

Base Requirements

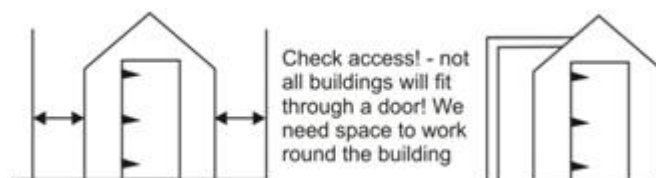
We cannot stress enough the importance of putting your building onto a solid level foundation. Get it right and your building will fit together perfectly and last for years. Get it wrong and you could have problems with assembly, the shed will not last nearly as long and the doors may not close properly.

Positioning of your Building

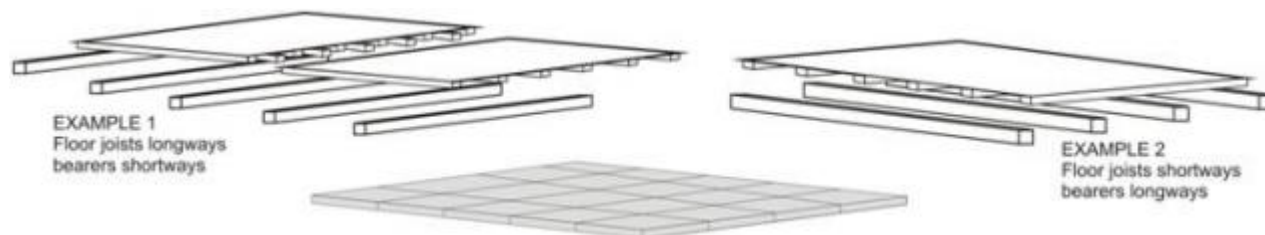
The size of your building is approximate and does not allow for roof overhangs. When deciding where to site your building you must allow sufficient room for the roof and allow access for assembling, maintenance and retreating of the building. The minimum space required is usually 300mm (1ft) all the way around the building although 500mm is preferable. Log cabins will require more, up to 1200mm (4ft). Your base does not have to be larger than the building.

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Suitable Bases	Not Suitable
Paving Slabs	Soil/Grass
Concrete	Loose Bricks
Bearers/Sleepers On Gravel/Shingle Decking	Pallets
	Any uneven surface



The below diagrams are examples only! If you are supplying your own bearers/ sleepers please check quantity and size of bearers required for your building. Larger floors are supplied in two or more sections and need to be supported at the joins. Bearers to be at 90 degrees to floor joists - floor joists do vary depending on model and size of building.



We recommend a fully paved area

If using bearers or sleepers they must run the opposite way to the joists on the building floor. **Direction of floor joists will vary depending on the size and model of the building.** If using slabs the whole area should be paved in order to support the floor. A slab in each corner is not adequate.

Whatever base you use it is imperative that it is **firm, flat and level** otherwise your building will not fit together properly and will not last as long. So please do spend time on the base.

If you need to check the length, direction or quantity of bearers you need, exact floor measurements or further advice of please do not hesitate to contact us.