

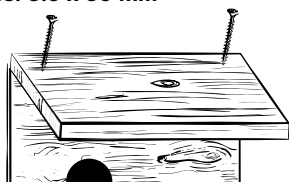
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# Dormice shelter

## Building instructions

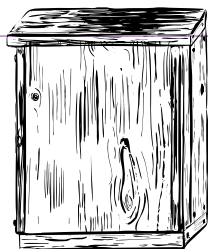
Material:

- **Untreated, rough-sawn coniferous wood, 2 cm thick.**
- **Front and back wall: 23 x 14.5 cm**
- **Side wall 1: 8 x 23 cm**
- **Side panel 2 (to open): 8 x 24.5 cm; one narrow edge of it (8 cm) rounded off**
- **Floor: 10.5 x 8 cm**
- **Roof: 17 x 21 cm**
- **2 battens: 20 x 3.7 x 3 cm**
- **Screws: 3.5 x 30 mm**

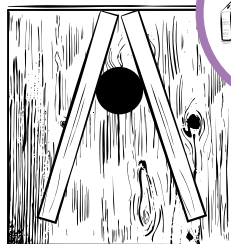


### Screwing the walls, floor and roof together:

First screw the back wall to the side wall 1, the floor and the front wall. The back wall and front wall close over the edges of the side walls. Then attach the roof panel to the nest box with an even overhang. Please ensure an even overhang (drip edge).



Install with the entrance hole to the wall in a protected and quiet place (shed wall or tree at a height of 1,5 - 2 metres).



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### Preparation of the back wall:

Use a hole saw to make an entrance hole (diameter 3 cm) in the centre of the upper third of the back wall. Then screw the guide rails to the right and left of the entrance hole.

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### Installation of side wall 2 to open the nest box:

When installing side wall 2, please leave a small gap towards the roof so that the side wall can be folded up to open the nest box. Place the screws for folding up the side wall as high as possible so that the pivot point of the side wall is high up. The rounded edge of the side wall must point towards the roof and inwards! Otherwise, there is a risk of trapping the animals when opening or closing the box!