

Image	File name	Caption
	RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_01.jpg	The new Volksbank Freiburg building complex impresses with its creative overall concept and its utilisation as a multifunctional area.
		Photo: Richard Brink GmbH & Co. KG
	RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_02.jpg	The striking façade features floor-to- ceiling windows set behind a curtain- wall lamellar structure, which appears to hover in front of the building's outer shell.
		Photo: Richard Brink GmbH & Co. KG
	RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_03.jpg	A number of cubic building elements create different levels that encompass a planted inner courtyard.
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	RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_04.jpg	Raised beds from the company Richard Brink act as dividers in the courtyard, which is used by both Volksbank Freiburg and an adjoining hotel.
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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 05.jpg Integrated wooden seating provides space to relax or work outside. Optically, the benches flow right down into the terrace flooring.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 06.jpg Two additional, separately accessible terraces were also fitted with aluminium planting systems made by the metal products manufacturer.

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The raised beds divide the outside area here, too, creating enclosed green spaces with their height and use of planting.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 08.jpg

The transition between plant beds and seating areas is practically seamless – a clever combination of outdoor furniture and greenery.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 09.jpg The broad range of products offered by the company Richard Brink is beautifully showcased here. Besides raised beds, the façade area also features drainage channels from the metal products manufacturer.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 10.jpg The Stabile models reliably collect rainwater and direct it away from the building. Both the channels and the 20 x 3mm longitudinal bar gratings were finished in a graphite black plastic coating.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 11.jpg

As a low-maintenance and robust type of planting, grasses dominate the planting systems on the elevated terraces.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_12.jpg The company Richard Brink supplied a total of 882m of its substrate rails for the roof beds, which elegantly frame the sedum mat.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 13.jpg The substrate rails reliably separate the planted areas from the adjacent gravel fill. They also enable the flow of any rainfall.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg 14.jpg The substrate rails can further be used to create divisions between different roof spaces featuring gravel beds.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_15.jpg In some places on the site, drainage gullies provide selective support for the drainage system.

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RichardBrink_Volksba nkFreiburg_16.jpg This project underlines the depth and diversity of Richard Brink's product range. From the planting systems to the drainage solutions, everything was supplied from a single source.

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