



PORTER-CABLE 4212

\$159 • INCLUDES HALF-BLIND AND THROUGH
TEMPLATES, GUIDE BUSHING AND BITS

This Porter-Cable model is one well-conceived jig and a great value. A great amount of how-to-use-it information is printed right on the body of the jig. Icons etched into the

templates remind you which one to use. The etching on these icons could be deeper, to make them easier to see, but it's still pretty easy to glance at the jig and know what to do, even if you haven't used it in a while. A number of depth-of-cut gauges are also built right into the jig to simplify getting bits set just right. With 1/2-in. shank cutters used for all the cuts, there's very little risk of chatter. Indicator lines are also etched into the templates to help you with repeating setups, although these lines could be a little finer for greater accuracy. Template changes are dirt simple—just a matter of loosening a knob and sliding the template on or off.

The templates included with the jig also allow cutting box joints and sliding dovetails. To cut box joints, you'll also need a 1/2-in. straight bit.

Source Porter-Cable, (888) 848-5175, www.porter-cable.com

Capacity/Width	Capacity/ Thickness	Bit Shank Diameter	Adjustable Templates	Cam Levers	Adjustable Side Stops	Onboard Icons	Setup Indicators
12 in.	1/4 to 1-1/8 in.	1/2 in.	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes