

THE GREAT DIVIDE

Porch Divider

Create a “floating” exterior wall with DIY dividers made from geometric wood panels connected with S Hooks.

You'll Need:

Dutch Boy® Exterior paint (2 colors)	Drill
Thin plywood panels	S Hooks
Flat paint brush	Ceiling hooks (screw eyes)
Paint tray and liners	Clean, damp cloth
Fine- to medium-grit sandpaper	

Here's How:

Step 1 Determine the shape and number of the plywood panels needed and have them precut at your home improvement store.

Tip: All plywood panels should be the same width, but for visual interest vary the length.

Step 2 Drill holes for the S Hooks at the top and bottom of panels, making sure the S Hooks will fit properly; the bottom panel of each column needs only one hole.

Step 3 Prep panels by sanding edges smooth; wipe with the clean, damp cloth to remove dust or debris.

Step 4 Paint both sides and edges of the panels using the flat brush; allow paint to dry, following suggested drying time on the can label.

Tip: To achieve the same look as the pictured example, paint the majority of the panels in the lighter color and the rest of the panels in the accent color.

Step 5 Link wood panels together with S Hooks, ending with bottom panels; alternate colors throughout.

Tip: Lay out pattern on the ground first before joining together.

Step 6 Hang each divider column from ceiling hooks.

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See paint can labels for application instructions and drying times.

Use Dutch Boy® paint to ensure precise color match. Refer to the actual color chip for accurate color representation.



Trim, Railing and Divider Panels: **Zephyr Breeze 422-1DB**
Siding and Divider Panels: **Cypress Garden 424-4DB**