

# SKYLIGHT EXTERIOR CLEANING & CARE

## CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS:

Adherence to regular and proper cleaning procedures is recommended to preserve your skylight's appearance.

## WASHING TO MINIMIZE SCRATCHING

Wash the skylight with a mild soap or detergent (e.g., *Joy® Dishwashing Liquid*) and lukewarm water using a clean sponge or a soft cloth. Rinse well with clean water. Dry thoroughly with a chamois or moist cellulose sponge to prevent water spots. Do not scrub or use brushes on skylights.

## MINIMIZING HAIRLINE SCRATCHES

Scratches and minor abrasions can be minimized by using a mild automobile polish. Four such products that tend to polish and fill scratches are *Johnson® Paste Wax*, *Novus® Plastic Polish #1 and #2* (Novus Inc., Minneapolis, MN) *Mirror Gaze®* plastic polish (M>G>M10-Mirror Bright Polish Co., Pasadena, CA), and *Plexus®* (B.T.I. Chemical, Aguora, CA). It is suggested that a test be made on a small inconspicuous spot of the skylight with the product selected and that the polish manufacturer's instructions be followed.

DO NOT use abrasive or highly alkaline cleaners on this skylight.  
NEVER scrape skylight with squeegees, razor blades or other sharp instruments.  
NEVER use benzene, gasoline, acetone or carbon tetrachloride on skylight.  
DO NOT clean skylight in hot sun or at elevated temperatures.  
DO-NOT use *Butyl Cellosolve™* on the skylight.

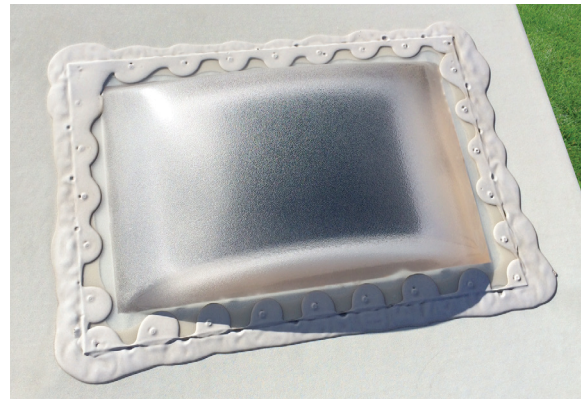
## COMPATIBLE CLEANERS FOR SKYLIGHTS

The following cleaning agents have been found compatible with polycarbonate skylights. The manufacturer's recommendations and instructions should be followed.

*Formula 409®, Joy®, Top Job®, Palmolive® Liquid, Windex® with Ammonia D, VM&P grade Naphtha, and Freon TF.*



**CAUTION: System compatibility is essential to ensure long-term performance of polycarbonate skylights. Do not expose polycarbonate skylights to solvents such as acetone, toluene or methylene chloride. Before choosing a sealant for your skylight installation, check the sealant's compatibility with polycarbonate.**



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