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## VfL Wolfsburg and TRILUX: Post-pandemic acrylic glass recycling

**Arnsberg, Wolfsburg, April 2024 — The partnership between VfL Wolfsburg and TRILUX has existed since 2012. However, the collaboration goes far beyond the lighting trade, as the Arnsberg-based manufacturer of professional lighting is also the first division club's official climate partner. One current project: recycling the acrylic glass panes that were used as hygiene protection in various areas of the stadium during the coronavirus pandemic.**

During the coronavirus pandemic, many companies opted for a hygiene concept with acrylic glass screens to protect employees. Due to the high demand and restricted supply chains, there were soon supply bottlenecks throughout Germany. TRILUX uses acrylic glass in the production of its luminaires - and was therefore able to provide companies in the region with acrylic glass panels quickly and easily. Now that the pandemic has been officially declared over, TRILUX and VfL Wolfsburg are scaling back the hygiene measures - with a firm focus on sustainability.

### Seize every opportunity

TRILUX offered the companies the opportunity to take the panes back after use when they were delivered. "The careful use of raw materials is an integral part of our sustainability strategy - and is incorporated into every project," says Katrin Discher, Head

of Sustainability at TRILUX, explaining the approach. The same applies to VfL Wolfsburg. "On our way to becoming an even more environmentally and climate-friendly club, every step counts - and we are also taking every opportunity beyond the major strategic guidelines to become more sustainable," adds Nico Briskorn, Head of Corporate Social Responsibility. "We are therefore delighted to have TRILUX at our side as a great partner in our sustainability efforts."

TRILUX collected the acrylic glasses panes from VfL Wolfsburg in a concerted campaign. The panes were shredded, melted and used to produce new luminaire covers, which are now delivered to customers. First-class quality meets exemplary sustainability.

**Picture gallery:**



Image: TRILUX luminaire with VfL Wolfsburg logo

VfL Wolfsburg and TRILUX work together as partners when it comes to lighting and sustainability.



Picture: Hygiene protection in the Volkswagen stadium

During the coronavirus pandemic, VfL Wolfsburg relied on TRILUX acrylic glass panels to protect its employees and guests with its hygiene concept.



Picture: Yannick Gerhardt (VfL) with acrylic glass pane

A smart cycle - VfL Wolfsburg returns the acrylic glass screens that were used during the coronavirus pandemic to TRILUX for recycling.



Picture: In production at TRILUX

Back with thanks: TRILUX recycles the acrylic glass panes that were used during the coronavirus pandemic.



Image: Luminaire covers made from recycled material

Shredded, melted and reused - the recycled acrylic glass panes are turned into new luminaire covers.