

# STEELMADE PLANTERS

Put your flowers on display with the statement-making Steelmade planter box. Made from dark Carbon Steel, this planter arrives hand-oiled for a naturally hydrophobic finish that protects the steel from corrosion and rust. This finish is easy to maintain for years of attractive service. Alternatively, you can leave the steel unfinished to allow it to patina over time to a rustic reddish-brown appearance.

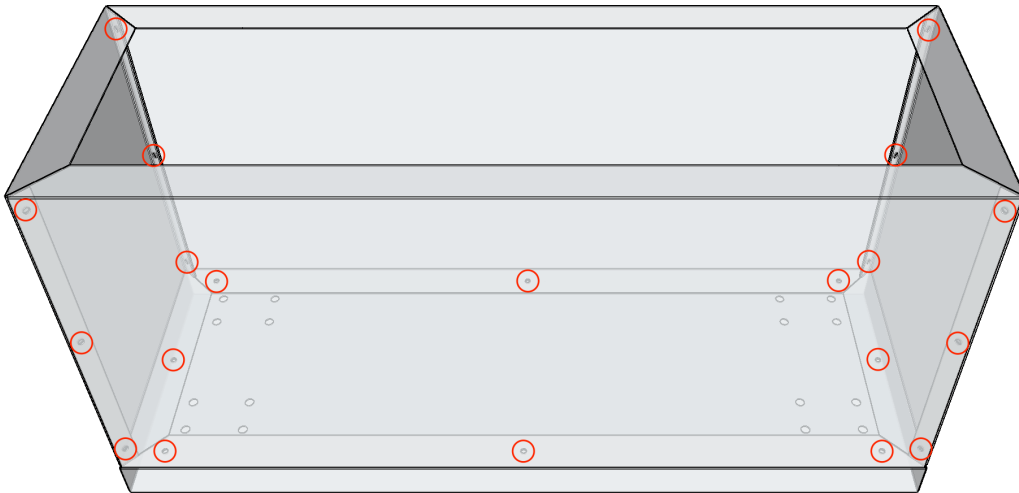
Each assembly consists of the following components:

(2) 14" End Panels

(2) Side Panels (14", 40", or 60" depending on model)

(1) Base (14", 40", or 60" depending on model)

Assembly Hardware (1/4"-20 x 1/2" hex screws and 1/4" hex nuts)



1.) Attach the End and Side Panels to the Base using the supplied hex screws and nuts. Hand tighten during this step.

2.) Attach the End and Side Panels to each other using the remaining hex screws and nuts. Hand tighten during this step.

3.) Once all of the panels are connected, fully tighten the hardware using a 7/16" wrench.

If you wish to preserve the look of your product's original appearance then it will be necessary to periodically inspect and reapply the oil as it will degrade over time due to UV exposure from the sun. Simply clean your product with a dry cloth or warm water if necessary. Allow to dry completely. Use a staining pad or cloth rag to apply a very thin layer of linseed oil to all surfaces. Thoroughly buff when done to remove excess oil to prevent a gummy finish.

You may also choose to allow the metal to age beautifully through the natural Patina process. Patina is a weathering process which occurs when metal is exposed to oxygen and moisture that will gradually change bare steel from a bluish gray color to a dark reddish brown. This natural process varies the appearance of each piece making every piece unique.