

## Vegetable Peeler



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### Recommended tooling:

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1/8" drill bit, 60-degree live center,  
60-degree dead center

**NOTE: this kit is turned between centers**

### Preparing and turning the blank

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1. Select a turning blank that is approximately 3/4" square x 3-1/2" long.
2. Mark the center on one end of the blank and drill a 1/8" hole, 1-1/8" deep. Dry fit the stem of the peeler into the hole to make sure it's deep enough to seat up to the shoulder of the peeler.
3. Mount the blank between centers and turn to your desired shape, leaving 1/2" of waste material on the tailstock end. You can use calipers to determine the outside diameter of the blank.
4. Sand and finish the handle.
5. Trim off the 1/2" waste piece on the

lathe. Sand and finish the end by hand.

### Assembling the kit

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1. Carefully put a small amount of CA glue or epoxy in the hole previously drilled in one end of the blank.
2. Insert the stem of the peeler all the way into the hole and set aside to cure.