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The traditional American front porch... it's where we welcome friends and family into our home. It's where we sit and enjoy their company. It's the place where we go to escape the stress of daily life and take the time to sit back, relax, and enjoy life.

The last thing you want to worry about is the work required to keep your porch beautiful, and that's where HB&G can offer you the solution of a lifetime.

HB&G offers a wide variety of porch products to help you create the design that best suits your way of life. Best of all, many of our products require little or no maintenance and come with a lifetime warranty.

The following pages include everything you need to know to build a beautiful, enduring structure that will improve the quality of your life.

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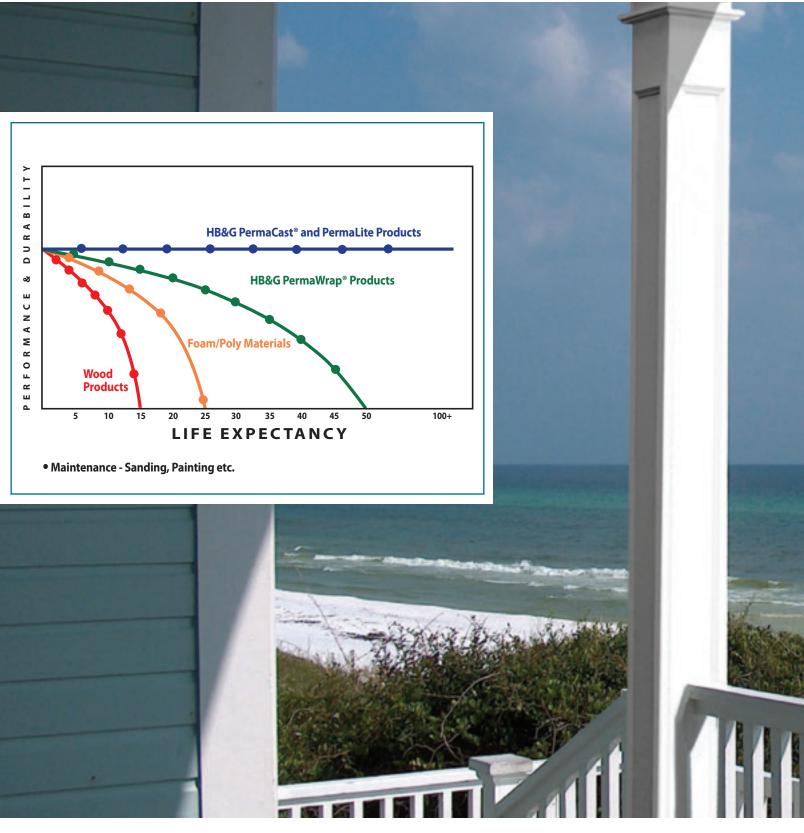
# The Quality of Life.

In today's fast paced world, few of us have extra time to spend. HB&G understands that. That's why our porch products are the easiest to install and require little to no maintenance. Additionally, with our PermaCast<sup>®</sup> products you'll never have to waste time repairing or replacing them... not today, or even years from now. Let the quality of our beautiful porch products improve the quality of your life.



# Life is Good.

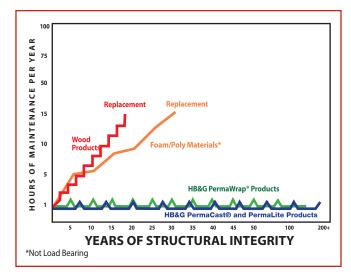
The porch is a place we can go to enjoy all the remarkable beauty of nature, yet nature herself can be a destructive force, causing traditional building products to rot and decay in a very short period of time. With HB&G products, life is good. Our PermaCast<sup>®</sup> products are rot proof, weather proof, insect proof, and highly durable.

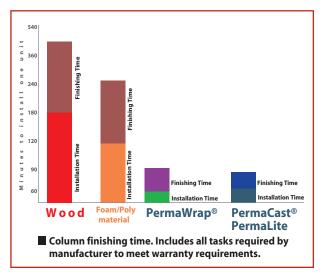


PermaCast<sup>®</sup> columns are produced from a proprietary fiber-reinforced polymer composite with exceptional durability and strength-to-weight characteristics, enabling them to stand up to the elements like no other product on the market. With HB&G products you can sit back, relax, and enjoy a worry-free porch no matter where you live.









## Selection

HB&G offers the widest selection of porch products available on the market. With a variety of sizes and styles, HB&G has the porch accessories to meet the needs of any project.

The HB&G Product Collection includes Round PermaCast® Columns, Square PermaCast® Columns, PermaWrap® Columns, PermaLite Columns, PermaPost®, PermaPorch® Railing, Balustrade Systems, PermaPorch Ceiling, Medallions and Brackets.

Also available are wood columns, medallions and Perma Lamp Posts.

# Ease of Use

Time is money, and with HB&G products, not only do you save time on the installation, you'll also save a considerable amount of money maintaining your porch accessories over the lifetime of the product. Many of the HB&G products can be installed at 1/3 of the time of traditional wood products. Additionally, most of the Perma products are either pre-finished white, or primed and ready to paint.

### Warranty

-	1`	Yr.	10	Yr.	25	Yr.	Lifet	ime
PermaCast®								
PermaLite								
PermaWrap®								
PermaPorch <sup>®</sup> Railing								
PermaPost®								
Balustrade								
Wood Columns								



# The PermaPorch® Package

It's an effective way to coordinate all of your porch accessories. At HB&G you will find an entire line-up of products that are made to work together, creating a beautiful, seamless and cost-effective addition to your home. Enjoy the lasting beauty of columns or posts, a railing or balustrade system, medallions, brackets, and PermaPorch Ceiling, all from the company who is setting new standards in porch products and accessories.

# Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.

Products to match your lifestyle, liberty from on-going maintenance, and time to spend pursuing the finer things in life, are all obtainable through our huge selection of high-quality products for your porch or deck.



10" Round PermaCast<sup>®</sup> Column with Standard PermaPorch<sup>®</sup> Railing

# The **PERMA**Cast<sup>®</sup> Column Collection

- Weather Proof
- Insect Proof
- Load Bearing
- Low Maintenance
- PermaFlashing
- PermaPrimed Tuscan Cap and Base
- Ready for Paint
- Lifetime Warranty
- Custom Fluting Available

14" Round PermaCast® Column with Temple of the Winds Capital

# Architectural Accuracy

In the first century B.C., Vitruvius, a Roman architect and engineer, wrote what has become the most influential work on classic form. In it he elaborates on the discovery by the ancient Greeks of entasis, a gradual tapering of the upper two-thirds of the round column which offsets the undesirable illusion from eye level that the column shaft grows larger as it ascends. HB&G round columns hold true to this classic form.

HB&G PermaCast<sup>®</sup> Columns are available in round or square. The round columns are fluted, or plain, with or without the classic tapering of the upper two-thirds of the column. Square columns are available in a variety of styles as well, including plain or fluted, applied panel, recessed panel, or the craftsman style column. The PermaCast<sup>®</sup> capitals and bases are made from durable low-maintenance materials, and like the columns, they maintain architectural authenticity and historical accuracy.



Roman Ionic (Square)

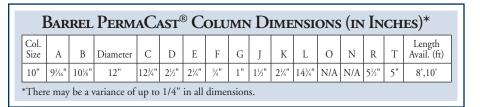
See pages 23, 24 and 25 for cap and base dimensions



# Round **PERMA**Cast<sup>®</sup> Columns

COL. SIZE	А	В	С	D	Е	F	G	J	K	L	0	N	R	Т	LENGTH AVAIL (ft)
6"	5%"	4%"	9"	11/16"	11/16"	%16"	3/4"	11/4"	1%"	8"	1"	6¼"	315/16"	47/16"	6,8
8"	7%"	6¼"	10½"	17/8"	1¾"	<sup>3</sup> ⁄4"	3/4"	11/4"	1½"	9¼"	1/2"	21/4"	43/8"	41/2"	5,6,8,9,10
10"	9%"	81/8"	131/8"	2¾"	21/8"	3/4"	3/4"	11/4"	1¾"	11¼"	5/8"	2¼"	5¼"	5"	8, 9,10,12
12"	11%"	9¾"	16½"	21/8"	23/8"	7/8"	<sup>13</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "	1¾"	21/4"	13¾"	3/4"	25/8"	61/8"	5¾"	6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14,16, 18
14"	13%"	115/8"	19½"	3 <sup>3</sup> /8"	31/8"	11/8"	7⁄8"	2"	21/8"	17"	7⁄8"	25/8"	7%"	7"	8, 9, 10, 12, 1 16, 18
16"	15¾"	13%"	221/8"	4"	31/2"	11/8"	1"	2¼"	3"	19¾"	1"	3"	81/8"	8"	8,10,12,14,16 18, 20
18"	17½"	15%"	24%"	4"	4"	1 %"	11/8"	2¾"	31/8"	223/8"	1¼"	10¾"	9%"	8%"	10,12,14,16,1 20,22,24,26
20"	19½"	17¾6"	27"	4¾"	4½"	2"	17/16"	21/8"	3%"	2415/16"	1¼"	10¾"	11¼"	9"	18,20,22,24
22"	21 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	19¼"	30¼"	53/8"	47/8"	2"	17/8"	3"	3¾"	27½"	1¼"	10¾"	12¼"	10¼"	16,18,20,22, 24,26
24"	23 %"	21¼"	33½"	5%"	5¼"	2 <sup>3</sup> /16"	2 <sup>3</sup> /16"	3½"	41/16"	30½"	1¼"	10¾"	135/16"	115/16"	14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28,
26"	26"	22¾"	35"	6¼"	5%"	2¾"	2"	3"	4¾"	31½"	11/4"	10¾"	14%"	11%"	20, 22, 24, 26
28"	28"	241/8"	38"	6¾"	6"	2¾"	21/8"	3¼"	4¾"	33%"	11/4"	10¾"	15½"	11¾"	20,22, 24, 26, 2
30"	29%"	26½"	411/8"	6½"	57/8"	21/2"	31/16"	4"	41/8"	38¼"	11/4"	10¾"	14%"	147/8"	20,22,24,26, 28,30
36"	36"	30%"	48¾"	8¾"	7¾"	3 5/8"	2"	41/4"	61/4"	42¾"	11/4"	10¾"	201/8"	13%"	20,22,24,26, 28,30

\*There may be a variance of up to 1/4" in all dimensions. Fluted columns available in all diameters. Plain ROUND PermaCast® columns can be trimmed at least 24" with the following exceptions 6"x 6'-8', 14"x 9'-12', 16"x 8'-16', 18"x10'-6' Custom sizes available, contact the HB&CG architectural department. See page 24 for Ornamental capital dimensions.



ROUND & SQUARE PERMACAST® LOAD BEARING SPECIFICATIONS Split columns are not load bearing

(Cincture)

E (Torus)

D (Plinth)

Tuscan Cap Abacus Width

> K (Abacus Height) J (Echinus) G (Astragal)

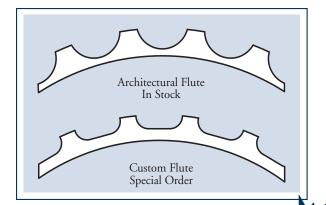
COLUMN DIAMETER	STRUCTURAL LOAD
6"	8,000 lbs. Max
8"	10,000 lbs. Max
10"	14,000 lbs. Max
12"	18,000 lbs. Max
14"	20,000 lbs. Max
16"	20,000 lbs. Max
18"	20,000 lbs. Max
20"	20,000 lbs. Max
22"	20,000 lbs. Max
26"	20,000 lbs. Max
28"	20,000 lbs. Max
30"	20,000 lbs. Max
36"	20,000 lbs. Max

#### Round PermaCast® Inside Dimensions

Inside diameter may vary up to 1/8". Splitting a column will decrease inside dimension 1/8".

COLUMN SIZE	TOP I.D.	BOT I.D.	_
6"	31/8"	47/8"	]
8"	5½"	67/8"	
10"	7¾"	87⁄8"	
12"	85/8"	10%"	Inside
14"	10%"	121/8"	Diameter
16"	121/8"	15"	
18"	143/8"	163/8"	
20"	16%"	19"	
22"	18¼"	205/8"	
24"	201/4"	225/8"	
26"	21"	241/2"	
28"	22"	261/2"	1
30"	25¼"	281/8"	]
36"	28"	34½"	]
Barrel	7½"	<b>8</b> <sup>1</sup> /2"	]

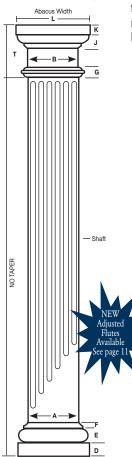
# Fluted Round **PERMA**Cast<sup>®</sup> Columns



### HB&G NOW OFFERS TWO DISTINCTIVE TYPES OF FLUTES.

**Architectural Flute:** Available in diameters of 8" x 8' – 16" x 18' columns. (see price guide for specific lengths available) The architectural flute is part of the manufacturing process and cannot be altered.

**Custom Flute:** The custom flute is milled after the column is manufactured and can be modified to your specific length. All round PermaCast columns, 6"x 8' – 36"x 30', are available with an optional custom



flute. (Call a customer service representative for pricing and lead times)



# Round No-Taper **PERMA**Cast<sup>®</sup> Columns

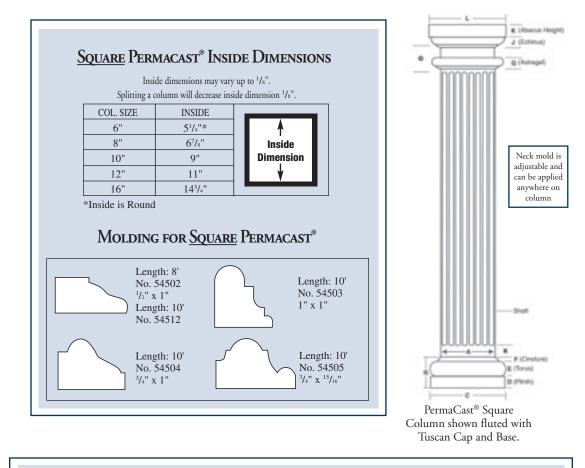
# Round No-Taper PermaCast<sup>®</sup> Column Dimensions (in Inches)

Col. Size	А	В	С	D	Е	F	G	J	K	L	Length Avail. (ft.)
8"	7 <sup>5</sup> /8"	7 <sup>5</sup> /8"	10 <sup>1</sup> /2"	1 <sup>7</sup> /8"	1 <sup>3</sup> /4"	3/4"	3/4"	$1^{1}/4$ "	$1^{1}/2''$	10 <sup>5</sup> /8"	8,10
10"	9 <sup>5</sup> /8"	9 <sup>3</sup> /8"	13 <sup>1</sup> /8"	2 <sup>3</sup> /8"	2 <sup>1</sup> /8"	3/4"	3/4"	$1^{1}/4$ "	1 <sup>3</sup> /4"	1213/16"	8,10,12
12"	11 <sup>5</sup> /8"	11 <sup>5</sup> /8"	16 <sup>1</sup> /2"	2 <sup>7</sup> /8"	2 <sup>3</sup> /8"	<sup>7</sup> /8"	<sup>13</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "	1 <sup>3</sup> /4"	2 <sup>1</sup> /4"	15 <sup>7</sup> /8"	8,10,12
14"	13 <sup>5</sup> /8"	135/8"	19 <sup>1</sup> /2"	3 <sup>3</sup> /8"	31/8"	$1^{1}/8''$	<sup>7</sup> /8"	2"	2 <sup>7</sup> /8"	19 <sup>1</sup> /8"	8,10,12,14
16"	15 <sup>3</sup> /4"	15 <sup>3</sup> /4"	22 <sup>1</sup> /8"	4"	3 <sup>1</sup> /2"	$1^{1}/8''$	1"	$2^{1}/4$ "	3"	22"	8,10,12,14,16,18,20
18"	17 <sup>1</sup> /2"	$17^{1}/_{2}$ "	24 <sup>5</sup> /8"	4"	4"	1 <sup>5</sup> /8"	$1^{1}/8''$	2 <sup>3</sup> /4	31/8"	24 <sup>5</sup> /8"	10,12,14,16,18,20
24"	24"	24"	32 <sup>1</sup> /2"	5 <sup>3</sup> /4"	5 <sup>1</sup> /4"	2 <sup>3</sup> /16"	2 <sup>3</sup> /16"	3 <sup>1</sup> /4"	43/4"	33 <sup>3</sup> /8"	10,12,14,16,18,20
24"	24"		321/2"	-	51/4"			31/4"	4 <sup>2</sup> /4"	33 <sup>2</sup> /8"	10,12,14,16,18,2

Custom sizes available, contact the HB&G architectural department. Neck mold not included.



# Square **PERMA**Cast<sup>®</sup> Columns





#### SQUARE PERMACAST® COLUMN DIMENSIONS (In Inches)\*

Column Size	A	С	D	E	F	G	J	K	L	N	0	R	Lengths Available (ft.)
6"	6"	91⁄8"	1%6"	1%"	%6"	1"	1¼"	1%"	9½"	N/A	N/A	3%6"	6,8,9,10
8"	8"	111/%"	1%"	1¾"	5/" /8	1"	1%"	1%"	1015/16"	4"	31/8"	4¼"	6, <b>8,9,10,</b> 12
10"	10"	13 <sup>1</sup> /16"	2¼"	2 <sup>3</sup> /16"	3/4"	1"	1¼"	113/16"	12¾"	4"	4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	5¾"	51",6,8,9, <mark>10</mark> ,12 14,16
12"	12"	16%"	2 <sup>13</sup> /16"	2¾"	7%"	1"	1¾"	21/16"	1611/16"	N/A	N/A	61/16"	8,9,10,12,15,16,18
14"	14"	191/8"	31/8"	27/8"	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "	11/8"	21/16"	21/2"	191/16"	N/A	N/A	7%/ <sub>16</sub> "	8,10,12,14 16,18,20
16"	16"	221/8"	37/8"	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	11/8"	11/8"	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	211/2"	N/A	N/A	8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	8,10,12

Fluted Square. \*There may be a variance of up to 1/4" in all dimensions. Custom sizes available, contact the HB&G architectural department. See page 24 for Ornamental Capital dimensions.

### Versatility of Square Columns

The design and versatility of an HB&G square column has enhanced its popularity with today's architects. The HB&G Square PermaCast<sup>®</sup> column line up includes square, plain and fluted. An unlimited combination of styles can be achieved by various uses of the panel molding, neck molding, and caps and bases. Additionally, the square column is not tapered and can be cut to any height without affecting the fit of the caps and bases.

# Recessed Panel **PERMA**Cast<sup>®</sup> Columns

#### **Recessed Panel Inside Dimension**

Inside dimension may vary up to <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>". Splitting a column will decrease inside dimension <sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>".

Col. Size	Inside	
8"	5 <sup>5</sup> /8"	T T
10"	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	Inside Dimension
12"	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "	
14"	11"	

#### Recessed Panel Load Bearing Specifications

(Split Columns are not load Bearing)

Column Diameter	Structural Load
8"	10,000
10"	14,000
12"	18,000
14"	20,000

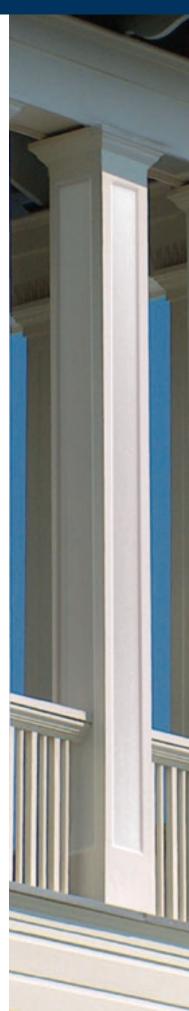


### SQUARE RECESSED PANEL PERMACAST<sup>®</sup> COLUMN DIMENSIONS (In Inches)\*

Column Size	A	С	D	E	F	G	J	К	L	N	0	R	s	Recess Depth	Lengths Available
8"	8"	111/8"	1%"	1¾"	5/" /8"	1"	1 %"	1 %"	10 <sup>15</sup> /16"	12"	7"	4¼"	11/2"	<sup>1</sup> /2"	8,9,10
10"	10"	13 <sup>1</sup> /16"	2¼"	2 <sup>3</sup> /16"	3/4"	1¼"	1¼"	1 <sup>13</sup> /16"	12¾"	14½"	8½"	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "	1½"	1/2"	8,9,10
12"	12"	16%	2 <sup>13</sup> /16"	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	7/8"	1¼"	1¾"	2¼″	1611/16"	18"	10½"	61/16"	2¼"	%6"	8,9,10,12,14
14"	14"	19 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "	3 <sup>5</sup> /8"	2 %"	11/16"	1%"	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "	2½"	19 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "	21"	12¼"	716"	2 <sup>5</sup> /8"	3/4"	8*,10,14*

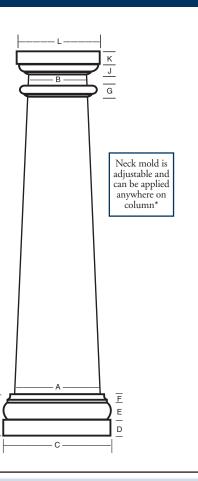
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#### **CRAFTSMAN INSIDE DIMENSION**

Inside dimension may vary up to 1/8". Splitting a column will decrease inside dimension 1/8".

Column Size	Тор	Bottom	
10" x 5 <sup>1</sup> /2"	4.5"	9"	
10 <sup>1</sup> /4" x 7 <sup>1</sup> /2"	4.5"	9 <sup>1</sup> /4"	Inside
12" x 10"	9"	11"	Dimension
14" x 12"	8"	13"	
16" x 9"	8"	15"	

### CRAFTSMAN LOAD BEARING SPECIFICATIONS

(Split Columns are not load bearing)

Structural Load
10,000
10,000
14,000
14,000
14,000

### CRAFTSMAN COLUMN DIMENSIONS (IN INCHES)

		A	В	С	D	Е	F	G	J	K	L	Ν	0	R	LENGTH
	10" x 51/2"	10"	51/2"	13"	2 <sup>1</sup> /2"	23/8"	11/16"	1"	13/8"	13/8"	<b>9</b> <sup>5</sup> /8"	N/A	N/A	57/8"	66"
N	10 <sup>1</sup> /4"x 7 <sup>1</sup> /2"*	10 <sup>1</sup> /4"	71/2"	131/2"	2 <sup>3</sup> /8"	21/4"	<sup>3</sup> /4"	1"	1"	1"	10 <sup>1</sup> /4"	N/A	N/A	5 <sup>3</sup> /8"	7'
	12" x 10"	12"	10"	168/16"	2 <sup>1</sup> /2"	21/2"	11/16"	1"	13/8"	13/8"	123/3"	N/A	N/A	61/16"	6', 10'
N	14" x 12"*	14"	12"	18 <sup>3</sup> /4"	33/8"	3"	1"	1"	15/8"	2"	17 <sup>1</sup> /8"	N/A	N/A	7 <sup>3</sup> /8"	9'
	16" x 9"	16"	9"	18 <sup>3</sup> /4"	2 <sup>1</sup> /2"	21/2"	1 <sup>1</sup> /16"	1"	1 <sup>3</sup> /8"	13/8"	13 <sup>1</sup> /4"	N/A	N/A	61/16"	58"
	16" x 9"	16"	9"	191/16"	21/2"	21/2"	11/16"	1"	13/8"	13/8"	131/4"	N/A	N/A	61/16"	6', 8'
		10 <sup>1</sup> /4" x 7 <sup>1</sup> /2"* 12" x 10" 14" x 12"* 16" x 9"	10" x 5 <sup>1</sup> /2" 10"   10 <sup>1</sup> /4" x 7 <sup>1</sup> /2"* 10 <sup>1</sup> /4"   12" x 10" 12"   14" x 12"* 14"   16" x 9" 16"	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$ \begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$

Custom sizes available, contact the HB&G architectural department. \*Has 1/3" to 2/3" taper, neck mold is part of shaft and not applied.



#### Lifetime Warranty

HB&G warrants that for the "lifetime" of ownership the PermaCast® column is free from defects in material and workmanship. "Lifetime" means as long as the purchaser owns the structure to which the PermaCast® columns are attached. Upon proper installation of the column, HB&G will repair or replace, at its option, any PermaCast® column that has failed as a result of defective material or workmanship of HB&G. In the event of a claim against this warranty, proof of purchase, with date will be required to affect such a claim. Installation cost not included. HB&G gives no other warranty expressed or implied.

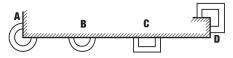
#### Fire Retardant

All HB&G PermaCast<sup>®</sup> columns are fire retardant. This new offering has been tested by code certified laboratories to ensure its fire performance characteristics.

### Tips

- When ordering an ornamental capital order the appropriate base for the column.
- ✓ Ornamental capitals for square PermaCast<sup>®</sup> slide over the shaft and do not use a plug. These ornamental capitals will not lengthen or shorten the height of the column.
- ✓ Insure exact opening measurement prior to ordering column length.
- ✓ When installing a PermaCast<sup>®</sup> column, insure concentric loading of column. 100% of bottom must contact substrate and 75% of top must contact soffit.
- ✓ When attaching hand rails or corner iron to PermaCast<sup>®</sup> columns, holes must be pre-drilled before applying screws.
- ✓ When ordering panel molding for square PermaCast<sup>®</sup> columns, make sure to order enough for four sides of the column.
- ✓ Split columns left partially intact. Cut with masonary or carbide tip blade.

### Splitting Options



### Painting Instructions

Painting instructions for round and square  $\mbox{PermaCast}^{\circ}$  columns:

- Rinse
- Prime with top quality exterior latex primer, or use an oil-based primer in accordance with paint manufacture instructions. A light coat of primer should be applied and allowed to cure fully.
- Paint evenly with several light coats over column with a high quality exterior latex or oil-base (if primer is used) in accordance with paint manufacture instructions.
- Do not paint PermaCast<sup>®</sup> columns using dark colors (dark colors are considered any color that falls within the L value of 56 to 0). L is a measure of lightness of an object and ranges from 0 (black) to 100 (white).

# HB&G's number one goal is finding ways that we can save you

time and money making your life easier.

# PermaCast<sup>®</sup> PermaFlashing and Installation Kit

The PermaCast<sup>®</sup> flashing<sup>\*</sup> and installation kit is now available and included at **no additional cost** in all Tuscan cap and

base sets. This innovation will not only save time but will keep the elements out of the column and secure the top and bottom of the column.

\*Patent Pending

PermaFlashing Tuscan

Cap

## PermaPrimed Tuscan Cap and Base

HB&G is now priming all Tuscan caps and bases. This additional priming coat will facilitate paint adhesion and have a far superior appearance at **no additional cost.** 

### Round PermaCast® Porch Installation Bracket





The HB&G Porch Installation Bracket includes the bracket

and all required hardware. The bracket fits 20" - 30" Plain Round PermaCast<sup>®</sup> Columns and will secure a 2nd story porch to our PermaCast<sup>®</sup> Columns. Three brackets are required for each column.

