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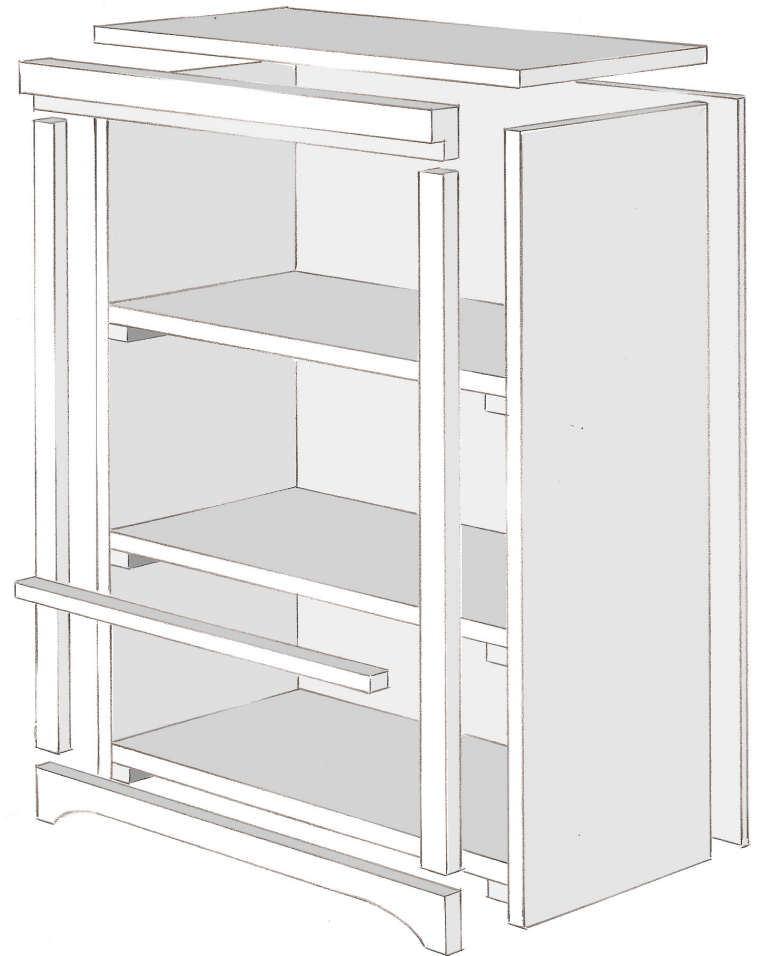
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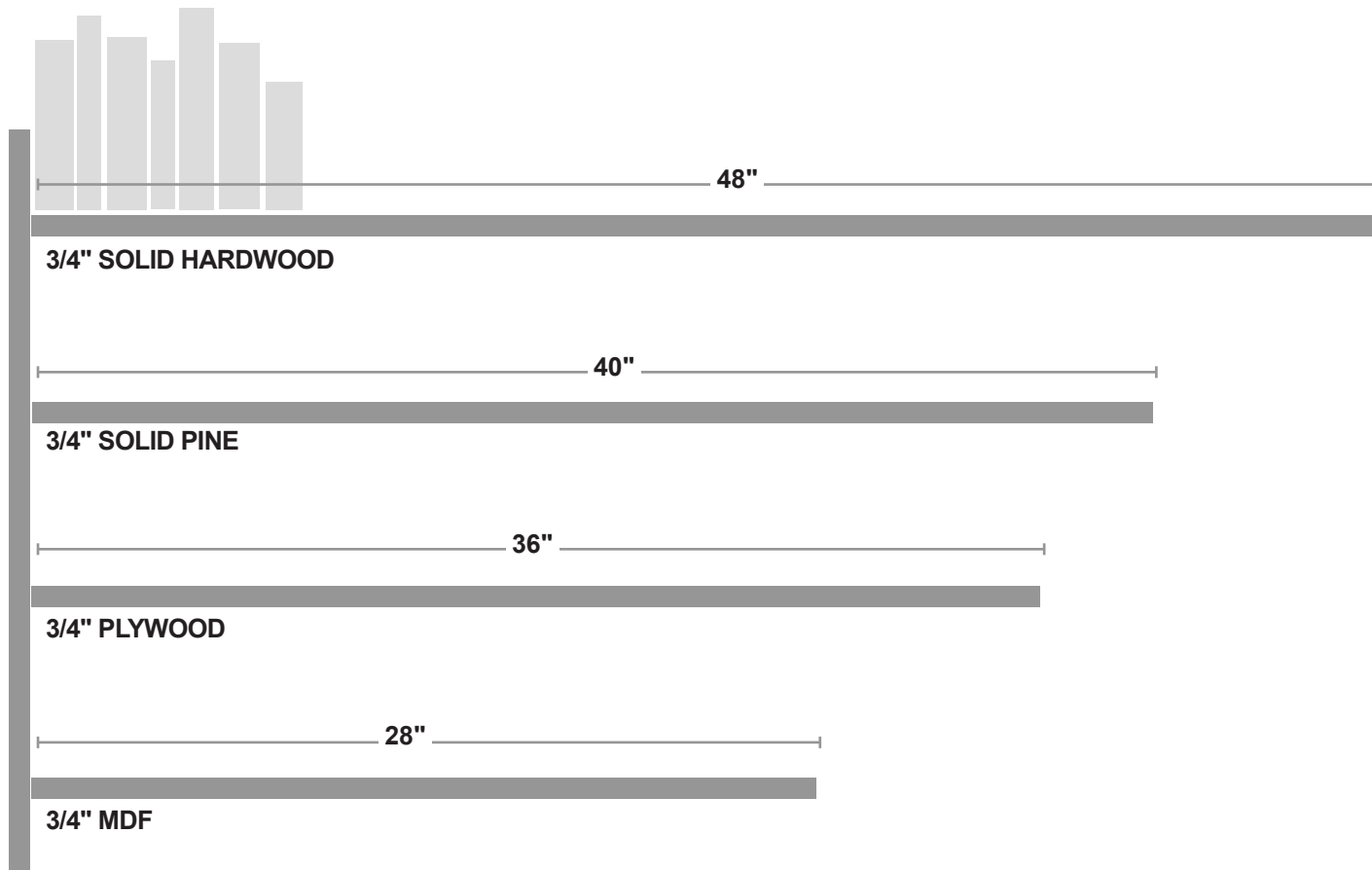
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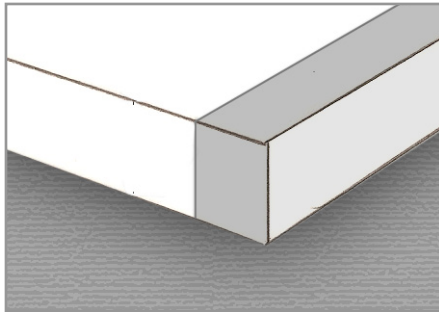
BOOKCASE SHELF SPAN

MAXIMUM SHELF SPAN TO AVOID SAG



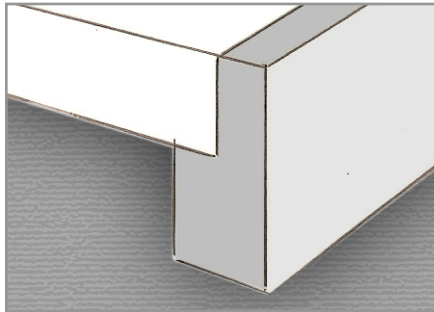
BOOST SHELF STRENGTH

AND INCREASE SHELF SPAN MAXIMUM



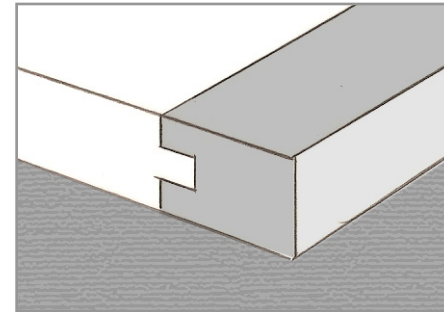
SIMPLE EDGE BAND

Gluing a wood band along the front of a shelf helps avoid sag.



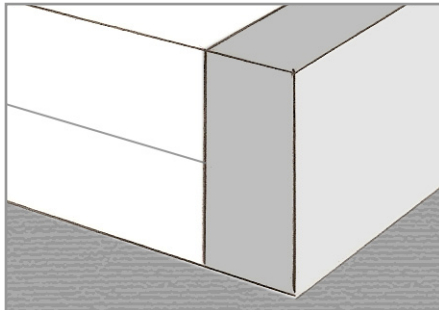
HARDWOOD EDGING

A wide hardwood edge can nearly double the span of plywood.



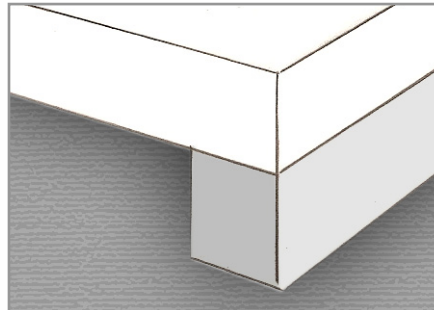
TONGUE & GROOVE

A nearly invisible edge like this goes a long way to prevent sag.



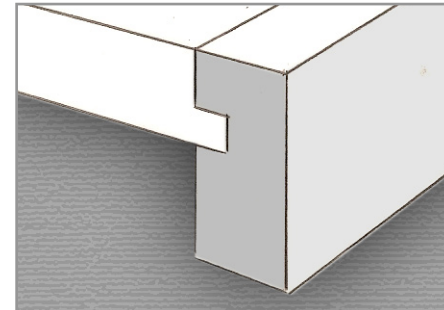
DOUBLE UP SHELVES

Sandwich two layers to make a super-strong shelf.



SIMPLE APRON

The easiest way to increase maximum span of a bookcase shelf.



RABBET & GROOVE

If you have tools to cut rabbets, this makes for easy shelf edging.