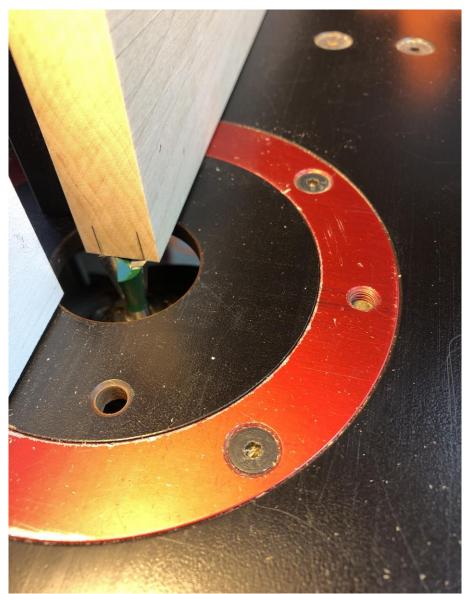
## Dovetailed Measuring Sticks



## Dovetail Bit in Router table



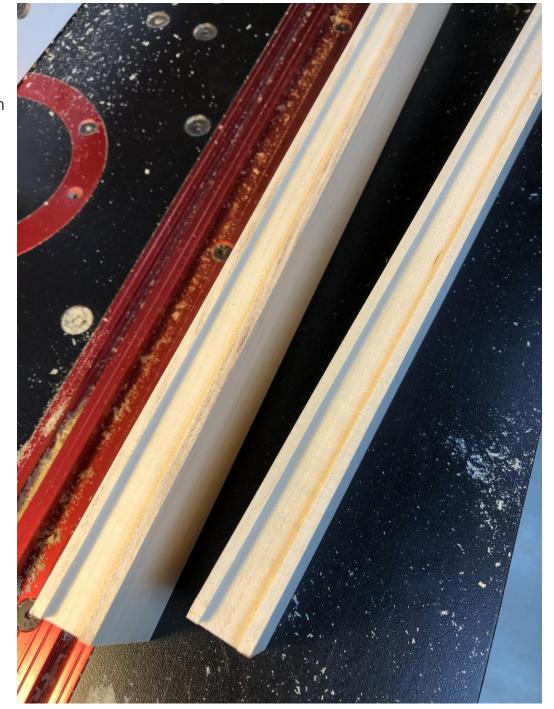
## Center bit on board



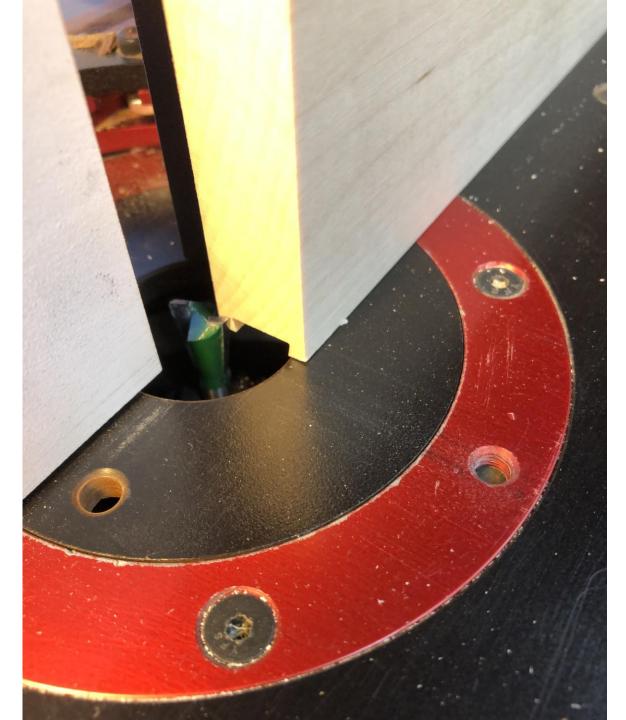


Ready to cut

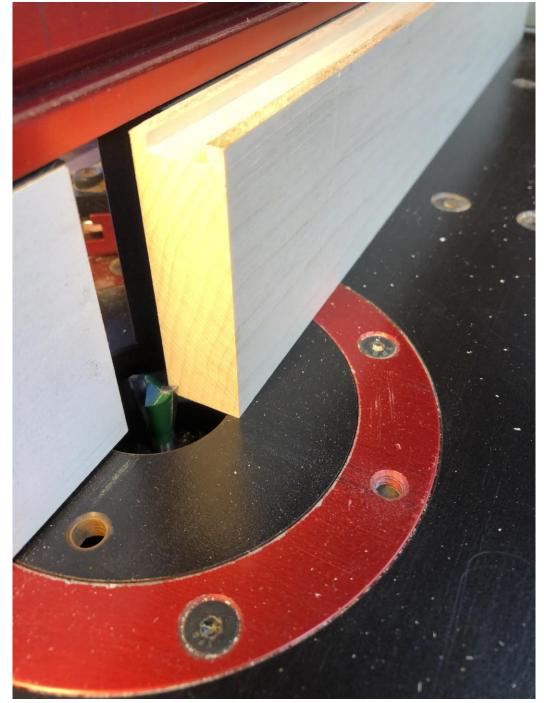
Cut dovetailed groove in edge of board. Cut in both directions to ensure groove is in the center of the board



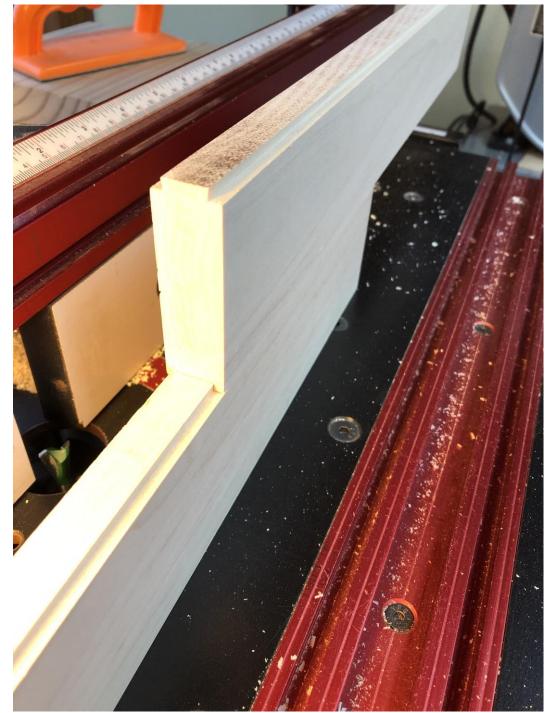
Move fence to cut dovetail on edge of board opposite the dovetail groove.



Cut dovetail on edge of board. Cut on one corner of board, then cut on other corner of board to ensure that dovetail is centered on edge of board.



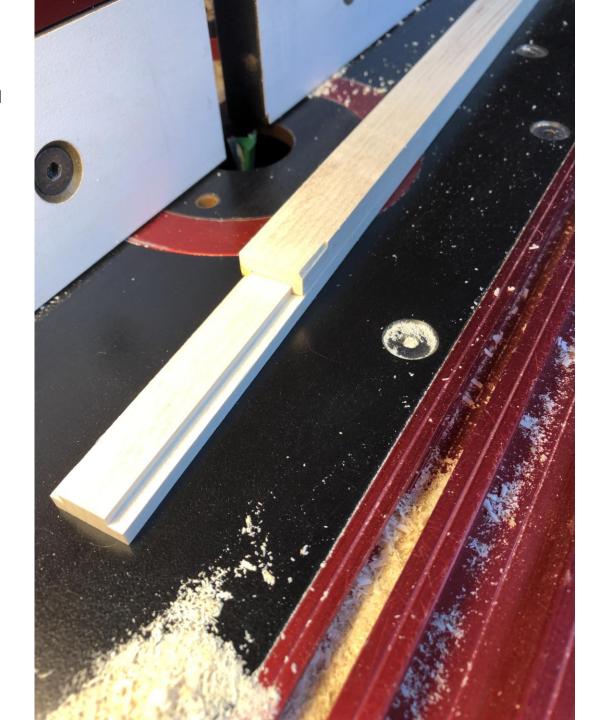
Test fit parts and continue to move fence until the dovetail tongue fits into the dovetail groove.



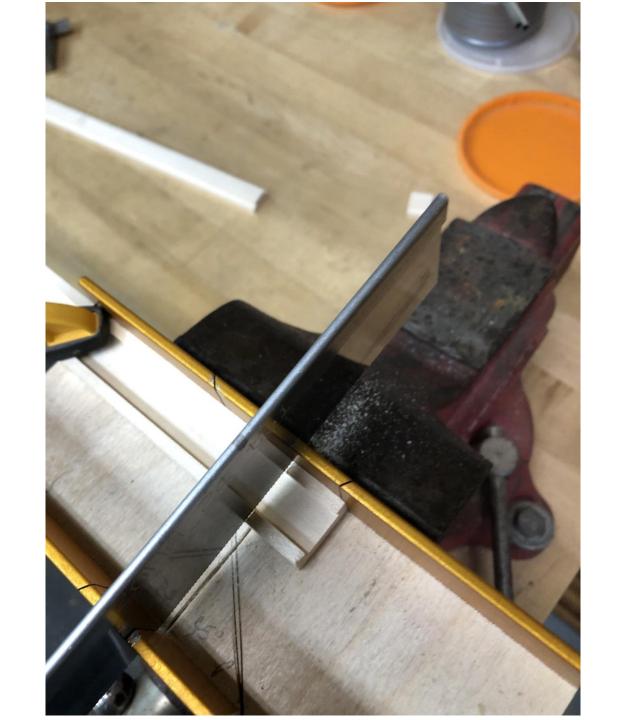
Rip dovetail groove from board.

Rip dovetail "tongue" from board.

Two pieces of measuring stick fitted together.



Cut a piece from each member 5/8" long



5/8" piece cut from dovetail tongue piece.

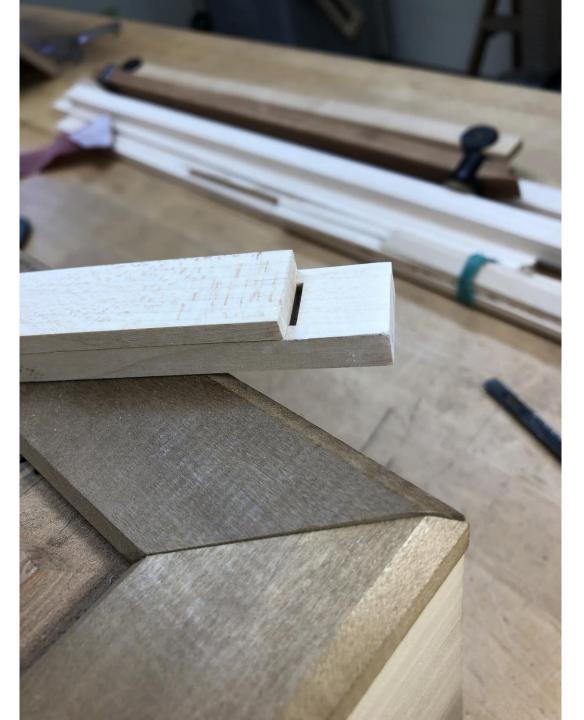


Glue 5/8" piece onto the end of the mating stick.

5/8" pieces glued onto the sticks.

Cut the excess from the 5/8" pieces.

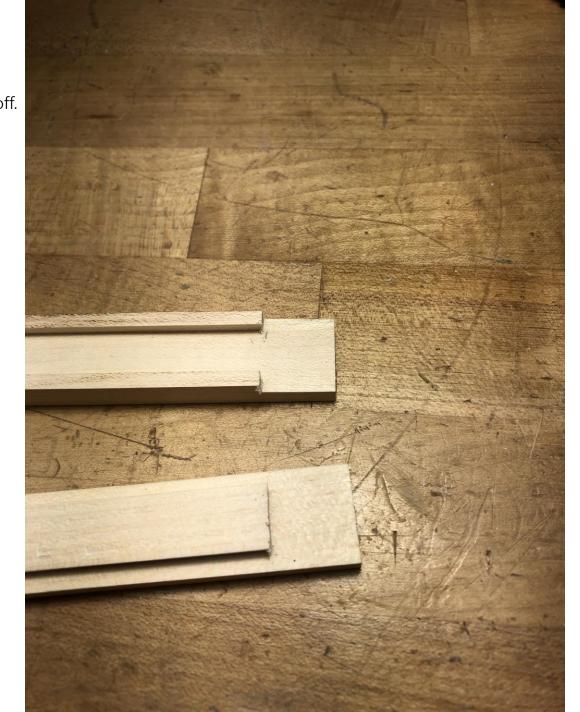
Excess cut from piece with dovetail groove. There is still interference that prevents the parts from overlapping completely.



Cut off the parts that prevent complete overlapping.



Dovetail piece with excess part of 5/8" block cut off with flush-cut saw.



Pieces with interfering parts cut off.

Stick ready to use.

Bevels cut on pieces to allow points of sticks to be in line with each other so that sticks can be used to reach into corners.

