



Pacific Northwest Friends of Mineralogy Show Cases

Case Design:

The display cases provided have a glass front with solid wood sides, back, and floor. Two light bulb sockets with incandescent bulbs and an exhaust fan are attached to the top section.

Lighting:

All exhibitors will be limited to 150 watts of electricity per case. We have daylight balanced incandescent floods available.

Care of cases:

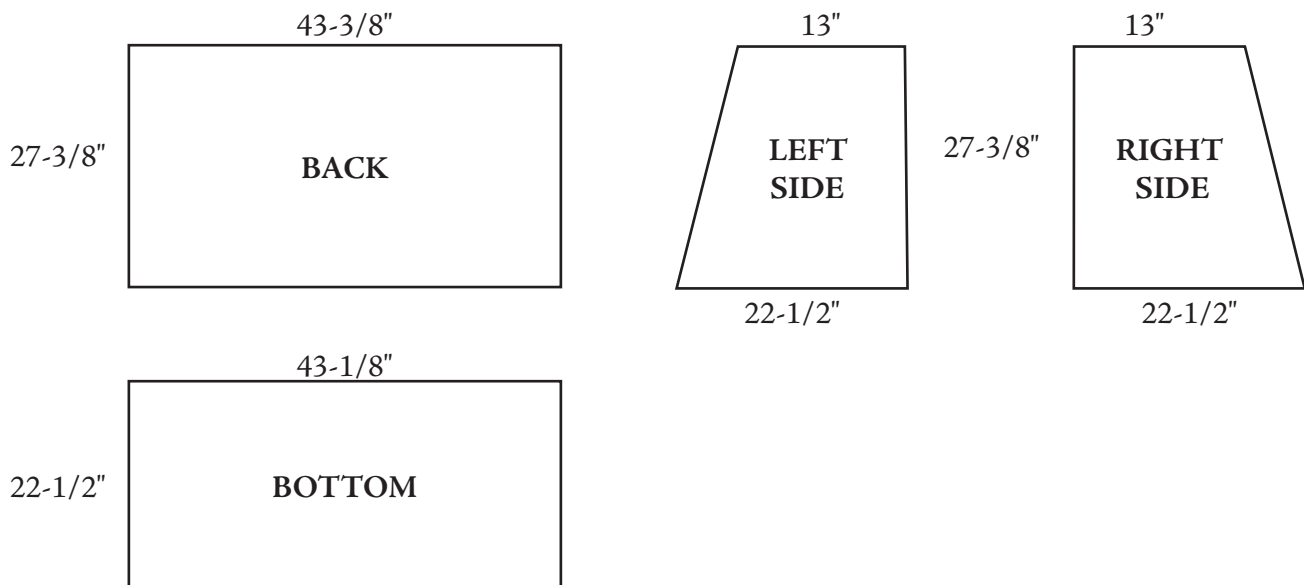
It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to take proper care of the case. Do not use staples or tacks to fasten a liner to the walls of our wooden cases. *Because of recent damage to some of our new liners use of double-sided tape, mineral tack (or similar), and glue is not allowed.* Clean the inside of the glass with a lint-tree cloth before requesting your case to be closed. This is critical if you have dark liners.

Showmanship:

Liners, risers or platforms are recommended, which greatly add to the attractiveness of many displays. Labels should be neat and legible. *Please note that text or photos more than 18" above the floor of the exhibit may not be easily visible to the adult viewer.*

Measurements:

*All measurements listed below are **LINER DIMENSIONS**. Please note: the cases are handmade; there will be slight variations in size. Your liners should fit snugly against each other in the back and sides. Don't be too concerned if your back or side liners are a little shorter than the inside of the case. That area will not be visible to the viewers.*



Typically, cardboard or plastic sign material $1/8"$ or $1/4"$ thick is used. The back liner fits in first, then the two sides (they will hold the back in place), and finally the bottom, which holds the bottom edges of the sides and back. Allow for the thickness of your liner and fabric.