Plan #GH101 - 8' x 8' Greenhouse or Shed - $19
This little greenhouse is constructed on pressure treated skids making it mobile and in many communities it will be considered a temporary structure. It is constructed of 2x4's obtainable at any lumber yard. The roof glazing is a single sheet of acrylic, or if you prefer, the roof glass can be eliminated and the building used as a shed. A 2ft module makes the design easily expandable if the 8ft length does not fit your needs. A material list is included in the drawing.
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Equipment Sheds

An easy-to-build pole building that is available in either a two-bay or three-bay design, with or without a storage loft. It can be used for a variety of farm and yard equipment, or carport. The loft with 6'-0" of headroom provides additional storage which is accessible from a door in each gable. The inside height is 8'-0" in the loft version and 10'-0" in the version without the loft. With doors, it can become a garage.

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20' x 20' - two-bay w/out loft

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20' x 20' - two-bay with loft.

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20' x 30' - three-bay w/out loft.

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8 Stall Horse Pole-Barns

Plan #B801p - Gambrel Style $99

Plan #B802P - Gable Style $99

Plan #B803P - Monitor Style $99

This 38' x 48' pole barn features eight 12' x 12' stalls, any of which can be used as a tack room, wash stall, or feed room. There is a loft over the 14' wide center aisle that allows hay to be dropped easily into each stall below. The gambrel-roof style allows for ample storage, the gable style is the most efficient to build and the monitor style provides light in the loft.

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More Pole-Barns

Plan #B301P  3-Stall Animal Barn  $79

This 26' x 36' pole barn features three 12' x 12' stalls along one side of a 14' aisle. There is a loft that is accessible from a door in each gable end with a double-height area at the center. Although originally designed with animals in mind, the barn can easily serve many uses. The pole frame allows you or your builder to easily modify the locations of doors, windows, etc.

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Plan #B201P  2-Stall Multi-Purpose Barn  $79

This 24' x 38' pole barn consists of a multi-purpose area across from two 12' x 12' stalls. A loft over each side of the 14' double-height center aisle is accessible from a door in each gable end as well as from the barn interior. The center aisle can easily be used to park vehicles, and the side areas could be used as storage, a workshop, or any purpose you choose. Additional sets are $15.00

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This small gambrel-style pole barn can serve a variety of storage uses, including small vehicles and farm equipment. The upper level can serve a multitude of other storage needs, and the shed area can be used as a small workshop. As with all the pole buildings, modifications are easy, and you can select the siding and roofing material that best suits your needs. Add'l/Reverse sets are $15.00

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3 Car Garages with Apartments

Plan #A310C  3 Car Garage/Studio - Gable Style  $89

A covered entry and enclosed stair leads up to a full one-bedroom apartment in this three-car version. The kitchen features larger counter space, with a counter separating the kitchen and eating area.

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Plan #A320C  3 Car Garage/Studio - Saltbox Style  $89

This saltbox-style version, like the gable style, features a full bath, walk-in closet, and enclosed private entry. The one-bedroom apartment could easily be used as a studio or home office. A shed dormer allows for ample headroom throughout.

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Cabins/Cottages

**Plan #CS792c  Surfside Cottage  $197.00**

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20ft x 20ft with a 10ft x 10ft bump-out.
3 Bedrooms with 2 full baths and laundry.
525 sf of wrap-around porch.
Total Living Area = 792 sf

This little gem compacts a full featured house into a very efficient volume. A perfect get-away by the lake or a hunting cabin in the woods.

Additional Sets: $40 ea.  Material List: $25
Reverse Set one time charge: $45.00

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**Plan #CC1218c  Lakeside Cabin  $227.00**

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24ft x 24ft with a 12ft x 12ft bump-out. - 3 Bedrooms with 2 full baths and laundry. - 608 sf of wrap-around porch. Total Living Area = 1,218 sf

This gem is a larger version of our Surfside Cottage......the same full featured house with a more generous area. A perfect get-away by the lake .... or a hunting cabin in the woods.

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This classic design originated in North Carolina by log expert Clinton Gray and is available both in a log design (#L980) and a conventional stick-built design (#C980). It exhibits the traditional one bedroom down with loft above and also has a separate laundry and utility space. It is built on a crawlspace foundation. An open beam framing system and metal roof complete the package. The total area is 980 sf with a building height of 24'-6".

**These plans come with a complete material list.**

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Cabins

Plan #C103 Classic Style Micro-Cabin $69

This is a micro version of the classic cabin measures 16' square with a porch across the front. Although designed for a crawlspace, it can easily be built on a slab or over a basement. A sleeping loft finishes this compact dwelling with a total of 336 sf. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00

Plan #C102 Classic Style Mini-Cabin $79

This mini cabin measures 16ft wide by 20ft long with a porch across the front. There is a sleeping loft above overlooking the main space below. The total area measures 400sf. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00
This version of the classic cabin measures 24' square with a loft that can be used as a single area or divided into two areas as needed. The bay window creates a bright eating area. Although shown as open, the porch could easily be screened or glazed for extended season use. The total area is 904 sf with a building height of 25'-6". Although designed for a crawlspace, this plan can easily be built with a slab or basement. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00

This plan converts the loft of Plan #C105 to a full second floor grand bedroom through the addition of a shed dormer. The dormer makes the total area 1,065 sf. Note that this plan requires Plan #C105 and is not intended to be used by itself. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00
This design is a combination of plans #C105 and #C106 in a 24ft. by 32ft. plan. There is a second floor bath, and the large loft could easily be divided into two bedrooms. The total area is 1,152 sf with a building height of 25'-6". Although designed for a crawl space, this plan can easily be built with a slab or basement. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00

This is a larger two bedroom version of the classic cabin style. It features a larger kitchen and a bedroom on the first floor. The second floor loft can be finished at a later date if desired. Although shown as open, the porch can easily be screened or glazed for extended season use. The total area is 980 sf with a building height of 25'-6". Although designed for a crawl space, this plan can easily be built with a slab or basement. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00
Cabins and Cottages

Plan #C104  Alturas Pole Cabin  $99

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This plan is based on a cabin designed for a customer in Alturas California. It is built using pole construction with 6x6 treated posts on 6' centers to minimize the disturbance to the site. The dormer gives full ceiling height to the second floor outside wall which otherwise is 4'. The Multi-purpose room could be partitioned into another bedroom if desired. The total area is 1,200 sf with a building height of 27'-6". Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00

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Plan #CT103  16' Micro-Cottage  $79

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This design is similar to the Micro-Cabin but features a full second floor nestled under the roof with a shed dormer out the back that provides additional headroom. The bath is located outside the basic 16 ft. square which allows a larger main space. The total area is 524 sf with a building height of 18'-8". Although designed for a crawlspace, this plan can easily be built with a slab or basement. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00
Wilderness Cabins

Plan #CW96  Wilderness-1  $49  Now Only $19.00

This little gem is built on pressure treated skids and requires no foundation. It is a perfect permanent substitute for a tent, small pool house, playhouse, garden shed, etc. It comes with a complete material list and is easily constructed by those with moderate building experience being built with 2x4's and plywood/batten siding. The total area is 96 sf.

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Plan #CW192  Wilderness-2  $29

This design comes closer to an authentic cabin, with areas for kitchen, bath, and built-in eating. A sleep sofa or futon can serve Mom and Dad while the kids can sleep in the bunk lofts at each end. Or it could serve as a pool house, guest room, potting shed, etc. It is built with 2x4 stud walls, plywood/batten siding and requires no foundation. A material list is also included. The total area is 192 sf.

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Cabins and Cotages

The Saphire - 20ft x 20ft Cabin  $149 Each

#C582 - Saphire Cabin Style

#CT582 - Saphire Cottage Style

#L582 - Saphire Log Style

A material list is available for this design.

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The Balsam Ridge - 1612sf. Cabin - $149 Each

#C1612 - Cabin Style

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#CT1612 - Cottage Style

1st. Floor (1060 sf)  2nd. Floor (552 sf)

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Cabins and Cotages
16’ x 24’ Vacation/Rental Cabin $119 Each

#CV384 - Vacation Cabin Style

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#LV384 - Vacation Log Style

Floor Plan (384 sf)
Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00
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16’ x 28’ Vacation/Rental Cabin $119 Each

#CV448 - Vacation Cabin Style

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#LV448 - Vacation Log Style

Floor Plan (448 sf) Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00.
Cabins and Cotages
18’ x 24’ Vacation/Rental Cabin  $119 Each

#CV432 - Vacation Cabin Style

A material list is available for this design.

#LV432 - Vacation Log Style

Floor Plan (432 sf) Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00.
Cabins and Cotages

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#LV504 - Vacation Log Style

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Floor Plan (504 sf) $15.00

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#G110C 1-Car(22'x12') $39  

#G120C 2-car (22'x22') $49

#G130C 3-car (22'x33') $59

#G140C 4-car (22'x44') $64

These garages are based on my popular equipment shed style pole buildings. In this case the designs are conventionally constructed with perimeter foundations and normal stud-wall construction. Each features a small loft with 6' headroom at the center. The total height from ground to ridge is 16'-10" with a roof pitch of 9:12. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00.
2 Car Garages

#G201C - Gable Style     $49
#G202C - Saltbox Style    $49
#G203C - Hip-Roof Style   $49
#G204C - Gambrel Style    $49

These garages are conventionally constructed on a perimeter foundation and concrete slab floor. Each has the ability for storage above the garage area which is accessible by a pull-down stair. Although shown with bevel siding, other siding types can be used to reflect the particular tastes of the owner. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00.
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These small pole-buildings come in three widths of 8ft, 12ft, and 16ft, which are all included in the blueprints. The smaller 8' x 8' size is perfect for tool storage in the garden. The 12ft and the 16ft width are useful for larger items and with the double doors, they allow easy access for lawn equipment. The saltbox style has been used as a "check-out" building for a nursery and Christmas tree farm. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00.

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These 12ft pole buildings are appropriate for larger types of equipment and tools and come in 12ft and 16ft widths, both included in the blueprints. The 16ft width can be used as a small barn. A child’s playhouse is one of the many uses that the saltbox style pole building has taken and the hip-roof style was once used for a ticket booth and box office for an outdoor theater. The gambrel version is perfect for those who need more room overhead.

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16' Wide Pole-Building Garden Sheds

The 16ft series of pole sheds approaches being both a shed a small barn or workshop. The gable style, shown here with horizontal siding, is a basic design suitable for many uses such as a craft shop or small cabin. The hip-roof style is appropriate when a larger roof overhang is desired. The gambrel-roof style provides more storage overhead and is very suitable as a workshop or a single-stall animal barn. Both of the above widths are included in the blueprints. Additional or Reverse sets are $15.00
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Add, delete or relocate a window or door.
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Change siding material (horizontal, barn-board, board-&-batten).
Change roof pitch (although this will affect the design concept).
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Add or eliminate animal stalls.
Change the use of the building.

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