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Press release

Neoperl wins Red Dot Award: Product Design 2026

Neoperl receives two Red Dot Awards: Product Design 2026

Reinach/Müllheim, Switzerland/Germany, 5 May 2026 – Neoperl has been awarded two Red Dot Awards: Product Design 2026 for its DIAMOND aerator and MINI ECOBOOSTER TOUCH aerator. The double award highlights Neoperl's focus on design quality: products are developed to fit perfectly, work reliably in daily use and contribute to responsible water consumption.

The **Red Dot Design Award** is one of the world's largest design competitions and the Red Dot label is internationally recognised as a mark for design quality. Products in the "Red Dot Award: Product Design" category are selected for their overall design quality, including aspects such as functionality, aesthetics, sustainability and level of innovation.

For Neoperl, the 2026 awards mark an important milestone: the company last entered and received a Red Dot Award: Product Design in 2016 for their **MIKADO aerator**. Winning again – this time with two products – underscores the relevance of Neoperl's development work and strengthens the company's position as a partner for faucet manufacturers and the sanitary industry worldwide.

DIAMOND aerator – Luxury you can feel.

The **NEOPERL DIAMOND aerator** is designed to add a visible finishing detail to bathroom faucets. It creates a clear, elegant pattern that reflects light, giving the water stream a precise, structured appearance. The aerator can be retrofitted to most faucets and is particularly suited to premium fittings, for example designs with special finishes such as gold tones or with glass elements.

Alongside its visual effect, DIAMOND supports efficient water use, with a **flow rate of 6 l/min (1.5 gpm max.)** – helping reduce both water and energy consumption (related to heated water) without changing the basic user routine.

MINI ECOBOOSTER TOUCH aerator – Water efficiency at your fingertips

Developed for kitchen faucets, the **NEOPERL MINI ECOBOOSTER TOUCH aerator** combines everyday convenience with a clear efficiency principle: **eco mode is the default**. Users can switch the flow rate with a simple touch between an **eco-friendly setting (3.8 l/min / 1.0 gpm max.)** and a **booster mode (8.0 l/min / 2.1 gpm max.)** for tasks such as



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filling pots more quickly. When the faucet is turned off, the aerator automatically resets to eco mode, supporting consistent savings over time.

In its default eco setting, the flow rate even stays clearly below most common international water-saving ratings for kitchen faucets. In addition, the temporary boost option has made it already into several codes – a relevant point for manufacturers, planners and consumers looking for solutions that align with regulatory expectations while maintaining usability. The compact design is intended to integrate with a wide range of faucets and is available in two colour options.

What the awards mean for Neoperl

Receiving two Red Dot Awards in the Product Design category in the same year is a strong confirmation of Neoperl's approach to product development: design, function and resource efficiency are treated as interdependent requirements rather than separate features. The recognition supports Neoperl's ongoing work with manufacturing partners and reinforces the company's long-term commitment to developing components that help shape both the user experience at the faucet and the measurable performance behind it.

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About Neoperl

Neoperl was founded in 1959 as a Swiss/German family business based in Basel and Müllheim and is still privately owned. Neoperl employs around 1,800 staff in 17 countries all over the world. Neoperl develops and manufactures products which shape water streams, regulate flow rates and protect potable water from contamination. These are marketed internationally under the brand names NEOPERL®, PERLATOR®, CASCADE® and SOFTPEX®. As a global leader, the Neoperl Group is a solution-oriented supplier to the world's most significant fittings manufacturers.