

## **Visscher Structures and Water Infiltration**

Visscher structures are designed to keep its users protected from unfavorable weather such as rain, wind and ultraviolet rays from the sun. However, in some cases of heavy rain or wind, water may penetrate beneath roof flashings and window casings found on wall panels (if equipped).

Visscher structures are composed of building materials such as SPF wood posts and framing, sheet metal roofing and paneling, and aluminum-framed windows and doors. Although gasketing and sealant tape is provided to reduce the amount of water infiltration, it is not guaranteed that water will not enter the structure through roof connections and wall paneling, especially in heavy rain and cross-winds.

To best reduce water penetration, please ensure the step-by-step instruction manual is followed completely, and every effort is taken to secure components such as:

Foam closure tabs
Hip sealant tape
Screws with rubber washers, at skylight (if equipped)
Screws on roofing components

Visscher structures are not advertised as being 100% waterproof enclosures. For more information on how to best reduce water penetration, contact Visscher offices prior to installation at 1-877-795-7423.