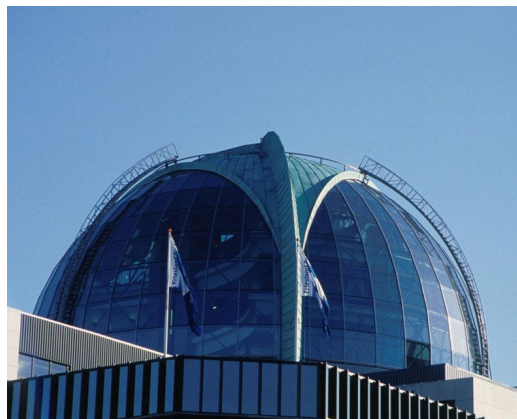


# FRIESLAND BANK

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Leeuwarden is the capital of one of the northern provinces of the Netherlands. Its townscape has an average height of 3 to 4 stories, with a business centre of 10 stories and an occasional solitary 100 m high office tower.

On top of an existing building complex of the headquarters of the Friesland bank, consisting of three existing and one new office buildings built in different recent decades, a glazed dome has been built. It is covering an internal atrium and is clearly visible in the skyline of Leeuwarden town. The dome is composed of a single-layered space frame in network geometry, fixed between three triangular space frame trusses.

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