



Project	Datacom Head Office
Award Rating	5 Green Star Office Design
Location	Auckland, Wynyard Quarter
Architect/Designer	Warren and Mahoney
Head Contractor	Fletcher Construction
Product	Sunscreen Office Roller Blinds & Boardroom Blockout Blinds
System	SP45
Fabric	SP View® Dolphin and ThermoBlock® FR Tuff

The challenge

Datacom, New Zealand's largest IT service provider, host 1,200 employees in their new Auckland Wynyard Quarter building, which is all about producing a truly modern, collaborative workplace, focused around their people. The totally open-plan space required a balance between good levels of natural light, with enough glare protection to enable comfortable use of computer screens.

The SP solution

A light grey SP View Dolphin fabric provides ample natural light, yet has a VLT of 8 (figures below 10 are recognised as providing sufficient glare protection). The SP View range, is a superior sunscreen due to the fiberglass yarn being stable in very high temperatures. The PVC coating complies with 'Best Practice PVC' definition in the NZ Green Building Council Green Star Manual by having low VOC emissions and not containing harmful substance (RoHS compliant). The Thermo Block FR Tuff fabric has a Greenguard certification for low VOC emissions.