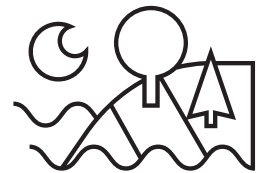


# Do it yourself.

Here is a crazy idea: A set of shelves as personal as a pasta bolognese. There are as many ways to customize them as there are people in the world. Make it as playful, personal or perfect as you like. Share your #pythagorasplay masterpiece and inspire others!

Do Pythagoras PLAY, today.



## Slow Production for a fast world

We care about the outdoors as much as the indoors. Therefore, we developed a work method that we call Slow Production. It involves honest manufacturing, good working conditions, recycled materials and a strict no aircraft freight. And no, we would never lay our hands on endangered forests.

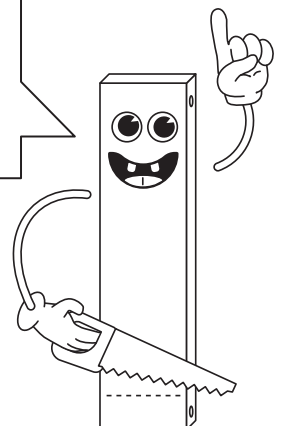
Some would say it's too much of an effort. We wouldn't have it any other way. Frankly, we hope that Slow Production will evolve to be the industry norm.

Our design will outlive us all – and so should mother nature.

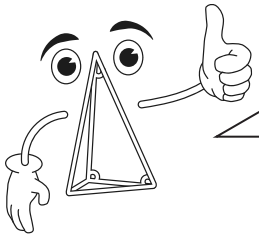


### As smart as a shelf can get

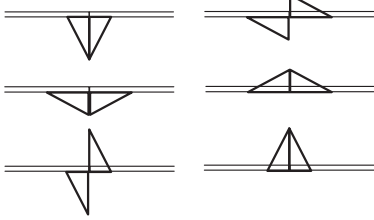
*Nobody likes a smarty-pants, but everyone loves a smart shelf. With pre-drilled holes there should be no problem for you to adjust my length from 78 to 59 centimeters. Pinewood made from good looking Nordic sustainable forestry.*



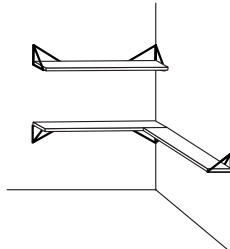
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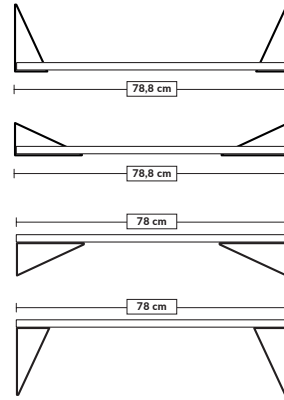
Check this out before you mount your Pythagoras PLAY shelves



Possible mounts when combining shelves



Mountable in 90° corners



The width of the shelves will depend on how you put the brackets. If you put the brackets upwards the shelves will be 4 mm wider on each side. Have this in mind if you would like to align a shelf above another.



**Tutorials**

If tutorials are your cup of tea, visit our YouTube channel and follow the steps for instructions.

[www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com) Q Maze Interior AB



**Planning tool**

Are you in the mood for building a shelving system? Have a look at our planning tool Pythagoras Lab and play around with different settings.

[www.pythagorasshelf.com](http://www.pythagorasshelf.com)

**Instructions for mounting your <Pythagoras PLAY>**

**Recommendation**

The required screws and plugs you will need depends on your wall type. To secure the stability and weight capacity, use the appropriate equipment. When in doubt about what type of screws and plugs to use, contact your local hardware store. Always use a bubble level when mounting.

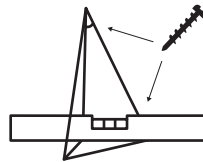
Once your shelf is up, we recommend a maximum weight of 15 kg evenly distributed on the shelf.

**You will need:**

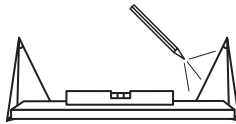
- 12 screws
- A bubble level
- A screwdriver
- A pen

**Note!**

Pinewood is a soft wood and can have small marks and dents in the surface. These can easily be sanded smooth before adding your choice of color. Pinewood takes paint, stain and wax very well - have fun with it!



1. Measure horizontally using a bubble level and mark the three holes. Then insert and fasten the three screws fully at the marks.

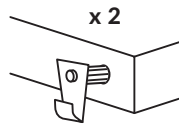


2. Place the shelf on top of the fixed bracket, place the bubble level on the shelf and mark with a pen where the next bracket should be placed (the position of the hole depends on how you decide to place the bracket).

! Do not attempt to determine the position of the second bracket by using a yardstick or ruler! Just let the shelf be supported by the second bracket in the position you like and mark the holes in this position.



3. Remove the shelf and fasten the three screws fully at the marks.



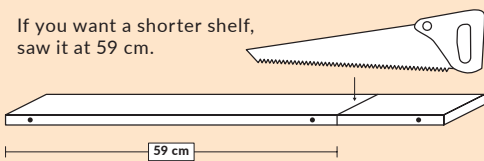
4. Insert the metal hooks halfway into the holes at the back of the shelf.



5. Tilt the shelf and make sure it attaches to the brackets. Gently push it in place.

! When removing the shelf, pull the metal hooks halfway out and then tilt the shelf!

If you want a shorter shelf, saw it at 59 cm.



**3 life hacks for pinewood shelves!**

1. The shelves are polished and ready for surface treatment. Want a super smooth finish? Wipe the surface with a damp linen cloth, let the fibers rise and grind with a very fine sandpaper.

2. Use shellac on the twig marks before painting your shelves! Apply a thin layer, let it dry for 30 minutes and apply a second layer. Now you can paint the shelves and you have prevented the twigs from shining through.

3. Be sure to treat both sides and all the edges, otherwise there is a risk that the shelf will bend!

P.S. An untreated surface will turn yellow over time. Want a raw finish? Try hard wax.

