

Pilasters

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

MATERIALS NEEDED



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To determine the required height of the Pilaster, measure the distance from the landing or porch floor to the top of the door, including brickmoulding if applicable. Be sure to include the height of any transom or over-the-door window.

CUTTING PILASTERS TO CORRECT DIMENSION:

To handle the variety of different heights of pilasters needed for numerous applications, Fypon, Ltd. manufactures two different types of Pilasters that can be adjusted for height.

1. ONE-PIECE PILASTER MOULDED WITH PLINTH BLOCK

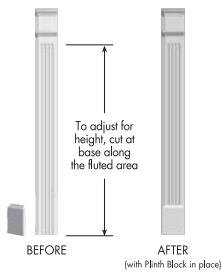
The Plinth Block (base) is moulded to the Pilaster as a one-piece unit. Any trimming for height needs to be done at the base, or Plinth Block area of the Pilaster.

2. PILASTER WITH ADJUSTABLE PLINTH BLOCK

The Pilaster and the Plinth Block (base) are two separate pieces. The Pilaster can be adjusted for height by trimming at the base, along the fluted area of the Pilaster. The Plinth Block may also be trimmed. Then the Plinth Block is simply installed over the fluted section.



STEP 1



STEP 2

- Safety Glasses
- Tape Measure
- Hammer or Pneumatic Nailer
- Nail Countersink
- Corrosion-resistant Finishing Nails
- Caulk Gun
- PL Premium Adhesive
- Caulk or Wood Filler
- Sandpaper
- Pencil
- Latex or Oil Base Paint
- Miter Saw

USING CORROSION-RESISTANT FASTENERS AND PL PREMIUM ADHESIVE

Always use corrosion-resistant mechanical fasteners (nails or screws) and PL Premium Adhesive when installing Fypon products. This combination provides a secure, long lasting bond. Countersink all fasteners about 1/8 inch and fill with exterior grade white spackle. If desired, sand any minor imperfections and topcoat with a quality exterior latex or oil base paint. Fypon exterior millwork installations should be finished using a quality, exterior grade silicone caulk to prevent water infiltration behind siding, windows and doors. Some exterior millwork installations, in particular new construction (before siding is applied) may require a J-channel and/or flashing to prevent water infiltration. Installers must determine which installation technique is best for the specific situation.

IMPORTANT:

Please read these installation guidelines thoroughly before beginning installation. Please note that these guidelines are provided only to assist with the installation of Fypon mouldings and millwork products. Modified procedures may be required in order to meet specific situations, unique applications and local building codes. The manufacturer does not under any circumstances warrant the installation of its products. Be sure to wear appropriate protective clothing, gloves and safety glasses when working with any tools. Installer should check for and relocate all electrical wiring within the proposed installation area, as needed (be sure to disconnect all electric power before working with any electrical wiring and follow all applicable local electrical codes and safety procedures).