

Rustic Yet Chic Wood Headboard

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Lumber Shopping List for Different Size Headboards

Board Size	King	California King	Queen	Full	Twin
1x2	2 – 1x2s, 8' long	2 – 1x2s, 8' long	2 – 1x2s, 8' long	2 – 1x2s, 8' long	2 – 1x2s, 8' long
1x3	7 – 1x3s, 8' long	7 – 1x3s, 8' long	7 – 1x3s, 8' long	7 – 1x3s, 8' long	7 – 1x3s, 8' long
1x4	9 – 1x4s, 8' long	9 – 1x4s, 8' long	4 – 1x4s, 10' long 1 – 1x4, 6' long	4 – 1x4s, 10' long 1 – 1x4, 6' long	4 – 1x4, 8' long 1 – 1x4, 4' long
1x6	3 – 1x6s, 8' long	3 – 1x6, 6' long	3 – 1x6, 6' long	1 – 1x6, 10' long 1 – 1x6, 6' long	1 – 1x6, 12' long
2x4	1 – Stud or 8' long	1 – Stud or 8' long	1 – Stud or 8' long	1 – Stud or 8' long	1 – Stud or 8' long

TIP: Check the cull bin for discounted lumber that may have cracks or stains to save up to 50 percent, but check boards for straightness.

Dimensions and Cut List

Overall dimensions of the queen headboard are shown above. The composition is solid wood.

	King	California King	Queen	Full	Twin
Dimensions	81 ½" Wide x 57 ¼" Tall	77 ½" Wide x 57 ¼" Tall	65 ½" Wide x 57 ¼" Tall	49 ½" Wide x 57 ¼" Tall	44 ½" Wide x 57 ¼" Tall
Leg Pieces	6 – 1x3s cut at 55" long	6 – 1x3s cut at 55" long	6 – 1x3s cut at 55" long	6 – 1x3s cut at 55" long	6 – 1x3s cut at 55" long
Inside Leg Piece	2 – 1x2s cut at 55" long	2 – 1x2s cut at 55" long	2 – 1x2s cut at 55" long	2 – 1x2s cut at 55" long	2 – 1x2s cut at 55" long
Smaller Panel Pieces	5 – 1x4 cut at 76" long	5- 1x4 cut at 72" long	5 – 1x4s cut at 60" long	5 – 1x4s cut at 54" long	5 – 1x4s cut at 39" long
Larger Panel Pieces	3 – 1x6 cut at 76" long	3 – 1x6 cut at 72" long	3 – 1x6s cut at 60" long	3 – 1x6s cut at 54" long	3 – 1x6s cut at 39" long
Panel Trim, Front and Back	4 – 1x4 cut at 74" long	4 – 1x4 cut at 70" long	4 – 1x4 cut at 58" long	4 – 1x4s cut at 52" long	4 – 1x4s cut at 37" long
Top Trim	1 – 1x3 cut at 80 ½" long	1 – 1x3 cut at 76 ½" long	1 – 1x3 cut at 64 ½" long	1 – 1x3 cut at 48 ½" long	1 – 1x3 cut at 43 ½" long
Top	1 – 2x4 cut at 81 ½" long	1 – 2x4 cut at 77 ½" long	1 – 2x4 cut at 65 ½" long	1 – 2x4 cut at 49 ½" long	1 – 2x4 cut at 44 ½" long

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