# C+P Project Tropical Islands Krausnick Site



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# Tropical feeling

At Krausnick in Brandenburg, all fans of the Tropics and the South Seas can find their own paradise. Since 2004, this has been the home of biggest tropical park on the planet in the largest free-standing hall in the world. On a surface area of 66,000 m², the guests can find a unique holiday resort – regardless of the weather.

The gigantic hall, which was originally designed as a hangar for airships, is so large that the Statue of Liberty could fit inside and there would be enough space for eight football pitches next to each other. The design was equipped with a light-permeable membrane so that natural tanning is possible. Thanks to a constant air temperature of 26°, the visitors can immerse themselves in various regions: the Asia-Pacific region, Africa and South America come together – all against the fantastic backdrop of a genuine tropical forest.

The visitors can look forward to lots of bathing fun in the South Sea with a genuine sand beach and the Bali Lagoon. Altogether, there are 5,200 m² of water to enjoy. An entertaining and exciting stay is guaranteed for every age group thanks to lots of other attractions, such as Europe's largest tropical sauna landscape, the highest water slide in Germany (25 m high) and the extravagant stage shows.

- 1 View of the hall with giant slide and South Sea in the foreground.
- 2 Bathing fun in the Bali Lagoon
- 3 Tropical flair in the "Urmeldorf"
- The wellness temple "Angkor Wat"
- 5 Mangrove swamp



Floor plan of the locker-room areas

... und Du fühlst Dich gut.







- 1 View of the locker-room area with Z-combination lockers 2 and cubicles.
- 3 Lockers for the safe storage of valuables
- 4 Z-combination lockers from the Cambio series.
- **5** Exterior view of the locker-room area







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## The task

The corporate philosophy of "Tropical Islands" is consistently applied to and presented vividly in all areas. The tropical feeling should be retained in the locker-room areas, too. This begins with the exterior design of the locker rooms and is maintained in the exotic colour tones of the lockers, which allude to the colours of tropical flowers.

Following the great success of the water park, it was necessary to cater for the increased space requirements. The locker rooms were restructured to create space for more compartments. The arrangement of the barefoot and shoe areas was also optimized.

# The particular requirements

With its versatile "Cambio" locker system, C+P Möbelsysteme was able to satisfy all the high requirements of Tropical Islands and so also supplied the remaining lockers in 2007. Thanks to the adaptability of the lockers, it was possible to carry out the restructuring without any problems. In order to make optimal use of the space, the plan involved double-tier lockers and Z-combination lockers.

"Make dreams come true. That was the idea of the investors! Bringing the tropics to Germany was both a challenge and a great joy at the same time. The excellent cooperation with the project

management and the shared excitement about the project made it possible to carry out this task.

The joy of our customers with the result is the greatest reward for me."

Frank Rubel, Construction Manager





- 1 View of the locker rooms with Z-combination lockers. The seating facilities are located between the locker fronts. The locker ends are fitted with mirrors
- 2 Interior design of a Z-combination locker
- Blectronic locking unit with a softly closing door stopper. The electronic key also controls access to the additional-charge zones and the bills for refreshments
- 5 Cambio double-tier lockers with integrated benches
- 6 Z-combination lockers as far as the eye can see
- 7 View into the staff locker room



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# Well thought through

The new-generation lockers subsequently ordered in 2007 provide a uniform appearance with a crimson-red carcass and orange fronts.

In terms of possible extensions in the future, the lockers were mounted on a removable and upgradeable plinth system. This guarantees the flexibility of the facility.

The Z-combination lockers are designed to be as convenient as possible for the users. With the Cambio lockers, every person (left or right compartment) is given the same amount of space and has the option of hanging up long items of clothing. A large compartment for bags and practical dividers for relatively small items help to satisfy the various storage wishes of the different users.

The locking system also lives up to sophisticated demands: it not only opens and locks the lockers, but also simplifies the access to the additional-charge zones, the billing for refreshments, etc. This is all achieved with one and the same data carrier, which acts as an electronic key for the locker user.













### **Project data**

Project: Tropical Islands, Krausnick near Berlin

Specification: Locker-room facility
Industry: Wellness / SPA

Architect: CL MAP GmbH, Munich

Construction

period: 8 months (conversion period)

Surface area: 66,000 m<sup>2</sup>
Costs: EUR 70 million

C+P Partner: ico Innenprojekt Cottbus GmbH

### Deployed C+P products

S 6000 Cambio lockers

### C+P services

Delivery and assembly

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