The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art

Location: Kansas City, MO, United States

Architect: Steven Holl Architects
Owner: N/A
Year of completion: 2007
Climate: Humid Continental Climate
Material of interest: Glass, Plastic
Application: Exterior; Interior

Properties of material: The double-glass cavities of the lenses gather sun-heated air in winter or exhaust it in summer. Optimum light levels for all types of art or media installations and seasonal flexibility requirements are ensured through the use of computer-controlled screens and of special translucent insulating material embedded in the glass cavities.

Sources: