

Introduction on BIPV

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What is **BIPV** - Definition

Definition in EN 50583: “Photovoltaics in buildings - Part 1: BIPV modules”

“Building integrated photovoltaics - **BIPV**” form a building component providing a function as defined in the European Construction Product Directive (CPD 89/106/EEC). (The dismantling of PV modules leads to their replacement by an appropriate building component).”

Functions provided : mechanical rigidity or structural integrity - primary weather impact protection (rain, snow, wind, hail) - energy economy - shading, daylighting, thermal insulation – fire or noise protection - enclosure - security, shelter or safety.

What is **BIPV** - Definition

Definition in EN 50583: “Photovoltaics in buildings - Part 2: BIPV systems”

“**BIPV** system, photovoltaic systems are considered to be building-integrated, if the PV modules they utilize fulfil the criteria for BIPV modules as defined in EN 50583-1 and thus form a construction product providing a function as defined in the European Construction Product Regulation CPR 305/2011.”

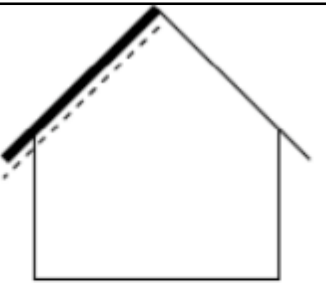
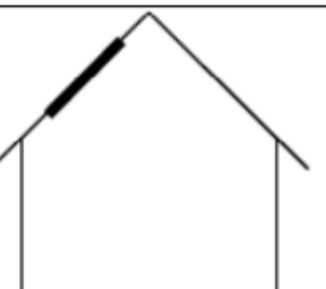
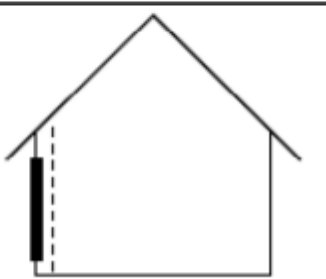
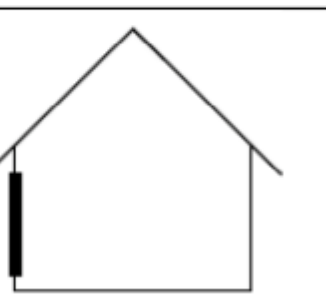
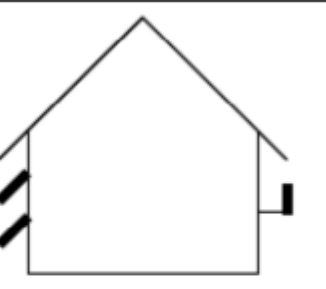
What is **BAPV** - Definition

Definition in EN 50583: “Photovoltaics in buildings”

“Building Attached Photovoltaic system - **BAPV** system. Photovoltaic systems are considered to be building attached, if the PV modules they utilize do not fulfil the criteria for BIPV modules as defined in EN 50583-1.”

EN 50583

Mounting categories

Category A:	Sloping, roof-integrated, not accessible from within the building The BIPV modules are installed at a tilt angle between 0° and 75° including horizontal (see Fig.1), with another building product installed underneath.	
Category B:	Sloping, roof-integrated, accessible from within the building The BIPV modules are installed at a tilt angle between 0° and 75° including horizontal (see Fig.1).	
Category C:	Non-sloping (vertically) envelope-integrated, not accessible from within the building The BIPV modules are installed at a tilt angle between and including both 75° and 90° (see Fig. 1) with another building product installed behind.	
Category D:	Non-sloping (vertically), envelope-integrated, accessible from within the building The BIPV modules are installed at a tilt angle between and including both 75° and 90° (see Fig. 1).	
Category E:	Externally-integrated, accessible or not accessible from within the building The BIPV modules are installed to form an additional functional layer (as defined in 3.1) exterior to its envelope (e.g. balcony balustrades, shutters, awnings, louvers, brise soleil etc.).	

Development of standards

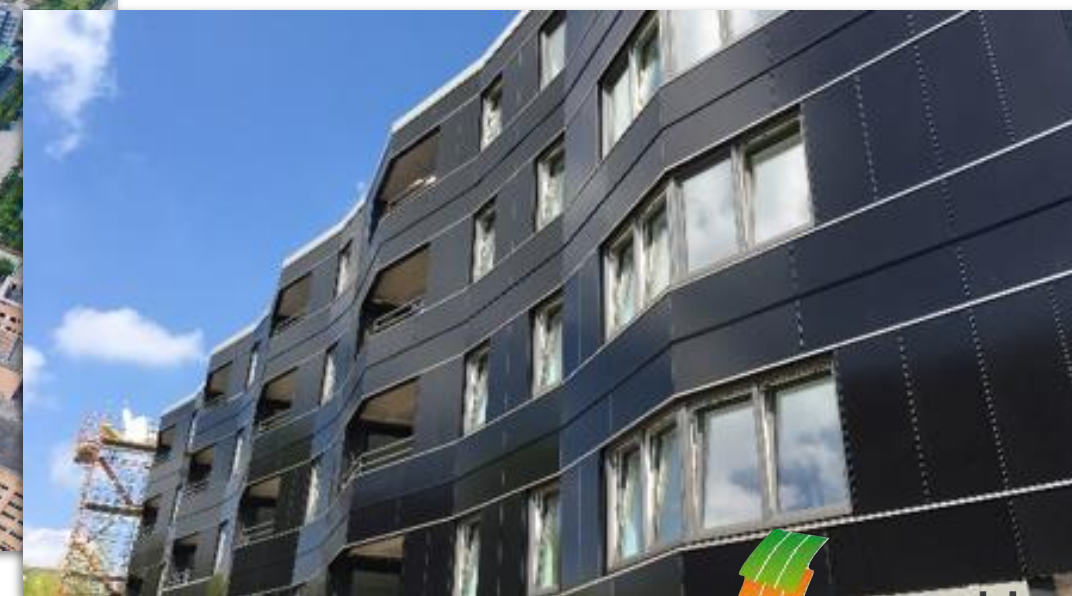
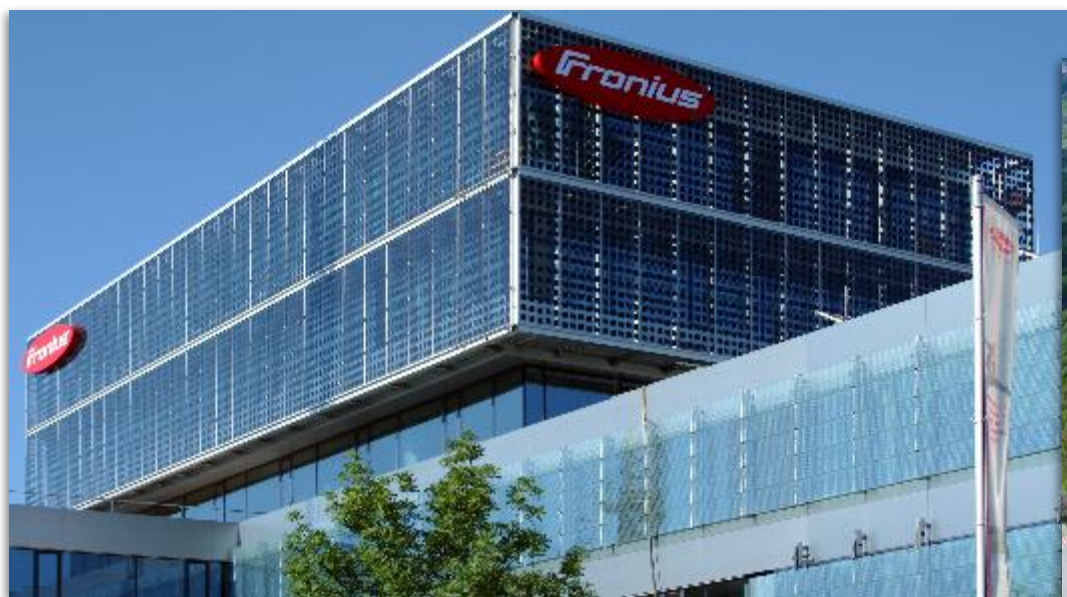
Project/ Standard	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
ISO 18178	NP			DIS: approved	FDIS: disapproved	NP: Proposed as TS	TS: Issued	
EN 50583 -1 & 2					Issued			
IEC 62980			NP	CD				
Old IEC 63092					NP		Consolidated as IEC 63092	
New IEC 63092 -1 & 2						NP		IS: Planned

Why is the BIPV so important ?

- ‘Sustainable - Green - Smart’ Building becomes more and more important
- There is a fast developing trend of Net Zero Buildings (USA) or Nearly Zero Energy Buildings (EU)
- Locally produced energy is in almost every case Photo-Voltaic energy
- We want to invest in buildings that have a future
- In difficult economic times “well designed” buildings keep the value



Examples of BIPV





Some early examples

1990 - 2010

Education center “De Kleine Aarde” Boxtel (NL)



EU Thermie

design by BEAR-ID 1996



PVsites
www.pvsites.eu

Carbon Neutral housing Heerhugowaard (NL)

design by BEAR-ID 2002

Solar City Freiburg (Germany)

1 MW City of the Sun Amersfoort (NL)



5 MW City of the Sun Heerhugowaard (NL)



Switzerland, Spain, Germany, France





Roof systems

Carbon **Neutral** housing Eindhoven (NL) (2015)



Carbon **Neutral** offices Vale Gard (SE) (2016)



Pitched roof Mons Belgium

Watertight system - invisible profiles

Pitched roof – transparent




Transparent solar modules **Restaurant Azurmendi** Bilbao (ES)



Transparent solar modules

Restaurant Azurmendi Bilbao (ES)





Facade systems

Cost effective cladding - Camrose (CA)



Cost effective cladding



Glass cladding wall - Bolzano (IT)



Cladding system - Skagelse (DK)





Building components

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Building component

Pergola or Super Roof

Function : Shading



Foto: Unique / Ralph Bensberg / 18.09.2002



Building component

Pergola or Super Roof



Building component

Balcony





Recent developments

Copenhagen International School



Kromatix

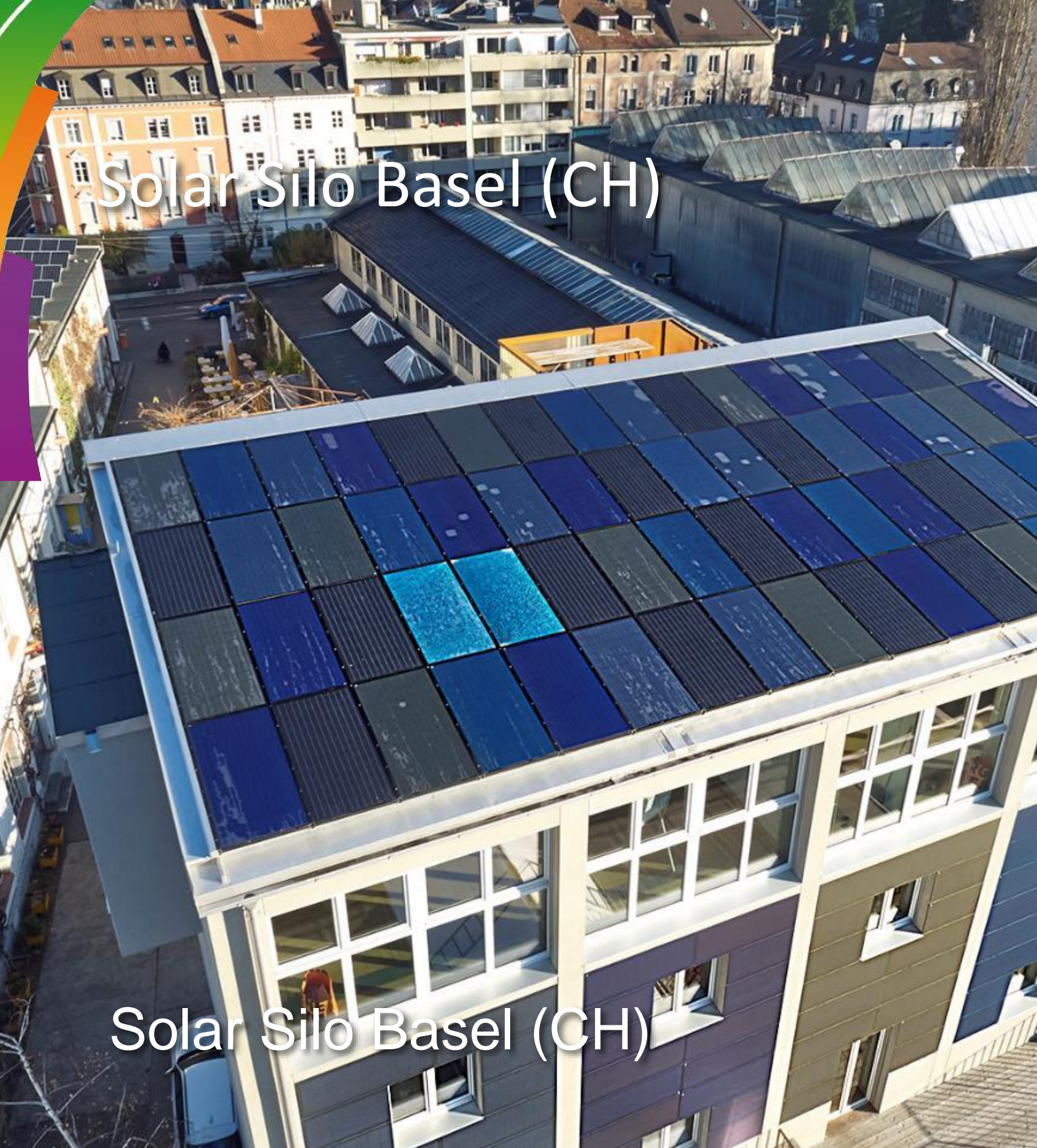


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Coloured solar modules



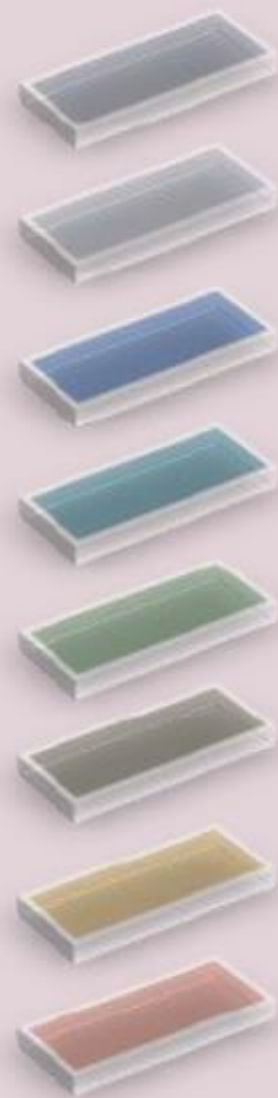


Solar Silo Basel (CH)

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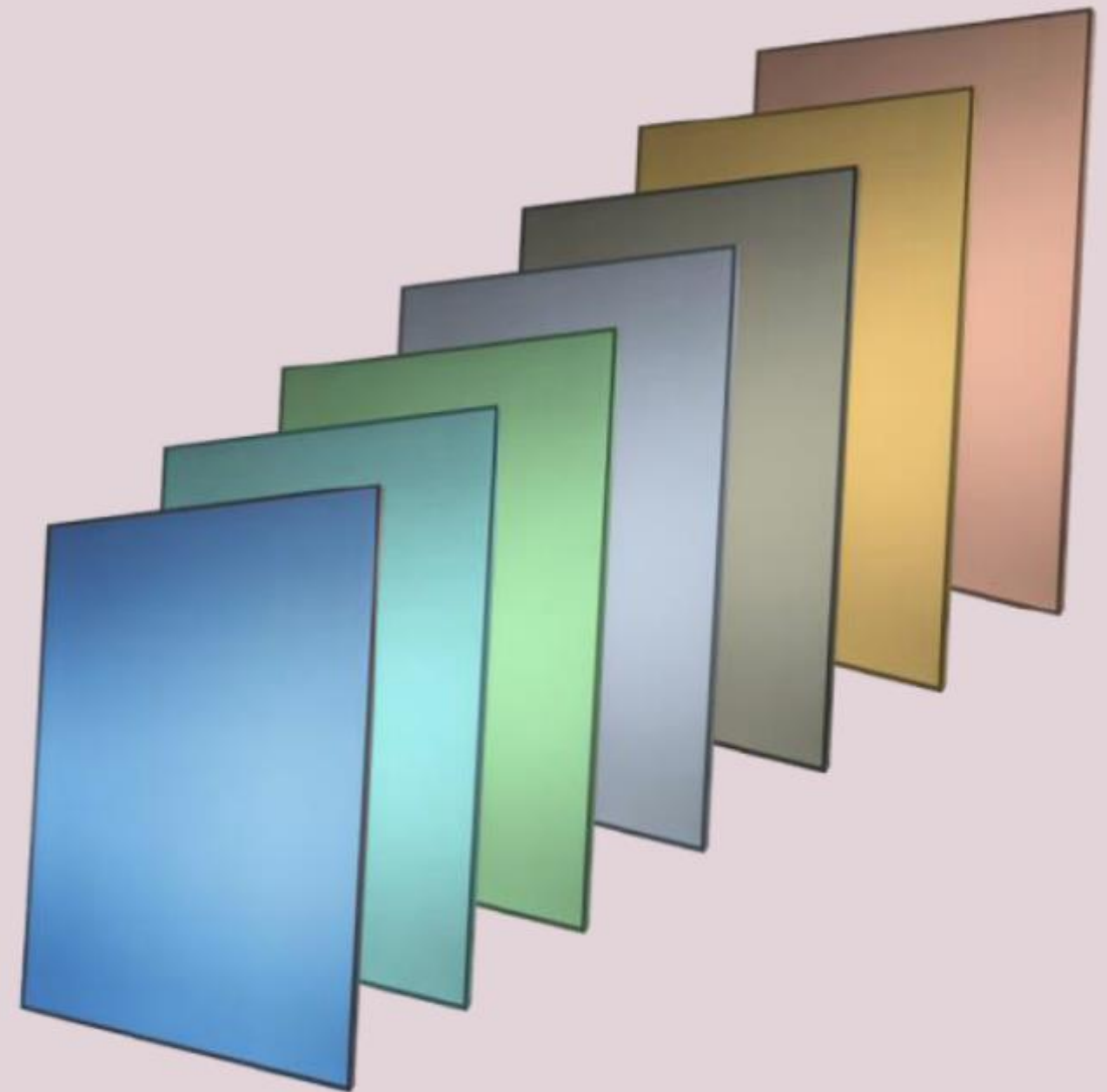


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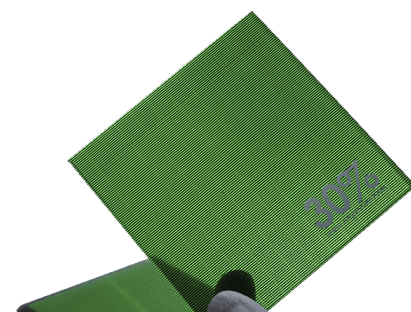
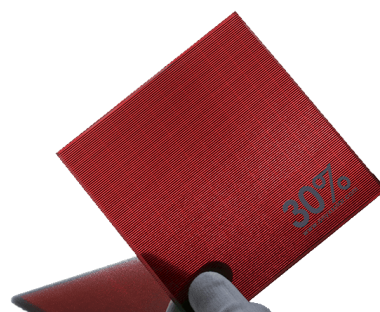
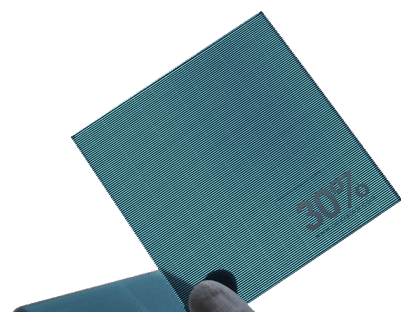
Colour	Solar transmittance
Grey	90 +/- 1 %
Light-Grey	85 +/- 1 %
Blue	88 +/- 1 %
Blue-green	88 +/- 1 %
Green	87 +/- 1 %
Bronze	89 +/- 1 %
Gold	86 +/- 1 %
Terracotta	87 +/- 1 %

* Measurements done on 3,2 mm-thick glass.

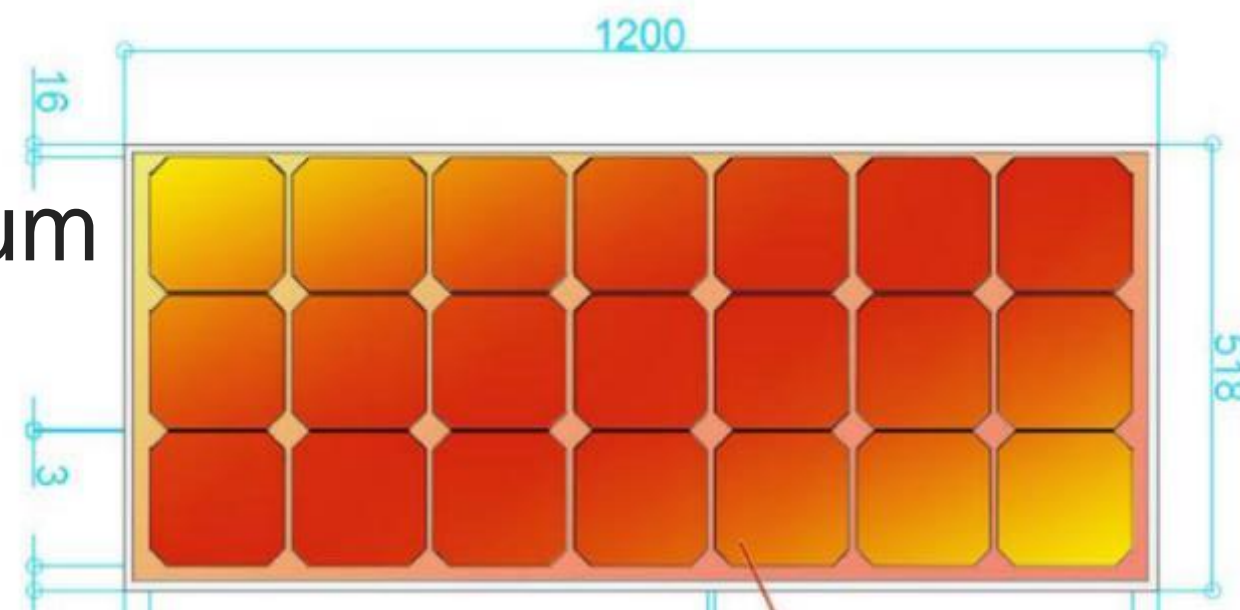


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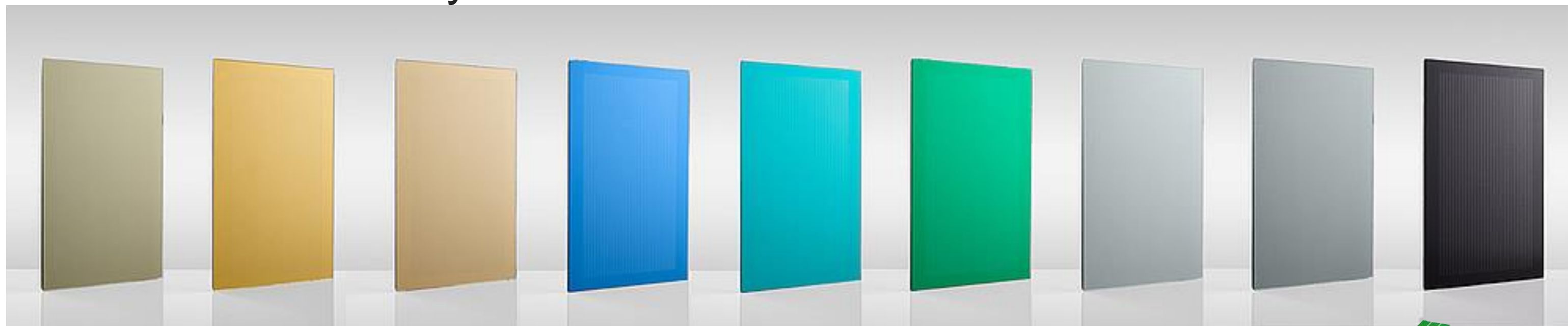
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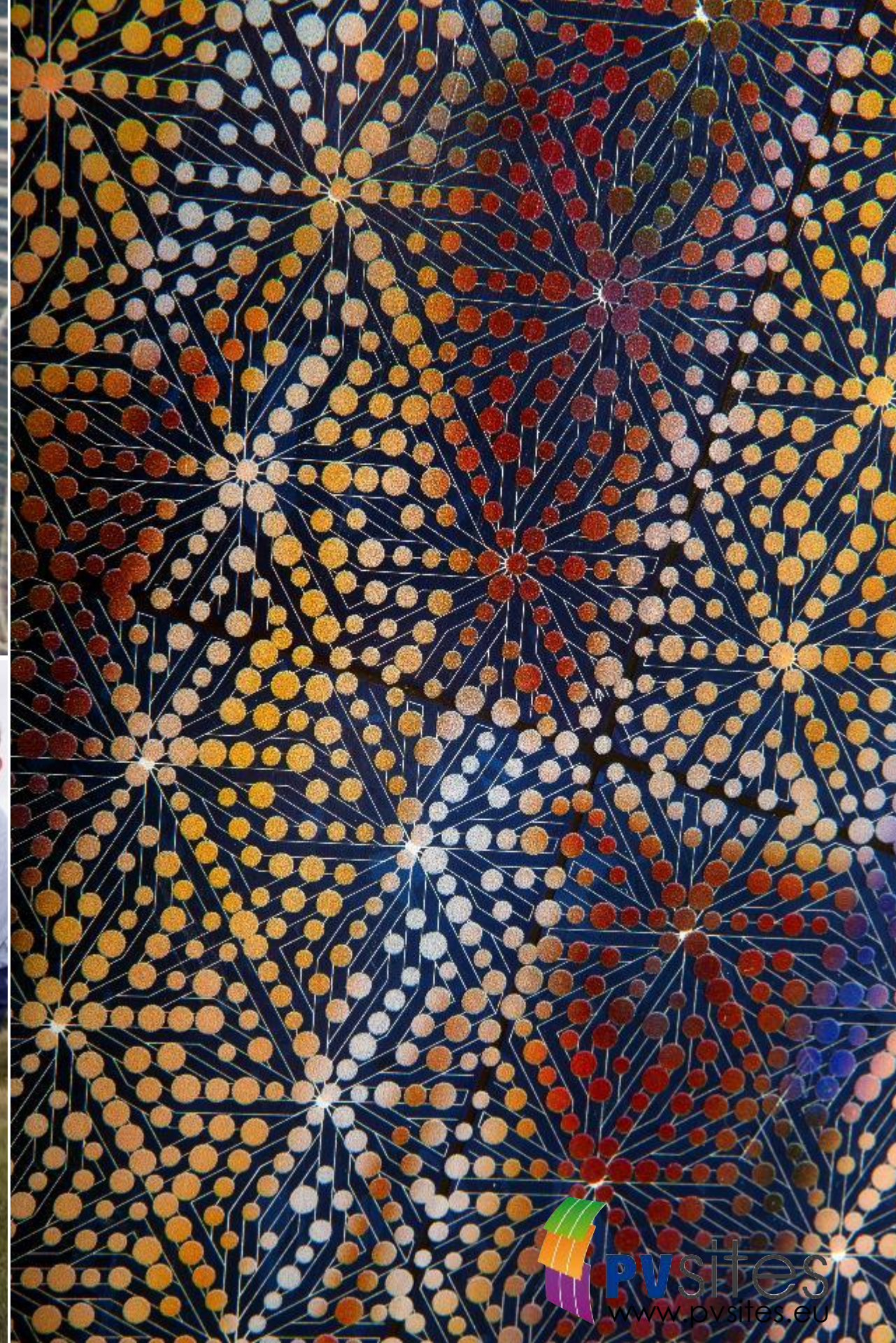
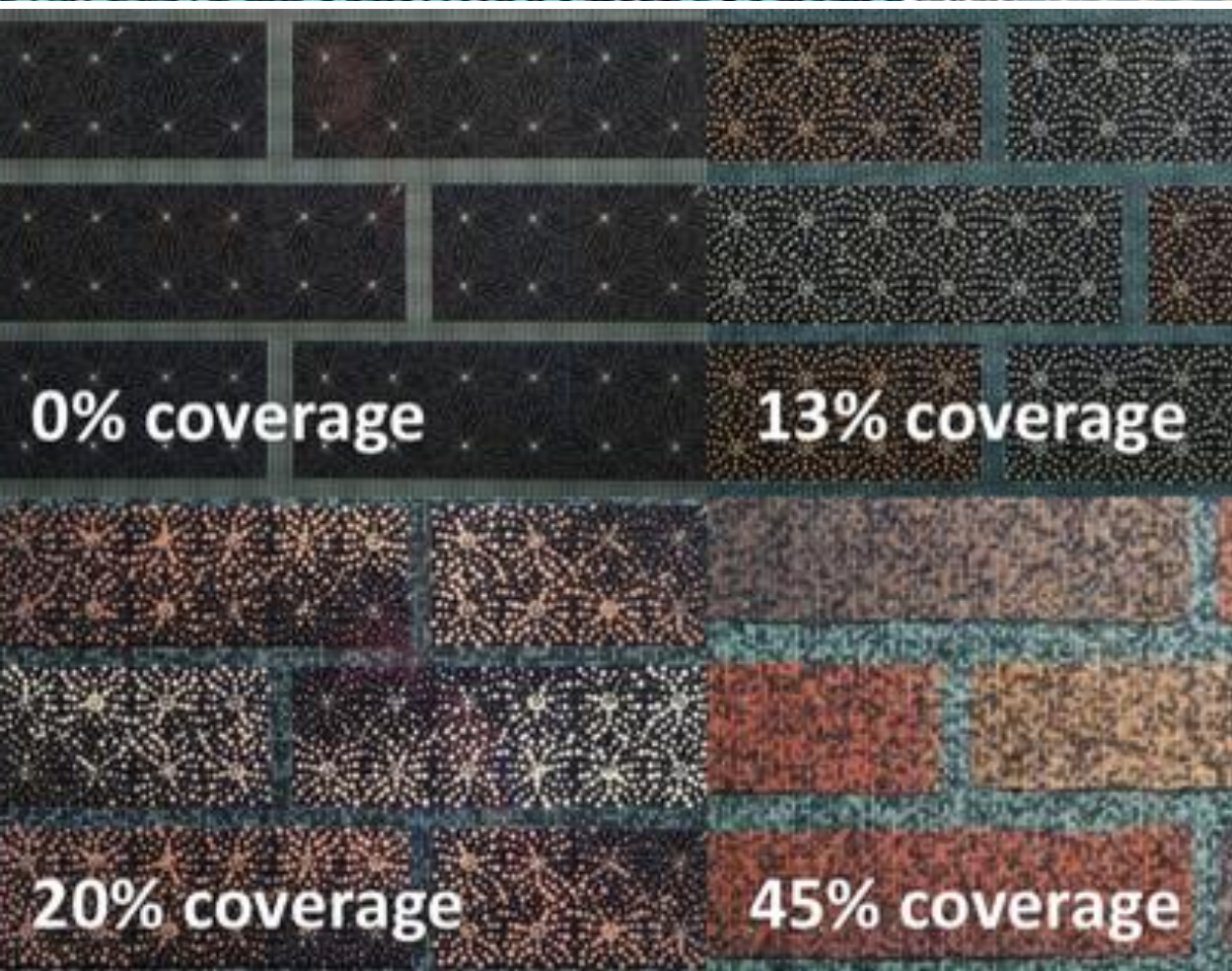
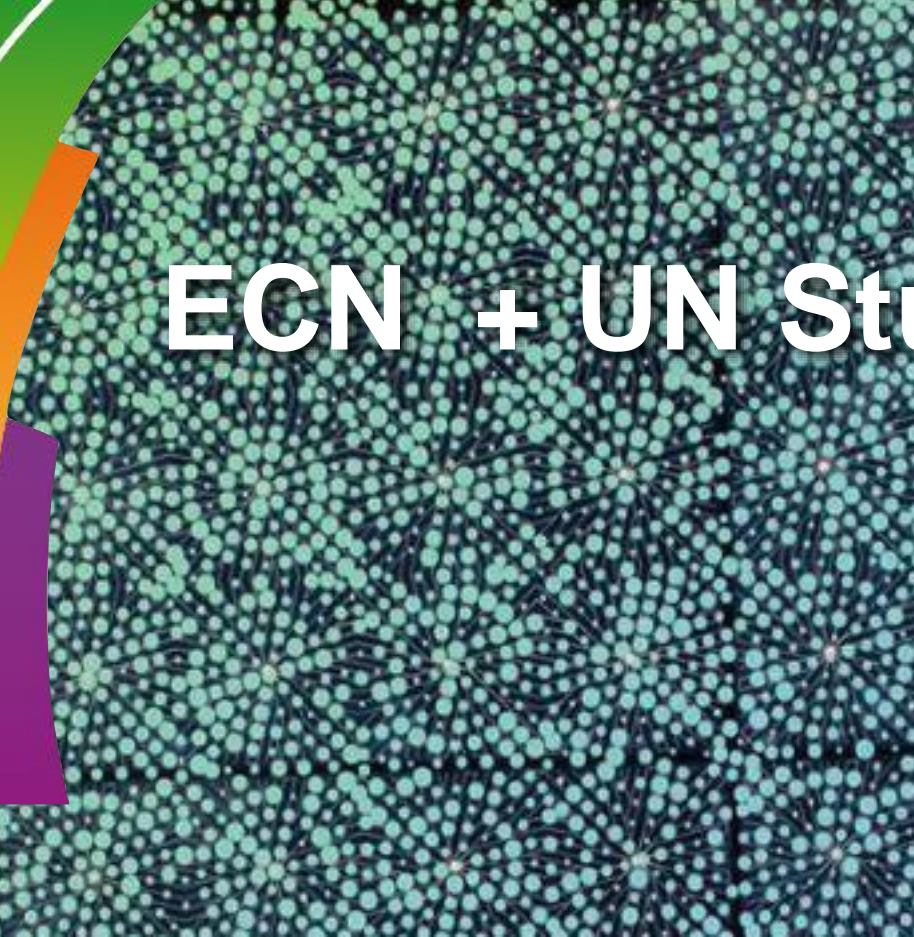
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AVANCIS - Germany



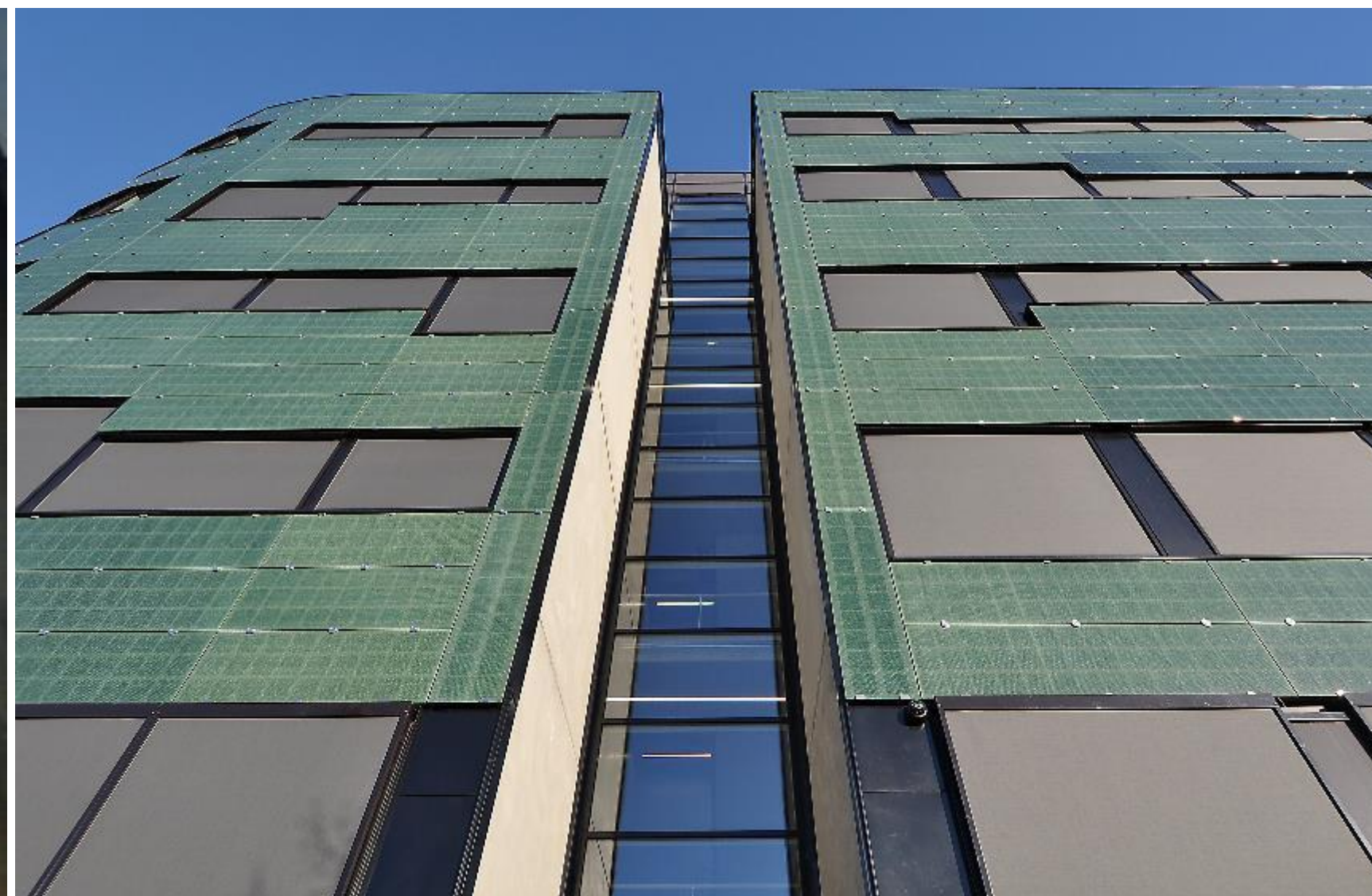
ECN + UN Studio (NL)



Coloured solar modules



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Zürich Switzerland

www.BEAR-iD.com



But ...

we have already BAPV and BIPV but now we get BHPV ...
Building Hidden Photo-Voltaics

BHPV - some examples

Bilbao Spain



BHPV - some examples

Madrid Spain

Hidden solar modules

Zürich Switzerland

www.BEAR-ID.com

design by Karl Vriden

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BHPV - some examples

WHITE Solar (Solaxess) Switzerland

Photovoltaics in Buildings - finance

	Regular cladding	Solar cladding
Investment	€ 300/m ²	€ 550/m ²
Lifecycle	20 years	20 years
Cost a year	€ 15/m ²	€ 27,5/m ²
Energy production	0 kWh	100 kWh
Energy profit	€ 0/year	> € 35/year
Energy profit 20 years	€ 0	> € 700
Total cost 20 years	- € 300/m ²	> € 150/m ²

Some remarks

- The **development** of PV systems in building goes on
- The cost are **decreasing. Competitive** with other cladding
- We have to think about the **holistic design**
- We have to think about (aesthetically) well integrated Photo-Voltaics in order **to add value** to the building and to keep that value

Gracias por su atención

Thank you for your attention

