



# RECYCLED DRINKS TABLE

Mark Rayner shows you how build this simple, stylish patio drinks table from recycled materials.

## YOU WILL NEED

- 40mm galvanised nails
- Clamp
- Hammer
- Old wooden stool
- Pieces of recycled timber
- Paintbrush
- Pencil
- PVA glue (exterior)
- Resene Lumbersider tinted to Resene Sail
- Resene Quick Dry
- Ruler
- Sandpaper
- Saw
- Screwdriver
- Set square

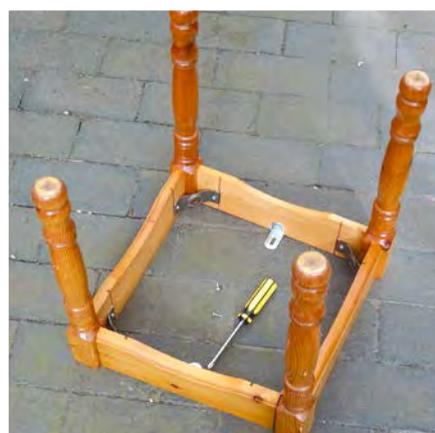
## GET THE LOOK

Mark painted the background wall with Resene Lumbersider tinted to Resene Butter.



### STEP 1

Remove any old screws or nails from the recycled timber. Our selection of wood is reclaimed from old drawers, shelves and an old crate.



### STEP 2

Dismantle the wooden stool, remove the legs and lightly sand each one to prime the surface.



### STEP 3

Measure, mark and cut pieces of wood to form a rectangular frame for the table top. We use six lengths of wood for our construction, but four might be sufficient. Smooth any rough edges with sandpaper.



## STEP 4

Assemble the pieces of wood to form the rectangular base, fixing with PVA glue and nails at each corner. Use a set square to ensure corners are at right angles. Our base measures approximately 430mm x 490mm.



## STEP 5

Position pieces of timber across the wooden frame, as shown, to form the table top. Overlap at one edge by 25mm and fix with PVA glue and nails. Use a small offcut of wood to ensure pieces of wood are evenly spaced.



## STEP 6

Fix the remaining pieces of timber into position, as shown, to complete the table top. Again, ensure the lengths of wood are evenly spaced, and overlap one edge by 25mm.



## STEP 7

Measure, mark and cut the overhanging pieces of timber, ensuring there's still a 25mm overlap along both ends.



## STEP 8

Smooth any rough edges with sandpaper.



## STEP 9

Fix a leg to each corner using PVA glue and nails. Secure the leg with a clamp while nailing. Allow glue to dry.



## STEP 10

Apply one coat of Resene Quick Dry to the table, allowing two hours to dry.



## STEP 11

Apply two coats of Resene Sail to the table, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.

## A DIFFERENT FINISH?

We used Resene LumberSider, which has a low-sheen finish, but if you prefer a gloss finish try Resene Enamacryl. For a semi-gloss finish, use Resene Lustacryl.

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