



Adding customized toolholders

Because no two tool collections are alike, the interior of your cabinet will likely look different from the one featured here. Still, a lot of the tools you'll hang will be similar. Cherry-pick from this gallery of ideas to help you get started. They employ dadoes, rabbets, grooves, and holes of various sizes in mostly $\frac{3}{4}$ "-thick stock. The $\frac{3}{8}$ "-thick rabbeted ends let you easily screw the holders to the cabinet back or door panels. Where necessary, turn buttons were added to prevent tools from falling down when opening and closing the doors.

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Japanese Saws
($\frac{1}{2}$ " block with thin kerfs; counterbored holes for handles)

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Dovetail Saws
(1"-thick bandsawn shape to match handle openings; turn button)

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Chisels
(3/4" maple shelf with holes of various sizes to match chisel shaft; openings at front allow for tool removal)



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Hammers
(3/4" maple with dados and grooves to keep hammers in place)



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Scrapers
(3/4" piece of maple with multiple thin kerfs and glued-on ends and front)



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Square
(3/4" piece of maple with a kerf and dado)



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Protractor
(Rabbeted piece of maple; turn button)



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Marking Tools
(3/4" maple shelf with holes and supported by brackets)

