



PRODUCT STEWARDSHIP RETURN, RENEW, REUSE PROGRAM

Asona Triton and Polyfon Acoustic Panel System

Making a difference, one panel at a time

We're living in a world with scarce resources and a growing, increasingly demanding population. That means we need to do more with less and find new ways to use materials. It's not sustainable to keep producing and consuming things on a massive scale, which ultimately get thrown into landfill or the oceans.

We need to walk lightly and reduce our impact on the environment. At Asona that means making acoustic ceiling and wall panels that are durable, take less energy to produce, use less material and that can be returned, renewed and reused in buildings.

Asona Ltd. manufactures the Triton and Polyfon brand acoustic panels for the commercial interior construction market. The Triton brand is manufactured from glass fiber board laminated with proprietary Sonatex 2 ply composite acoustic facings with variations available in framed and fabric wrapped finishes. The panels are designed for easy disassembly and can be resurfaced to extend life as detailed in the director's Patent no.NZP-587537, method for recycling ceiling panels. Polyfon acoustic panels are manufactured from a composite of compressed polyester and a fire-resistant glass mat facing.

Asona provides a Return, Renew and Reuse service for its New Zealand made Triton and Polyfon Acoustic Panels. This means that Triton and Polyfon panels which are at the end of their service life, or panels that have been damaged or soiled during construction or during building maintenance may be returned to Asona for recycling, renewal and reuse. This helps reduce construction waste to landfill, reduce replacement costs and extends the product in use life. The original protective packaging may also be returned to the company where it can be reused again in the manufacturing process.



Action Plan to Return, Renew and Reuse Asona Triton and Polyfon Acoustic Panels:

1. Register your project with Asona Ltd, call 09 525 6575 or email info@asona.co.nz
2. Confirm the details of the product to be returned, renewed and reused.
 - a. Original installation date of the Asona Panels
 - b. Type of panel, sizes, finish, quantity
 - c. Detail of work required eg: replace soiled facing with new decorative laminate, repair impact damage, repair framing etc.
 - d. Date that the renewed panels are required back on site.
 - e. Agreed pricing and terms with Asona.
3. Logistics; once your project is approved by Asona you will be responsible for:
 - a. Removing and protecting the panels for shipment to Asona's in time to meet the agreed contract. Empty flat packed cartons are available if required.
 - b. Ensure the panels are dry, free of fixings, construction debris and hazardous materials.
 - c. Arrange transport to Asona Ltd, 7 Cain road, Penrose, Auckland, NZ
4. Renew; On receipt of the material Asona will:
 - a. Inspect panels; please note that Asona reserves the right to reject panels should they not meet agreed terms.
 - b. Carry out the contracted works to renew the panels to 'as new' condition.
 - c. Package the panels for return to site
 - d. Book transport or arrange for client pick up.
 - e. Invoice client for contracted works.