

Decorative Dividers

Before You Start

Congratulations! These high-quality Decorative Dividers by LTL Home Products, Inc., are sure to add a beautiful designer's touch to your home or office. The following guidelines are designed to help you finish your new dividers with professional-looking results. .

Finishing Instructions

NOTE: Remove fabric and all dowel rods BEFORE finishing.

(A) If you plan to paint your dividers:

- 1 - Prime all exposed surfaces with a high-quality primer applied according to paint label instructions.
- 2 - Allow to dry as specified.
- 3 - If, after priming, the wood seems "fuzzy" or "rough", sand with medium-to-fine sandpaper or steel wool.
- 4 - Apply finish coat/coats of a quality interior paint.

(B) If you plan to stain your dividers:

- 1 - Apply a high-quality stain according to instructions on stain label.
- 2 - Sand if necessary (see #4 above).
- 3 - Apply adequate coats of exterior sealer.

For an especially eye-catching accent, try a special marbledized or colorful faux finish, or add your favorite stencil. The design possibilities are endless!

To use your own fabric (no tools required)

- 1 - Remove the existing fabric by gently removing the dowels at the top and bottom of each divider. Repeat with remaining two panels.
- 2 - Use one of the supplied fabric panels as a handy pattern and size reference to create panels with your own fabric.
- 3 - Take one of your new fabric panels and insert two of the six dowel rods into the top and bottom hems, as you would insert a curtain rod. Repeat with remaining two panels.
- 4 - Gently place one end of the dowel into one of the predrilled holes in the inside of each divider, then insert the other end into the opposing hole. Dowels are inserted at the top and bottom of each divider. Repeat with remaining two panels.

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Instructions to Add a Decorative Dividers Expansion Panel

Tools Required:

- Medium Screwdriver
- Drill
- Safety Glasses

(A) Alignment/Marking

- 1 - Place your 3-panel insert in a standing position.
- 2 - Align the hinged edge of the Expansion Panel with the end of the last 3-unit panel.
- 3 - Open the hinges and align them flush against the edge of the receiving panel. See figure 1.

NOTE: When adding a panel, alternate the direction of the hinges to ensure proper folding of the divider. Figure 2.

- 4 - Clearly mark the centers of the four hinge screw holes and carefully drill pilot holes (this will prevent wood from splitting when inserting screws).
- 5 - Attach the Expansion Panel with screws provided.

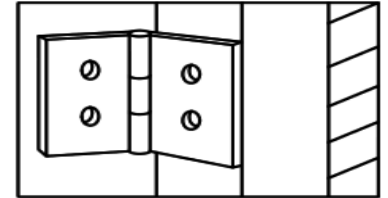


Fig. 1

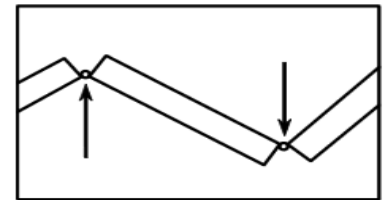


Fig. 2