KOMATSU FACTORY CO.,LTD

Instrument Shelters

In order to accurately measure temperature and humidity, a sturdy instrument shelter capable of withstanding sustained heavy rains is essential. Komatsu Factory makes a variety of different sizes and shapes of shelter, but all have overlapping louvered walls and doors made of the best quality Japanese cypress wood. Metal door fittings are wear-resistant chrome.

FEATURES

- 1. All wall and door slats overlap.
- 2. Only the best quality Japanese cypress wood from the Hida region of Japan is used.
- 3. All door fittings are made of 18.8 chrome.
- 3. Hinges are pivot-type.

Instrument Shelter Setup and Applications

- 1. Set up shelter with the front (door) facing due north, and the base of the shelter approximately one meter above the ground.
- 2. After setup of the shelter, install instruments such as a mercury thermometer, minimum/maximum thermometer, recording thermometer, recording hygrometer, or the like.
- 3. All four sides of the shelter are louvered, allowing air to pass freely in and out without allowing sunlight or rain in. Meanwhile, the shelter base is a flat panel that shuts out thermal radiation from the ground.

Note: Although less commonly used due to its internal size $(980 \times 980 \times 980 \text{ cm})$, a Model 1 shelter is also available.







