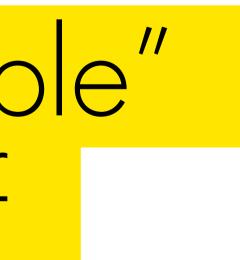


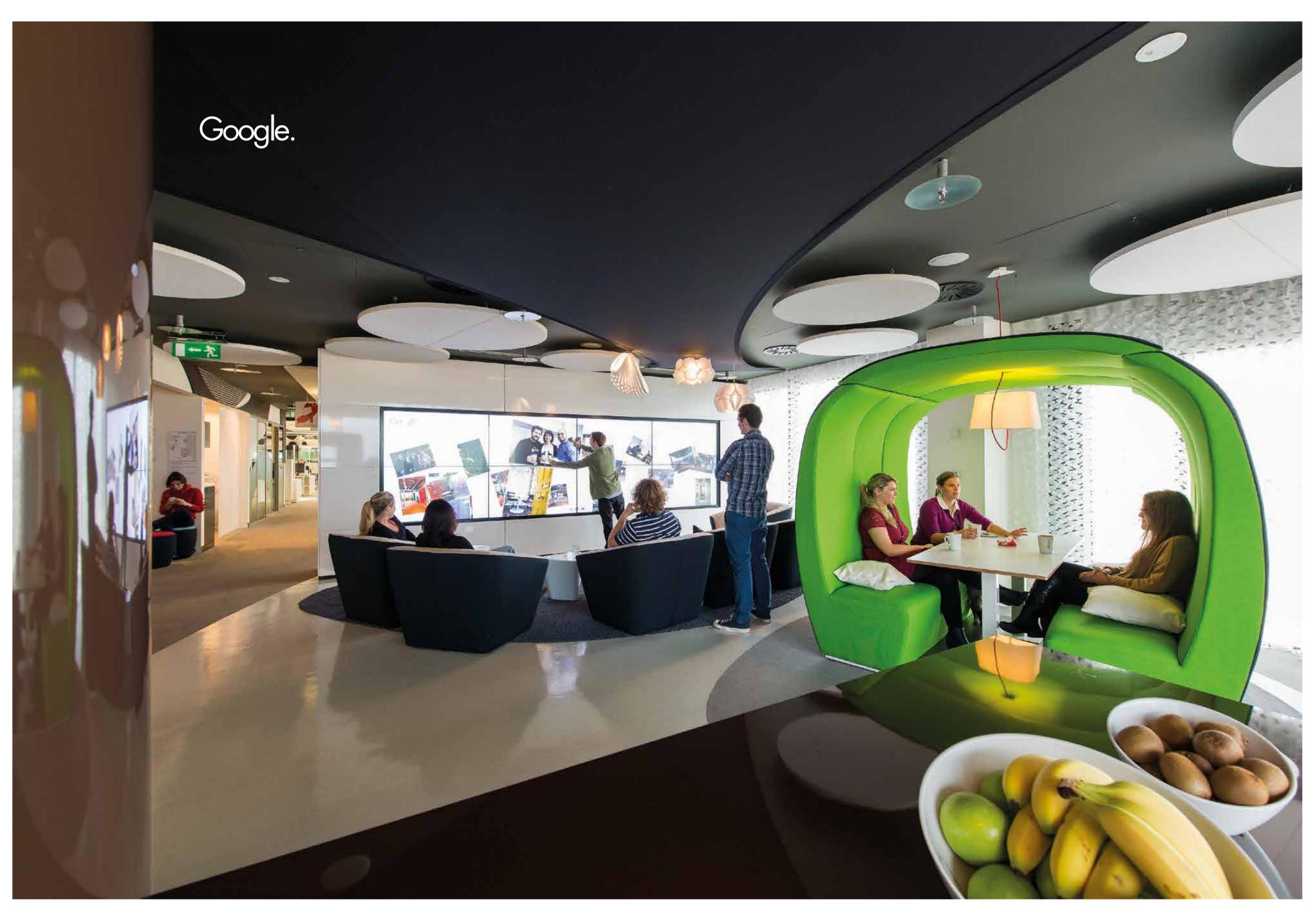


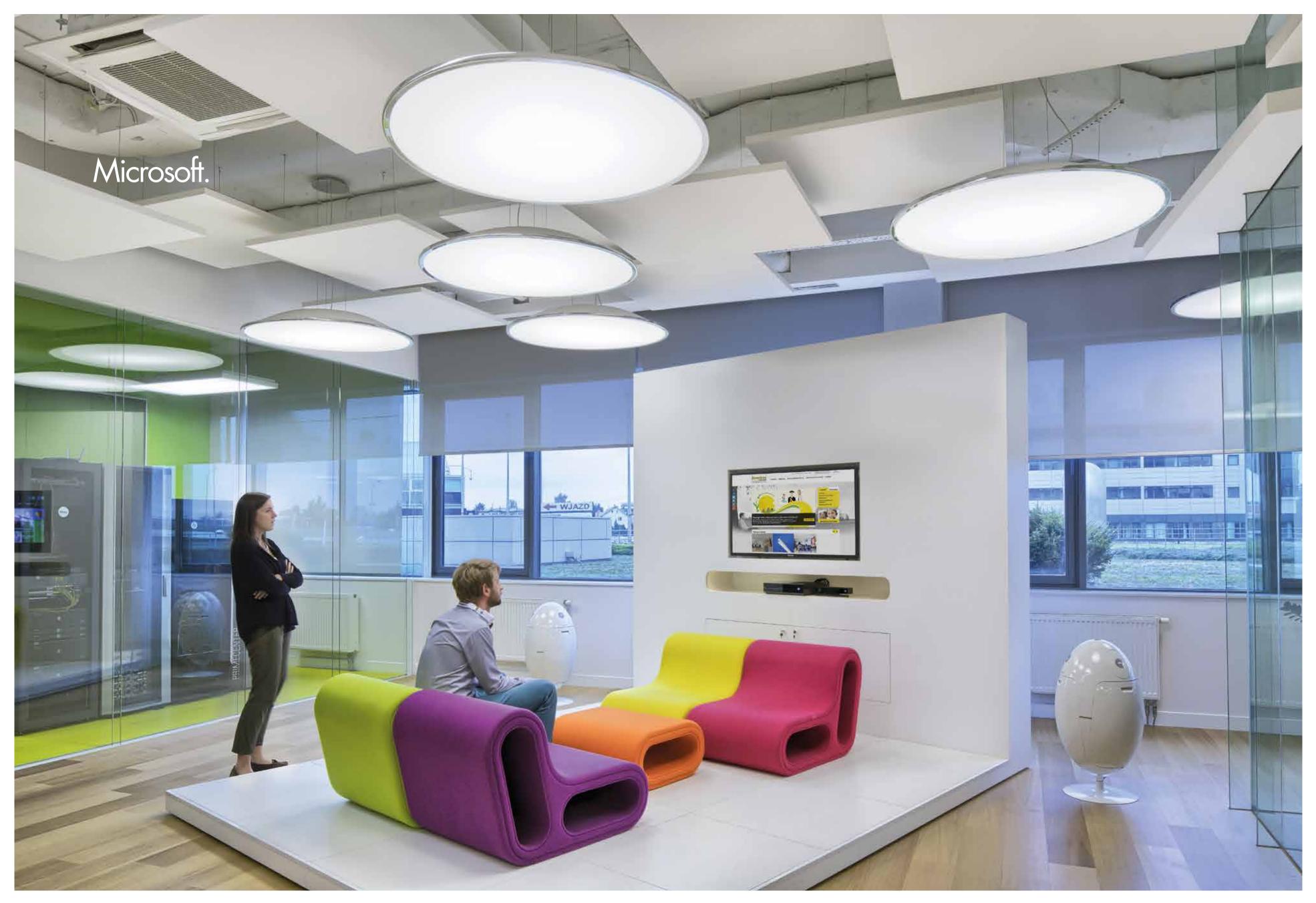


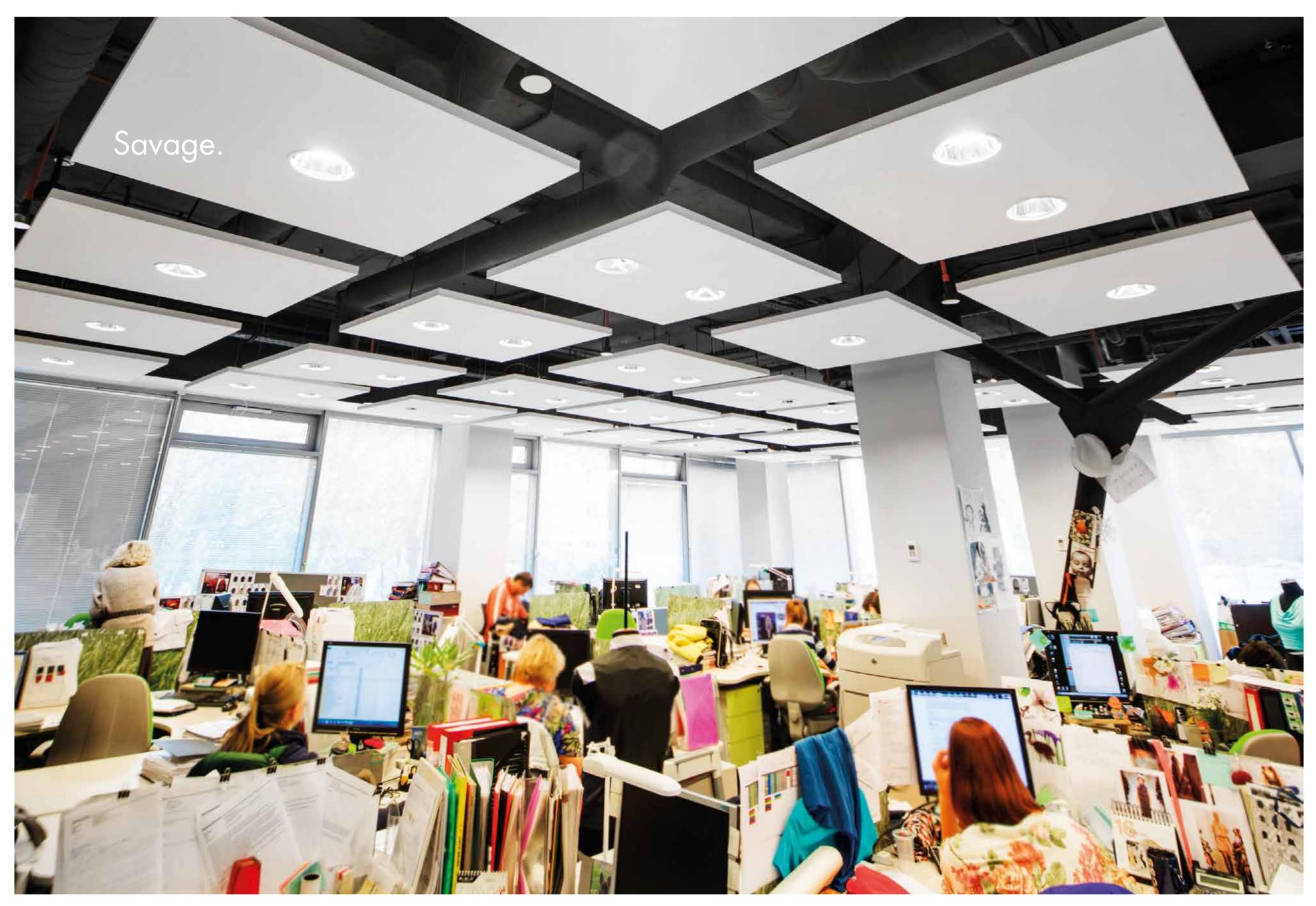


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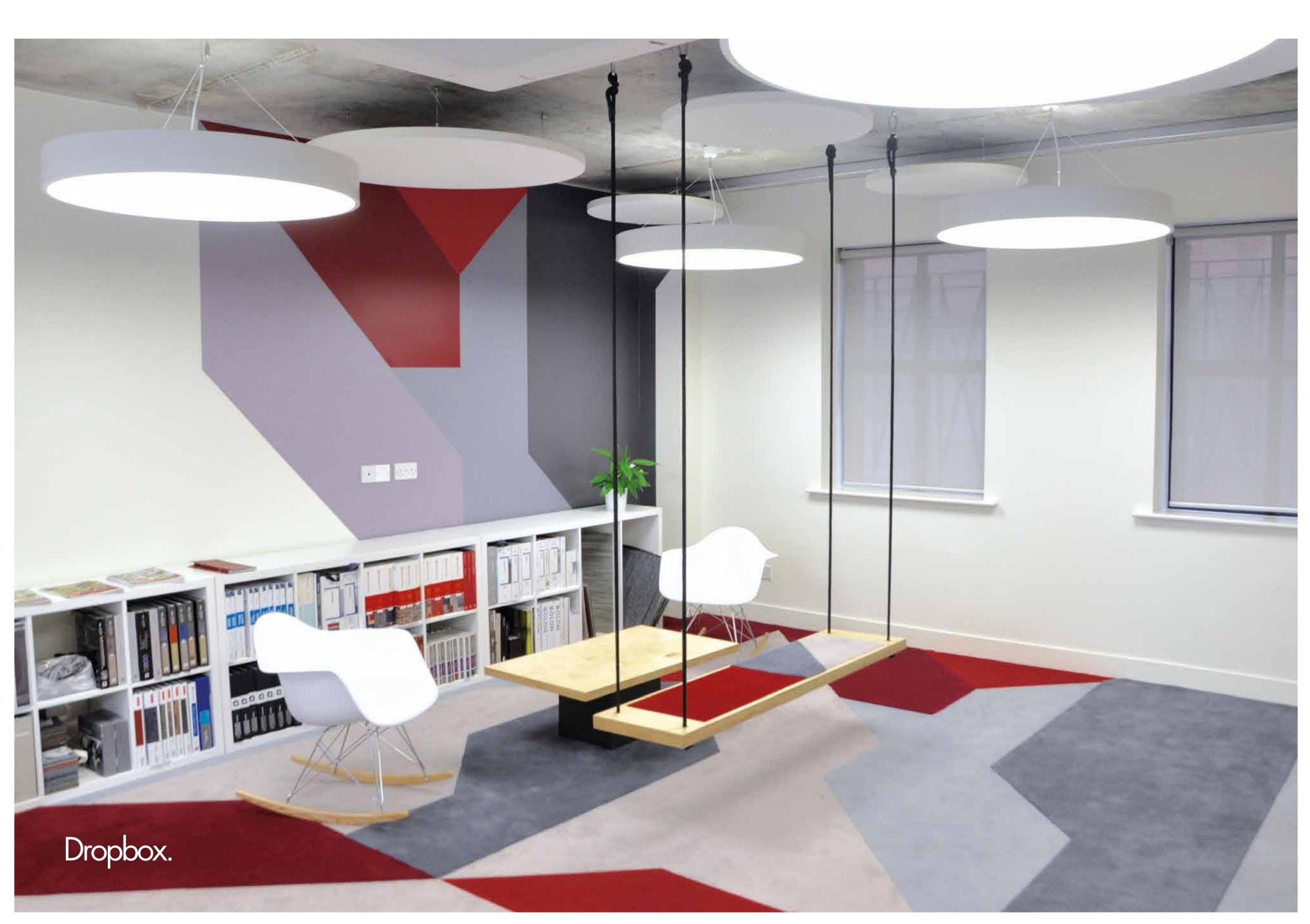






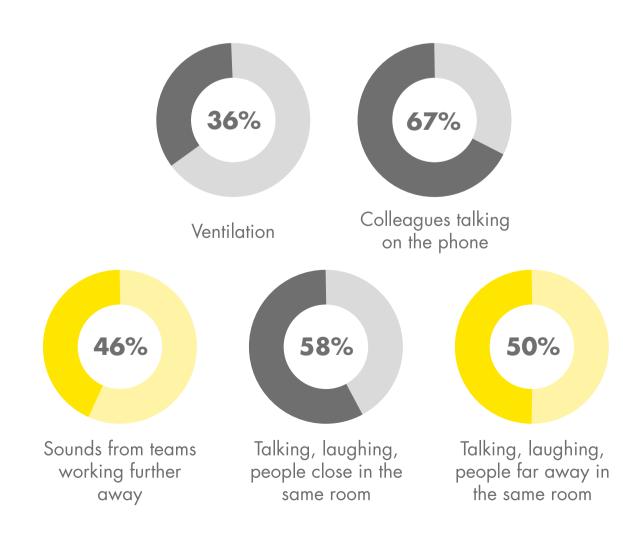


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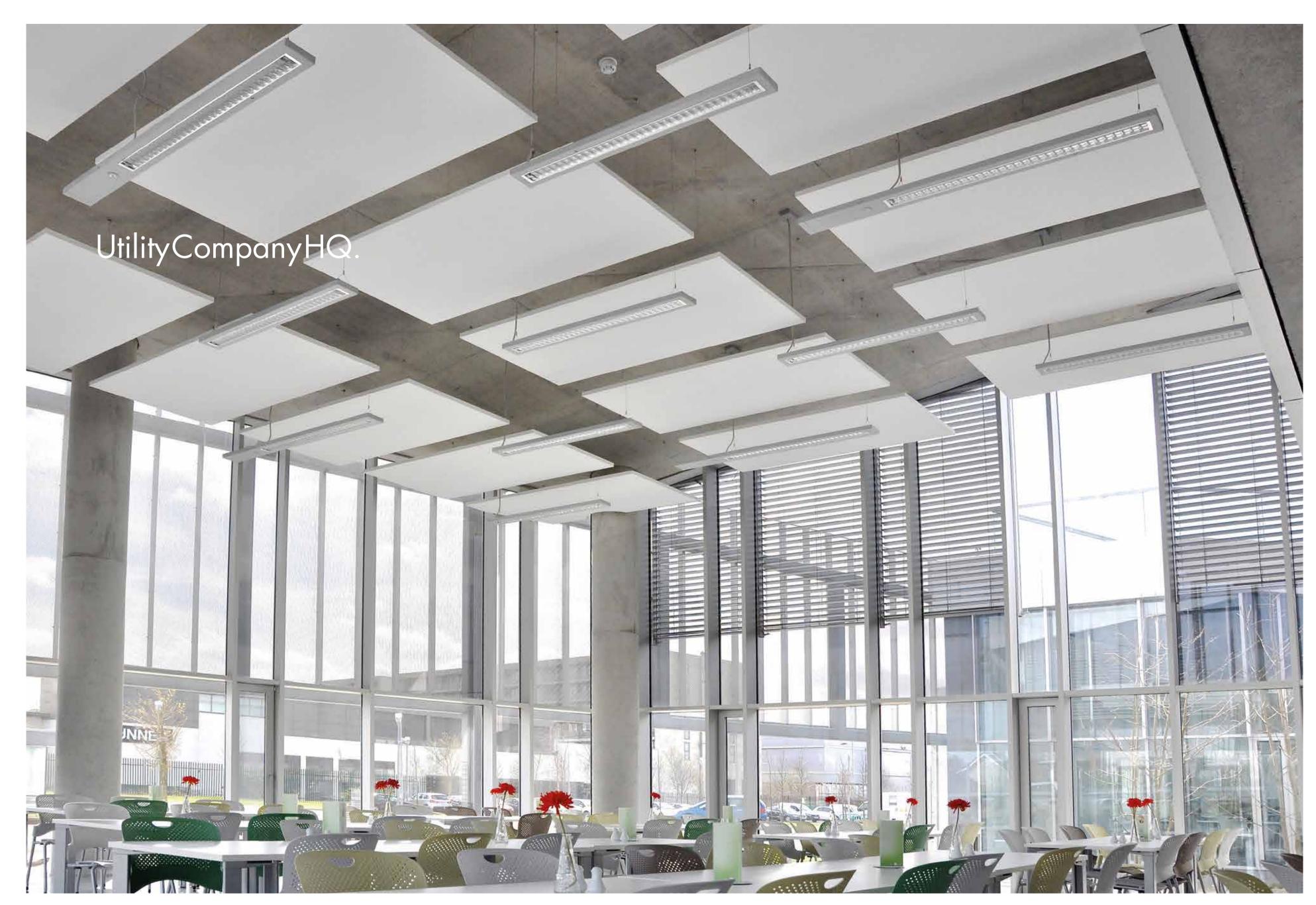


Analysed data from 142 buildings and 23,450 occupants shows acoustical satisfaction as having the lowest rating in LEED[™] - Post Occupancy Evaluations.

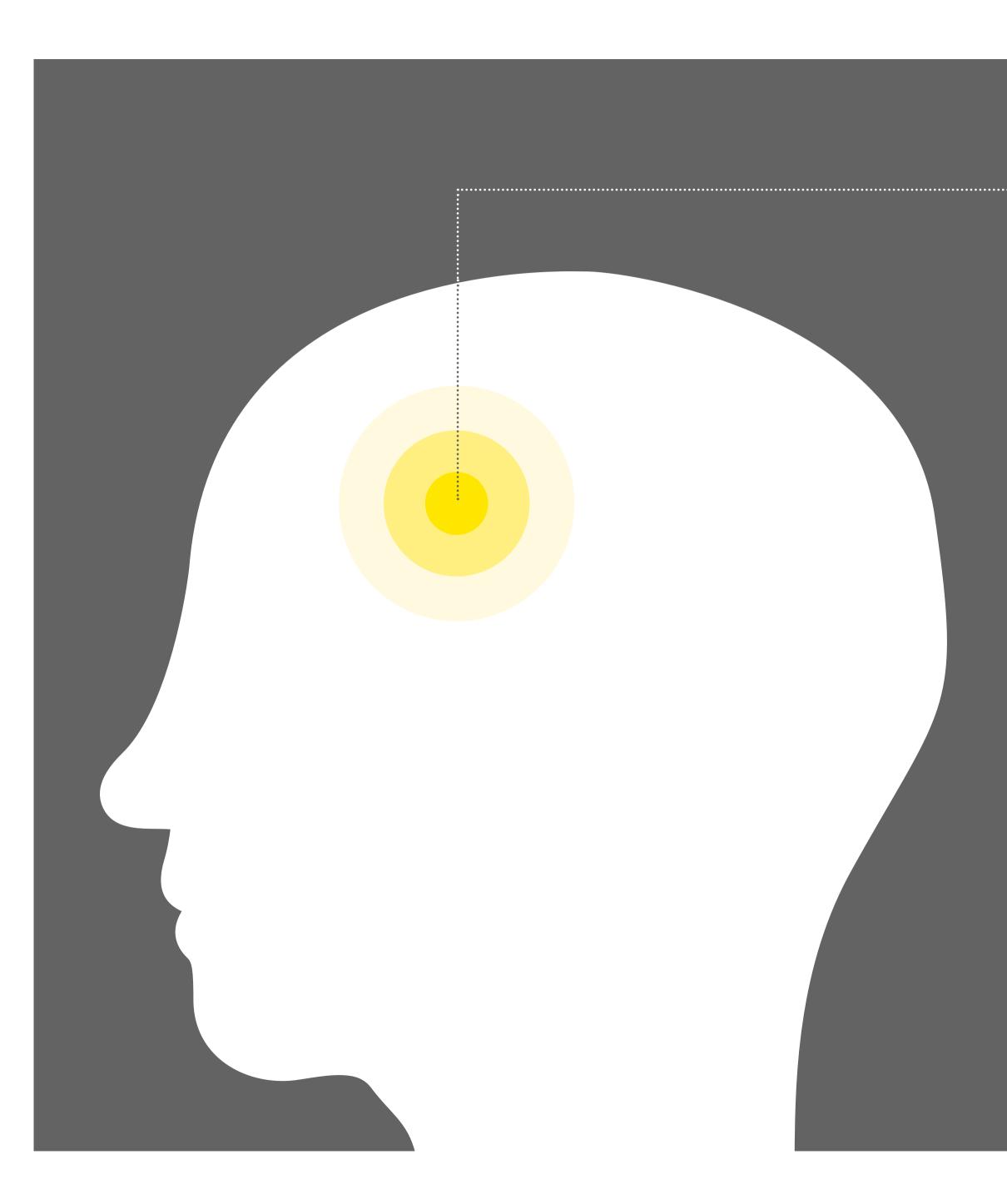
Indicating from 'a reasonable amount' to 'a lot', respondents noticed the following sound sources:



Ringing Telephones

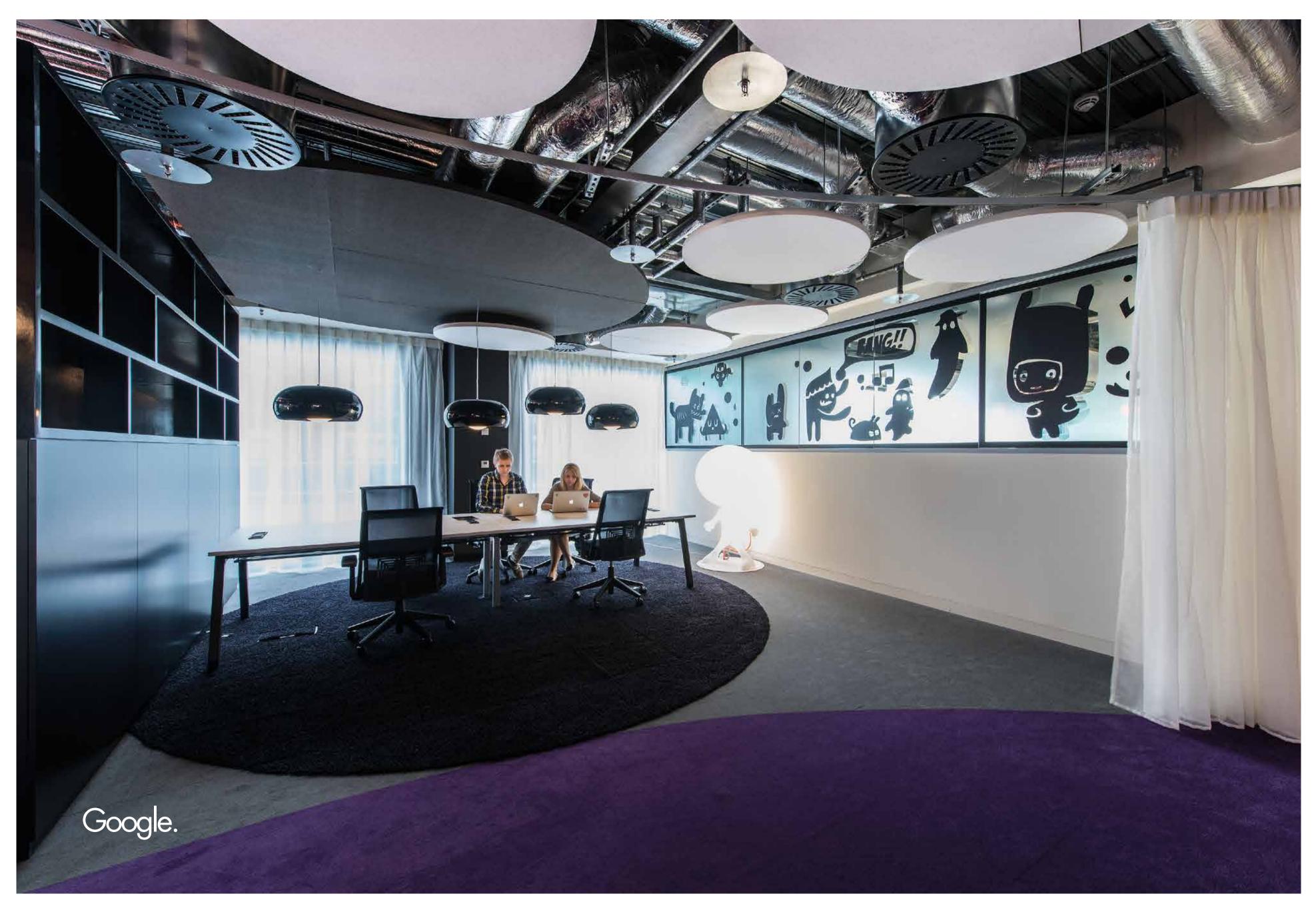


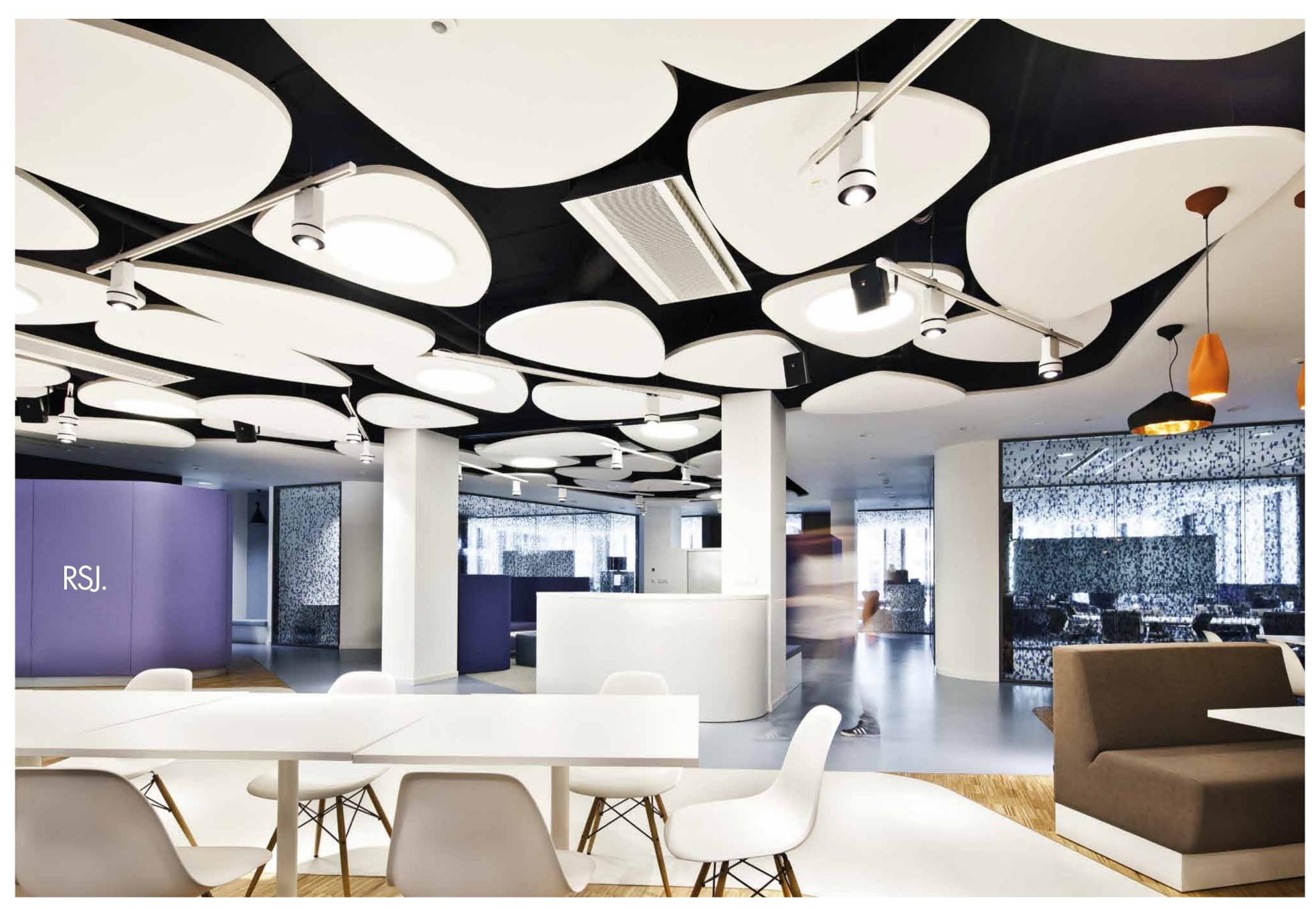
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It takes an average of 15 minutes to regain concentration after being distracted from a difficult task by unwanted noise.





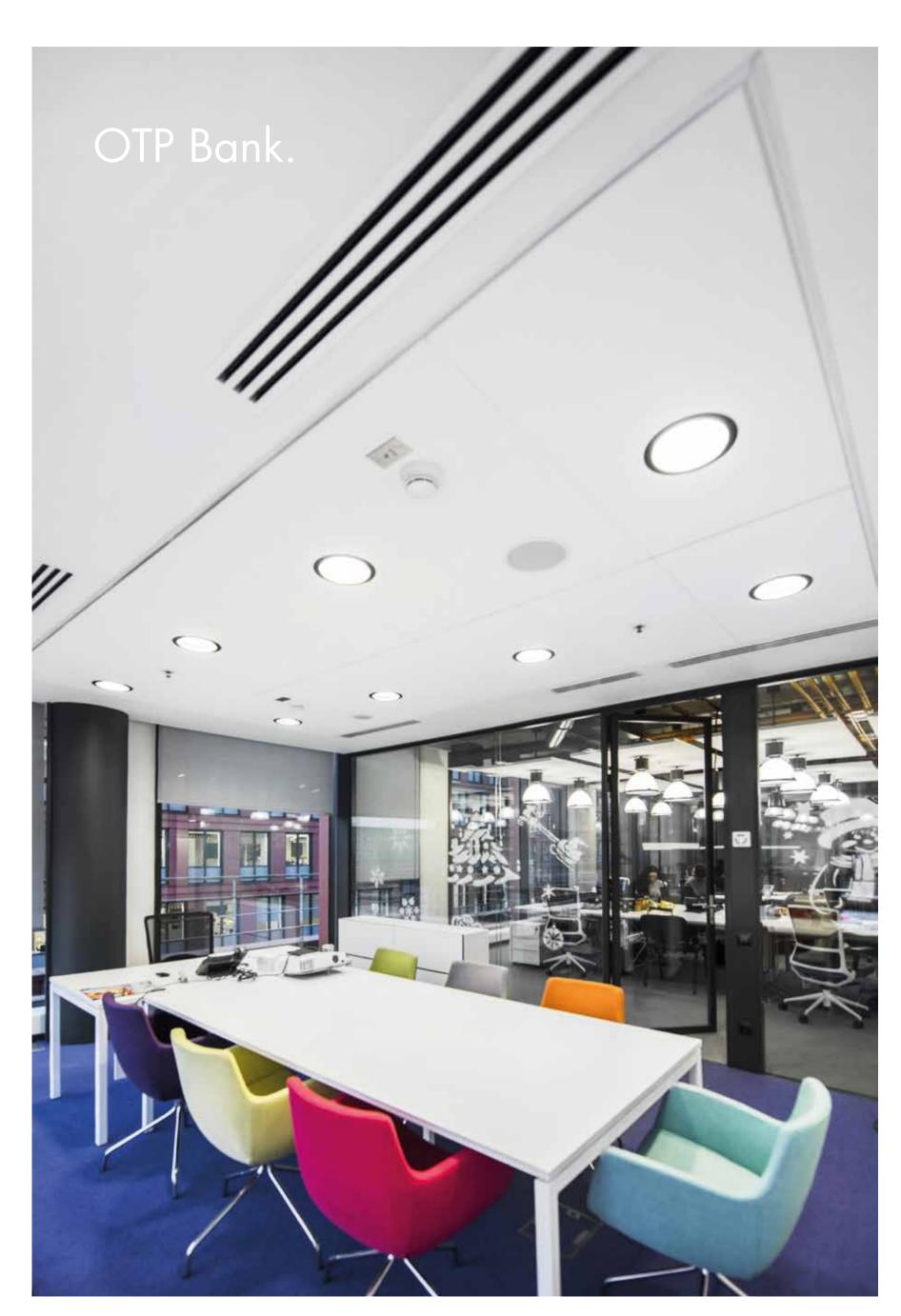


Free-hanging units > Ecophon Solo™ Freedom

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15% reduction in productivity.

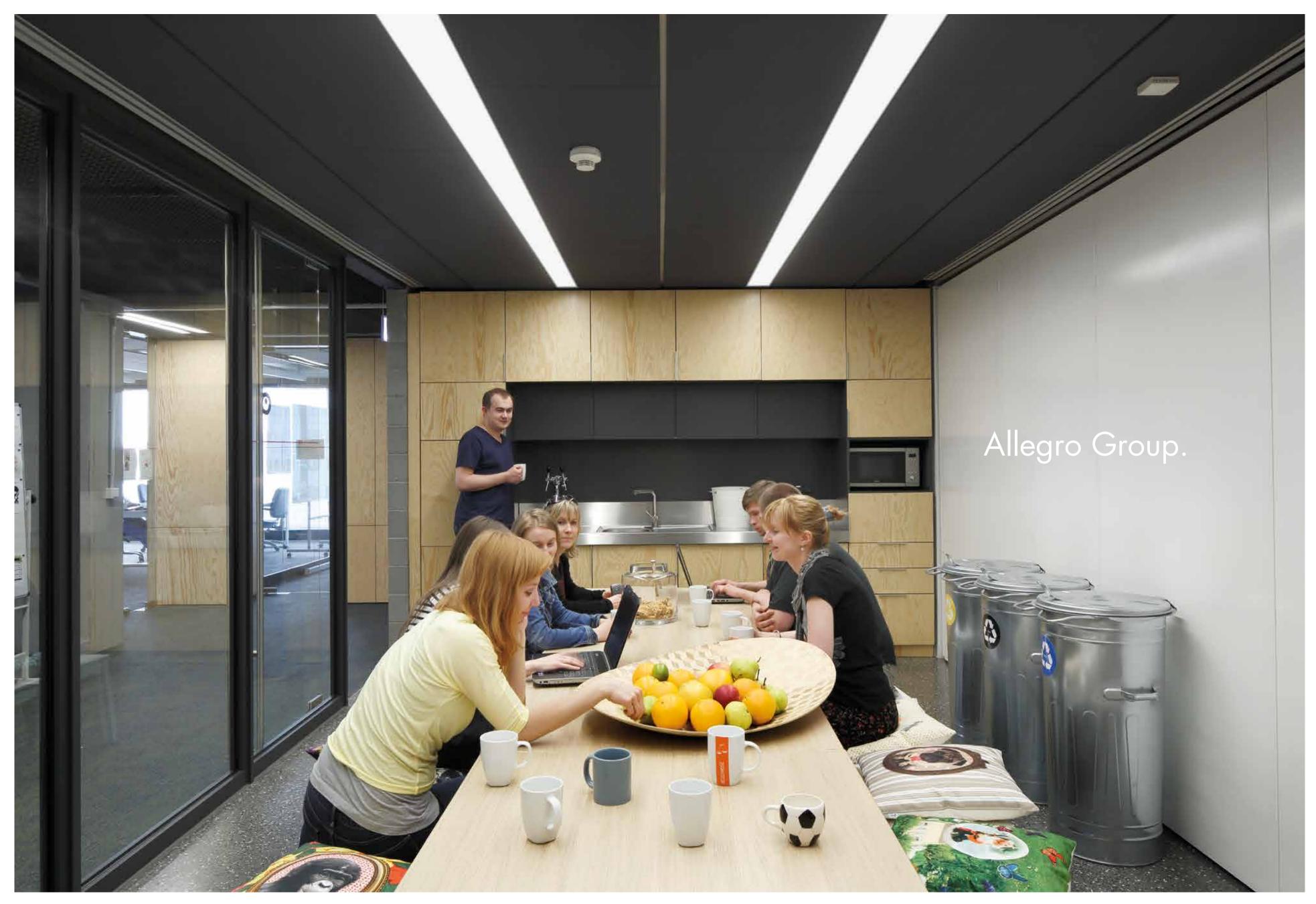
In a company of 200 staff this is equivalent to 30 people being paid to do nothing.

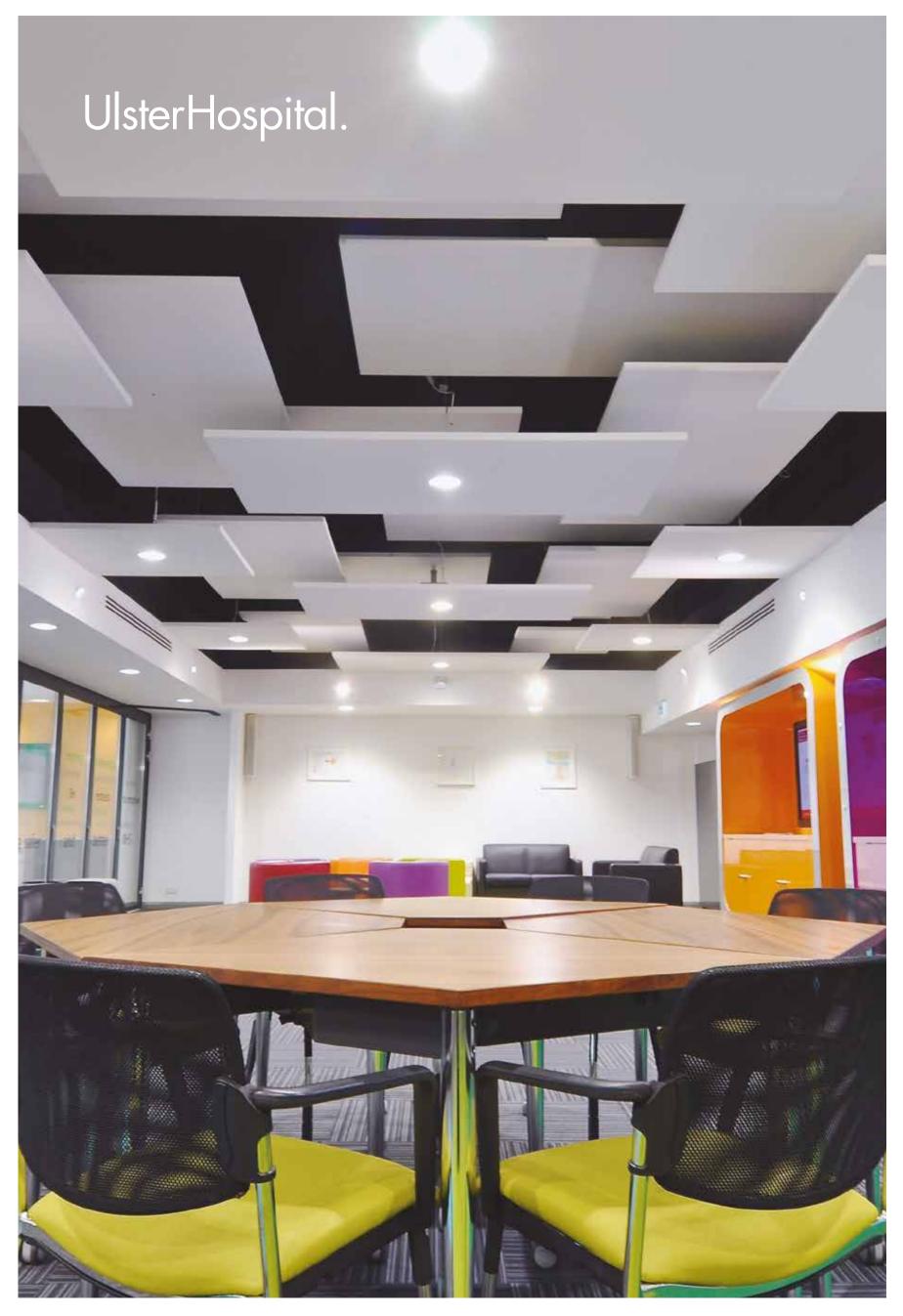


Modular Ceiling > Ecophon Focus™ Ds



Modular Ceiling > Ecophon Master™ Matrix

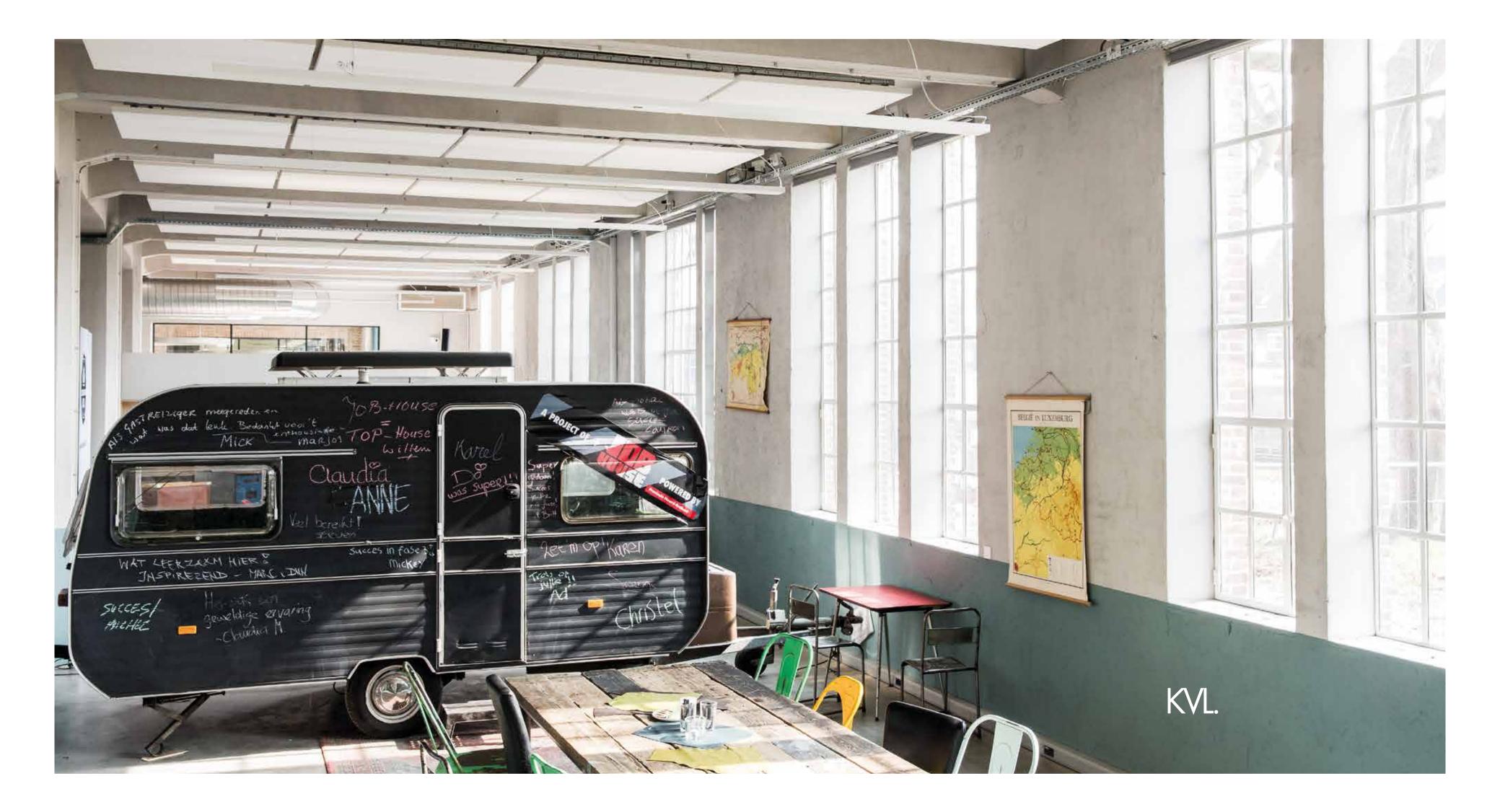


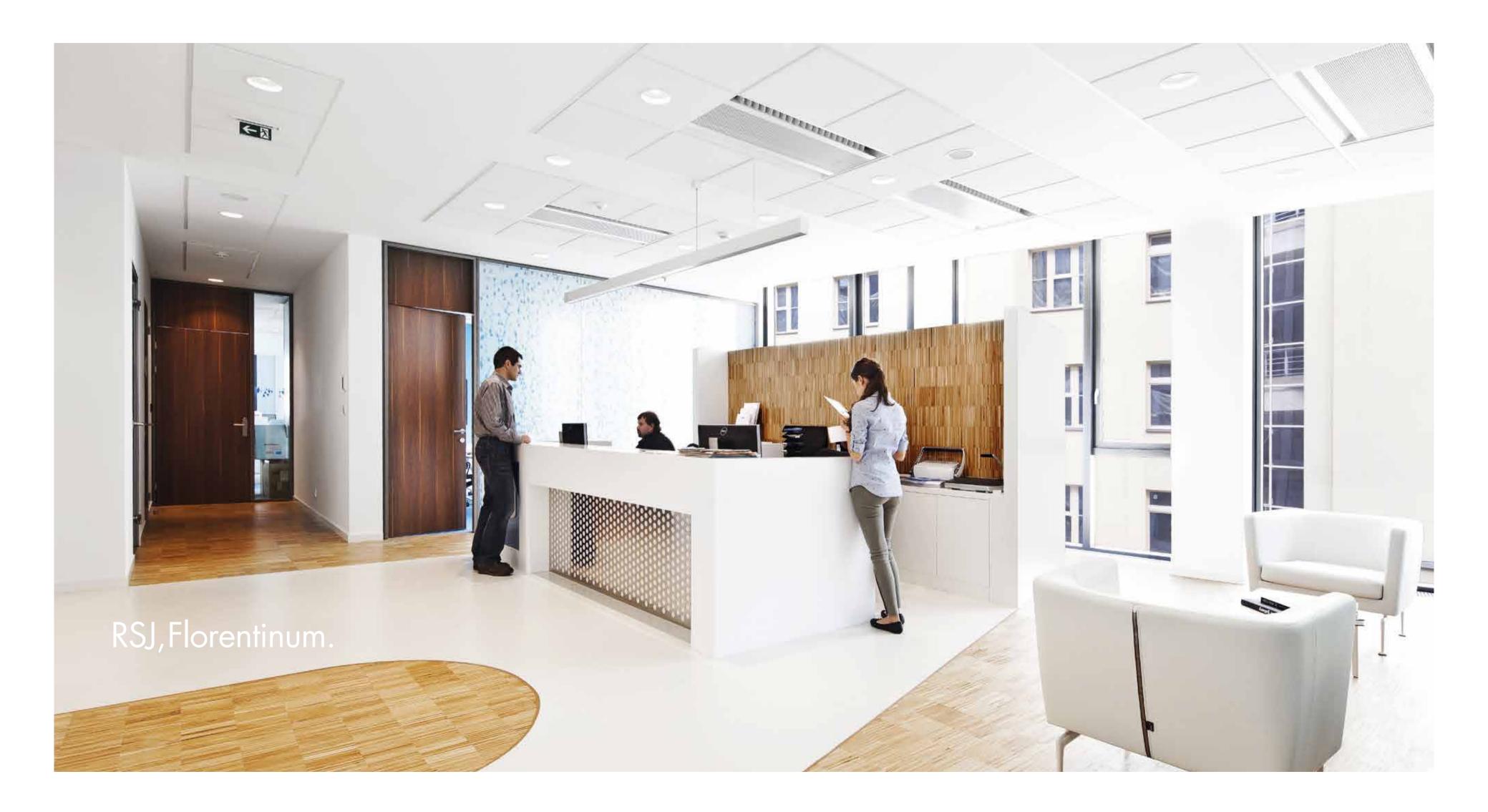


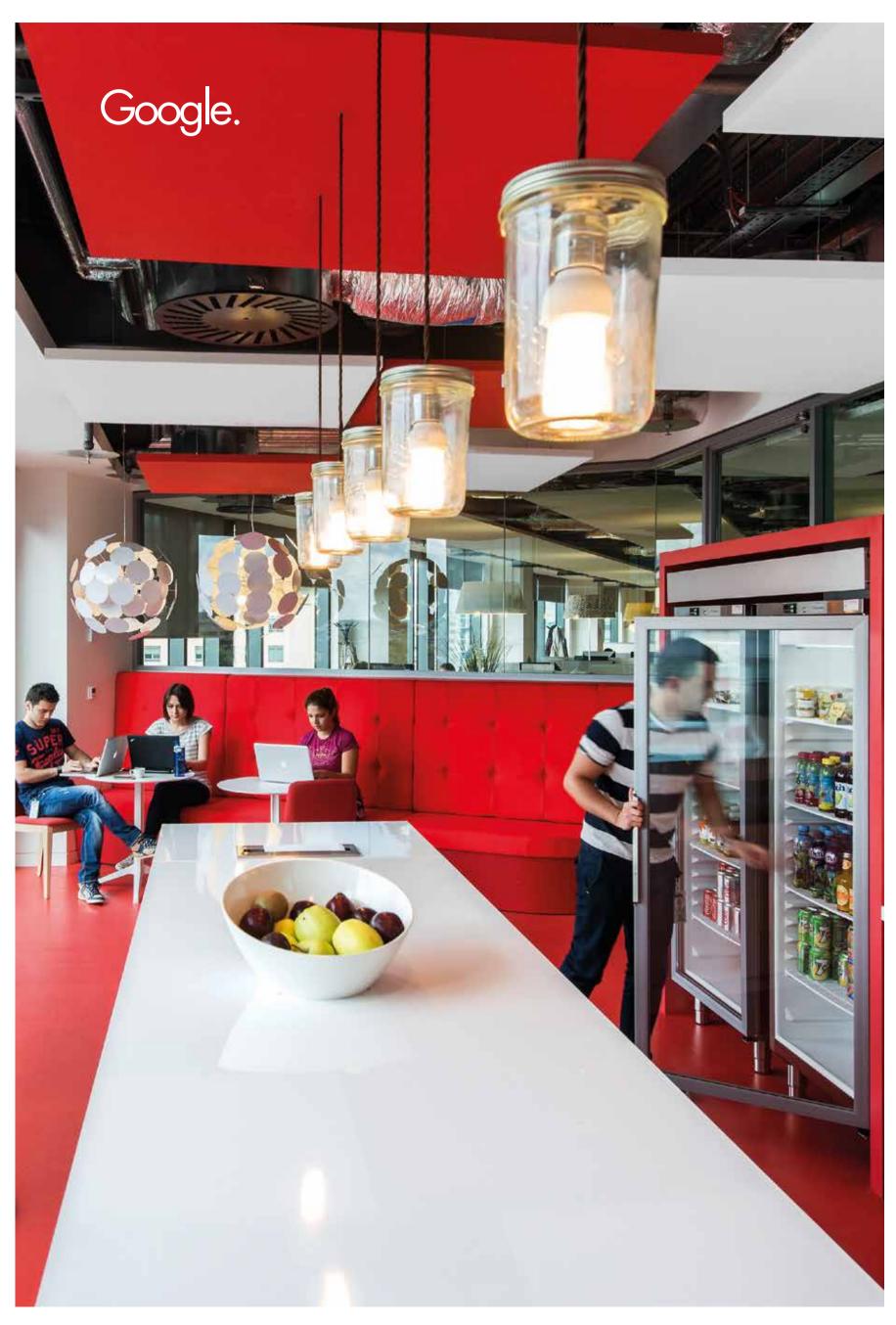
Free-hanging units > Ecophon Solo™ Rectangle

"When the volume of the main area became apparent, I knew instantly that it had to be exploited yetremain functional as acongregational space. Ecophon Solo™Square and Rectangle were the only products I could think of to give me the right look."

James Kearney Isherwood & Ellis Architects Architect for Ulster Hospital



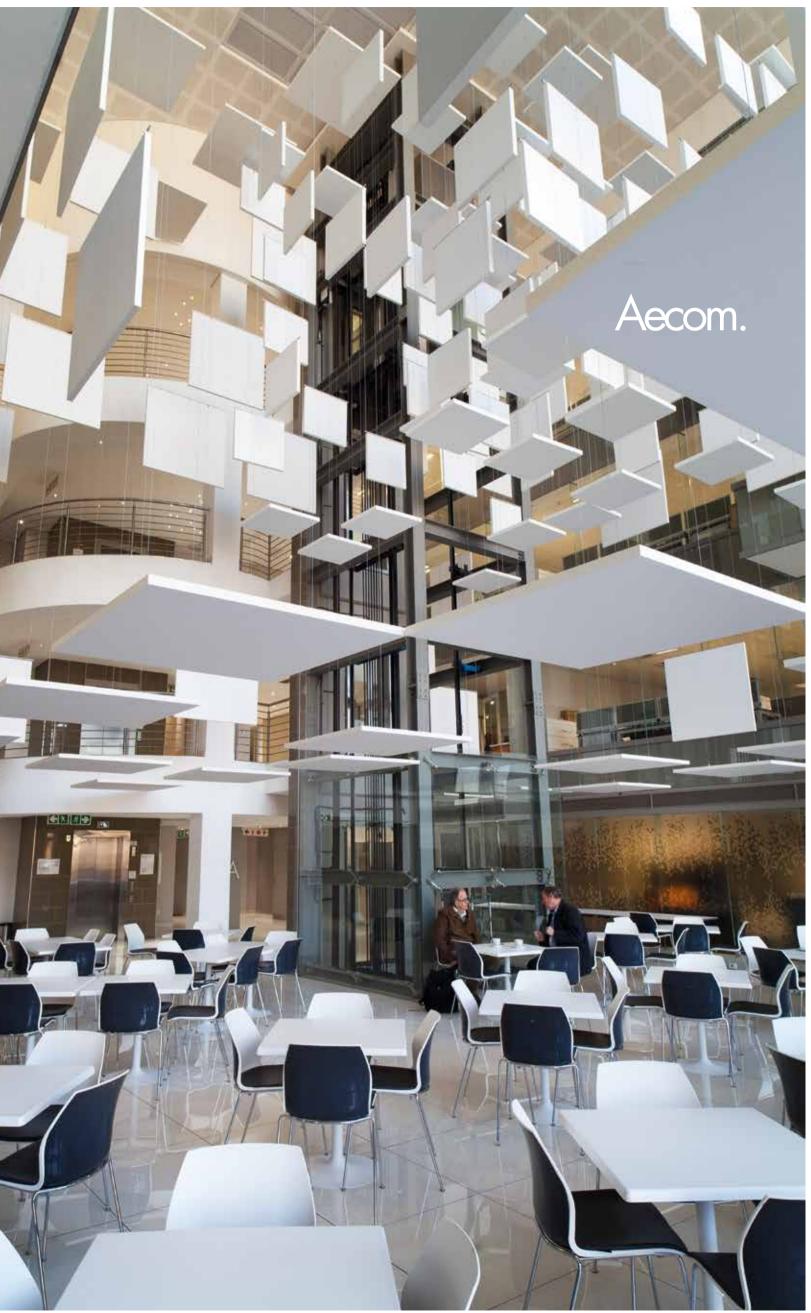




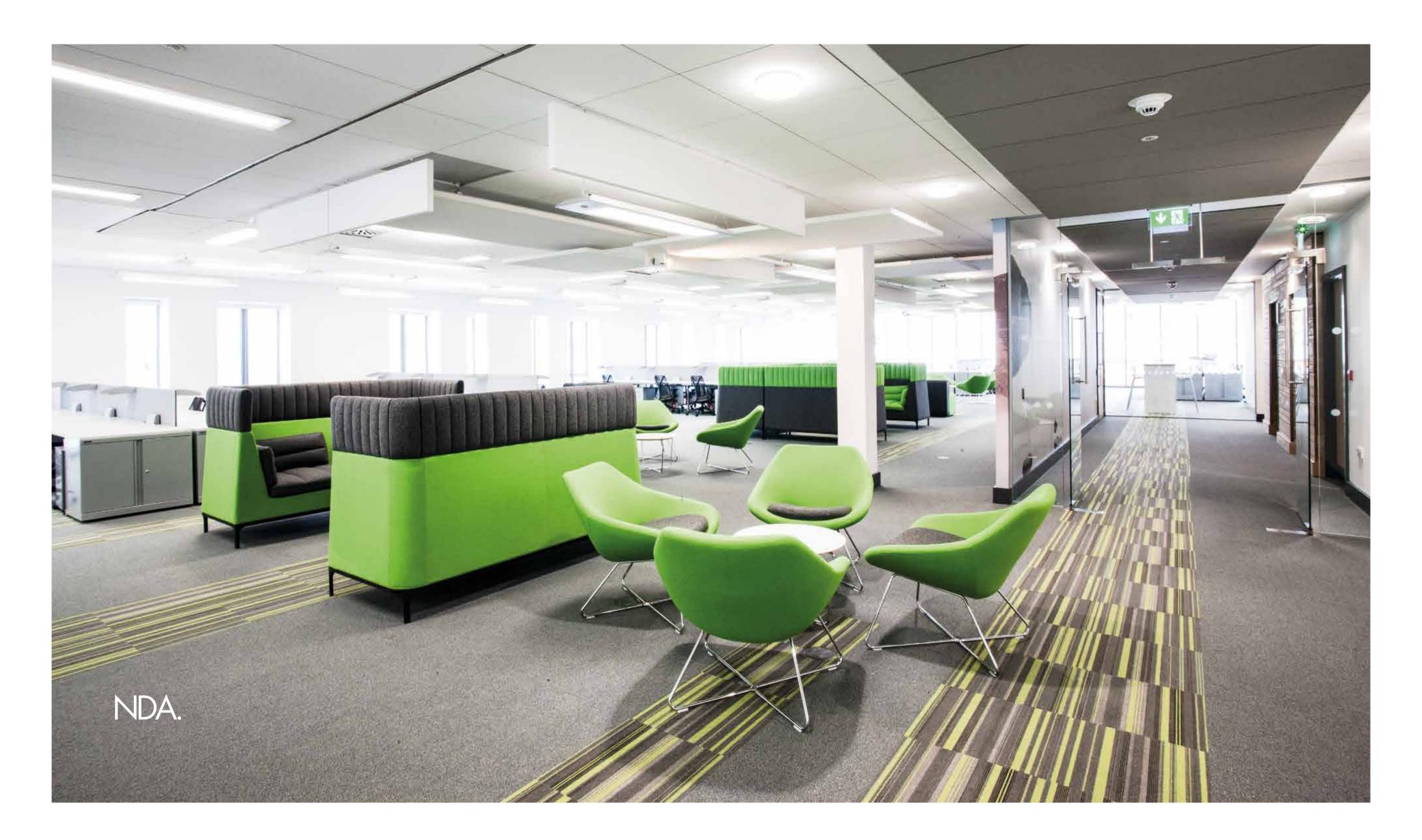


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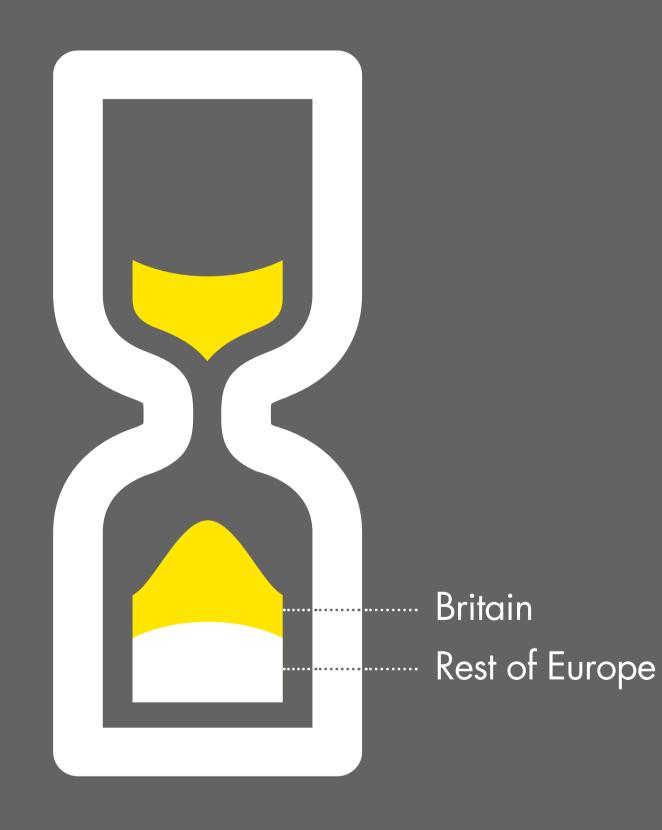
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Britons have some of the longest working hours in Europe, with one in five spending more than 45 hours a week in the office.



"We specified Ecophon because we knew their systems were easy to work with, and that we could trust them. We were able to reduce the reverberation in the existing building, from four seconds to below two seconds, for its new use."

Richard Bassett LSI Architects LLP "How well office environments support both collaboration and concentration is fundamental.

Understanding how acoustics can support or hinder these work modes is an essential building block to a successful design solution."

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