

8' Exposed Leg Outdoor Table

This table is 8' long, 25" wide and 30" tall.

Materials:

- (1) 4x4 @ 10'
- (2) 2x6 @ 8'
- (6) 1x4 @ 8'

Kreg Jig
2-1/2" Pocket Hole screws
1-1/4" Screws
2 " screws
Exterior wood glue



Cut list:

4x4 - Cut 4 pieces @ 30" for the legs

2x6 - Rip both in half to make the boards 2-3/4" wide

Cut 2 pieces @ 88-3/4" for the long apron

Cut 2 pieces @ 18-1/4" for the short apron

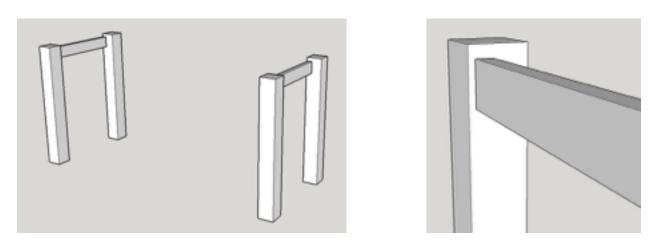
Cut the rest after assembly. You will want to cut them to fit. But there will be 6 pieces @ (about) 27" for the supports

1x4 - Cut to fit after assembly

I attached the top using Table Top Fasteners. If you are doing this you need to follow the directions on the box how to install them. You can also use "L" brackets or pocket holes in the supports and aprons.

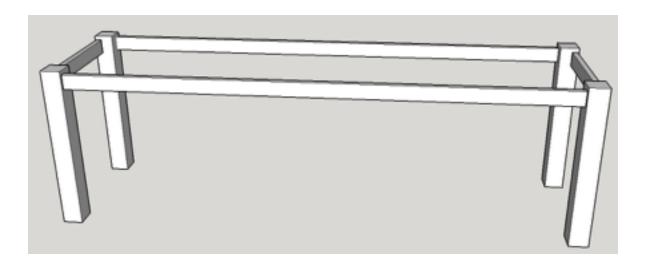
Step One:

Assemble the short sides of the table using pocket holes and 2-1/2" pocket hole screws on the inside of the table. Leave a 1/2" recess where the outside of the table will be. (Or whatever size recess is pleasing to you) But make sure to install the apron 3/4" from the top of the table leg (because that's how thick the 1x4 boards actually are).



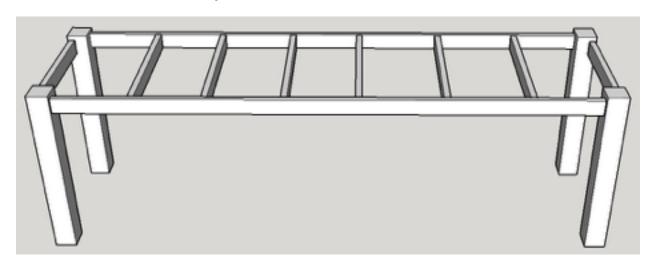
Step Two:

Attach the long aprons using pocket holes and 2-1/2" pocket hole screws. Make sure to leave the 3/4 space for the top and the 1/2" recess for the sides.



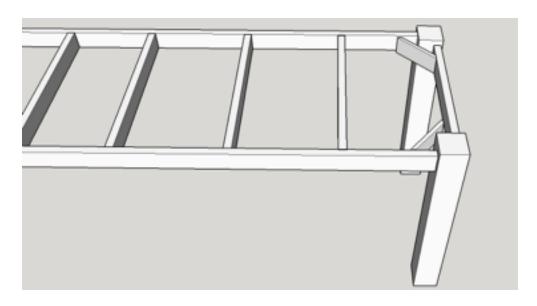
Step 3:

Measure the inside of table between the 2 long aprons and cut 6 supports to the correct length and attach them using 2-1/2" pocket hole screws at around 12" apart from each other.



Step 4:

Mark any scraps you have left over for the corner braces. (I used other scraps I had on hand too). Just line it up at each corner, mark it, and cut to those lines. Attach them using 1-1/4" screws to the aprons and drive one 2" screw straight through the 4x4 leg for more support.



Step 5:

Lay out the 1x4 boards across the top. Mark and cut them to fit. Install the boards using Table Top fasteners, "L" brackets or pocket holes and screws. Make sure to install with an even amount of spacing between the boards if using for outdoors.



Enjoy:)

