Subject: Building 2 Pi Towers - Part 2
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Things are going good :)I held my breath, said a prayer and backed out the screws in the speaker box, the glue held perfectly. Exhale. I braced, insulated, sanded and primed the speaker - 1.5 hours. Only additional spending was $3.50 for the 1x3 pine for the braces. Also, I returned the $30 pack of insulation and got the HD insulation for $9.00. And since I'm re-using the screws, that saves another $5.I learned I should go easy with the wood putty, it slows down the sanding. Using an electric sander is great, but I need a finer grade of sandpaper (220) to reduced the 'scuffing'. I started on the second speaker box. Cutting the MDF took me about 1.5 hours rather than 9 hours. Woohoo!I'm thinking of painting them black on the bottom half, maroon at the top with a 1" gold band running between them, sortof like a set I saw either here or in High Efficiency Speakers. I like the color scheme.Updated Costs - Tools:Saber Saw.... 40.00Circular Saw. 50.00Carbon Blade. 40.00TOOLS TOTAL.. 130.00MDF..... 33.00Glue..... 8.00Primer..... 7.00Insulation. 9.00Screws..... 5.00Paint..... ?Sandpaper.. ?Braces..... 3.5TOTAL..... 65.50Labor - Speaker Box 1Actual.... 14.5 hrsRemaining. 4 hrs (est)Total..... 18.5 (est)Labor - Speaker Box 2Actual.... 1.5 hrsRemaining. 8.0 (est)Total..... 9.5 (est)