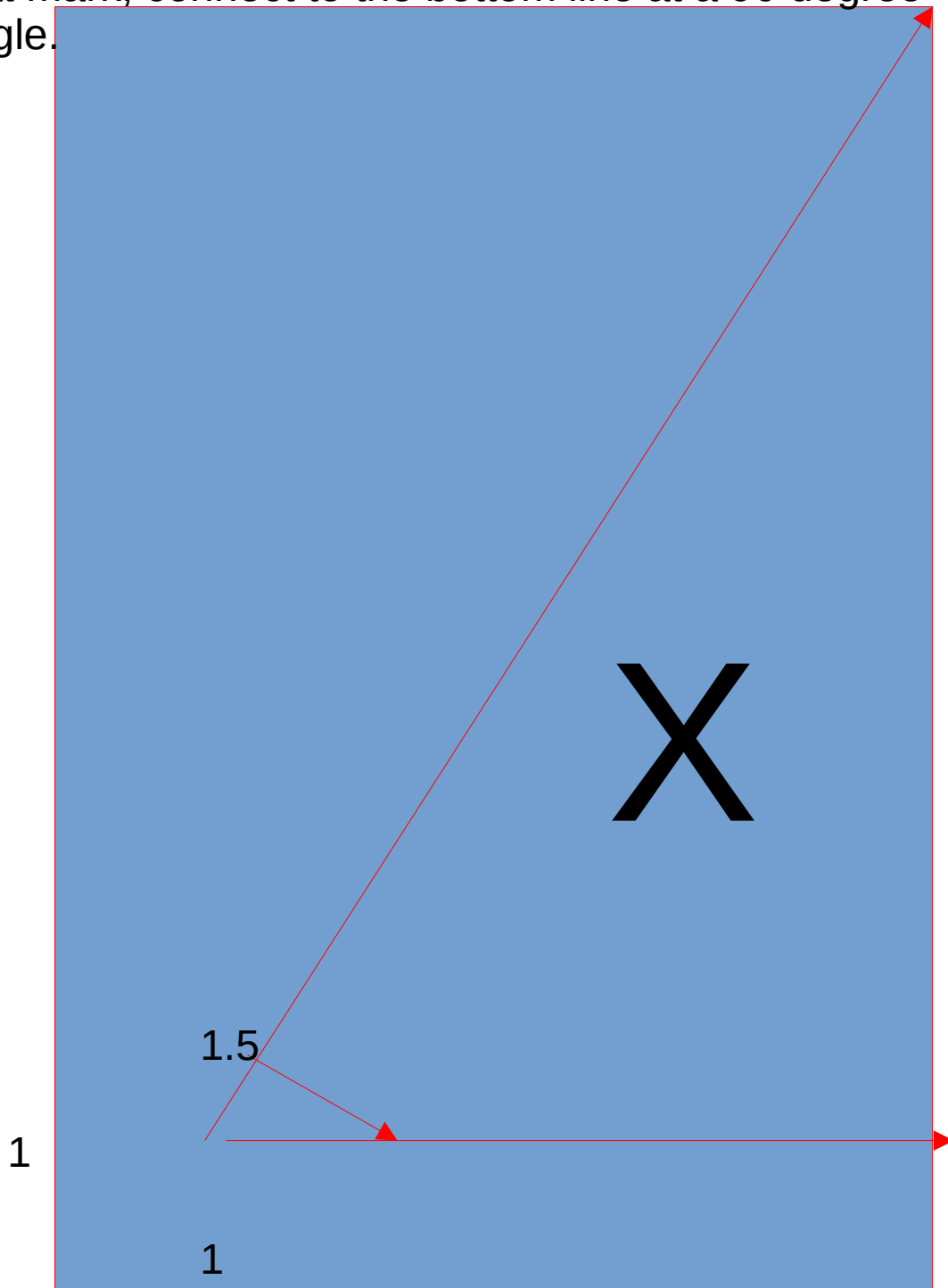


Cut a 9 inch piece of cedar picket. From the lower left corner, mark 1 inch up and over. From that mark draw a straight line to the upper right corner. Intersect the diagonal line 1.5 inches from the bottom and mark. From that mark, connect to the bottom line at a 90 degree angle.



Do this two times to get your sides. Cut with a bandsaw or jigsaw.
Cut one more 9 inch piece for the back.

I recommend cutting the remaining pieces after attaching the back to the sides due to variations in the width of cedar pickets. I use 1 inch brad nails and TiteBond III for this project.

The tops I cut to 6.75 inches to allow a slight overhang. Measure and cut the front 'Z' panel (about 8.5 inches) and attach that next. Then the bottom and front tray piece.

I drill a $\frac{3}{4}$ inch hole in the back a couple inches down from the top for mounting and mount the top with a single hinge on the left side.

Total wood consumed should be about 50 inches of a cedar picket, leaving enough to make a couple more sides for your next bird feeder.

The video for this project can be found at:

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