INSTRUCTIONS AND DIAGRAMS FOR TURNING A LIDDED BOX WITH SUCTION FIT



BLANK - 2 - 2-1/2" Diameter 3-1/2 - 4" Long

Chuck round blank, part off 1 - 1-1/4" from end to make lid.



Remove large section from chuck and chuck small section, original face to chuck.



Square up face.

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Hollow lid.



Form lid contact section.

Make inside edges parallel and minimum 1/4" long.



Sand and finish inside and end surfaces. Do not sand contact section.

Put finish on lid, including contact section.

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Remove lid and set aside.



Re-chuck large section as it was originally.

Square up face and partially hollow 1/2 to 3/4 of material inside box.



Fit lid to box.

Take small cuts, proceed cautiously.

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Lid should fit tightly, but not so tight as to split lid.



Remove lid.

Finish hollowing and sanding.

Do not sand surface where lid will contact box.



Put finish on box, including contact section.

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Cut notch to help gauge final sidewall thickness of lid and box.



Cut notch with parting tool 1/2—3/4" deep to mark bottom of box.



Put lid on, finish shaping and sanding.

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Put finish on box and lid together.



Remove lid and do any final fitting of lid at this time.

Put finish on any correction of fit.



Finish parting off box from blank.

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Jamb chuck box on stub left in chuck.



Cut bottom off box.



Sand and put finish on bottom of box.

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Finish box.



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