

Press release from Trolldtekt A/S

## Prestigious German architectural prize for Trolldtekt® rhomb

The Trolldtekt rhomb design acoustic panel, from the Danish company Trolldtekt A/S, has won an ICONIC Award 2016 presented by the German Design Council. Judged in the category *Wall, Floor, Ceiling* the product brings together sustainability, elegant design and good acoustics in a high performance wall solution. This is the second year running that an acoustic product from Trolldtekt A/S is among the winners of the ICONIC Awards.

Good acoustics, elegant design and sustainability are – for both architects and clients – key requirements in modern buildings. Trolldtekt rhomb is a single solution which meets all three. The acoustic panel is patterned in a way which, when viewed close up, looks like beautiful repetitive surfaces. However, at a distance it has the appearance of a three-dimensional cuboid formation. Trolldtekt rhomb is suitable for large spaces and is also supplied in a scaled-down version for smaller rooms. It is one of the design solutions in the Trolldtekt acoustic range and boasts all the same acoustic, fire-protection and indoor climate properties as all the other products, including Cradle to Cradle silver certification.

### Making an impression with architects

This is the second year running that Trolldtekt takes home a prize at the ICONIC Awards, which recognise visionary architects and innovative sustainable products. In 2015, the Trolldtekt® wave acoustic panel also won an award, before winning another prize in October at the German Design Awards. Trolldtekt rhomb has also been nominated for a German Design Award but the winners will not be announced until later in the year.

“We are extremely proud that for two consecutive years the panel of judges has deemed us worthy of a prize as distinguished as the ICONIC Award. It is a huge mark of approval and confirms that we are developing truly innovative acoustics solutions,” says Peer Leth, CEO of Trolldtekt. “We have increased our international focus considerably and we can see that prizes like the ICONIC Awards and the German Design Award help to create greater awareness of our products in the minds of international architects and specifiers.”

### TROLDTEKT RHOMB – FACTS

- Trolldtekt rhomb are cement-bonded wood wool acoustic panels. The panels are CNC-milled with a pattern which, in addition to good acoustics, adds a three-dimensional element to a surface.
- The solution is suitable for large rooms, while the scaled-down Trolldtekt rhomb mini version is an elegant design and acoustics solution for smaller rooms.
- Like the company’s other products, Trolldtekt rhomb is Cradle to Cradle-certified in the silver category and features the same high performance acoustic, fire-protection and indoor climate properties.

### ICONIC AWARDS – FACTS

- The ICONIC Awards are presented by the German Design Council, which is also behind the separate German Design Award.
- The ICONIC Awards are presented in five main categories: *Architecture, Interior, Product, Communication, Concept*.
- The official awards ceremony takes place at the Expo Real trade show in Munich on 4 October 2016.

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