# Illovszky Rudolf Stadium

#### History of the project

The Stadium Rudolf Illowszky, inaugurated in 1960, was demolished in 2016 to upgrade its capacity from 3000 to 5000 people. Nowadays it is a multiuse space mostly used for football matches being the home stadium of Vasas SC.

For this project, 4940 m<sup>2</sup> of 316L stainless steel mesh were applied. The model was Eiffel 4050, 6.5 kg/m<sup>2</sup> weight, 48% open area and 8 m maximum width. This model of stainless steel mesh suits this particular building geometry.



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#### Why was stainless steel chosen?

The stainless steel used with this wire mesh stands out for its strength and durability, ensuring a long service life and minimal maintenance. In addition, its shiny, polished finish adds a touch of elegance and sophistication to any building.

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Night lighting is one of the highlights of this façade. Thanks to the metal mesh, different lighting effects can be created, from subtle sparkles to intense plays of light and shadow. This allows the architectural details of the building to be highlighted and creates a unique and captivating atmosphere.

Category:	Sports and leisu
Location:	Budapest, Hung
Environment:	urban
Use:	metal cladding façade
Material:	Flexible mesh o stainless steel A 316L in natural finish
Material quantity: 4940 m <sup>2</sup>	
Architect:	Bim Design Hu
Fabricator:	Constructors: Market Építő Zr and KÉSZ Építő
Manufacturer:	Metal mesh: Codina Architeo
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### How did stainless steel contribute to the sustainability of the structure?

It is a material highlighted by its high sustainability, as it has a long service life and requires little or no maintenance. In addition, it is 100% recyclable at the end of its useful life, with an average recycling rate of between 60% and almost 90%. Its production generates minimal levels of  $CO_2$  and other emissions.



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