

Three Ways to Attach a "Backbox" Frame Extender to a Standard Frame

GLUE AND STAPLES
Apply a line of wood glue around the perimeter, join together with staples every few inches inside, and clamp until dry.



ANGLE BRACKETS AND SCREWS
Join the frame and box together with angle brackets screwed on the inside. Use two-hole brackets on all sides, or angle stock cut-to-length.

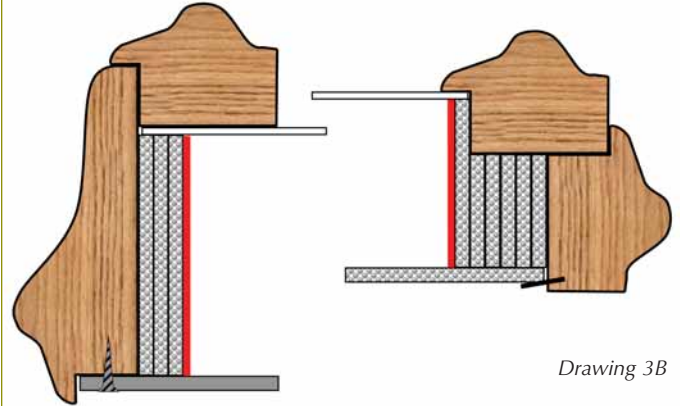


GLUE AND BRADS
Apply a line of wood glue around the perimeter, join together with brads driven from the inside, and clamp until dry.



Drawing 3A

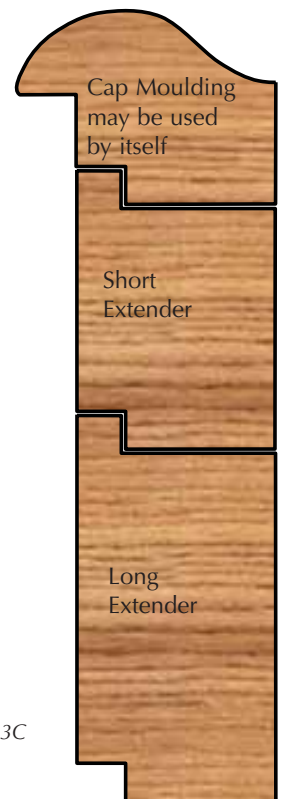
Examples of Vertically Stacked Moulding Combinations



Drawing 3B

Cap Moulding with Matching Extender

Cap and extenders must be securely attached, perhaps by glued shadowbox sides, staples, or mending plates.

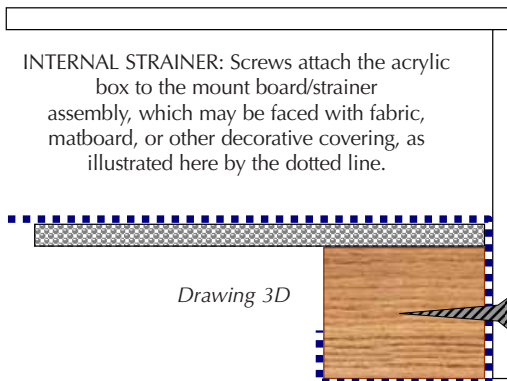


Drawing 3C

Acrylic Box/Strainer

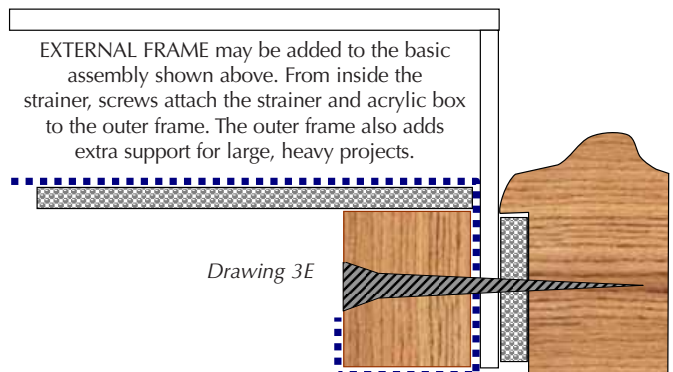
Assembly Examples

INTERNAL STRAINER: Screws attach the acrylic box to the mount board/strainer assembly, which may be faced with fabric, matboard, or other decorative covering, as illustrated here by the dotted line.



Drawing 3D

EXTERNAL FRAME may be added to the basic assembly shown above. From inside the strainer, screws attach the strainer and acrylic box to the outer frame. The outer frame also adds extra support for large, heavy projects.



Drawing 3E