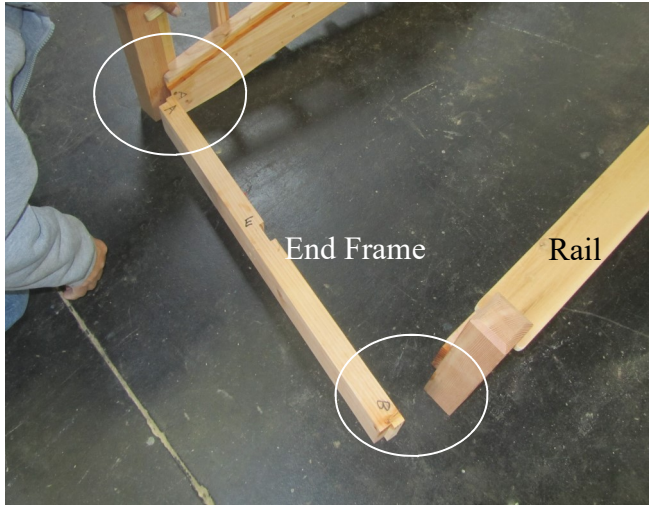
Tools you need

- Cordless Screw Driver or Screw Driver(+)
- Socket Wrench
- Hammer
- Knife
- Work Gloves

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Assembling this bridge kit may take 60 minutes with a cordless screw driver. Please work on a clean level floor for the best result. Remove the wrapping material, prepare the tools, and lay out the parts before assembling the bridge in order to save you time and effort.

This product is treated with oil based semi-transparent wood preservative and ready to finish to your liking. Solid wood deck stain is highly recommended.  
Please wash hands after handling. Keep out of reach of children during assembly.  
Do not chew or swallow hardware.



1. Start assembling two rails and two end frames. Match the number for the optimal result.



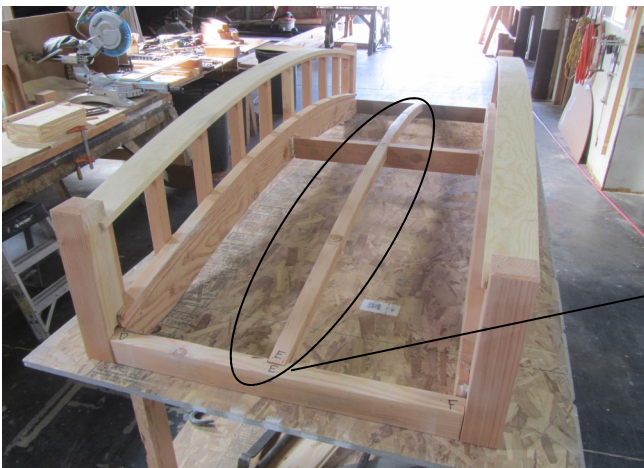
2. Fasten the rail and end frame with a large lag bolt.



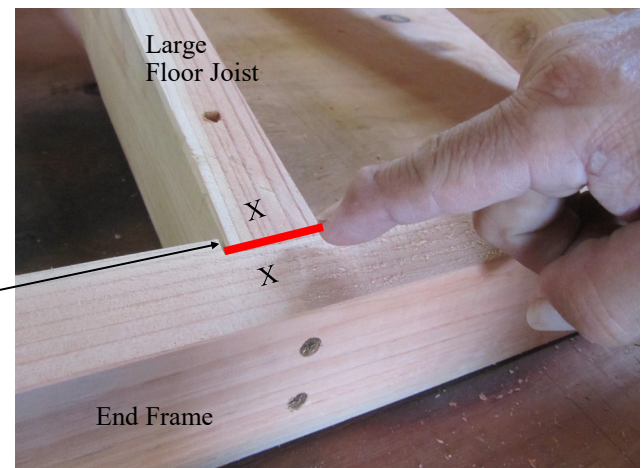
3. Be sure to set the end of the rail and end frame flush (See "X"). Do the same on three other sides.



4. Put the small floor joist. Match the number



5. Put the large floor joist. Match the number



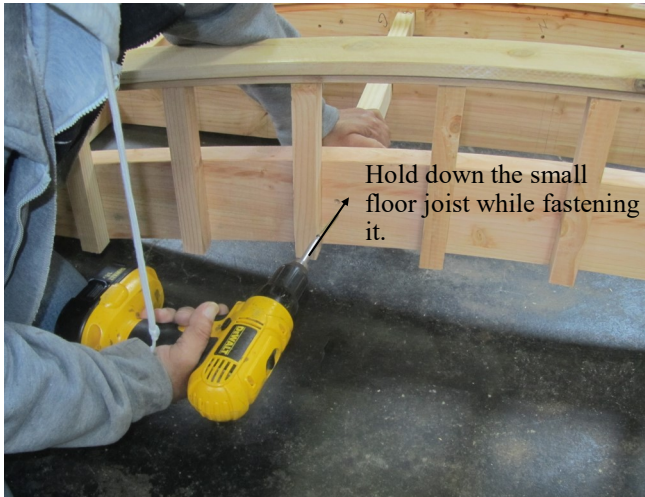
6. Be sure to set the end frame flush with the large floor joist (See "X").



7. Fasten the end frame and the large floor joist with a large screw. Do the same for the other end.



8. Fasten the floor joists with a large screw.



9. Fasten the small floor joist and rail with a small lag bolt.



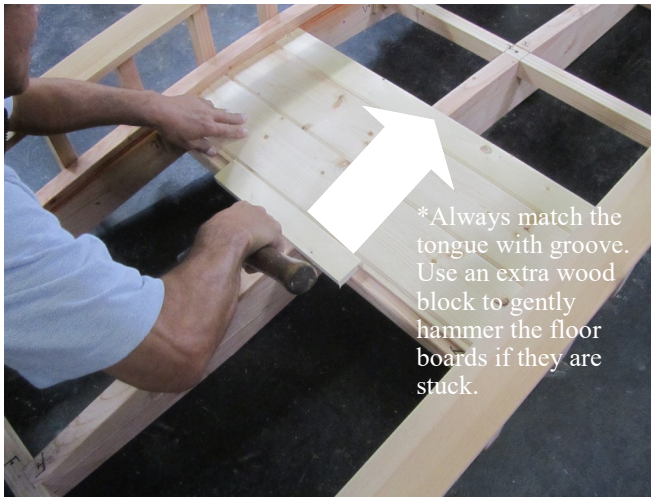
10. Do the same for the other side.



11. Find an end floor board with matching number.

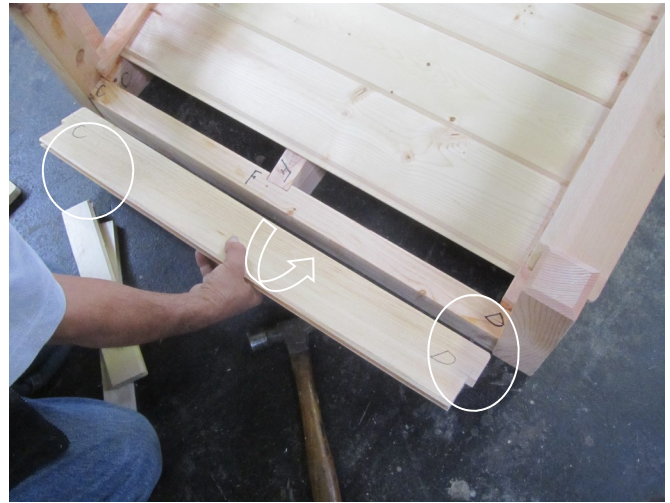


12. Turn it over (see 11) and fasten it with small screws.

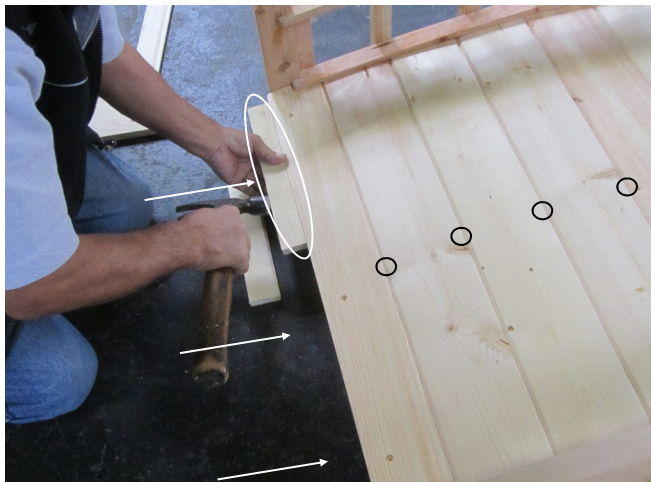


13. Go to the other end. Check the tongue or groove of the end floor board just fastened and slide in floor boards.

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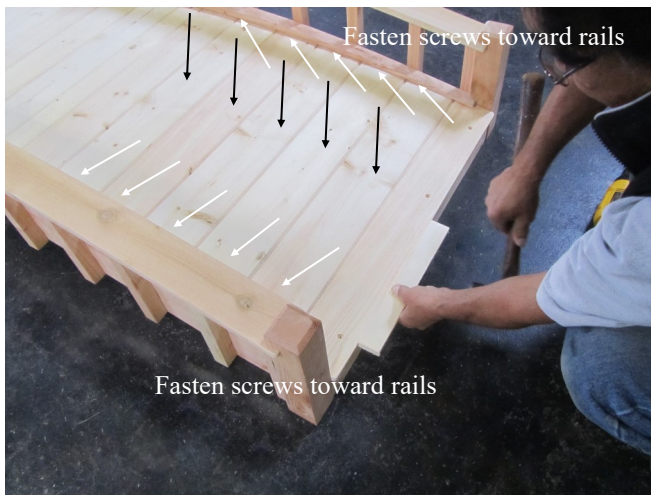
14. Put the end floor board. Match the number.



15. Turn over the end floor board (see 14) and gently hammer it over an extra wood piece to tighten the fit. Check if the floor boards properly fit



16. Fasten the end floor board with small screws.



17. Fasten the floor boards with small screws.

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## RECOMMENDED FINISHES

This product is treated with oil based wood preservative, Copper-Green® Brown. The color is not permanent, may show shade of green, and will become light over time. This wood preservative is available at Home Depot® and will be dry in 72 hours. We recommend Behr® brand solid deck stain which is also available at Home Depot®.

\*Please finish it after assembly; the tongue and groove of the floor boards may not properly fit otherwise.

For a stained, solid finish, we recommend:

**Water-based, Solid Color, Deck Stain**

Pro: Custom colors, highly-durable, easy re-application, low maintenance and a uniform, solid-color finish with low sheen, 5-10 year life

Con: Little or no glossy finish, finish not as smooth as paint

or

**Oil-based, Stain-Blocking, Exterior Primer**

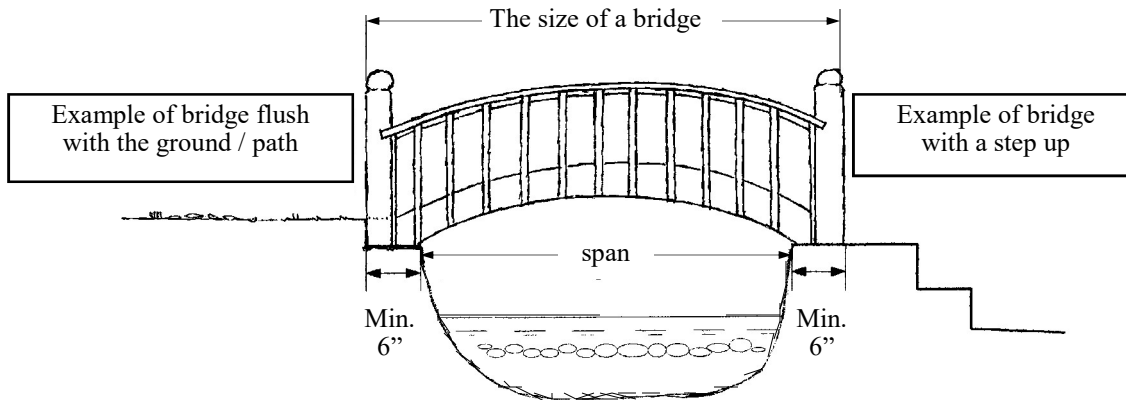
2 coats highly recommended



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## BRIDGE INSTALLATION TIPS

- It is important the bridge be as **LEVEL** as possible.
- We highly recommend that you fasten the bridge down to the foundation.
- For best and long-lasting results, support the bridge from underneath each post.



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