

# Comfort air cooling with graphite ceiling panels

# Radiant ceiling principles

#### How radiant heating and cooling works?

#### **Heating effect**

Radiant panels are heated with warm water. Panels will emit energy into the room space.

Energy will distributed with low intensity infared wawes, which will heat surfaces not air.

Heating feeling is very similar to sunshine with lower intensity.



#### **Cooling effect**

Cooled water will flow through panels.

People, computers, TVs, machines will heat the air in the room.

Warm air will rise up to the ceiling and hit the cool radiant panel. Heat energy transfers into the panel.

Cooled air will flow down with very slow air speed..



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Alternative approach with floor heating - cold air smoothly goes down to create comfortable atmosphere

Require a small difference in temperature between desired indoor air temperature and cooled surface



#### PANELS AS A PART OF ENERGY SAVING SYSTEMS

Radiant ceiling panels operate (heat and cool) with circulation of hot and cold water.

Suitable for all energy sources (chillers, district heating/cooling systems, heat pumps, geoenergy etc.)





#### Complete air condition system include

- Radiant ceiling panels
- Chiller/heat pump or central system
- Water circulation pipes and fittings
- Control of temperature and humidity

## Main features

#### • Lower energy consumption (20-30% less than conventional cooling systems)

• Healthy environment (no condensate with bacteria)

• No air flows (unlike fancoils or split-systems)

- No noise nor draft (low air speed) (panels create no noise and have absorbing properties)
- Low potential heat and cool sources may be used
  (ΔT 2-4°C is enough: cooling with 16-18°C water, heating with 35°C)



## Second generation panels

# Metal-graphite suspended ceilings

Designed and produced in Finland Core materials produced in Russia





More than 10000 sq. meters sold in Europe in 2013-2014

CE- certified according standards:

EN 14240 for cooling EN 14037 for heating

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#### **Typical Dimensions:**

600X1200 mm 600X1800 mm 600X2400 mm 600X3000 mm

## Installation examples

#### Meiramitie Offices and Logistic Centres 10 000 m2, Helsinki Vantaa



Graphite panels for heating and cooling. 8 pcs of 600x3000 mm panels give cooling capacity of 2,2 kW

# Market estimation and current state of the project

World market estimation 2-3 bln. usd.

Office center of 60000 m<sup>2</sup> require 8000 m<sup>2</sup> of panels for cooling and heating.

Cost of 1m<sup>2</sup> panel – starting from 50 up to 200 Euro depending on specification and generation.

Currently 20000 m<sup>2</sup> sold in Finland per year by partner of MSU



# Possible directions for cooperation

1. Trial implementation

2. Technology transfer

3. Joint venture for production (3-rd generation)