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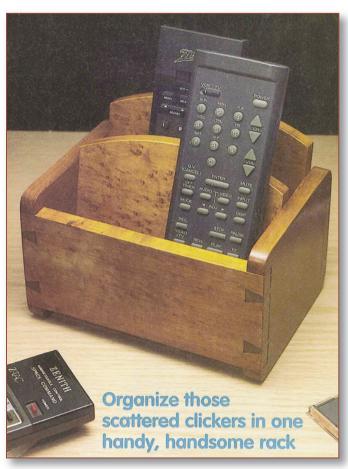
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Audio/Video Remote Rack



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s we add more electronic components to our homes, we seem to add a corresponding number of remote control devices. Most TV's now come with them, so do many of the VCR and CD units.

Audio/Video Remote Rack

But as more remote controls

are collected, it becomes a challenge to keep tabs on each one. We think this project will help. It holds several "remotes" and even a copy of the latest issue of *TV Guide*. Our rack sits on a table, but it can easily be wall mounted should you fear misplacing the entire rack.

We used bird's-eye maple for all parts, although most any wood can be used. The dovetails are a nice detail, and they help make a project like this look a bit special.

You'll need ¹/₂ in. thick stock for all parts. Cut the front and back (A) and the ends (B) to the dimensions shown in the Bill Of Materials. Lay out and cut the dovetails, then use the router table with a ¹/₄ in. straight bit to cut the ¹/₄ in. wide by

1/8 in. deep groove in each end.
The four corners on each end are rounded to a 3/8 in. radius with a file or disk sander.
The bottom (C) is made from

The bottom (C) is made from 4 in. wide stock. Cut it to at least 12 in. long, then cut the two ½ in. wide grooves using the table

saw with a dado head set at a 10 degree angle. The 12 in. length makes for safer dado head cuts. After cutting the grooves, switch to a regular saw blade and crosscut the stock to its final length of $6^{1}/4$ in. long. Use the router table to cut the tenons on

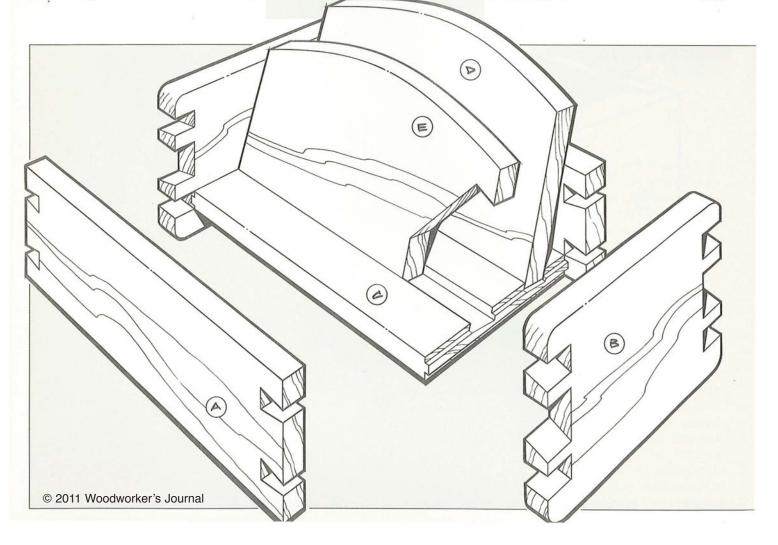
each end.

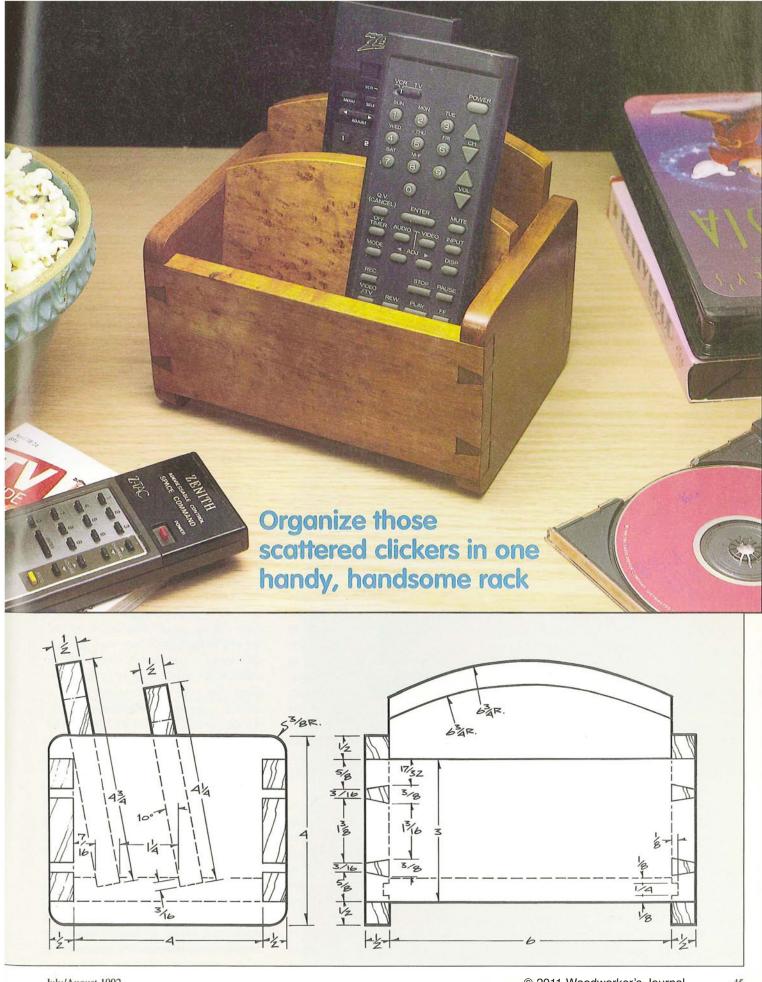
Cut the wide divider (D) and narrow divider (E) to size and round the top edges. Final sand all the parts, then glue the dividers to the bottom before adding the front, back and sides. Clamp securely and set aside to dry.

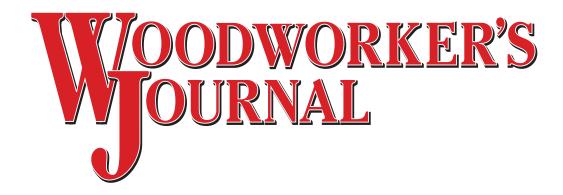
For a finish we applied two coats of Minwax's Colonial Maple Wood Finish followed by a couple of coats of good penetrating oil.



Par	t Description	Size	No. Req'd.
Α	Front/Back	1/2 x 3 x 7	2
В	End	1/2 x 4 x 5	2
С	Bottom	1/2 x 4 x 61/4*	1
D	Wide Divider	1/2 x 43/4 x 6	1
* L	Narrow Divider ength includes tenons	¹ / ₂ x 4 ¹ / ₄ x 6	1







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