SaunaFin Cedar Pod Sauna Assembly Instructions Sauna Base Preparation

A solid base for your sauna is recommended and can be made from any of the following.



Concrete Pad



Wooden Deck



Crushed Gravel



Patio Stones/Paver Blocks

Sauna Size	8' x 6' (244 x 182cm)	8' x 7' (244 x 214cm)	8' x 8' (244 x 244cm)			
Minimum Base Size	95"x71"	95"x83"	95"x95"			
	(241x180cm)	(241x211cm)	(241x241cm)			
Options						
Porch	Add 24" (60cm) to total length.					
Changeroom	Add 48" (120cm) to total length.					

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Sauna Size	8'x6' (244x182)	8'x7' (244x214)	8'x8' (244x244)				
	96"x72"	96"x84"	96"x96"				
Minimum Base Size	(244x182cm)	(244x214cm)	(244x244cm)				
Options							
Porch	Add 24" (60cm) to total length.						
Changeroom	A	dd 48" (120cm) to total lengtl					

* All measurements in above chart are "width x lengths"

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Wooden Deck



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It is recommended to build a base larger than required to provide a sitting area for cooling off during your sauna session.

Sauna Size	6'x6' (182x182)	6'x7' (182x214)	6'x8' (182x244)	7'x6' (214x182)	7'x7' (214x214)	7'x8' (214x244)		
Minimum Base Size	48"x60" (120x150cm)	48"x72" (120x183cm)	48"x84" (120x213cm)	60"x60" (150x150cm)	60"x72" (150x183cm)	60"x84" (150x213cm)		
Options								
Porch	Add 24" (60cm) to total length.							
Changeroom	Add 48" (120cm) to total length.							

* All measurements in above chart are "width x lengths"

Panoramic Barrel Sauna Assembly Instructions Sauna Base Preparation

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Concrete Pad

Crushed Gravel



Wooden Deck



Patio Stones/Paver Blocks

(Refer to the below chart for minimum base requirements)

It is recommended to build a base larger than required to provide a sitting area for cooling off during your sauna session.

Sauna Size	76"x6' (193x182)	76'x7' (193x214)	76'x8' (193x244)	7'x6' (214x182)	7'x7' (214x214)	7'x8' (214x244)		
Minimum Base Size	48"x60" (120x150cm)	48"x72" (120x183cm)	48"x84" (120x213cm)	60"x60" (150x150cm)	60"x72" (150x183cm)	60"x84" (150x213cm)		
Options								
Porch	Add 24" (60cm) to total length.							
Changeroom	Add 48" (120cm) to total length.							



SaunaFin Outdoor Cedar Cabin Sauna

Assembly Instructions

Sauna Base Preparation

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Concrete Pad



Crushed Gravel



Wooden Deck



Patio Stones/Paver Blocks

(Refer to the below chart for minimum base requirements)

It is recommended to build a base that is larger than the minimum base size to provide a sitting area for cooling off during your sauna session.

Sauna Size	5'x6' (152x183cm)	5'x7' (152x213cm)	5'x8' (152x244cm)	4'x6' (122x183cm)	6'x6' (183x183cm)	6'x7' (183x213cm)	6'x8' (183x244cm)
Minimum Base Size	59" x 71"	59" x 83"	59"x95"	47"x71"	71"x71"	71"x83"	71"x95"
	(150x180cm)	(150x211cm)	(150x241cm)	(119x180cm)	(180x180cm)	(180x211cm)	(180x241cm)

* All measurements in above chart are "depth x widths"

Pads & Bases for Outdoor Saunas

This information is provided as for your consideration, to let you know the various approaches used as a base for outdoors structures. Please consult with your builder or landscape contractor to determine what is best for you. Please abide by any applicable local codes. The most popular bases for outdoor saunas are a concrete pad or a deck/platform built over footings and/or sonotubes

Concrete Pad

Slab-on-grade foundation

A slab is a single layer of concrete, several inches thick. The slab is poured thicker at the edges, to form an integral footing; reinforcing rods strengthen the thickened edge. The slab normally rests on a bed of crushed gravel to improve drainage. Casting a wire mesh in the concrete reduces the chance of cracking. A slab on grade is suitable in areas where the ground doesn't freeze.

<u>T-Shaped</u>

A traditional foundation method to support a structure in an area where the ground freezes. A footing is placed below the frost line and then the walls are added on top. The footing is wider than the wall, providing extra support at the base of the foundation. A T-shaped foundation is placed and allowed to cure; second, the walls are constructed; and finally, the slab is poured between the wall.



On Deck, built over sonotubes or Footings







<u>Patio</u>



Not Recommended: on ground directly, on runners on earth



