

Matting & Presenting Your Photos



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Why Cut Your Own Mat

Today I'll Cover

- ❖ How to Build a Mat Cutter
- ❖ How to Cut Mats
- ❖ Materials and Display

How to Build a Mat Cutter

- ❖ Materials Needed
- ❖ How to Assemble
- ❖ Differences

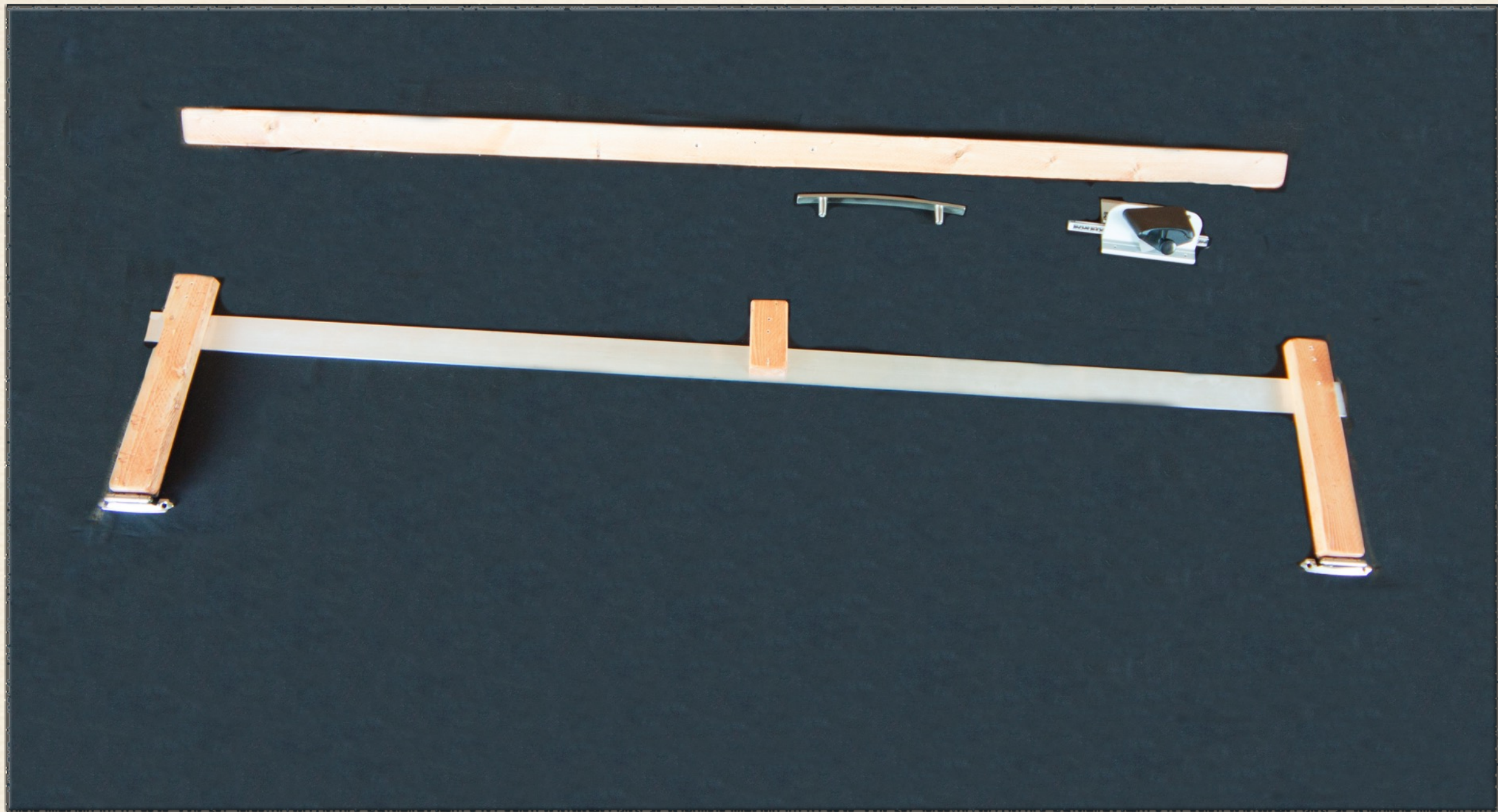
How to Build a Mat Cutter

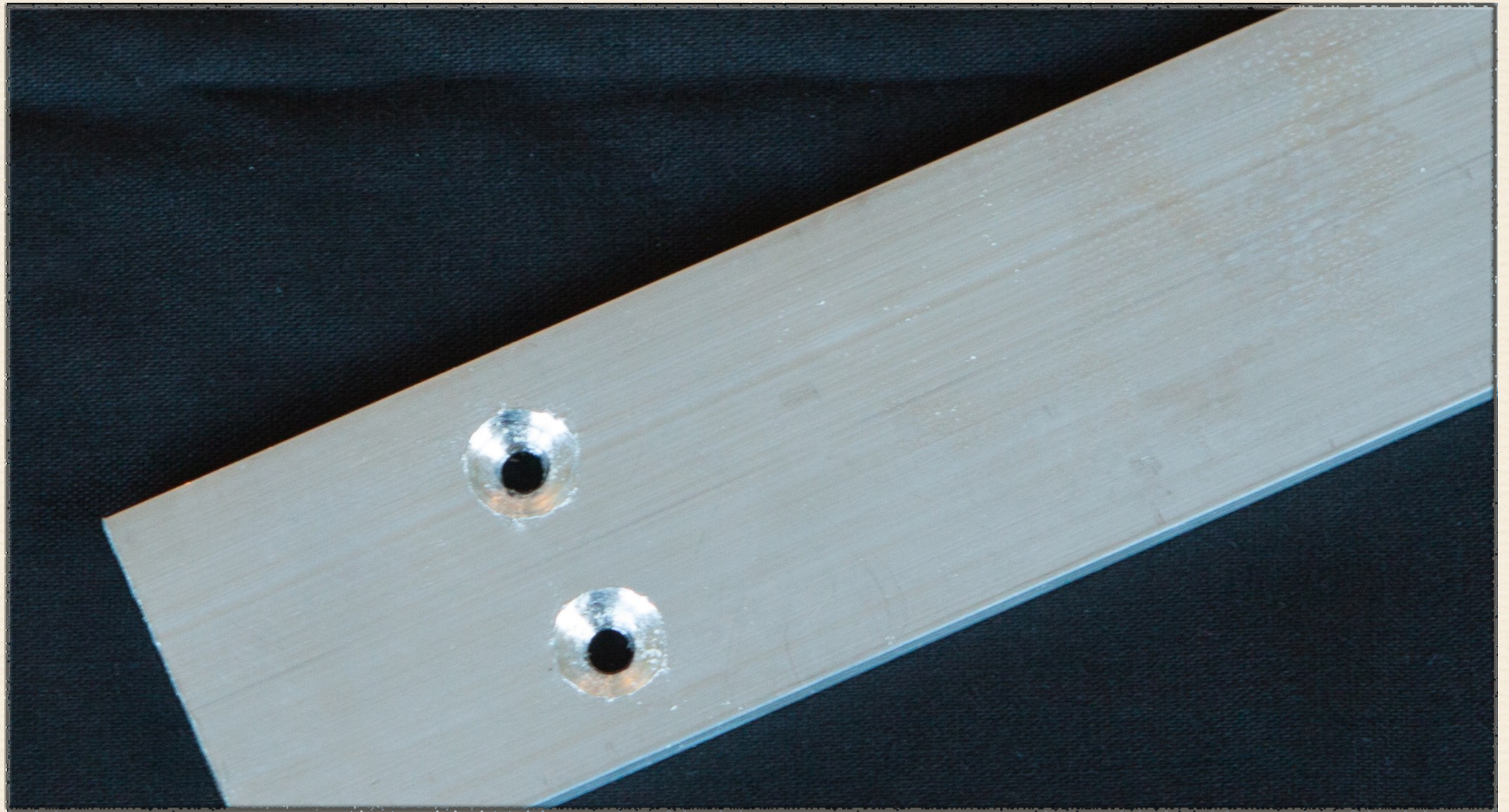


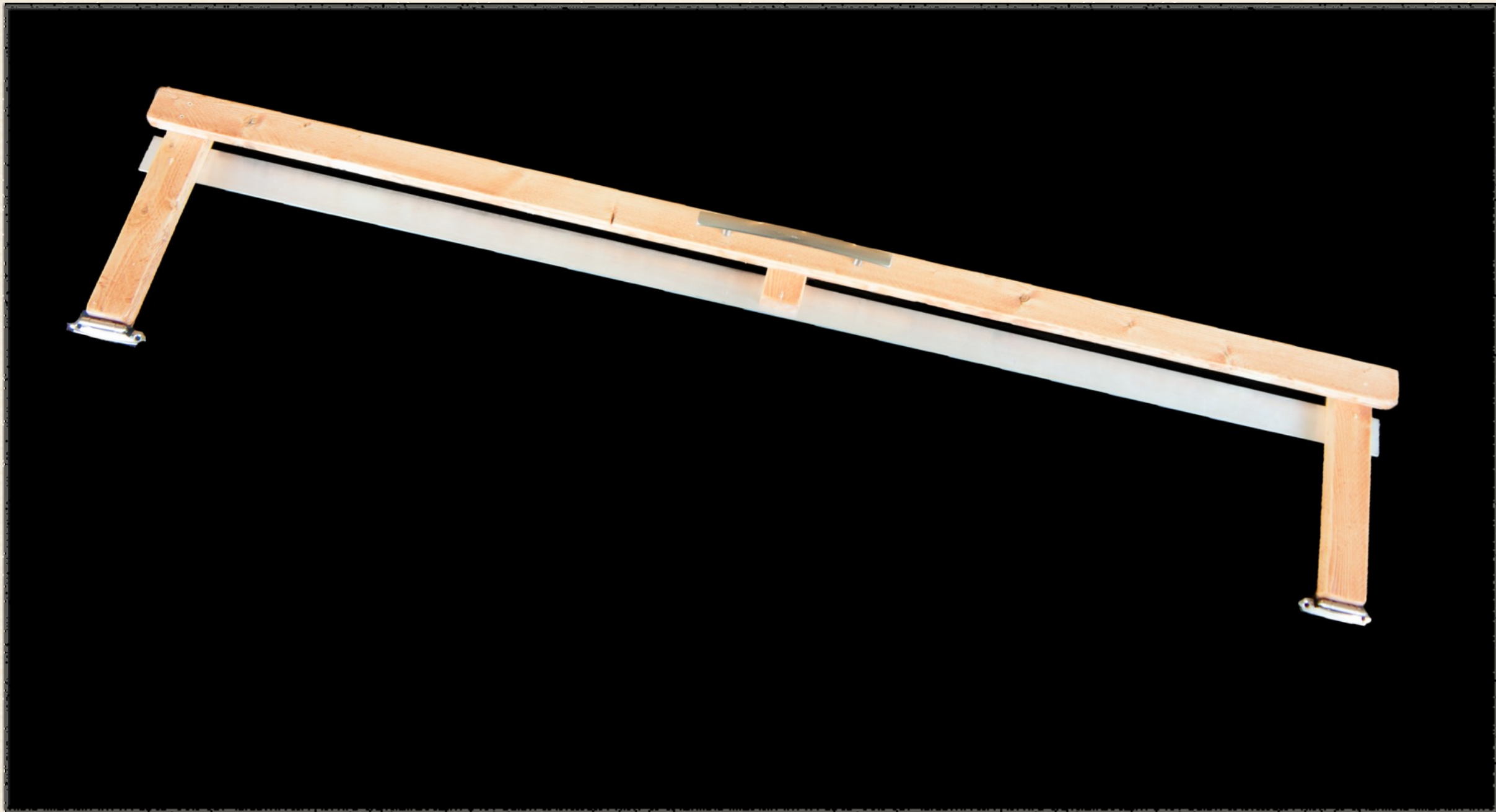
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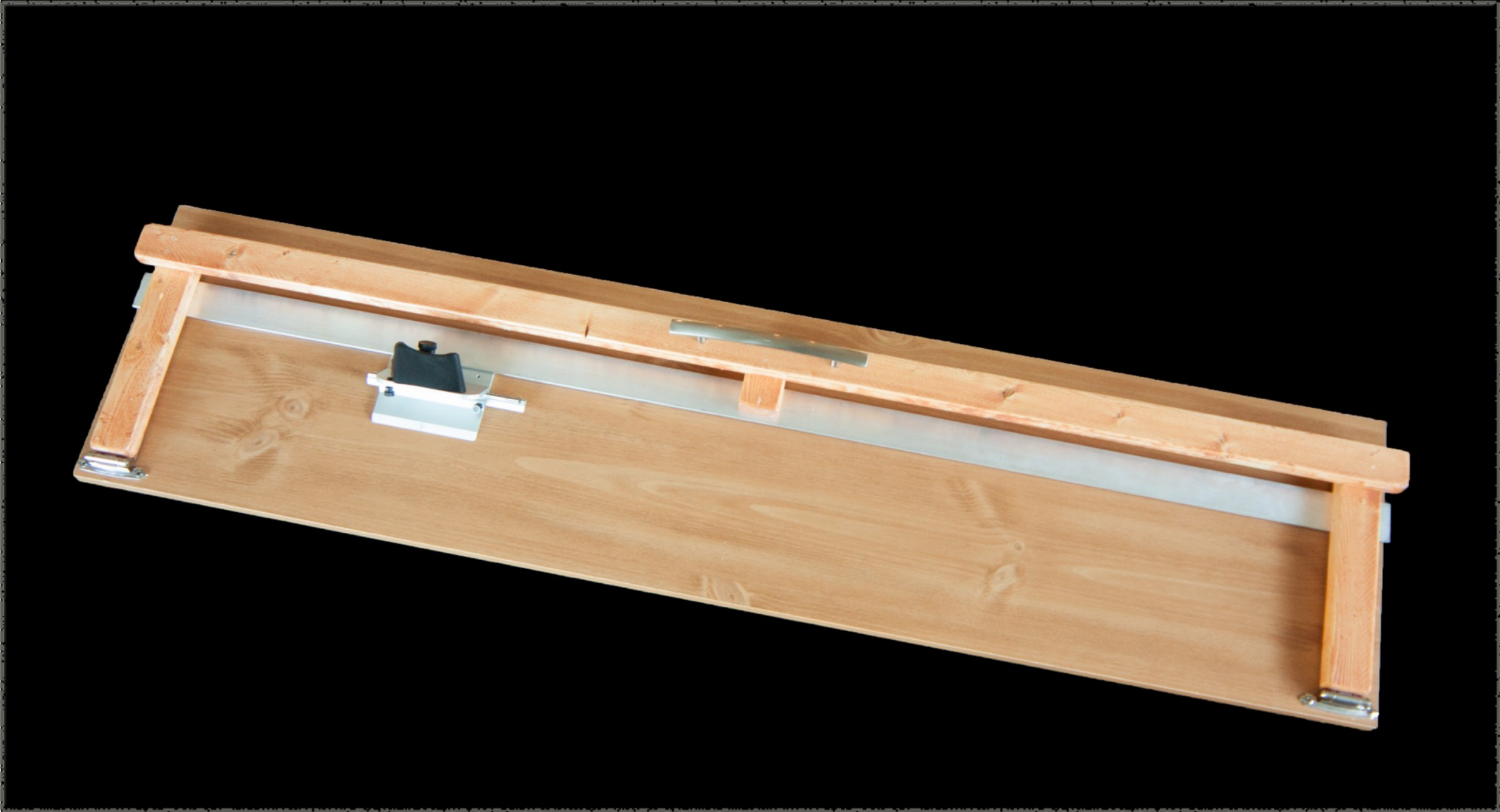
How to Assemble













How to Cut Mats

- ❖ Matting Decisions
- ❖ Matting Material & Cost
- ❖ Basic Cutting Techniques

Matting Decisions

- ❖ Commercial vs Show Display
- ❖ Preservation and Long Term Matting

Matting Materials & Costs

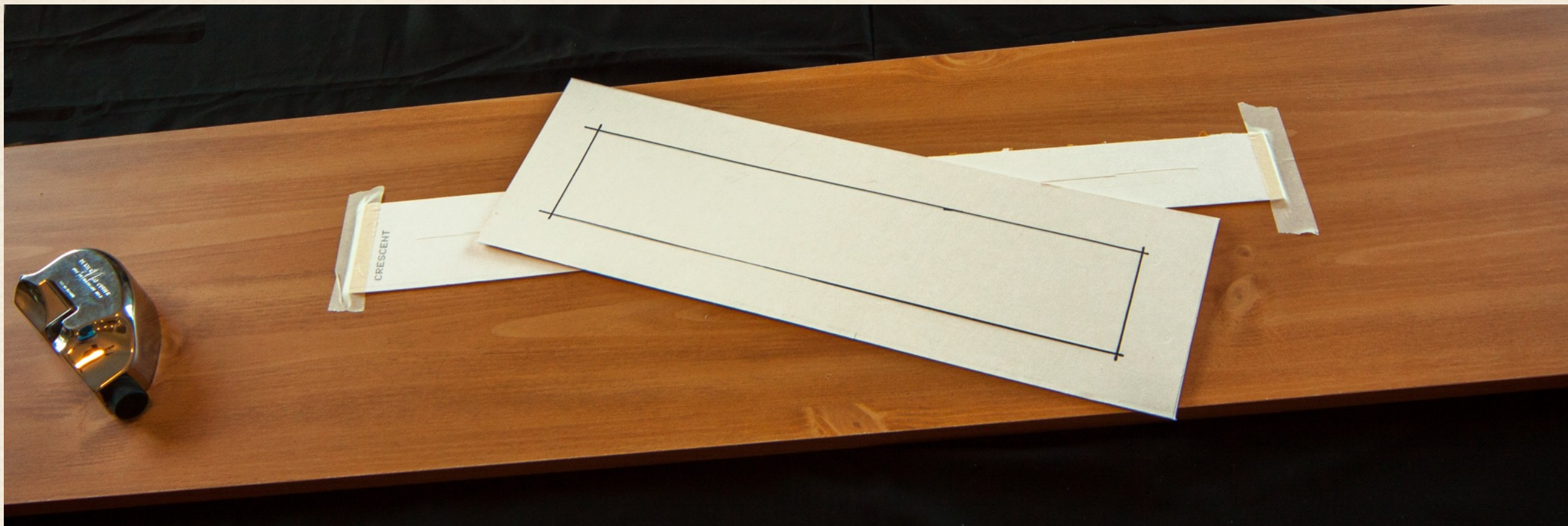
- ❖ Museum Board
- ❖ Museum Mat or Rat Mat
- ❖ Archival Mat
- ❖ Acid Free Mat
- ❖ Mounting Materials

Basic Cutting Techniques

- ❖ Measuring - Outside/Inside
- ❖ Cutting Procedure
- ❖ Choices



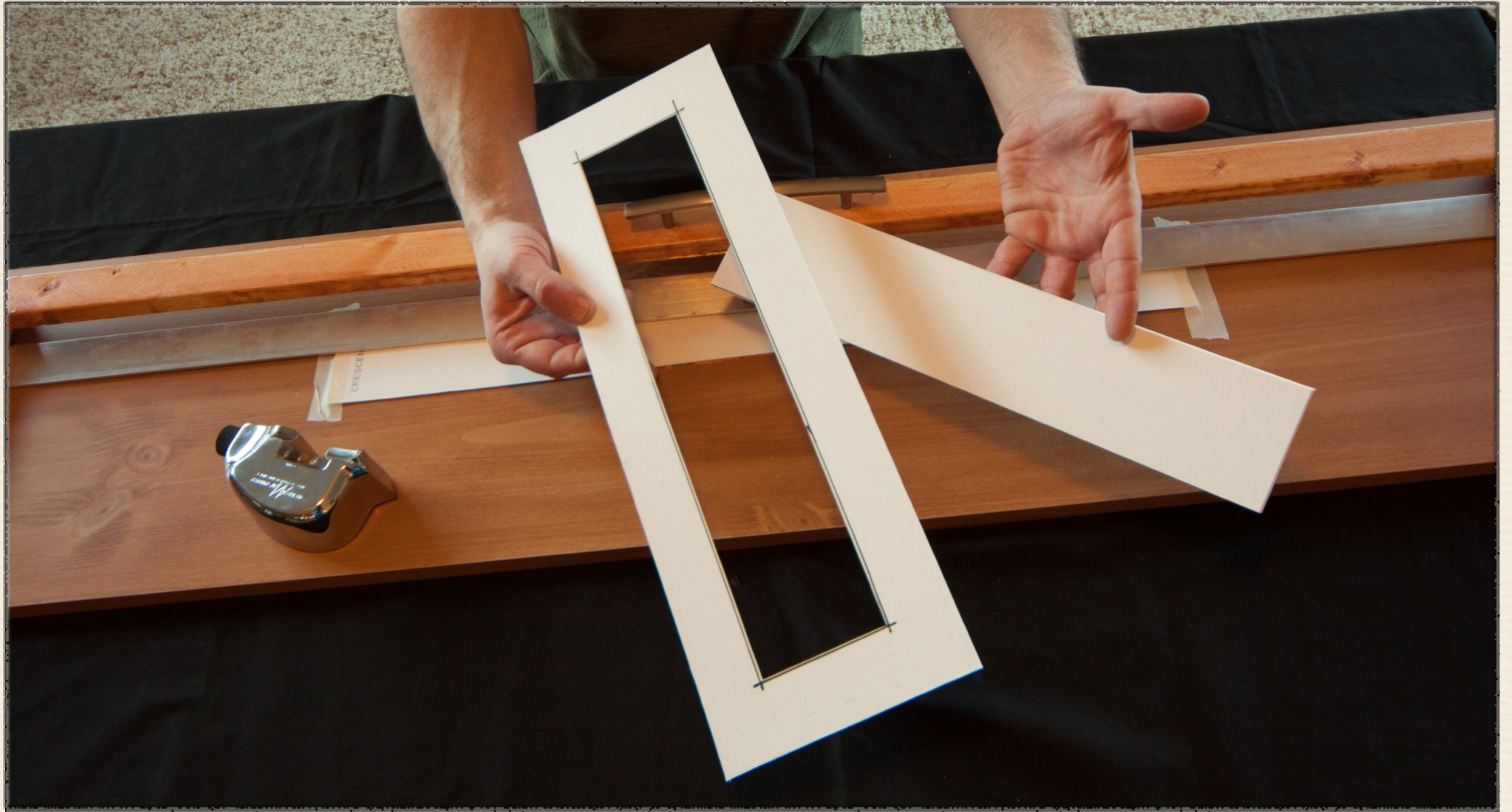
Outside Measurement



Inside (window) Measurement



Ready - Set - Go







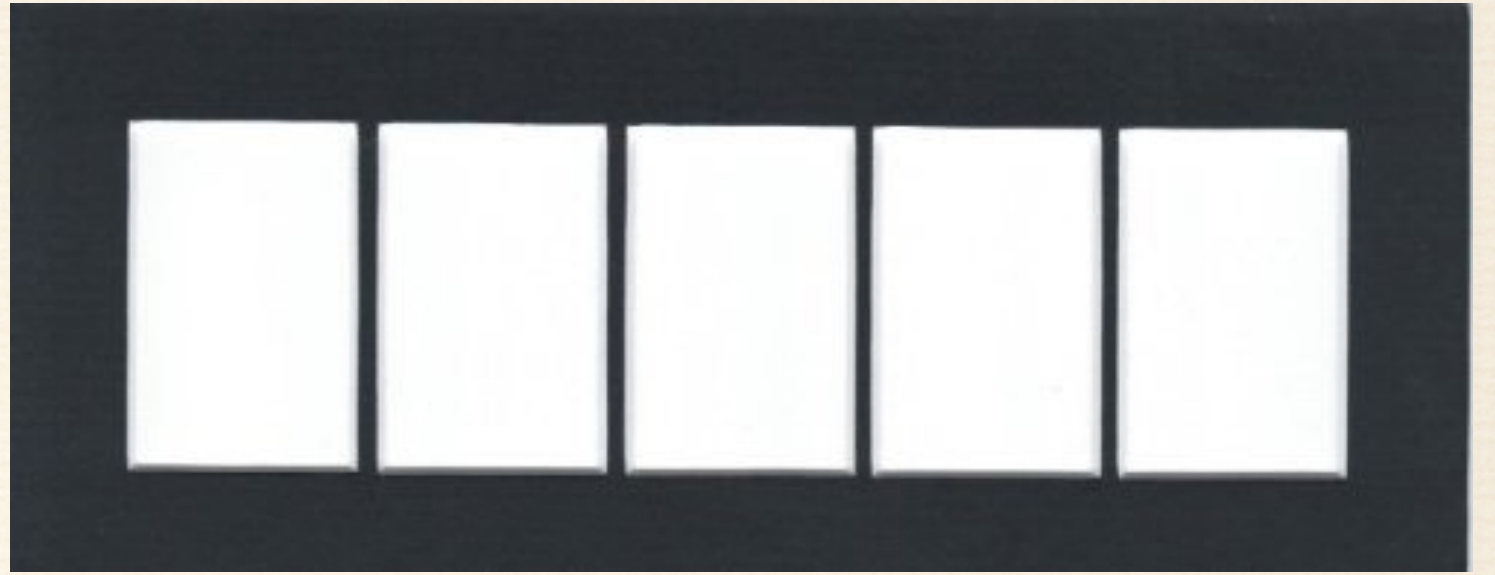
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Matting Styles & Display











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