

# Galvanized Steel Penthouse High Performance

Model: PFAB Post Corner

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### ▼ Standard Specifications

**Frame:** 18 gauge galvanized steel, 4" deep

**Blades:** J style, 20 gauge galvanized steel, positioned at 45° angles on approximately 4" centers.

**Roof:** Fabricated at .050" (1.3mm) thickness 20 gauge formed galvanized steel, roof is secured with sheet metal screws for ease in removal. Flat roofs are cross-broken for adequate element run-off. Models with pitched roofs have a 1" in 12" or 3" in 12" (25.4mm in 305mm or 76mm in 305mm) pitch.

**Internal Framing:** 1-1/2" x 1-1/2" x 1/8" (38mm x 38mm) framing angles of 20 gauge galvanized steel on 48" (1219mm) maximum centers.

**Finish:** galvanized steel mill finish for low maintenance and resistance to corrosion

**Screen:** 3/4" x .051" flattened aluminum birdscreen

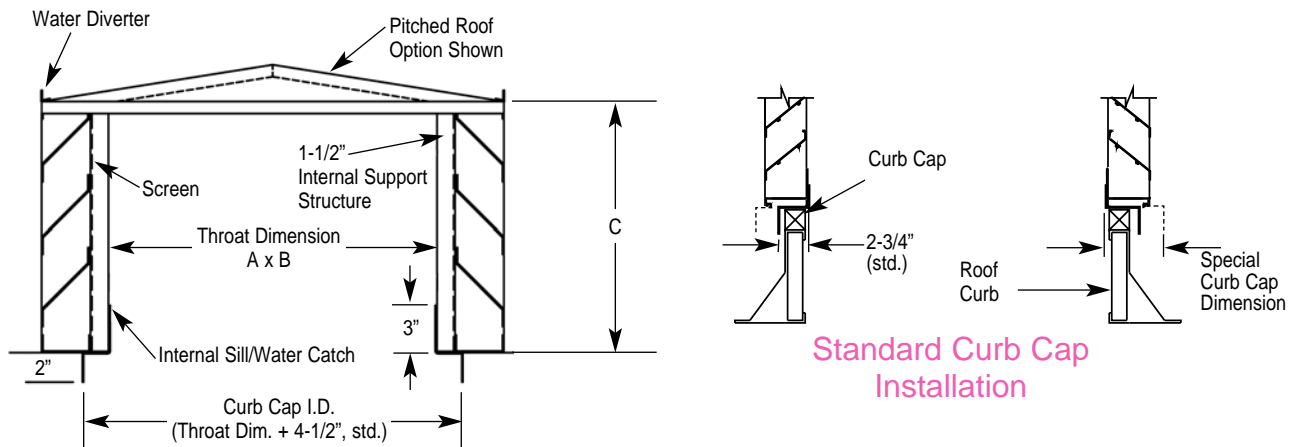
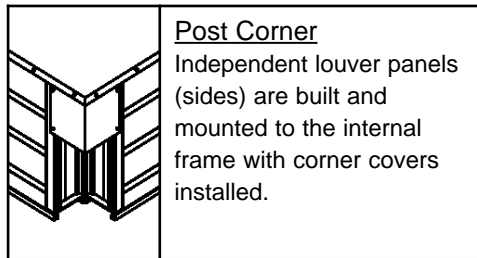
**Sizing:** Order size is actual throat dimensions. Throat is undercut 1/2" (12mm) in both "A" and "B" dimensions for installation allowance.

**Minimum:** 12"w x 12"l x 12"h (305mm x 305mm x 305mm)

**Maximum:** 72"w x 220"l x 80"h (1829mm x 5588mm x 2032mm).

Unlimited size with multiple section assembly.

**Note:** Louvered Penthouses are reasonably weather tight. However, they are not recommended for use where airborne water droplets from storms or high winds may damage the interior of the building. Provisions should always be made for potential wind driven rain or snow carry over because air can pass completely through a Louvered Penthouse.



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### Free Area in Square Feet

HEIGHT INCHES	WIDTH IN INCHES									
	8	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60
10	0.07	0.11	0.19	0.26	0.34	0.41	0.49	0.56	0.64	0.71
12	0.13	0.23	0.38	0.53	0.68	0.83	0.98	1.13	1.28	1.43
18	0.23	0.41	0.67	0.93	1.20	1.46	1.73	1.99	2.25	2.52
24	0.38	0.67	1.10	1.54	1.97	2.40	2.84	3.27	3.70	4.14
30	0.48	0.84	1.39	1.94	2.49	3.04	3.58	4.13	4.68	5.23
36	0.63	1.11	1.82	2.54	3.25	3.98	4.59	5.41	6.13	6.85
42	0.73	1.28	2.11	2.95	3.78	4.61	5.44	6.27	7.11	7.94
48	0.88	1.54	2.56	3.56	4.55	5.55	6.56	7.56	8.58	9.56
54	0.98	1.72	2.84	3.95	5.07	6.18	7.30	8.42	9.53	10.65
60	1.12	1.98	3.27	4.56	5.84	7.12	8.41	9.70	10.98	12.27
66	1.22	2.16	3.56	4.96	6.38	7.76	9.16	10.56	11.96	13.36
72	1.37	2.42	3.99	5.58	7.13	8.70	10.27	11.84	13.41	14.98
78	1.47	2.60	4.28	5.96	7.65	9.33	11.02	12.70	14.38	16.07
84	1.62	2.86	4.71	6.57	8.42	10.27	12.13	13.98	15.83	17.69
90	1.72	3.03	5.00	6.97	8.94	10.91	12.87	14.84	16.81	18.78
96	1.87	3.30	5.43	7.57	9.71	11.85	13.98	16.12	18.26	20.40

### PFAB Selection and Examples

**Example 1:**

Airflow given as 12,000 cfm – select four louver sides

- A.  $12,000 \text{ cfm} \div 4 \text{ louver sides} = 3,000 \text{ cfm per side}$
- B.  $3,000 \text{ cfm} \div 840 \text{ fpm} = 3.57 \text{ ft}^2 \text{ (F.A.) per side}$
- C. Select louver from the above free area chart

$42''\text{w} \times 30''\text{h} = 3.58 \text{ ft}^2 \text{ (F.A.)}$   
 $3.58 \text{ ft}^2 \times 4 \text{ sides} = 14.32 \text{ ft}^2 \text{ total}$

**Example 2:**

To select "rectangular" shape in lieu of square

- A. Simply break down  $14.32 \text{ ft}^2$   
 $4 + 4 + 3 + 3 = 14 \text{ ft}^2$
- B. Select louver from above free area chart

$3 \text{ ft}^2 = 36'' \times 30''$   
 $4 \text{ ft}^2 = 46'' \times 30''$   
 Penthouse size  $46''\text{w} \times 36''\text{l} \times 30''\text{h}$