



I walked into our shop one day and noticed one of our craftsmen, Steve, working at his router table. What struck me as odd was the simplicity of his setup: a basic table, a Porter-Cable 690 router, and most surprisingly, a scrap of hardwood for a fence. There was no fancy fence with a microadjuster. In spite of its simplicity, he was routing perfect profiles.





The straight edge can be used for routing grooves and dadoes. Just clamp the fence to the router table, positioning it away from the bit to properly locate the dado or groove in the workpiece.