



Dow Performance Silicones

Sony Center, Potsdamer Platz



Case Study: Sony Center



City and Country

Berlin, Germany

Products*

- DOWSIL™ 993 Structural Glazing Sealant
- DOWSIL™ 3362 Insulating Glass Sealant
- DOWSIL™ 797 Weatherproofing Sealant

Key Participants

- **Architects**
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The Project

- The Sony Center Potsdamer Platz created a pulsating urban development in the heart of Berlin. The Center houses the European Headquarters of Sony, the Filmhaus and German Mediateque, 134 apartments and an Imax 3D-cinema theatre.
- The transparent office tower with a semicircular glass facade of 23,000 m² is towering towards Potsdamer Platz. At a height of 103 metres the office tower is the highest structure on Potsdamer Platz. The building also features a 4,000 m² public square which is covered by a gigantic glass roof.

The Project

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Another distinguishing feature of the building is a 4,000 m public square covered by a gigantic glass forum roof to allow the sunlight to flood in. This has created a completely new type of public space in Berlin to reflect the style and functional design of the 21st century. The unique floating 'umbrella' roof allows events to be staged in all weather conditions.

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