



**V** = VENT TERMINAL      **X** = AIR SUPPLY INLET      = AREA WHERE TERMINAL IS NOT PERMITTED

- A = 12 inches.....clearances above grade, veranda, porch, deck or balcony (See Note 1)
- B = 12 inches.....clearances to window or door that may be opened, or to permanently closed window. (Glass)
- C = 24 inches.....vertical clearance to ventilated soffit located above the terminal  
18 inches.....vertical clearance to unventilated soffit located above the terminal (12 inches for Flush Horizontal Power Vent)  
42 inches.....for vinyl clad soffits and below electrical service
- D = 9 inches.....clearance to outside corner
- E = 6 inches.....clearance to inside corner
- F = 3 ft. (Canada).....not to be installed above a gas meter/regulator assembly within 3 feet (90 cm) horizontally from the center-line of the regulator
- G = 3 ft.....clearance to gas service regulator vent outlet
- H = 9 inches (U.S.A.)  
12 inches (Canada) clearance to non-mechanical air supply inlet to building or the combustion air inlet to any other appliance (See Note 2)
- i = 3 ft. (U.S.A.)  
6 ft. (Canada).....clearance to a mechanical (powered) air supply inlet
- J\*\* = 7 ft.....clearance above paved sidewalk or a paved driveway located on public property (See Note 1)
- K = 6 inches.....clearance from sides of electrical service (See Note 5)
- L = 12 inches.....clearance above electrical service (See Note 5)

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- M\*\*\* = 18 inches ..... clearance under veranda, porch, deck, balcony or overhang  
42 inches ..... vinyl
- N = 6 inches ..... non-vinyl sidewalls  
12 inches ..... vinyl sidewalls
- O = 18 inches ..... non-vinyl soffit and overhang  
42 inches ..... vinyl soffit and overhang
- P = 8 ft.

	Q <sub>MIN</sub>	R <sub>MAX</sub>
1 cap	3 feet	2 x Q <sub>ACTUAL</sub>
2 caps	6 feet	1 x Q <sub>ACTUAL</sub>
3 caps	9 feet	2/3 x Q <sub>ACTUAL</sub>
4 caps	12 feet	1/2 x Q <sub>ACTUAL</sub>
Q <sub>MIN</sub> = # termination caps x 3    R <sub>MAX</sub> = (2 / # termination caps) x Q <sub>ACTUAL</sub>		

\*\* a vent shall not terminate directly above a sidewalk or paved driveway which is located between two single family dwellings and serves both dwellings.

\*\*\* only permitted if veranda, porch, deck or balcony is fully open on a minimum of 2 sides beneath the floor, or meets Note 2.

Note 1: On private property where termination is less than 7 feet above a sidewalk, driveway, deck, porch, veranda or balcony, use of a listed cap shield is suggested. (See vents components page)

Note 2: Termination in a covered alcove space (spaces open only on one side and with an overhang) are permitted with the dimensions specified for vinyl or non vinyl siding and soffits. 1. There must be 3 feet minimum between termination caps. 2. All mechanical air intakes within 10 feet of a termination cap must be a minimum of 3 feet below the termination cap. 3. All gravity air intakes within 3 feet of a termination cap must be a minimum of 1 foot below the termination cap.

Note 3: Local codes or regulations may require different clearances.

Note 4: Termination caps may be hot. Consider their proximity to doors or other traffic areas.

Note 5: Location of the vent termination must not interfere with access to the electrical service.

In the U.S and Canada: Vent system termination is NOT permitted in screened porches.

Vent system termination is permitted in porch areas with two or more sides open. You must follow all side walls, overhang and ground clearances as stated in the instructions.