



Willemen Groep

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Prison - Leuze-en-Hainaut

Project Details

Activities

Buildings
Public
Integral projects
Bouwteam
Design & Build

Contractors

Willemen Bouw

Location

Avenue de l'Europe
7900 Leuze-en-Hainaut Belgium
Hainaut BE

Client

Regie der Gebouwen

Price

€75.000.000

Architects

Assar Architects
Storimans Wijffels
DDS & Partners

Temporary partnership

Willemen General Contractor, Cordeel

Engineering Office

Pirnay (stabiliteit), Arch & Teco
(technieken), Venac (akoestiek)

Special features [BREEAM](#)

Construction period

1 year 8 months

Start work

09-2012



This prison for 364 prisoners was built as a PPP project in DBFM on a site of 14.47 hectares. The starting point of our design strategy was to improve the quality of life of the prisoners and to reduce their detachment from the outside world. This is translated in various ways in the project: prison in the cloud, the wide corridors in the cell wings, the integration of art into the panoptic centre, etc. More than 1,000 m² of integrated reed beds provide wastewater treatment. The building has a 'Very Good' BREEAM rating.

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Willemen Bouw was established on 30 April 2025 through the merger of Willemen Construct, Cosimco, Franki Construct and Tools.

End of work
05-2014