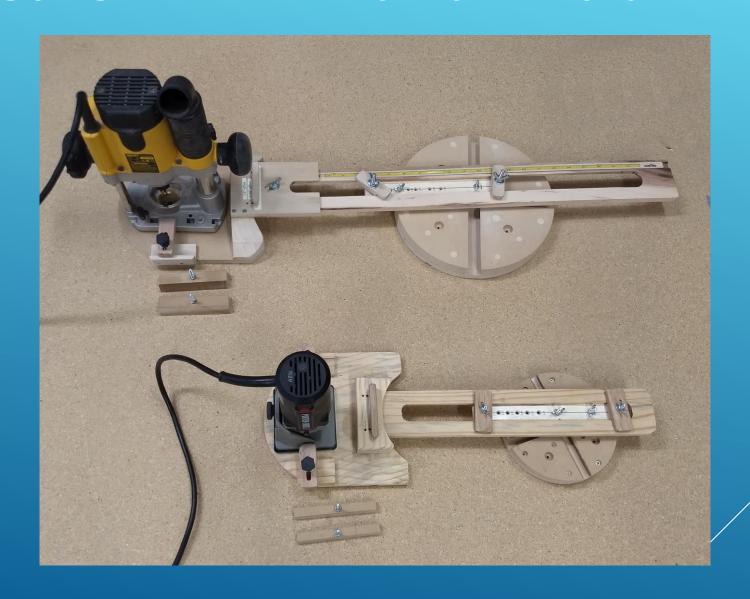
ELLIPTICAL ROUTER JIG

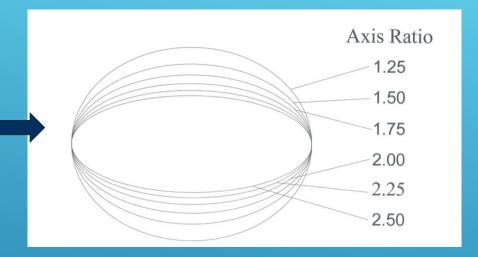
2 CLUB JIGS FOR DIFFERENT SIZES ELLIPSES



BOTH JIGS CAN BE ADJUSTED



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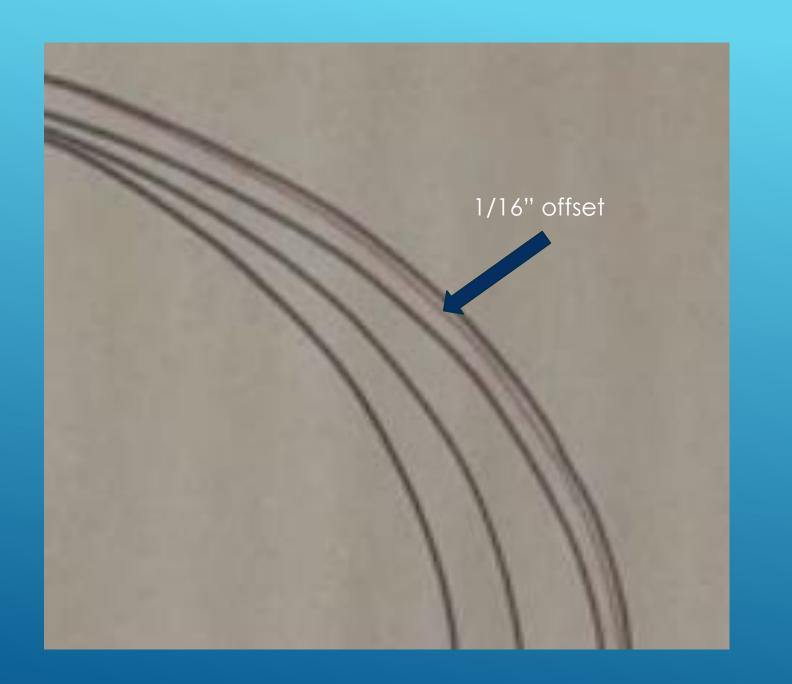




The <u>extension arm</u> which allows different sized ellipses, regardless of the ellipse shape to be routed.

USING THE JIG

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JIG INSTRUCTIONS FOR SET-UP & USE

ELLIPTICAL ROUTER JIG

Instructions:

- 1. Use the chart (below) to pick the shape of the ellipse you want and note the axis ratio.
- 2. With one axis bolt in the first (home) hole, place the other axis bolt in the ratio hole you chose.
- 3. Set the extension arm to half the length of the long axis plus 1/16".
- 4. Put the 7/8" bushing guide and a ½" bit in the router and lock the router into the travel head, making sure the bushing is in the center hole of the travel head.
- 5. Secure the jig to the workpiece using screws in the predrill holes or with double sided tape.
- Making incremental shallow passes cut thru the workpiece making sure the piece sits on a sacrificial piece of wood.
- 7. Clean up the cut, move the travel head in 1/16" by unlock the extension arm from the travel head, pulling out the lock bar and repositioning the bar from the base hole to the 1/16" hole.

The jig consists of 4 major components:

- 1. The base, which consists of cross dovetail channels that 2 dovetail pivot blocks ride in.
- 2. The shape arm that has multiple holes and determines the shape of the ellipse
- The <u>extension arm</u> which allow different sized ellipses, regardless of the ellipse shape to be routed
- 4. The travel head that holds the router.
- 5. The lock bar

Jig Setup:

- 1. Put the pivot blocks (with 1/8" bolts in them) in the base (one in each dovetail slot).
- 2. Put the bolt of one of the pivot blocks in the "home hole" in the shape arm and the other bolt in