CITY CANOPY THE DIAGONAL

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Just above the heads of shoppers Octatube has build wind canopy the Diagonal in the city centre of Almere. The canopy structure for Citymall Almere is part of an ambitious quality improvement plan and fits in the Almere master plan of OMA. Building site nuisance for shop owners and shoppers has been kept to a minimum by means of an enclosed scaffold during construction. This has enabled construction to take place while all shops were fully accessible.

The canopy is approximately 11 meters in height and stands on a ascending street, separate from the surrounding buildings. The large new canopy of 1300 square meters enhances shopping comfort in Citymall Almere. Besides the reduction of wind nuisance, visitors are also able to enjoy a renewed shopping area.

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