

How To Build A Sukkah

Instructions for building a 10x10 Sukkah
using PVC pipe and shower curtains.

Super easy, light weight, cheap



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Shopping List

- (16) 10 ft. pieces of PVC pipe
- (8) T Connectors
- (8) 3 way corner elbows
- (9) shower curtain liners
- (6) packs of shower curtain rings
- chicken wire for roof (5 ft. wide) (optional)
- (1) pack cable ties for chicken wire roof

Note: Connector width should be the same as your pipe width

Required Tools

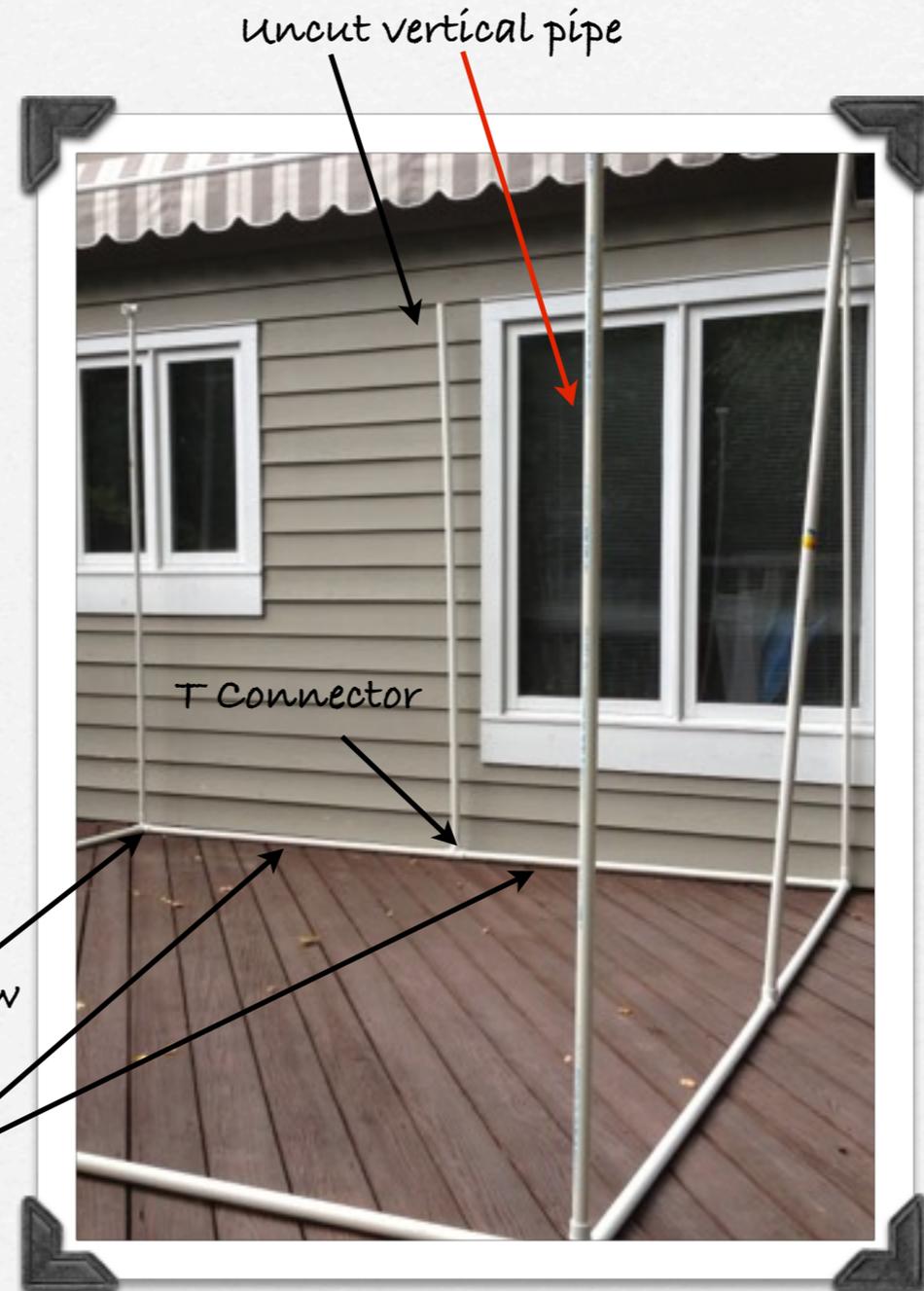
- Hacksaw to cut pipe (very cheap and cuts through the pipe like butter)
- Hammer (to whack each pipe into place)
- Ladder or garden chair
- Duct tape, stapler & scissor
- Optional helper (I do it myself but it is easier with a helper)

Directions

- ❑ Cut 8 pipes in half with a hacksaw
- ❑ Use the T connectors to connect 2 pipes at a time. The result is now 8 pairs of pipe (these will be your floor and roof).
- ❑ Lay 4 of these pieces on the floor to form your base and connect all 4 sides with the 3-way corner elbows.

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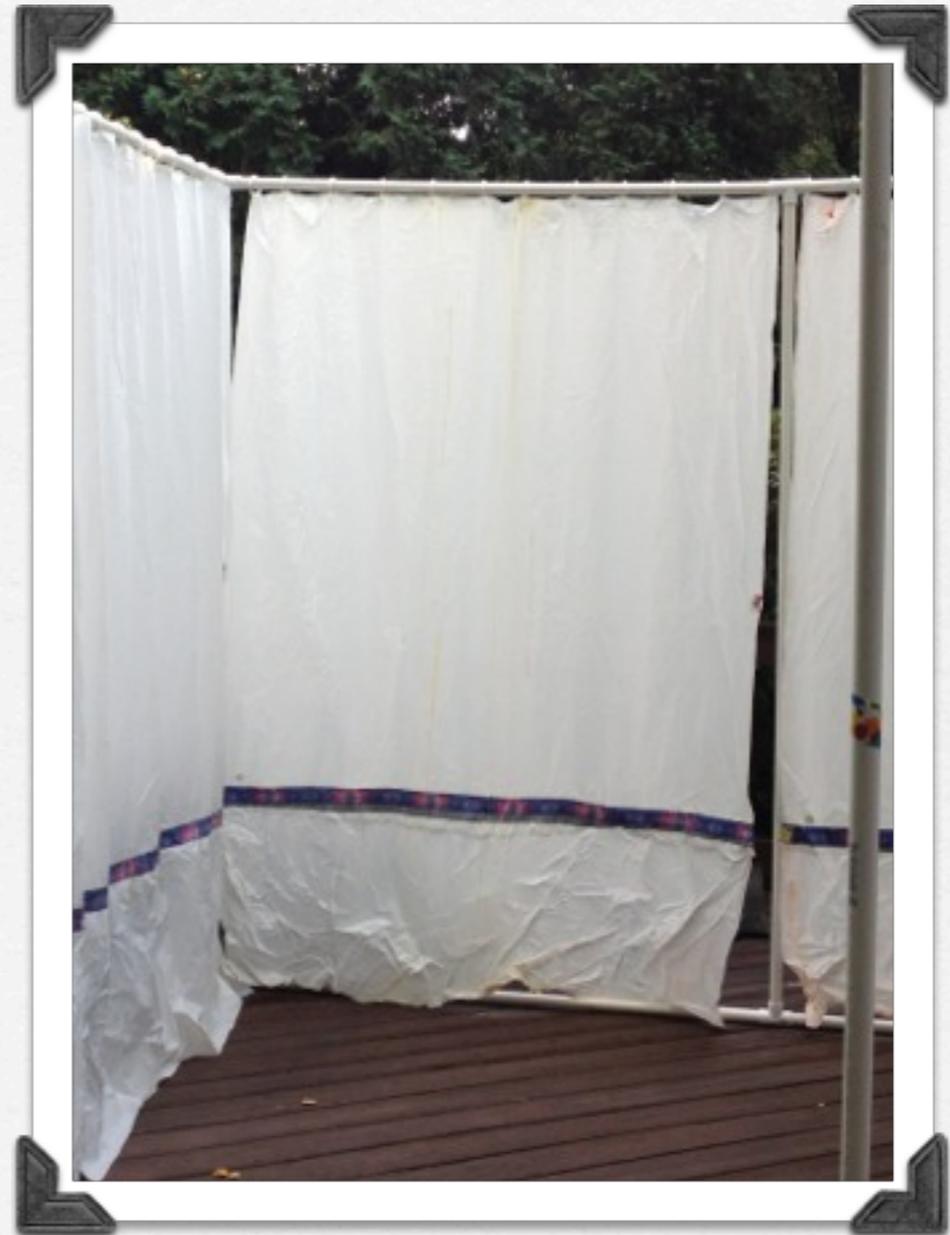
- Take 8 remaining uncut pipes and put them in the T Connector and Elbow Connector to form your verticals.



Two pieces that were cut in half and joined together with a T Connector

Directions

- Cut 3 shower curtain liners in half
- Lay remaining 6 shower curtains on floor and add a cut piece to each to make them longer.
- Staple in place and then cover with duct tape to make it decorative.
(note: that duct tape peels when it is very cold so the staples prevent your 2 pieces from separating.)
- Add shower curtain rings. You should have 6 panels.



Note: I am assuming you are using a curtain that is 72 inches long and constructing a 10 ft. tall Sukkah. In this picture I made a shorter Sukkah so I did not need as much curtain on the bottom.

Directions

- Thread 2 curtains onto 3 of the remaining 4 pairs of cut poles that you connected with a T connector. 1 curtain goes on each side of the connector



Directions

- Add corner elbows to the 4 corner verticals
- Start inserting your pairs with the curtains into the middle vertical and side vertical
- The pair without a curtain goes on the side where you want your entrance.

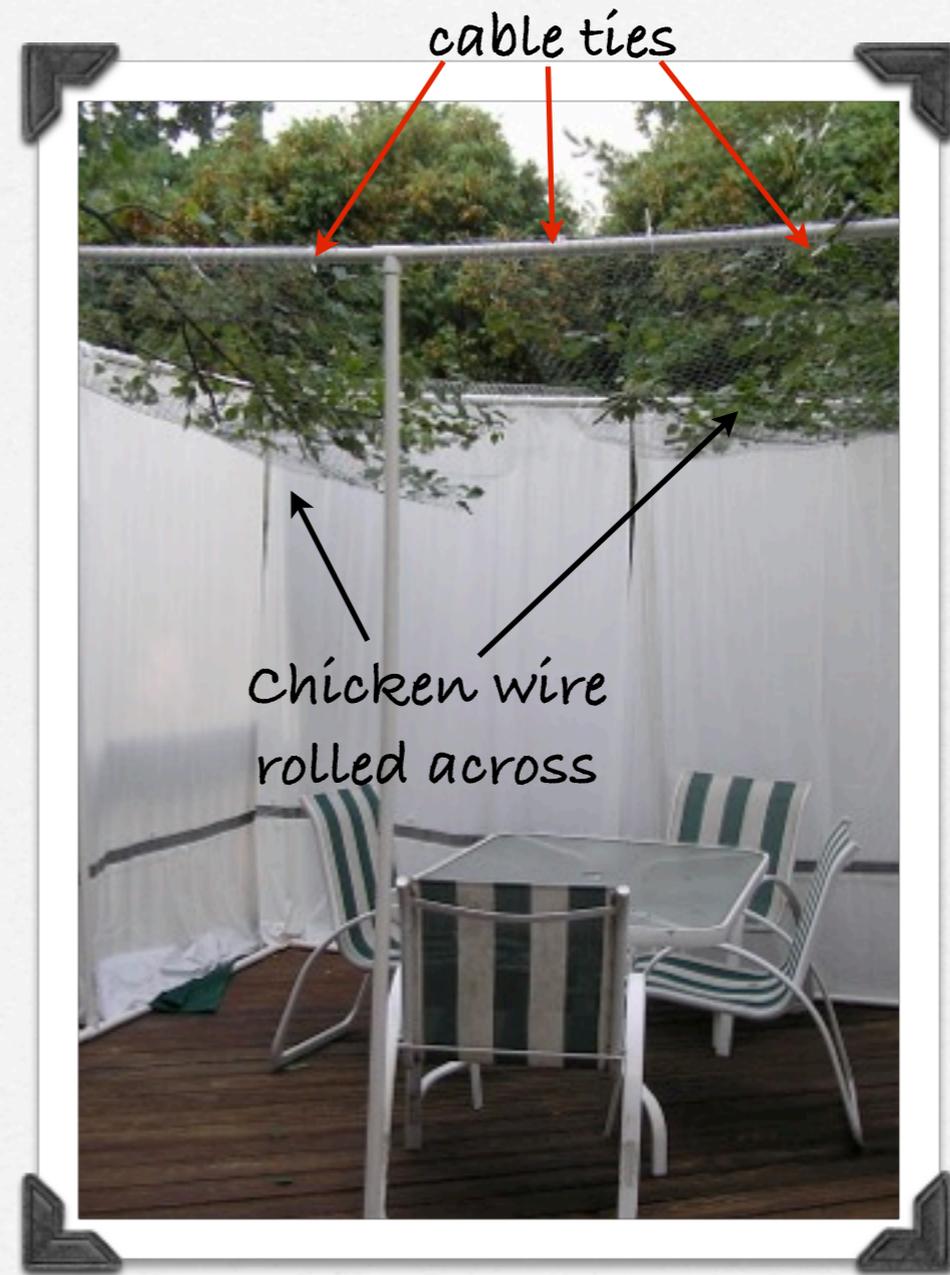
The pairs with the T connector

3 way corner elbows



Roof Construction

- Use cable ties to secure chicken wire to one side of roof.
- very carefully roll the chicken wire across roof and secure with cable ties to the other side and along sides.
- Repeat on other side.
- Throw greenery on top of chicken wire.



Roof Alternative : Instead of chicken wire, you can purchase Fall themed garland that strings together and run it back and forth across top bars. This creates a lovely roof but it is not considered a Kosher roof.