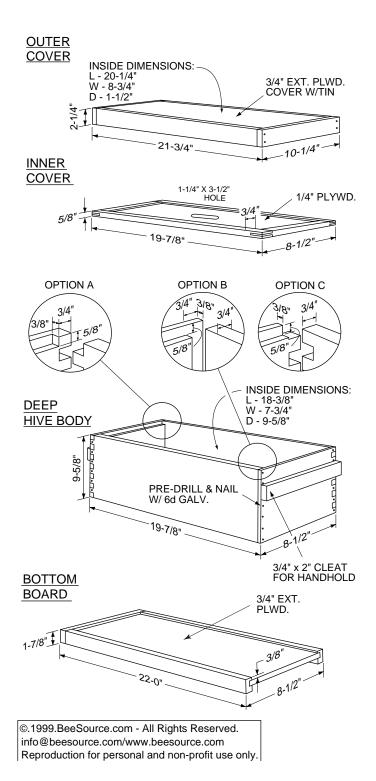
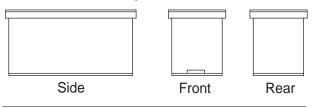
5-FRAME LANGSTROTH NUCLEUS HIVE CONSTRUCTION DETAILS FOR 3/4" THICK LUMBER

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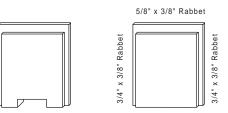


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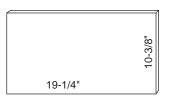


THE HIVE BODY

The front and rear panels are 9" x 10-3/8". Both panels have a 3/4" x 3/8" rabbet down each side and a 5/8" x 3/8" rabbet across the top edge. The front panel has a 3/4" x 3" cut out centered on the bottom edge.



The two side panels are 19-1/4" by 10-3/8".



HIVE BOTTOM AND INNER COVER

Both the hive bottom and inner cover are 20" x 9". Both are made out of 3/8" or 1/2" plywood. The bottom is nailed directly onto the hive body.



TOP COVER

The top cover is made from 5 pieces. The stiles and rails are detailed below. The cover is made from either 3/8" or 1/2" plywood.

