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# Positano

FLAME TOWER COLLECTION

THE 2G TOWER · LAVA LITE · CAPRI — 2026





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# Every flame needs two feet of *air*.

Twenty-four inches clear on all sides and overhead. That is the requirement, not a preference, and it is the same requirement for every gas heater sold. What changes between one heater and the next is how much of your floor that clearance costs you.

The Positano tower is a triangle. It has been a triangle since 2001, and the reason is not styling. Three sides reserve less floor than four at identical clearance — a difference you can measure, and one we publish before you buy.

3

Heights

1

Geometry

24"

Clearance, all sides

THE COLLECTION

# One geometry. Three *heights*.

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The Positano line began with a single decision: put the flame inside a three-sided borosilicate column and let the metal work around it. Twenty-five years later that silhouette is specified in Forbes Five-Star resorts and Michelin rooms across fifty countries, and it has not needed redrawing.

What separates the three models is not styling and it is not really output. It is height, and what height does to the room above the unit. The towers stand at 92.5 inches and want open sky. The Capri stands at 72.5 and is the only one in the collection that will sit under a nine-foot cover.

So the specification order runs backwards from the way most heaters are sold. Start with the ceiling. Then the exposure. Output comes third, because a tower that cannot be installed has no output at all.

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*Ceiling first.*



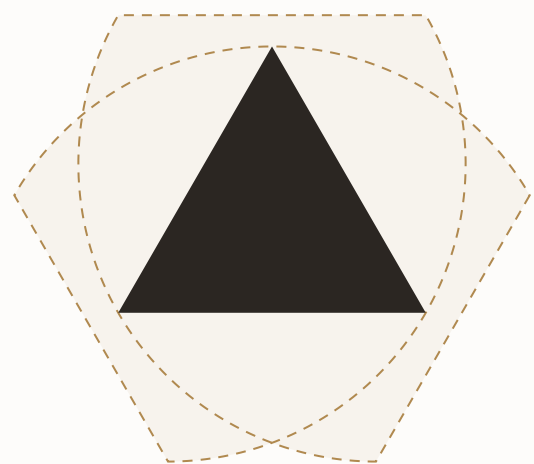
SPECIFIED ACROSS FIFTY COUNTRIES

# The hour a terrace stops emptying *out*.

Forbes Five-Star resorts and Michelin rooms do not buy heaters for the cold nights. They buy them for the ninety minutes after dinner when the table would otherwise turn.

# Don't be a *square*.

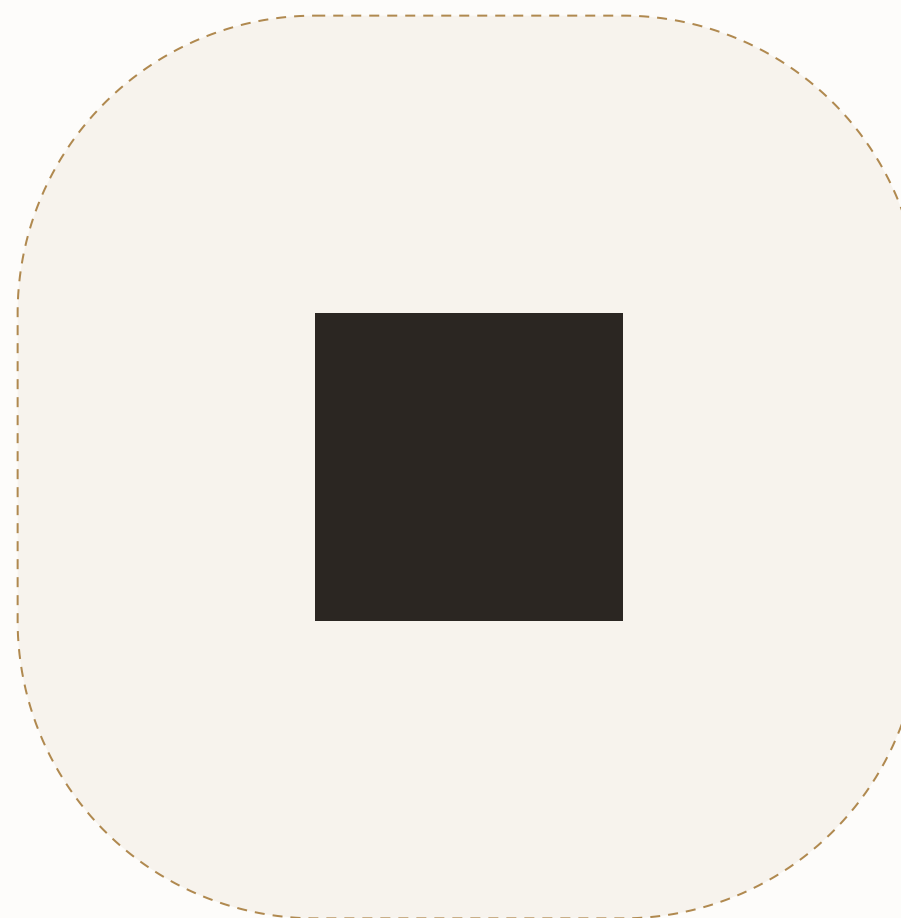
Every gas heater on the market needs its twenty-four inches. What differs is the shape you are offsetting. Four sides reserve 33.4 square feet of floor. Three reserve 28.8. On a terrace, four and a half square feet is a two-top.



*Triangle*

28.8

sq ft reserved · Capri & 2G Tower



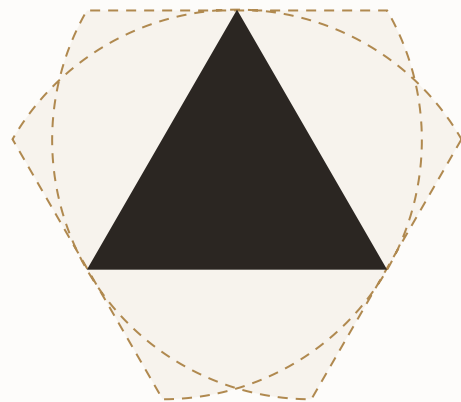
*Square*

33.4

sq ft reserved · a conventional four-sided base

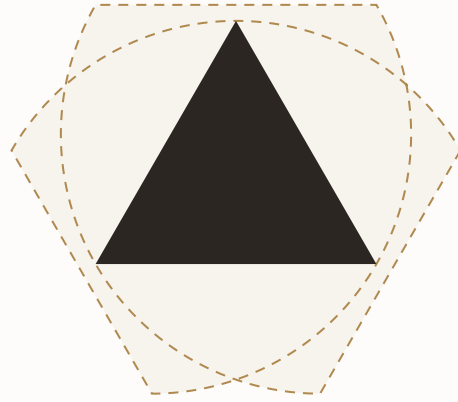
Solid form is the heater footprint. Hatched band is the required 24" clearance and must stay clear of walls, railings, planters and furniture.

Twenty-four inches on every side, and  
twenty-four *overhead*.



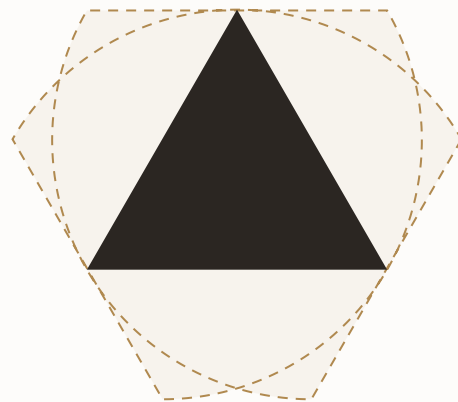
Capri

24.8 × 24.8" base · **28.8 sq ft** reserved  
–4.6 sq ft vs a square base of equal width  
42,000 BTU · 400 sq ft coverage



Lava Lite

23.2 × 23.2" base · **27.6 sq ft** reserved  
–4.1 sq ft vs a square base of equal width  
56,000 BTU · 350 sq ft coverage



2G Tower

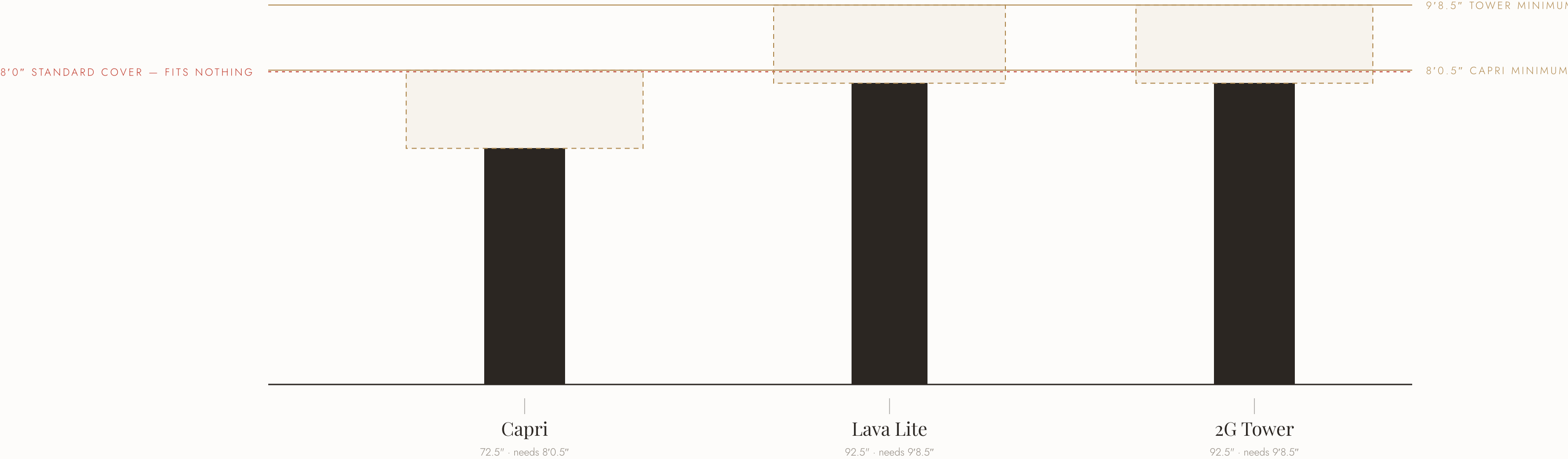
24.8 × 24.8" base · **28.8 sq ft** reserved  
–4.6 sq ft vs a square base of equal width  
66,000 BTU · 500 sq ft coverage

Reserved area is the footprint plus 24" clearance on all sides, drawn here to true scale against one another. Coverage figures are manufacturer-rated area; a corner installation concentrates output into roughly a quarter of that field. Confirm against local gas code and the installation manual before specifying.

START WITH WHAT IS ABOVE THE UNIT

# The ceiling rules models *out*.

Twenty-four inches overhead sets a hard minimum: 8'0.5" for the Capri, 9'8.5" for both towers. A standard eight-foot covered patio takes none of the three — it misses the Capri by half an inch.



Elevations drawn to true scale against one another. Hatched band is the required 24" overhead clearance, measured to the underside of any roof, pergola, awning or soffit. Where cover is below 9'8.5" the Capri is the only Positano model that can be specified; below 8'0.5" none can. Confirm against local gas code before specifying.



FLAGSHIP · COMMERCIAL

# The 2G *Tower*.

For the property that runs it every night, uncovered.

THE 2 G TOWER

# Twelve hours, every night, without a refill.

Twelve hours of continuous output on 304-grade stainless, touch-start with wireless remote, and five-stage Clima Comfort so staff can dial a terrace down without shutting it off. This is the unit specified when the heater is not decoration but equipment — and has to look like neither.

*A full shift on one tank.*

Twelve hours continuous means a restaurant opens at five and closes without a staff member touching the unit.

*Dial down, not off.*

Five Clima Comfort stages hold a low glow through dinner service and open to full output when the temperature drops.



*The handset*

Power, and temperature up or down. Nothing else on it — a server crossing the terrace mid-service should not have to read a menu. Touch-start at the tower, five stages from the hand.

SPECIFICATION

|                |                                           |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------|
| OUTPUT         | 66,000 BTU · 500 sq ft                    |
| HEIGHT         | 92.5" · 24.8 × 24.8" base                 |
| RUN TIME       | 12 hours continuous                       |
| BODY           | 304 stainless · 430 stainless emitter     |
| IGNITION       | Touch-start + wireless remote             |
| CONTROL        | 5-stage Clima Comfort                     |
| CLEARANCE      | 24" sides and overhead                    |
| MIN CEILING    | 9'8.5" to underside                       |
| FLOOR RESERVED | 28.8 sq ft incl. clearance                |
| WARRANTY       | Lifetime frame · 3 yr parts · 1 yr burner |

FROM \$2,995

Liquid propane, stocking finish. Natural gas and Amalfi finishes configured at order.

MAXIMUM OUTPUT · OPEN SKY

# The Lava *Lite*.

For open sky, exposure, and wind.



# Heat held close, not thrown at the *air*.

Full 92.5-inch height on a lighter steel chassis, with 56,000 BTU concentrated into a tighter 350 square feet. That is the point rather than a shortfall: on an exposed rooftop or an oceanfront deck, a wide dispersed field is the first thing the wind takes. A tight one survives it.

*The smallest footprint in the line.*

A 23.2-inch base reserves 27.6 square feet — less floor than either of its siblings, at full tower height.

*Built for coastal exposure.*

Marine-grade aluminium frame over a steel chassis, finished to the same 500-hour salt-spray standard as the flagship.

SPECIFICATION

|                |                                           |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------|
| OUTPUT         | 56,000 BTU · 350 sq ft                    |
| HEIGHT         | 92.5" · 23.2 × 23.2" base                 |
| BODY           | Steel · marine aluminium frame            |
| IGNITION       | Electronic                                |
| CLEARANCE      | 24" sides and overhead                    |
| MIN CEILING    | 9'8.5" to underside                       |
| FLOOR RESERVED | 27.6 sq ft incl. clearance                |
| WARRANTY       | Lifetime frame · 3 yr parts · 1 yr burner |

FROM \$2,295

Liquid propane, stocking finish. Natural gas and Amalfi finishes configured at order.



COMPACT • COVERED SPACES

# The *Capri*.

The only one that fits under a nine-foot cover.

THE CAPRI

# Twenty inches shorter. That is the whole *reason*.

At 72.5 inches the Capri needs 8'0.5" of ceiling where the towers need 9'8.5". It also throws the widest coverage per square foot of floor it occupies in the entire collection — 400 square feet from a 24.8-inch base. Wherever there is a roof, this is the specification.

*Sightlines stay clear.*

A six-foot profile reads over deep seating and café tables instead of cutting the room in half.

*Widest field per square foot.*

400 square feet of coverage from 28.8 square feet of reserved floor — the best ratio in the collection.

SPECIFICATION

|                |                                           |
|----------------|-------------------------------------------|
| OUTPUT         | 42,000 BTU · 400 sq ft                    |
| HEIGHT         | 72.5" · 24.8 × 24.8" base                 |
| BODY           | Steel · marine aluminium frame            |
| IGNITION       | Electronic                                |
| CLEARANCE      | 24" sides and overhead                    |
| MIN CEILING    | 8'0.5" to underside                       |
| FLOOR RESERVED | 28.8 sq ft incl. clearance                |
| WARRANTY       | Lifetime frame · 3 yr parts · 1 yr burner |

FROM \$1,795

Liquid propane, stocking finish. Natural gas and Amalfi finishes configured at order.

# Three towers, *compared.*

|                | Capri               | Lava Lite           | 2G Tower              |
|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| OUTPUT         | 42,000 BTU          | 56,000 BTU          | 66,000 BTU            |
| RATED COVERAGE | 400 sq ft           | 350 sq ft           | 500 sq ft             |
| HEIGHT         | 72.5"               | 92.5"               | 92.5"                 |
| BASE           | 24.8 × 24.8"        | 23.2 × 23.2"        | 24.8 × 24.8"          |
| MIN CEILING    | 8'0.5"              | 9'8.5"              | 9'8.5"                |
| FLOOR RESERVED | 28.8 sq ft          | 27.6 sq ft          | 28.8 sq ft            |
| BODY           | Steel · marine alu. | Steel · marine alu. | 304 stainless         |
| IGNITION       | Electronic          | Electronic          | Touch-start + remote  |
| CONTROL        | Variable            | Variable            | 5-stage Clima Comfort |
| RUN TIME       | —                   | —                   | 12 hours continuous   |
| SPECIFY WHEN   | There is cover      | It is exposed       | It runs nightly       |
| FROM           | \$1,795             | \$2,295             | \$2,995               |

CONSTRUCTION

# What it is made *of*.

## Borosilicate glass column

Three-sided, full height. Borosilicate takes the thermal shock of an open flame against cold night air without the haze or stress fracturing of soda-lime glass.

## 304 stainless panels

On the 2G Tower. All-weather construction with a brushed industrial finish that holds up to daily commercial cleaning.

## 430-grade stainless emitter

Engineered for sustained high-heat output. Corrosion resistant, and consistent across the radiant field rather than hot at the core and thin at the edge.

## Marine-grade aluminium frame

Rust-proof. Holds its finish on coastal patios, rooftop installations and poolside decks where salt and chlorine are constant.



The reflector hood, from above. Three sides, one pressing — the geometry starts here and the rest of the tower follows it down.

## Double-ply rolled-edge hood

Captures rising heat and redirects it downward across a full 360° field. Rolled edge is a safety profile, not a styling line.

## 500-hour salt-spray finish

Every powder coat in the range — stocking, Studio and Architecture alike — is tested to ASTM B117 for 500 hours before it ships.

CONFIGURATION · DECIDED AT ORDER

# Two fuels. One *burner*.

Every Positano tower is built around the same sealed burner assembly and the same digital control head. What changes between propane and natural gas is the orifice, the regulator and the line — specified at order, not converted in the field.



## Liquid propane

Regulator and hose assembly to a 20 lb tank concealed inside the chassis. Twelve hours continuous at full output. No gas line, no permit, no trench — the unit moves wherever the terrace needs it.



## Natural gas

Flexible stainless connector with quick-disconnect to a plumbed supply. No refills and no tank swap — the specification for a property running heaters nightly across a full season.

Both configurations carry the same digital ignition and thermocouple flame supervision. Natural gas units are not field-convertible to propane, or the reverse — confirm fuel type before the order is placed.

FINISH

# Three in stock. *Fifteen* to order.

Every model in the collection ships in three stocking finishes from Los Angeles, in three to seven days. Beyond those, two made-to-order programmes run across all three chassis at the same upcharge and the same lead time.



## Hammered Black

STOCKING · SHIPS 3–7 DAYS

Low-sheen architectural black. The default on hospitality projects — it recedes at night and shows the flame, not the housing.

## Heritage Bronze

STOCKING · SHIPS 3–7 DAYS

A warm, slightly weathered bronze that sits with teak, brick and terracotta. The most specified finish in the collection.

## Stainless Steel

STOCKING · SHIPS 3–7 DAYS

Brushed 304 left bare. Nothing to chip or fade, and the specification for salt air and daily commercial cleaning.

Shown on the 2G Tower. All three are powder-coated over stainless and tested to ASTM B117 for 500 hours of salt spray. Amalfi Studio and Amalfi Architecture follow.

MADE TO ORDER · TWO TO FOUR WEEKS

## Amalfi *Studio.*

Eight colours specified to the IFS-RAL architectural standard — the same system designers work in worldwide. Sprayed, baked and inspected at our Los Angeles facility.

UPCHARGE +\$700



RAL 1015  
Light Ivory

RAL 1018  
Zinc Yellow

RAL 2001  
Red Orange

RAL 3003  
Ruby Red

RAL 5003  
Sapphire Blue

RAL 6005  
Moss Green

RAL 7016  
Anthracite

RAL 9016  
Traffic White

Shown on the 2G Tower; the same eight finishes are applied to the Lava Lite and Capri chassis at the same upcharge and lead time. Printed reproduction is indicative — specify against a physical sample before committing a project.

AMALFI ARCHITECTURE · CORSA BRONZE

Low sheen, so the  
flame is the only  
thing that *shines*.

Eighty microns of matte powder, UV-coated and salt-spray tested to five hundred hours. On a travertine terrace it reads as a material rather than a finish — which is the whole point of specifying it.



SPECIFIER GRADE · TWO TO FOUR WEEKS

# Amalfi *Architecture.*

Seven low-sheen Corsa mattes at 80 microns, UV-coated and salt-spray tested to 500 hours. The specification written into Forbes Five-Star and Michelin projects.

UPCHARGE +\$1,000



Corsa Black  
matte



Corsa Bronze  
matte



Corsa Slate  
matte



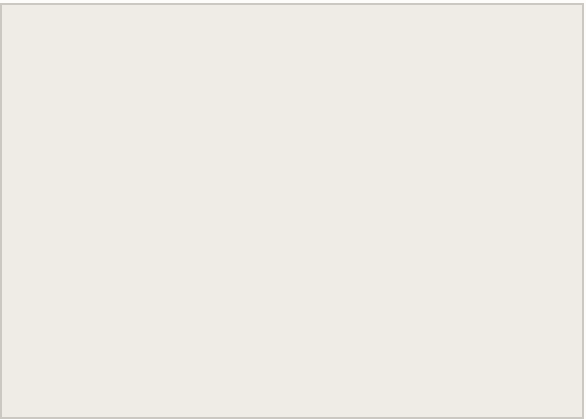
Corsa Taupe  
matte



Corsa Pebble  
matte



Corsa Green  
matte



Seventh Corsa  
to be confirmed

Corsa chips are sampled from physical production panels. Specify against a physical sample before committing a project.

TRUBTU™ · THE PUBLISHED STANDARD

# Rated output is a number. *Felt* warmth is the product.

Most BTU figures on a spec sheet are theoretical. TruBTU™ is our verification protocol: every heater measured for felt warmth at distance, published before you buy, so a specifier knows what a guest at the far chair will actually experience.

WITHIN 3 FEET

70°F

cozy and immediate — the intimate zone closest to the column

AT 5 FEET

64°F

the conversational zone, where guests actually linger

AT 8 FEET

60°F

the rated perimeter — still noticeably warmer than the air

Figures shown are the Capri on a 50°F evening in still air, at full output, unobstructed. Wind, cover and reflective surfaces all move these numbers. Full TruBTU™ tables for every model in the collection are published at [lavaheat.com/trubtu](https://lavaheat.com/trubtu).



NEXT

# Talk to someone who has *specified* a few hundred.

## Specifying for a property

Layouts, fuel runs, finish matching and contract pricing. We will produce a plan-view heat layout for your terrace and a freight quote alongside it. All freight FOB Los Angeles, prepay and add.

## Buying for a home

Not sure which model fits, or whether you need natural gas or propane? Call and we will size it with you in about five minutes.

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