

Lindab simplifies energy-efficiency refurbishment

The majority of apartments in the so-called Million Programme, i.e. the approximately one million flats that were built in Sweden between 1965 and 1975, are now in urgent need of refurbishment and improved energy-efficiency. Energy efficient ventilation is a key part of this work. Lindab has developed InCapsa, a smart all-in-one solution where the ventilation installer performs the entire job, both the installation and the decorative covering of the duct systems.

Lindab's patent-pending refurbishment system, InCapsa, consisting of Lindab's renowned duct systems and discreet covering in white-lacquered steel, has been tested during the autumn with very good results. The system has many advantages compared with traditional duct coverings. The tests have shown that it is five times faster to install than traditional methods. The work can be undertaken by a single professional and the work is completed in one go, meaning that there is no need for tenants to move out while the work is taking place.

Business Area Manager for Ventilation, Nils-Johan Andersson, comments:

"It is becoming increasingly important to build tight and ventilate right, in order to comply with EU-directives regarding energy-efficiency in buildings. We are continuously striving to simplify processes for our customers and InCapsa is an excellent example of this. The InCapsa system means that the ventilation installer has the full responsibility to make an aesthetic and energy-efficient ventilation installation, which benefits all parties."

"InCapsa is the result of customer-focused innovation to simplify construction for property owners and ventilations installers, while at the same time we are contributing to a more energy-efficient building stock."

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Lindab - A Ventilation and Building Products company:

Lindab develops, manufactures, markets and distributes products and system solutions primarily in steel for simplified construction and improved indoor climate.

The business is carried out within three business areas, Ventilation, Building Components and Building Systems. The products are characterised by their high quality, ease of assembly, energy efficiency, consideration towards the environment, and are delivered with high levels of service. Altogether, this increases customer value.

The Group had net sales of SEK 6,527 m in 2010, was established in 31 countries and had approximately 4,400 employees. The main market is non-residential construction, which accounts for 80 percent of sales, while residential accounts for 20 percent of sales. During 2010, the Nordic market accounted for 45 percent, CEE/CIS (Central and Eastern Europe as well as other former Soviet states) for 22 percent, Western Europe for 29 percent and other markets for 4 percent of total sales.

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