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Good, solid quality workmanship has characterised Rationel's windows and doors since the first products were shipped from our factory in Sdr. Felding in 1954. On that basis, Rationel has created a sound foundation, and is today an international company with sales activities in Denmark, Great Britain and Ireland.

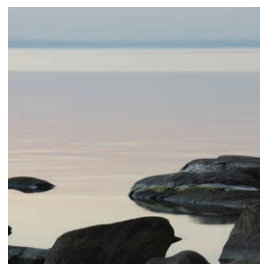
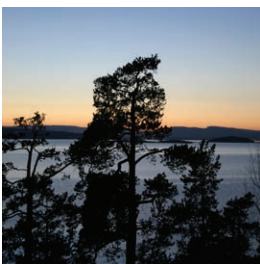
Rationel manufactures energy saving windows and doors of premium quality in terms of comfort and security. We develop our windows and doors continuously, ensuring that they will always meet current statutory requirements as well as market requirements for design and functionality.

For further information about our wide range of windows and doors, for classic and modern buildings, please visit www.rationel.co.uk.

Rationel is part of the DOVISTA Group which consists of nine leading door and window companies in Europe. DOVISTA A/S is owned by VKR Holding and employs approx. 15,000 people in more than 40 countries.

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**A COMMITMENT TO
THE ENVIRONMENT**

A COMMITMENT TO THE ENVIRONMENT RE-PLANTING, RECYCLING, CO2 REDUCTION

However high your environmental standards, Rationel's longstanding and explicit commitment to the environment will meet them.



The mark of responsible forestry



FROM SUSTAINABLE FORESTRY TO ENERGY-EFFICIENT WINDOWS

Rationel are certified according to the FSC's global labelling scheme for sustainable wood and paper. The FSC (Forest Stewardship Council®) is an international not-for profit organisation that makes it possible to buy wood and paper products with a clear conscience. Companies all over the world comply with FSC guidelines for sustainability and legality in their production. As far as Rationel is concerned, the FSC label guarantees that during production, we fell no more trees than the forest is able to reproduce, that wildlife and vegetation in the forests are protected, and that forest workers receive training, safety equipment and a decent wage. FSC is the only global labelling scheme which is widely supported by green organisations such as WWF, Greenpeace and Nepenthes as well as social organisations such as BAT and other companies all over the world.

Rationel's commitment to use FSC certified timber is made even more important considering how much timber we use: 25,500 m³ of certified timber is sent out from

our factories every year. That is equivalent to 360.000 sustainable trees from North European forests annually.

RECYCLING

In our factories we have a waste sorting policy. Spare and broken glass is reprocessed, timber waste is used in the factory CHP (Combined Heat and Power) plant and our spray booths collect and recycle residue. We use a water-based micro porous preservative and paint/stain system that contains absolutely no toxic chemicals.



CO2 REDUCTION

When installed, Rationel's windows also act to increase sustainability. In the winter, argon filled energy efficient glass units maximise thermal gain, reduce thermal loss and reflect heat back into the room to drastically reduce the need for heating and therefore the release of CO₂. Rationel's windows can be desig-



Danish window verification

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ned to reduce solar gain and increase natural ventilation, thus reducing the need for air conditioning during the summer.

We encourage the same high standards from those we work with to meet a range of environmental requirements. In all these ways Rationel are working to create imaginative and effective responses to the environmental challenges we all face today.

DANISH WINDOW VERIFICATION (DVV)

All Rationel's products are Danish Window Verification-certified, (DVV-certified). This means that windows and doors as a minimum live up to the standards for product and production that is defined in DVV's technical regulations. DVC continuously carries out visits to the production plant ensuring that certified members live up to the defined quality standards.

DANISH INDOOR CLIMATE LABELLING

Rationel's products meet the requirements specified by Danish Indoor Climate Labelling. The label means that the products do not give off toxic substances when they are installed in buildings.

THE WOOD WINDOW ALLIANCE

Rationel is a member of the Wood Window Alliance. The scheme provides reassurance that windows from member suppliers meet performance and sustainability standards.



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