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Model: 8x2x1.4 ft | Brand: VEIKOU

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the VEIKOU Raised Garden Bed. This manual provides detailed instructions for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your new 8x2x1.4 ft metal galvanized raised garden bed. Designed for durability and versatility, this modular planter allows for various configurations to suit your gardening needs. Please read this manual thoroughly before assembly and use to ensure safe and proper installation.

SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Sharp Edges:** The metal panels may have sharp edges before the protective rubber strip is installed. Handle all panels with care and wear protective gloves during assembly.
- **Rubber Strip Installation:** Always install the protective rubber strip around the top edge of the raised planter box to prevent injury from sharp edges.
- **Assembly:** Ensure all bolts, nuts, and washers are securely tightened to maintain the structural integrity of the garden bed. Do not overtighten.
- **Placement:** Choose a level and stable surface for your raised garden bed to prevent tipping or shifting once filled with soil.
- **Children and Pets:** Keep children and pets away from the assembly area to avoid accidents.

HIGHLY CORROSION-RESISTANT GALVANIZED STEEL COMPARED WITH WOODEN RAISED GARDEN BEDS



Featured with 0.025in thickness rust-resistant  steel for outdoor usage over 10+ years

Less bending down for gardening for the elderly 

Superior heat reflection & no painting peeling off 



Image: Close-up of the raised garden bed's edge, highlighting the protective rubber strip. This strip is crucial for safety, covering potentially sharp metal edges.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please verify that all components are present before beginning assembly. If any parts are missing or damaged, please contact customer support.

- Galvanized Steel Panels (various sizes for modular assembly)
- Food Grade 304 Stainless Steel Bolts
- Food Grade 304 Stainless Steel Nuts
- Protective Rubber Strip
- Wrench (for assembly)
- Instruction Manual

FOOD GRADE 304 STAINLESS STEEL HARDWARE

Safety & Sustainability PLUS for ALL



Image: Close-up of the included food-grade 304 stainless steel bolts and nuts, emphasizing their quality and suitability for outdoor use.

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

The VEIKOU Raised Garden Bed features a modular design, allowing for 9 different configurations. This manual focuses on the 8x2x1.4 ft configuration. The general assembly steps apply to all configurations.

Step 1: Unpack and Identify Components

Carefully unpack all components. Lay them out and identify the different panel sizes. Refer to the diagram below for common configurations and the number of panels required for each.

9-IN-1 17"H MODULAR METAL RAISED GARDEN BED WITH FLEXIBLE CONFIGURATIONS AND LAYOUTS

(STRAIGHT-FORWARD ASSEMBLY STRUCTURE EVER!)

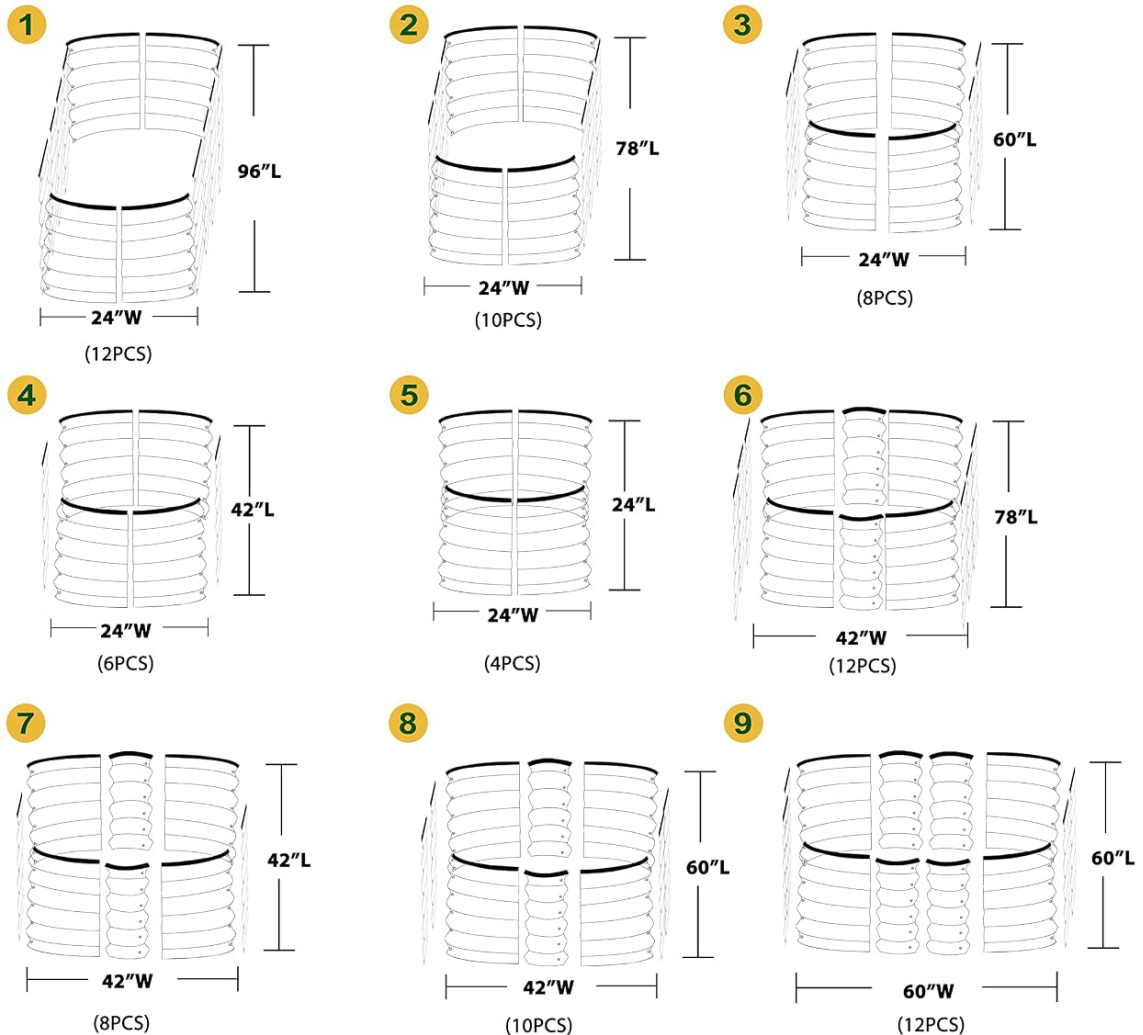


Image: A diagram illustrating nine possible configurations for the modular raised garden bed, detailing the length and width for each option and the number of panels (PCS) needed.

Step 2: Assemble the Panels

1. Begin by connecting two panels using the provided bolts, nuts, and washers. Insert bolts from the outside, secure with washers and nuts on the inside.
2. Do not fully tighten the bolts at this stage. Leave them slightly loose to allow for adjustments as you connect more panels.
3. Continue connecting panels according to your desired configuration. For the 8x2x1.4 ft model, you will typically form an oval shape.
4. Ensure the corrugated sides of the panels are facing outwards.

Step 3: Form the Desired Shape

Once all panels are loosely connected, gently shape the bed into its final form. For the 8x2x1.4 ft model, this will be an elongated oval. Adjust the panels until the shape is even and stable.

Step 4: Tighten All Fasteners

Once the desired shape is achieved, systematically tighten all bolts and nuts using the provided wrench. Ensure all connections are firm and secure, but avoid overtightening which could strip the threads or deform the metal.

Step 5: Install the Protective Rubber Strip

Carefully press the protective rubber strip along the entire top edge of the assembled garden bed. This strip covers any sharp edges and provides a finished look. Ensure it is seated firmly all around.



Image: A fully assembled VEIKOU Raised Garden Bed, filled with plants, situated in a garden next to a house. This image shows the final product after assembly.

OPERATING AND USAGE

Placement

Position your raised garden bed in an area that receives adequate sunlight for the plants you intend to grow. Ensure the ground is

level and stable. The bottomless design allows for placement directly on soil, grass, hard pavers, concrete, or a deck.

Filling with Soil

The 17-inch height is ideal for most plants, providing ample root depth. Fill the bed with a suitable soil mix for your chosen plants. Consider a 'hugelkultur' method by adding logs, branches, and organic matter at the bottom before topping with garden soil to improve drainage and nutrient retention.

BOTTOMLESS GARDEN BED DESIGN

Better performance in water drainage on soil/grass

Healthier growing roots for plants



**Hard Pavers
Applicable**



**Deck
Applicable**



**Cement/Concrete
Applicable**



Image: A cross-section diagram of the bottomless garden bed design, showing plant roots extending into the ground below and arrows indicating excellent water drainage. It also shows applicability on hard pavers, deck, and cement/concrete surfaces.

Planting

Once filled, you can begin planting your desired herbs, vegetables, or flowers. The raised design offers better control over soil quality and reduces bending during gardening tasks.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Periodically wipe down the exterior of the garden bed with a damp cloth to remove dirt and debris. Avoid abrasive cleaners that could damage the galvanized finish.
- **Inspection:** Regularly check all bolts and nuts to ensure they remain tight. Re-tighten if necessary.
- **Rubber Strip:** Ensure the protective rubber strip remains securely in place. If it becomes loose, re-seat it firmly.
- **Soil Management:** Over time, soil may settle. Top up with fresh soil or compost as needed to maintain optimal growing conditions.

SHARP EDGES? NO!

Never get hurt by its oval corners and protective rubber strip around the top edge of the bed 🍀



Image: A vibrant raised garden bed filled with various green plants, showcasing a well-maintained and thriving garden environment.

TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Bed appears wobbly after assembly:** Ensure all bolts and nuts are fully tightened. If the ground is uneven, try to level the area where the bed is placed.
- **Rubber strip comes off:** Re-press the rubber strip firmly onto the edge. If it consistently comes off, ensure the edge is clean and dry before re-applying.

- **Panels bending/bulging:** This can occur if the bed is filled too quickly or with very heavy, dense soil without proper internal support. Fill the bed gradually and consider adding internal cross-bracing if significant bulging occurs, especially for very long beds.
- **Rust spots:** While made from rust-resistant galvanized steel, prolonged exposure to certain chemicals or highly acidic soil might affect the finish. Clean any spots promptly and ensure proper drainage.

SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	VEIKOU
Model	8x2x1.4 ft
Material	Galvanized Steel
Color	Beige
Product Dimensions	24"D x 96"W x 17"H (8ft x 2ft x 1.4ft)
Special Features	9 in 1 Modular, Oval Shape, Protective Rubber Strip, Rust Resistant
Planter Form	Raised Bed
Indoor/Outdoor Usage	Outdoor
Mounting Type	Floor Standing

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the product packaging or contact VEIKOU customer service directly. Keep your purchase receipt for any warranty claims.

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