

# Instructions for Installing the Pole-Wrap® Extension

Things you will need:

1. Tape Measure
2. Pencil
3. Fine Tooth Saw
4. Utility Knife
5. Caulking Gun
6. Tube Construction Adhesive
7. Masking Tape



Fig. 1

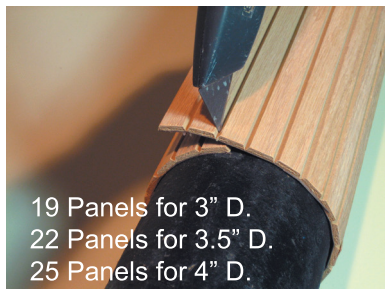


Fig. 2

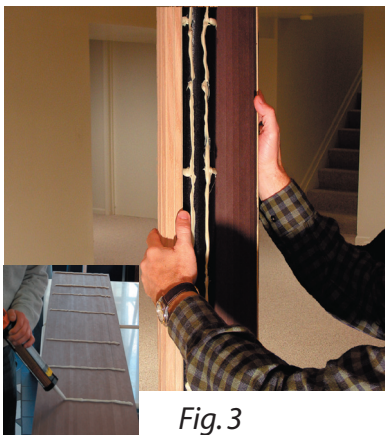


Fig. 3

and pull the ends around toward you until they meet (see Fig. 3). Wrap masking tape around the outside of the Extension to hold it in place until the adhesive is dry. Repeat this procedure to install the other section of Pole-Wrap above, being careful to line up panels.

**Step 7:** After the adhesive is dry, remove all tape and trim away excess adhesive with a utility knife. Paint or stain as you would any wood surface. Just two coats of polyurethane looks great. For finishing MDF use an oil, alcohol or lacquer based primer for best results. Latex paint can then be applied if preferred.

**The 4 Ft. Pole-Wrap Extension can be used in conjunction with our standard 8 Ft. length of Pole-Wrap for special column cover applications involving high ceiling basements of up to 12 Ft. from floor to ceiling.**

**Installing an optional Pole-Wrap Drink Shelf is a practical way to hide the joining seam between the two Pole-Wrap sections. The optional Pole-Wrap Cap & Base moldings complete the look of a classic fluted column.**

**Step 1:** Start by deciding how high you want your Drink Shelf. Usually this is 30, 42 or 48 inches from the floor depending on your preference for either "table," "counter" or "bar" height. Mark this measurement on the outside of the Extension using a pencil. Roll up the Extension and cut above your mark with a fine tooth saw (see Fig. 1).

**Step 2:** Measure and cut your standard 8 Ft. length of Pole-Wrap in the same way you did the Extension, but to fit the remainder of your column from shelf height to ceiling.

**Step 3:** Take time to flex each panel of both Pole-Wrap sections so that they will conform evenly around the column surface. Folding panels against the straight edge of a table top works well.

**Step 4:** Using a utility knife, cut the width at the first v-groove after the Pole-Wrap overlaps. The adhesive applied later will fill space between the Pole-Wrap and column eliminating this overlap. Ends will butt without slack or visible seam. *Tips: Count panels needed for your specific diameter column to be covered and cut (see chart Fig. 2). Or, you can use the scrap piece from your length cut for a test fit to determine where to make your cut.*

**Step 5:** Apply construction adhesive to the back side of the Pole-Wrap (or to column) using a caulking gun. Space 1/4 inch beads horizontally about every 10 inches. Add two full length vertical beads to hold the Pole-Wrap ends securely together (see Fig. 3).

**Step 6:** After the adhesive is applied, promptly wrap the Extension around the column. Start with the inside middle and pull the ends around toward you until they meet (see Fig. 3). Wrap masking tape around the outside of the Extension to hold it in place until the adhesive is dry. Repeat this procedure to install the other section of Pole-Wrap above, being careful to line up panels.

