



**British Gas - Manchester**



*chilled beams can't deliver 150  
w/m<sup>2</sup> cooling...  
...they can now*

**Year 1999/2000**

The design brief for this call-centre installation contained many technical challenges; design room temperature of 22°C in summer, heat gains up to 170 w/m<sup>2</sup>, fresh air rates not to exceed minimum for respiration (1 l/s/m<sup>2</sup>). Additionally, the chilled beams were integrated into a standard mineral fibre ceiling with no return air from the ceiling void.

This was all achieved by utilising the standard high-capacity Frenger Polaris unit with our Drypac™ coil-coating, enabling the beams to operate below dew point 24 hours-a-day with no risk of condensation.

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