



Architectural portfolio

Anukruti N | Selected Works | 2019-23



About me

Hi, I am Anukruti. I am a student of Architecture, currently pursuing my degree as a Bachelor' of Architecture from School of Architecture, Sushant University. As an individual and an architect in the making, i find the the profession incredibly multidimensional and limitless in terms of possibilities that it promises and that aligns with my own value system and beliefs. I aspire for a career that offers lifelong learning and constanly makes me challenge, push and break my own conventions and boundaries and those of the ever-changing world around me.

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EDUCATION

- 2019 - prsnt **School of Art and Architecture, Sushant University** | Gurugram
Bachelor of Architecture (B. Arch)
- 2014 - 2019 **Carmel Convent Senior Secondary School** | Bhopal
Classes IX - XII
- 2004 - 2014 **Apeejay School** | Faridabad
Class I - VIII

EXPERIENCE

- 2022 **Annual NASA (National Association of Students of Architecture) Convention** | Faridabad
Cultural Trophy team head | Fashion
- 2021 **FOAID (Festival of Architecture Interior Design)** | Delhi
Fashion Design | Participation (team)
- 2020 **MOOD Indigo** | IIT Bombay
Fashion Design Trophy | Participation (team)
- 2019 **Zonal NASA (National Association of Students of Architecture) Convention** | Jaipur
Winner - Cultural Trophies | Fashion Trophie - 1st Position (team)

WORKSHOPS AND COURSES

- 2022 **Revit + BIM full- length Certified Course** | LOMOS Archilabs
- 2021 **Rhino + Grasshopper Certified Course** | LOMOS Archilabs
- 2021 **MVRDV Typological Reinvention in Architecture and Design** | Vastukul- School of Innovation
- 2021 **International Symposium on Mobility and City** | Vastukul School of Innovation
- 2021 **Structural Systems in Architecture - Virtual lecture** | Kaarwan

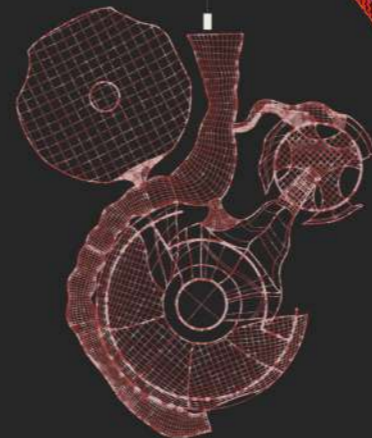
WORKSHOPS AND COURSES

- 2023 **Data Landscape - Remote Data Centre Design Competition** | YACademy Bologna
Participation
- 2022 **Private Island Bahamas Resort Design Competition** | RIBA
Participation
- 2022 **Extreme Habitat Architecture Design Competition** | Volume Zero Competitions
Participation

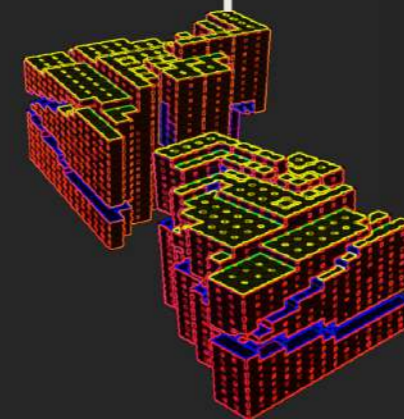
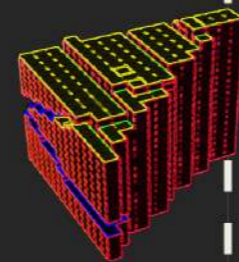
SKILLS

2D Drawing Design \ Modelling	AutoCAD	● ● ● ● ●
	Rhino	● ● ● ● ●
	Sketchup	● ● ● ● ●
	Revit	● ● ● ● ●
Visualization Graphics\ Illustrations	Autodesk MAYA	● ● ● ● ●
	Lumion	● ● ● ● ●
	Adobe Illustrator	● ● ● ● ●
	Adobe Photoshop	● ● ● ● ●
	Adobe Indesign	● ● ● ● ●

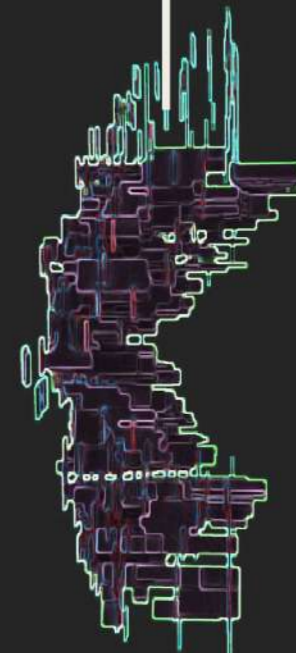
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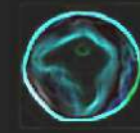
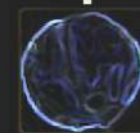
PROJECT I
THE GAUGE



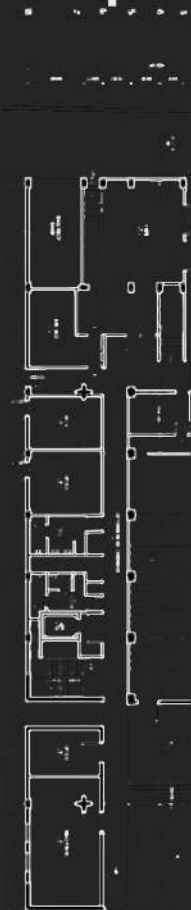
PROJECT II
THE
METAPERSEDIAL



PROJECT III
PROJECT
RUDOLPH



PROJECT IV
DISSERTATION



PROJECT V
TECHNICAL
DRAWINGS

the GAUGE

YEAR

2021

THEME(s)

MATERIAL-DRIVEN
DESIGN
RESPONSIVE ECOLOGY

STATUS

COMPLETED

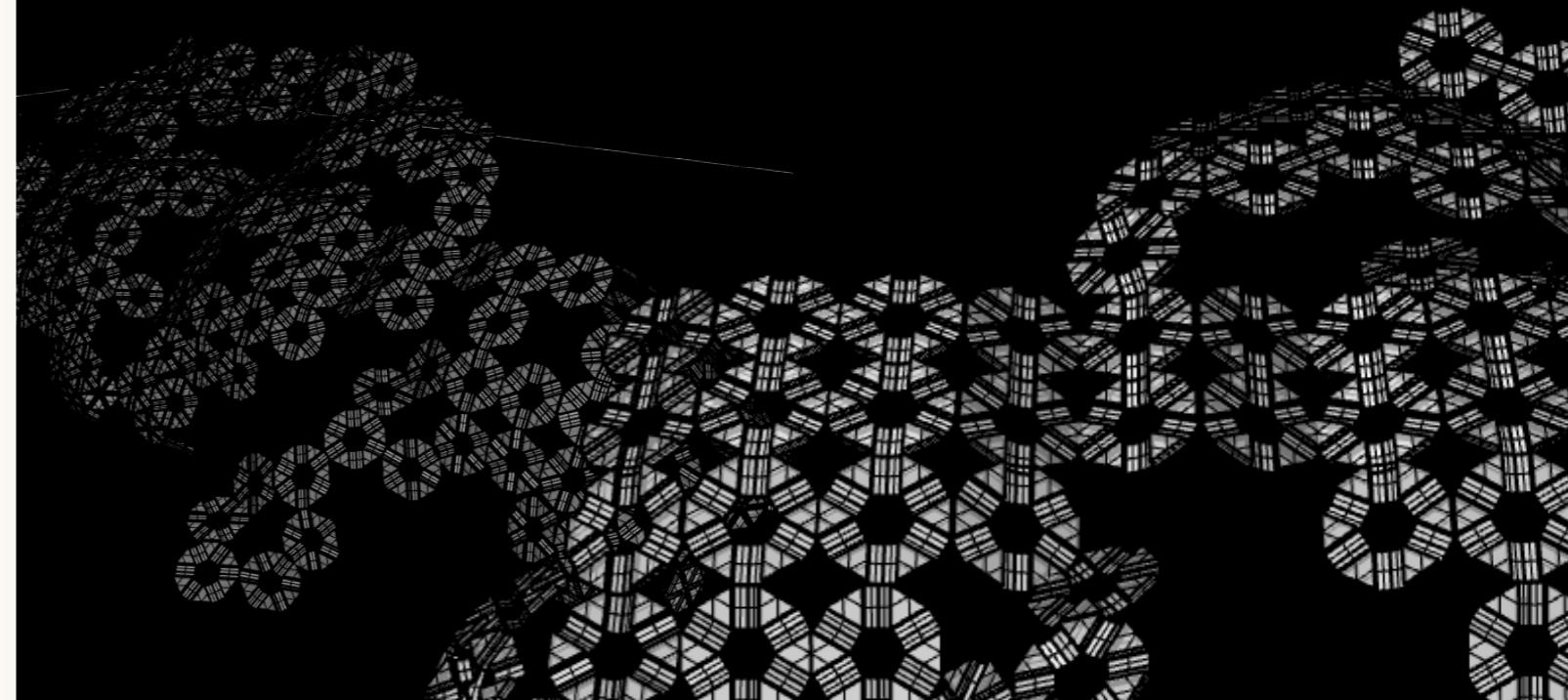
GROUP MEMBERS

ANUKRUTI NIGAM
KSHEETIJA DAS



A THERMOELECTRIC GENERATOR, A METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENT.

Our machinic pavilion works as a meteorological device working primarily on the principles of a pyranometer- the built envelop system responds to the surrounding heat which in turn is used as a source to generate thermo-electric power within the constituent prototypical unit.

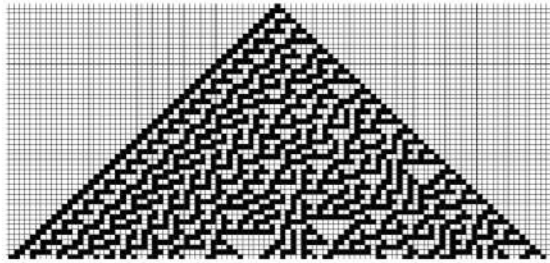


PROTOTYPICAL DEVELOPMENT

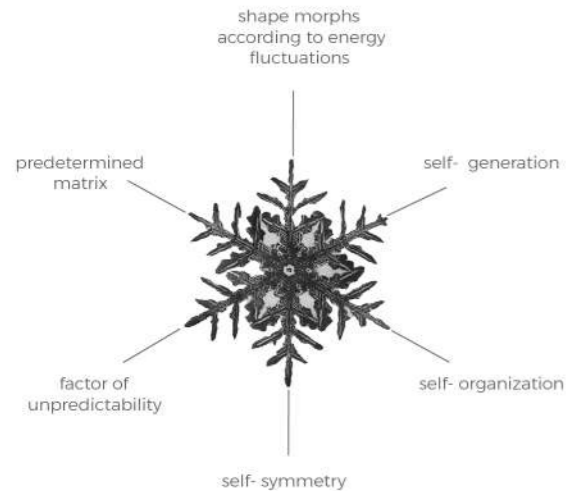
EMERGENT MORPHOLOGIES

Emergence occurs when an entity is observed to have properties its parts do not have on their own, properties or behaviours which emerge only when the parts interact in a wider whole.

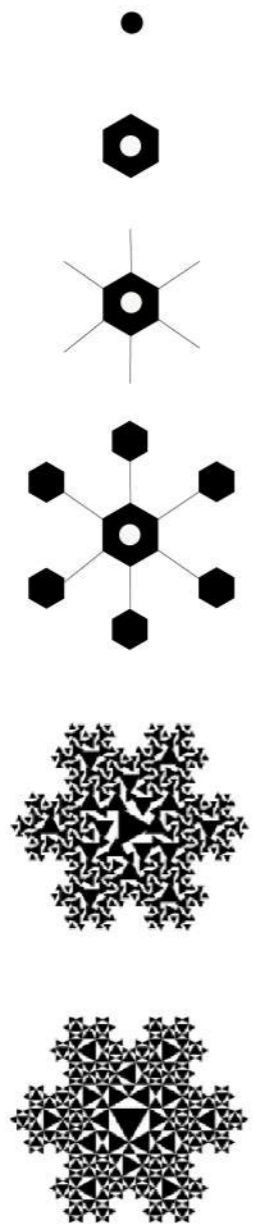
It is produced by multiple causes, but which cannot be said to be the sum of their individual effects.



Natural system under the microscope - SNOWFLAKES



FORMATION OF A SNOWFLAKE



The process begins with a microscopic dust particle.

Water molecules condense on the particles and form hexagonal lattices given their molecular structure.

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The structure takes in energy and changes its form accordingly. By the logic of fractals, it starts from a singular elementary unit, and it keeps iterating onto itself.

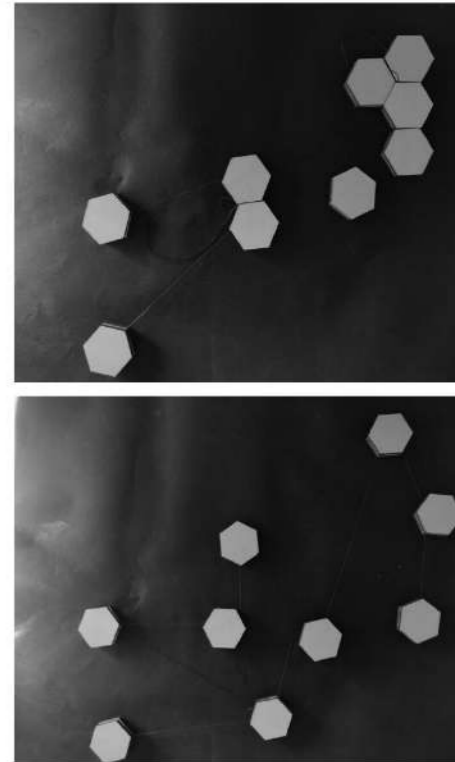
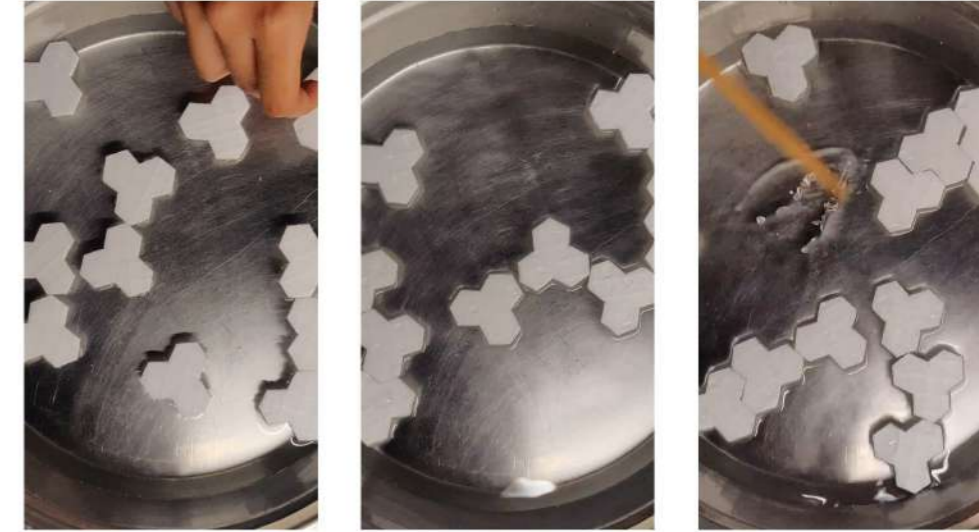
Fractals, chaos theory

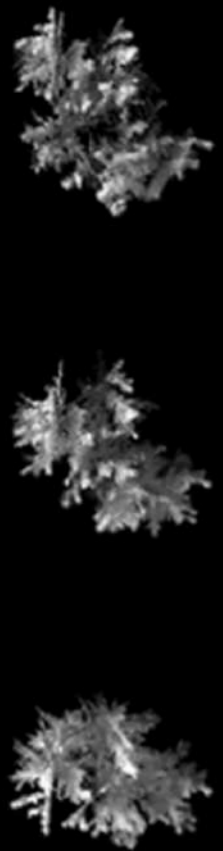
Creating order out of chaos.

A dynamic between uniformity and chaotic nature is created.

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Physical Demonstration





EMERGENT PATTERN OBSERVED: SELF-ORGANIZATION

from the formation of the nucleus to the minute the snowflake reaches the ground, its shape keeps changing, growing according to the change in conditions.

it keeps organizing itself, in the most efficient manner possible, as it falls.

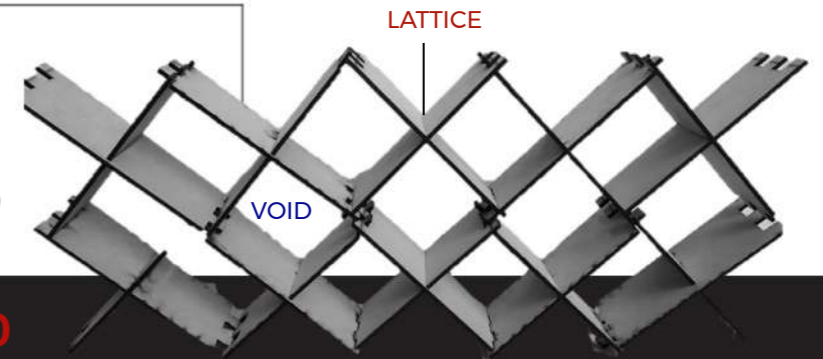
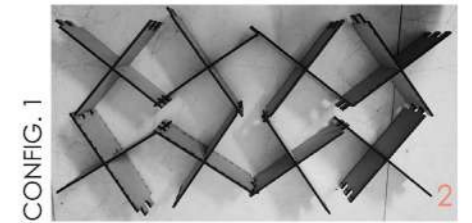
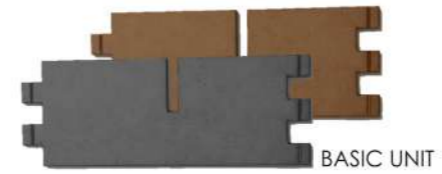
Self-organization refers to the emergence of an overall order in time and space of a given system that results from the collective interactions of its individual components.

TECTONIC SYSTEM

MORPHOLOGICAL ASSEMBLY

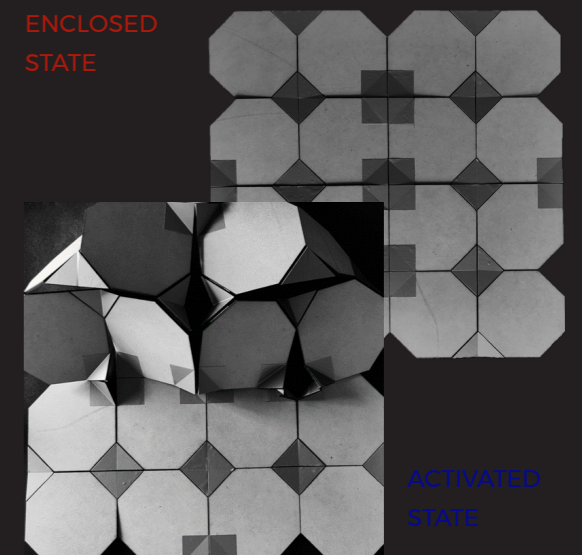
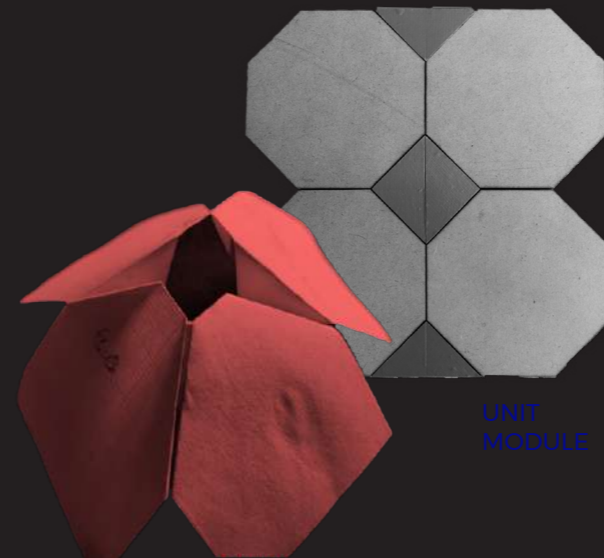
ENVELOPE SYSTEM

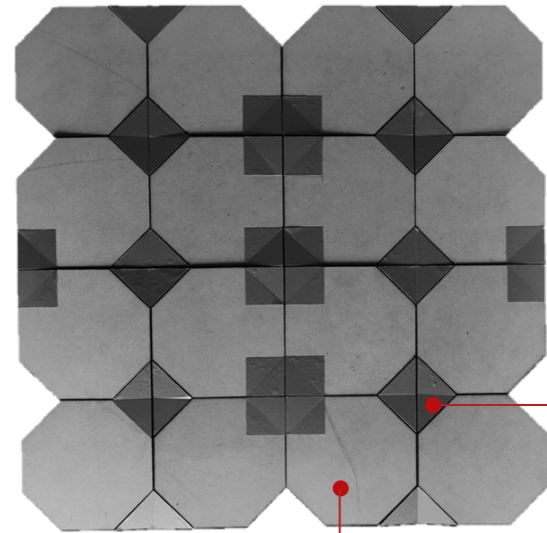
LATTICES



PROTOTYPE 1.0

2.0





SHAPE MEMORY POLYMERS/ ALLOYS

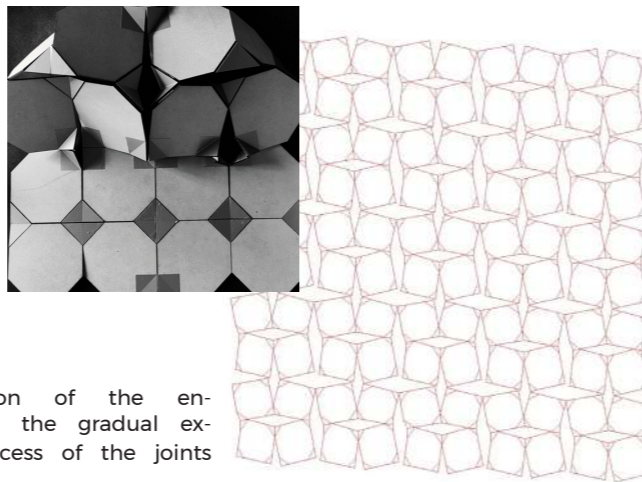
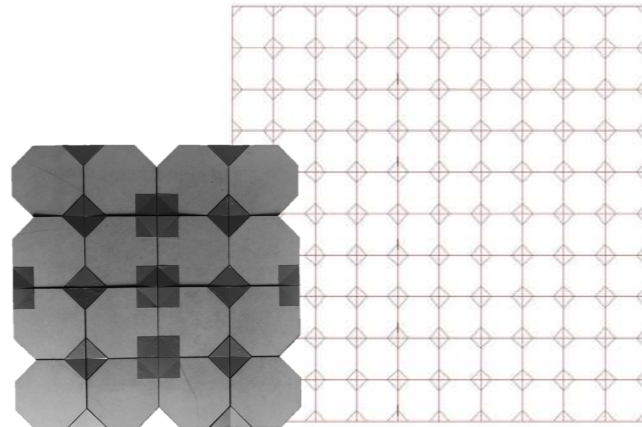
Morphs according to changes in temperature but return to their originally programmed shape and size through a series of few intermediate stages.

lightweight

shape recovery can be triggered through multiple stimuli - **light, heat UV**

SMP/NITINOL JOINTS

ALLOY PLATES



THE STRUCTURE

Deployable structure

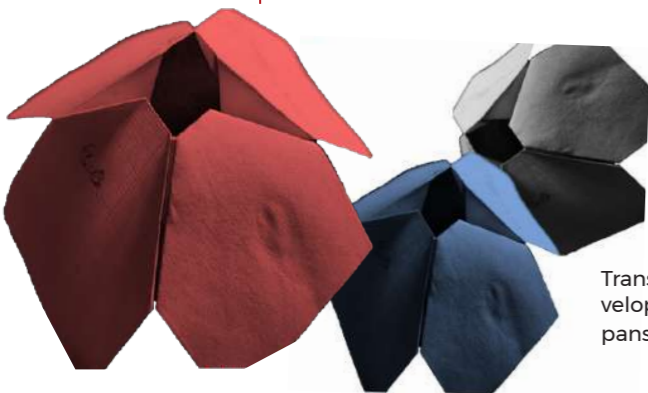
Adjusts to the space provided

Morphs according to the user movement

Shape memory

Can resist impact

Unfolded state/ deployed state (the joints undergo expansion with heat gain and create apertures between the connecting units in the base module)



Transformation of the envelope with the gradual expansion process of the joints

WORKING MECHANISM

Each prototypical panel consists of six triangular metal units joined together with expandable shape memory polymer joint works as a micro thermo electric generator working on the principle of Seebeck Effect.

As the panel accumulates heat, the, the metallic units convert it into electricity and the consequent rise in temperature cause the polymer joint to expand and create apertures in the built envelope.

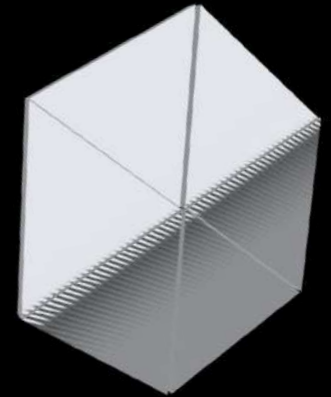
MATERIALITY

FOR TRIANGULAR THERMOELECTRIC UNITS - **ALUMINUM**

FOR JOINTS - **SHAPE MEMORY POLYMER**

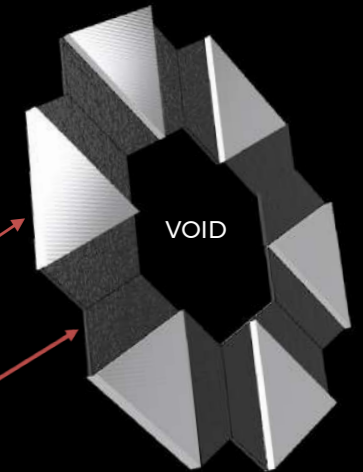
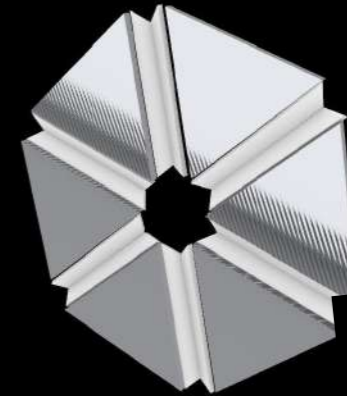
STAGE I

BASE MODULE
(CONTRACTED STATE)



STAGE II

WITH HEAT GAIN THE JOINT UNFOLDS AND GRADUALLY EXPANDS



STAGE IV

FULLY EXPANDED STATE

STAGE III

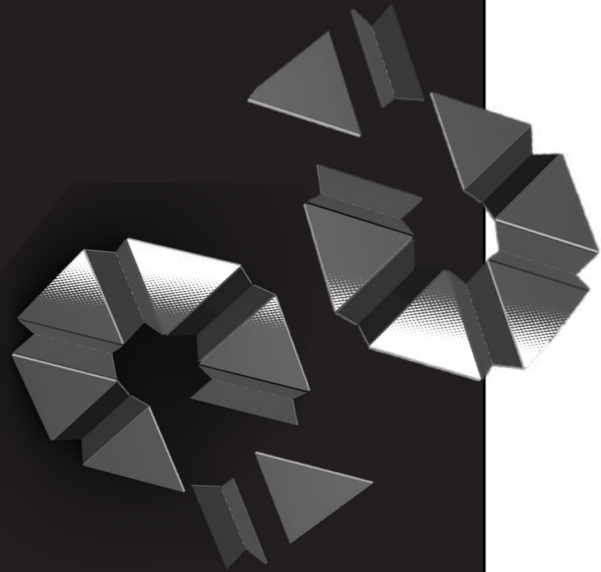
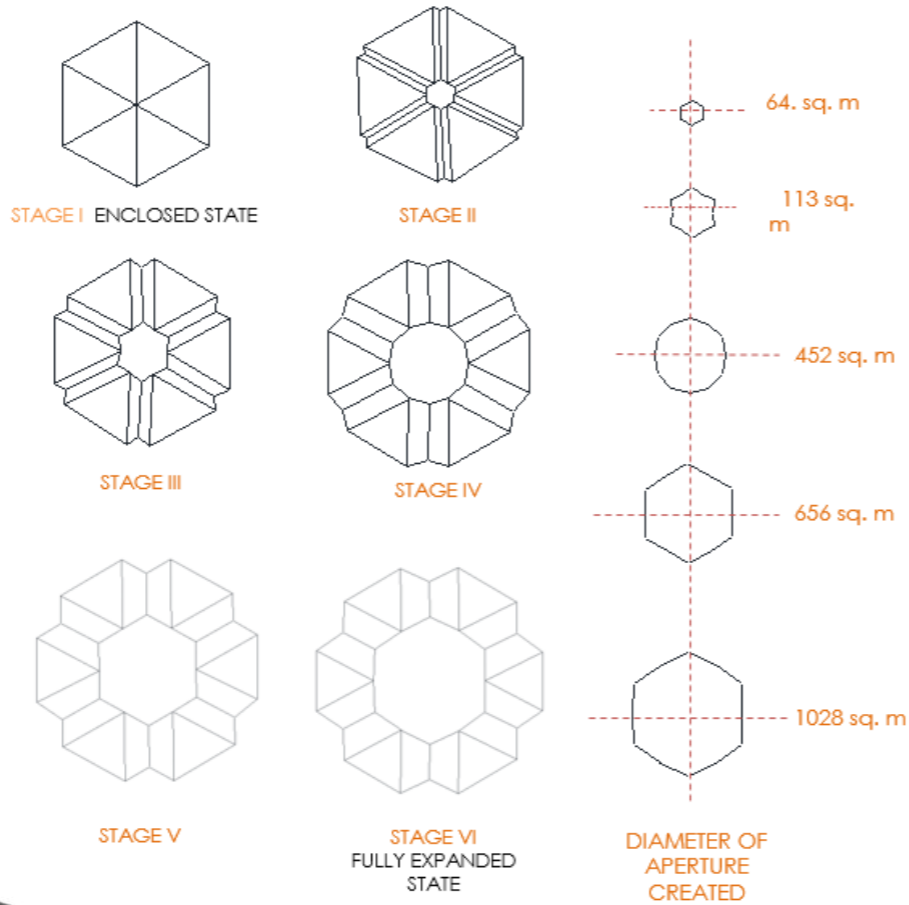
PROTOTYPE 3.0

ALGORITHM /LOGIC

RULE 1. The prototypical unit is an equilateral triangle (each side 200 mm respectively) which forms a hexagonal pyramid when connected to adjacent triangles through shape memory polymer joints.

RULE 2. The polymer joints undergo expansion/contraction depending of the heat accumulation of the thermoelectric panels in a ratio of w/l

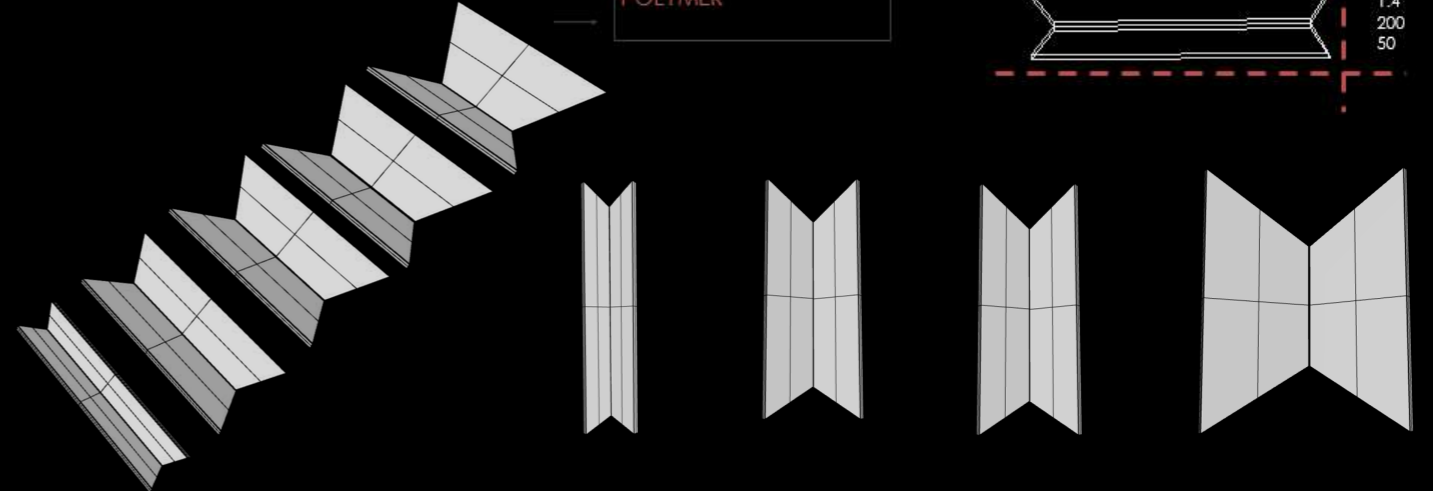
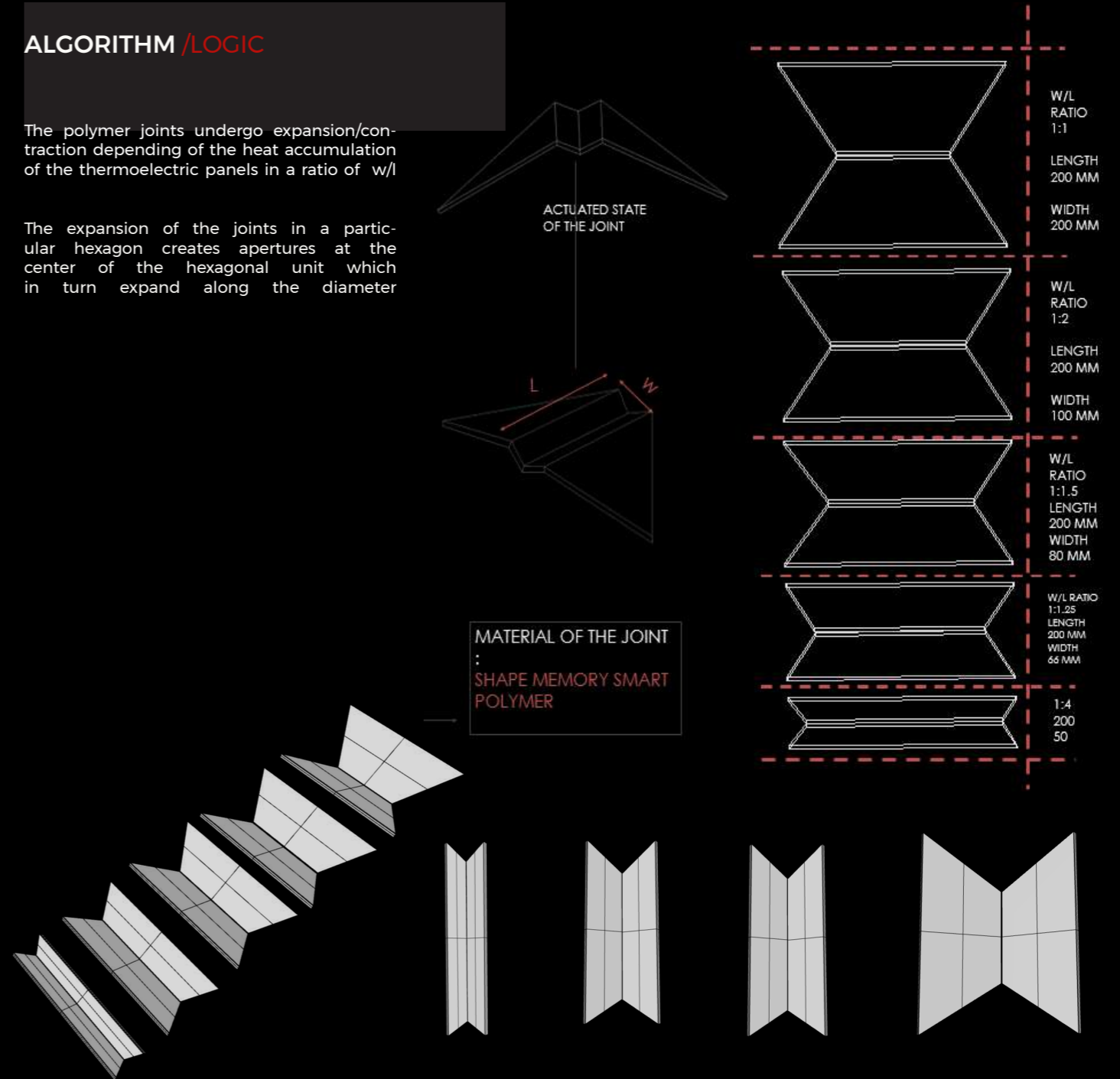
RULE 3. The expansion of the joints in a particular hexagon creates apertures at the center of the hexagonal unit which in turn expand along the diameter

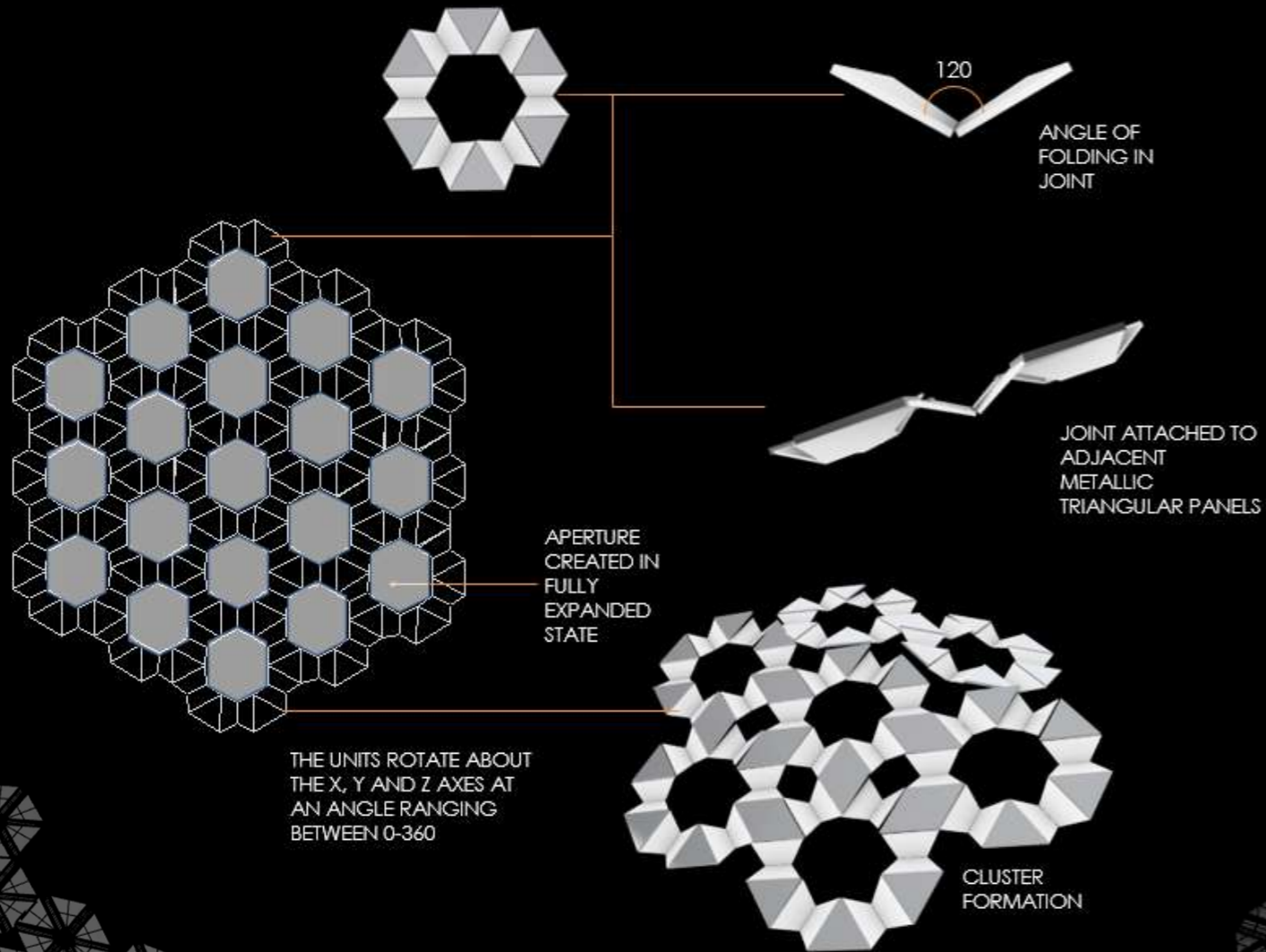


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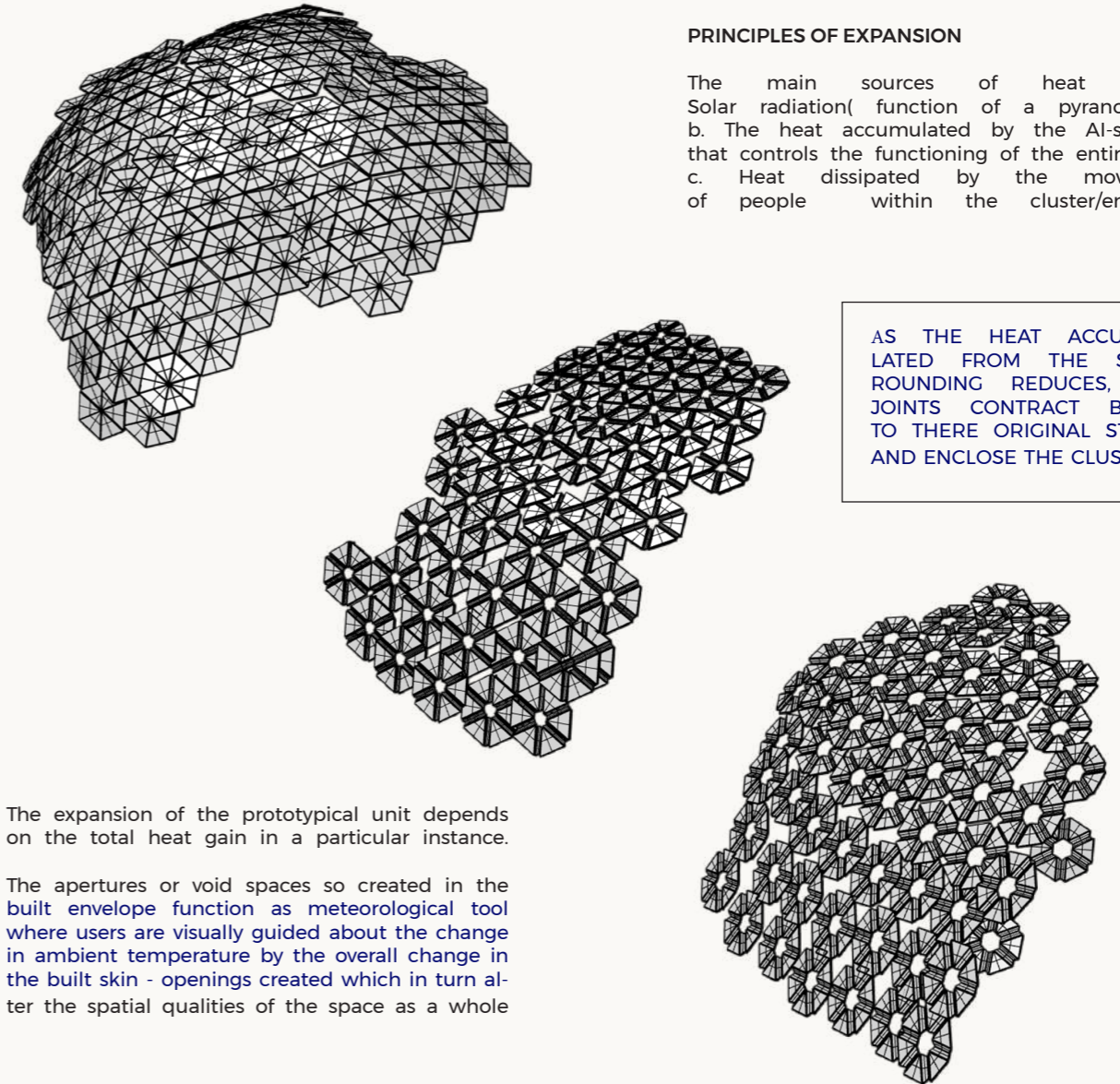
FUNCTIONING OF THE PAVILION

AS A METEOROLOGICAL DEVICE

PRINCIPLES OF EXPANSION

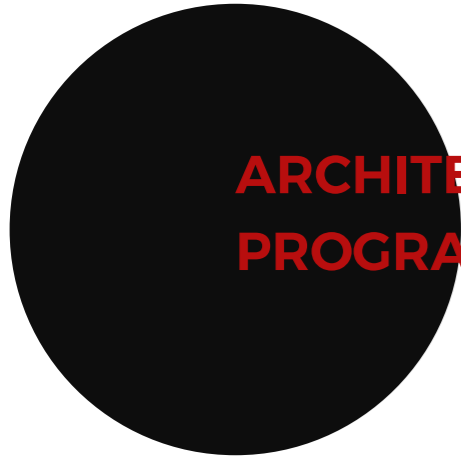
The main sources of heat being:
 a. Solar radiation(function of a pyranometer)
 b. The heat accumulated by the AI-systems that controls the functioning of the entire built
 c. Heat dissipated by the movement of people within the cluster/envelope

AS THE HEAT ACCUMULATED FROM THE SURROUNDING REDUCES, THE JOINTS CONTRACT BACK TO THERE ORIGINAL STATE AND ENCLOSE THE CLUSTER.



The expansion of the prototypical unit depends on the total heat gain in a particular instance.

The apertures or void spaces so created in the built envelope function as meteorological tool where users are visually guided about the change in ambient temperature by the overall change in the built skin - openings created which in turn alter the spatial qualities of the space as a whole



ARCHITECTURAL PROGRAM

The Age of AI and Climate

Our world exists in a very delicate fragile time, and the balance could be tipped any minute. And the cause for this is us, with our greed, with our un-harnessed science and technology that have kept razing the planet. But at the end of the day, these are mere tools.

Artificial Intelligence is a new, fresh tool, brimming with potential. We believe, it's one of the best tools we have, in our fight against climate change.

AI-driven solutions, for climate change.

AI in our program

Interactive VR/MR/ER-facilitated studios

Simulation rooms for a more interactive/deeper learning/research (Tides, Weather etc. - demonstration of natural phenomena)

AI systems analyze weather conditions, and forecast real-time humidity levels, radiation etc.



[SPACES]

FACILITATION OF INTERACTION/COLLABORATION/RAPID EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION BETWEEN RESEARCHERS FROM DIFFERENT DISCIPLINES/FIELDS.

TRANSFORMATIVE SPACES

MULTIFUNCTIONAL SPACES

SPACES THAT FACILITATE THOUGHT, CONTEMPLATION.

HUMAN SPACES:

- THOUGHT
- HEALTHY SPACES
- INCLUSIVE SPACES

LESS RIGID SPACES, MORE CONNECTIONS:

- VISUAL
- PHYSICAL
- MENTAL(?)



[sustainability]

MINIMIZATION OF WASTE+ENERGY CONSUMPTION

COULD THE WASTE GENERATED BE RECYCLED/RE-USED?

VENTILATION

OPENNESS

ECONOMICAL

MULTIFUNCTIONALITY OF SPACES

EFFICIENT ENERGY CONSUMPTION

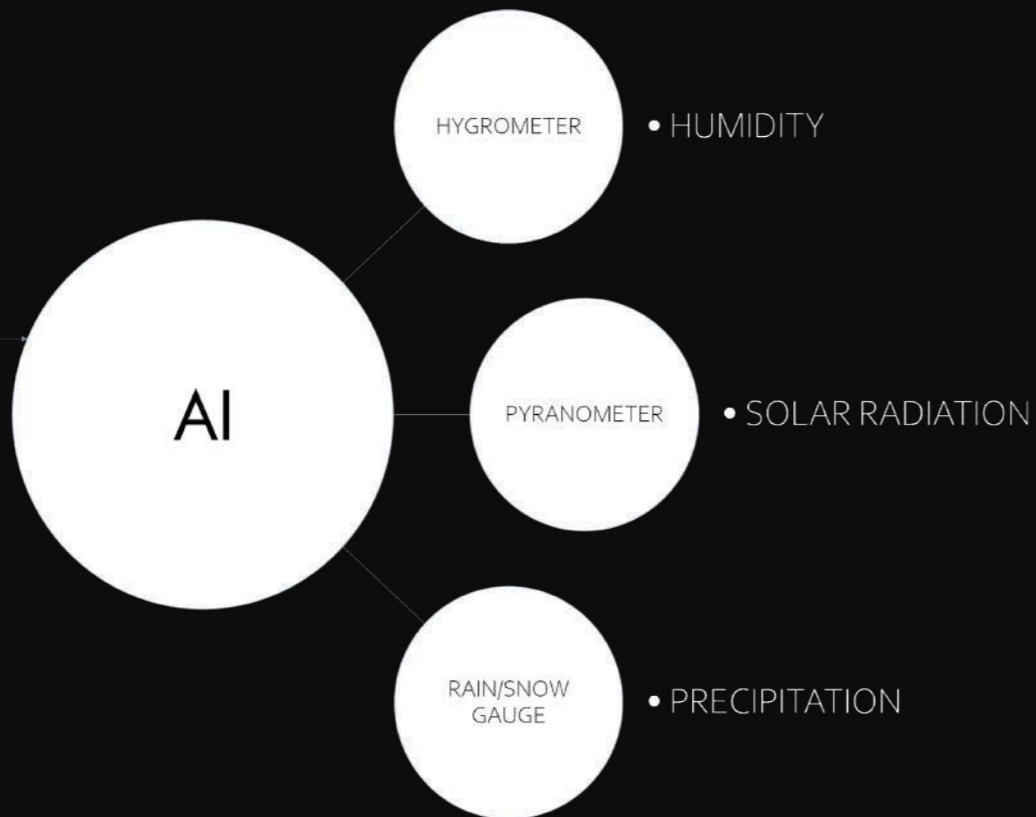
FLEXIBLE WORKSPACES/LABS

FIXED WORKSTATIONS/OFFICES LIMIT INTERACTION+LEARNING, AND EVENTUALLY, INNOVATION AND (FAST) GROWTH.

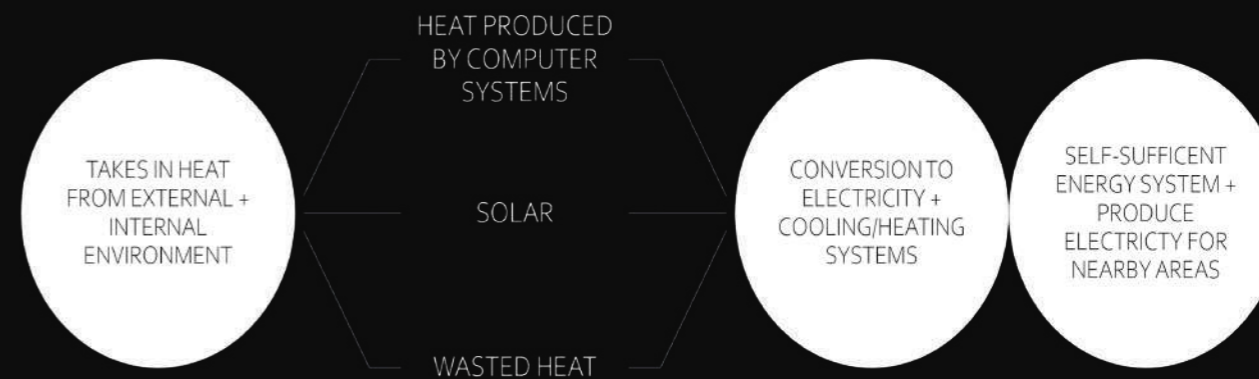
FLEXIBLE INTERIORS, AS WELL AS STRUCTURE(?)

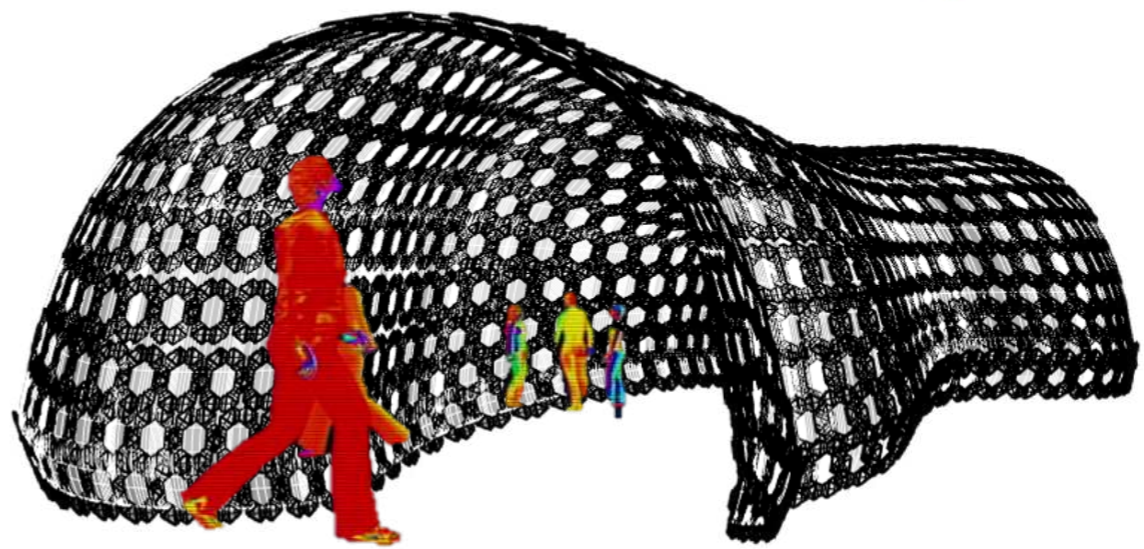
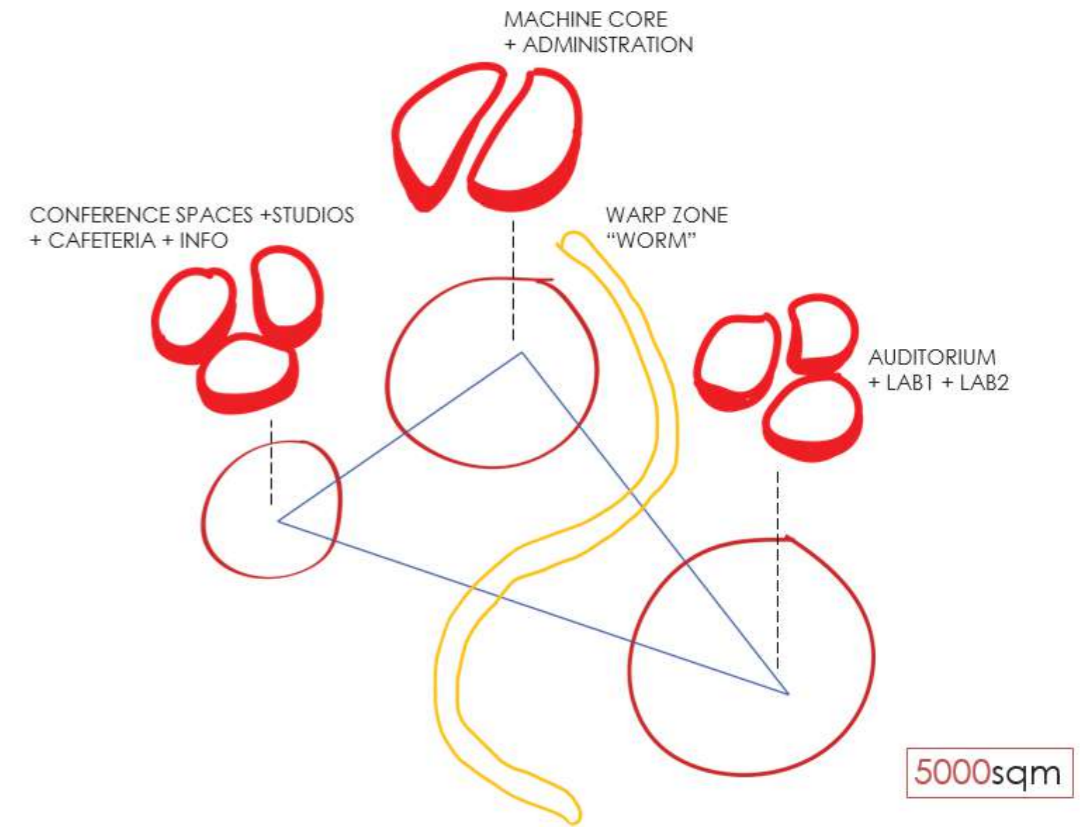
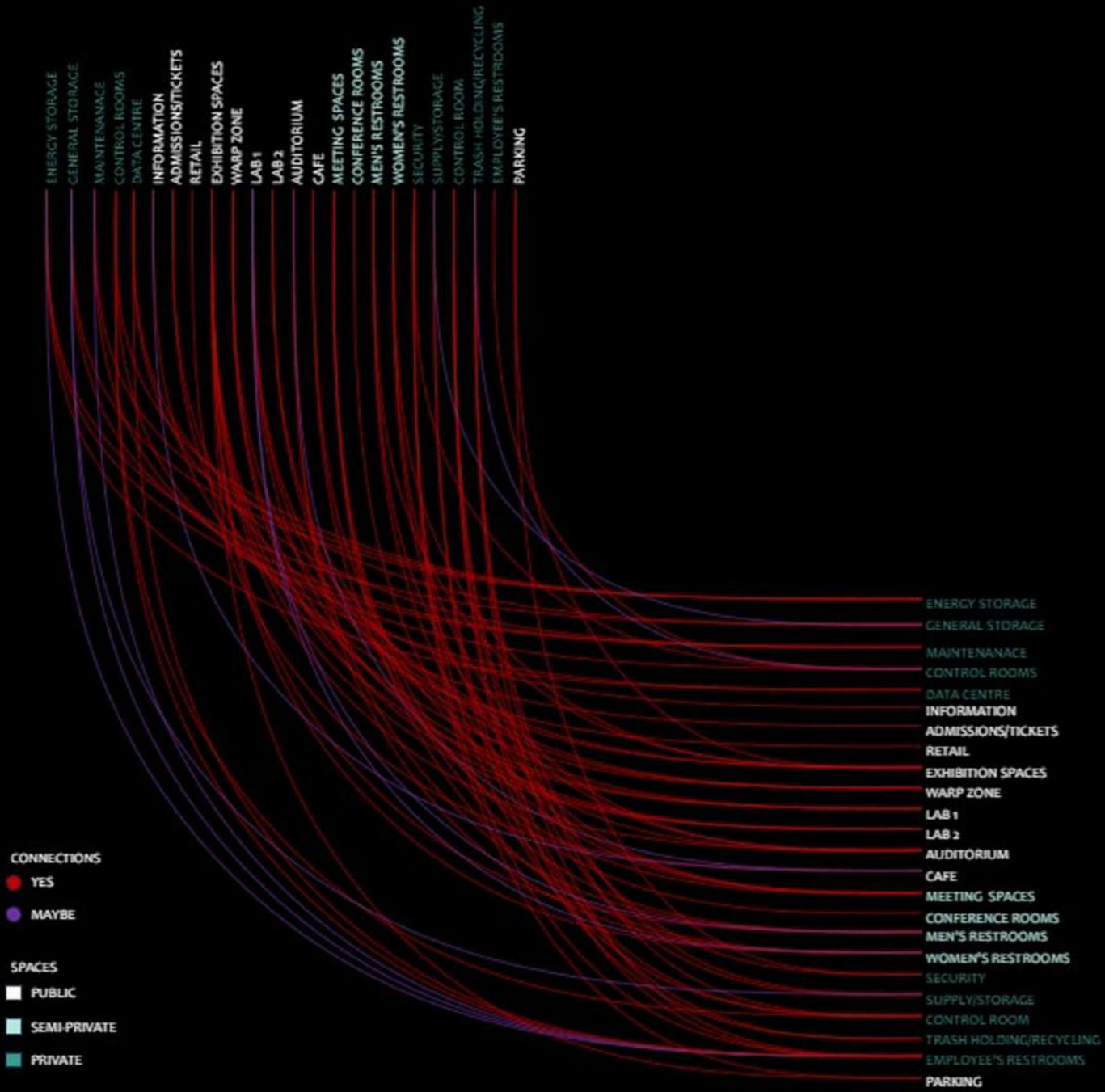
DESIGNED IN SUCH A WAY THAT THEY ALLOW FOR SELF FOCUSED/INDIVIDUAL WORK AS WELL AS COLLABORATIVE.

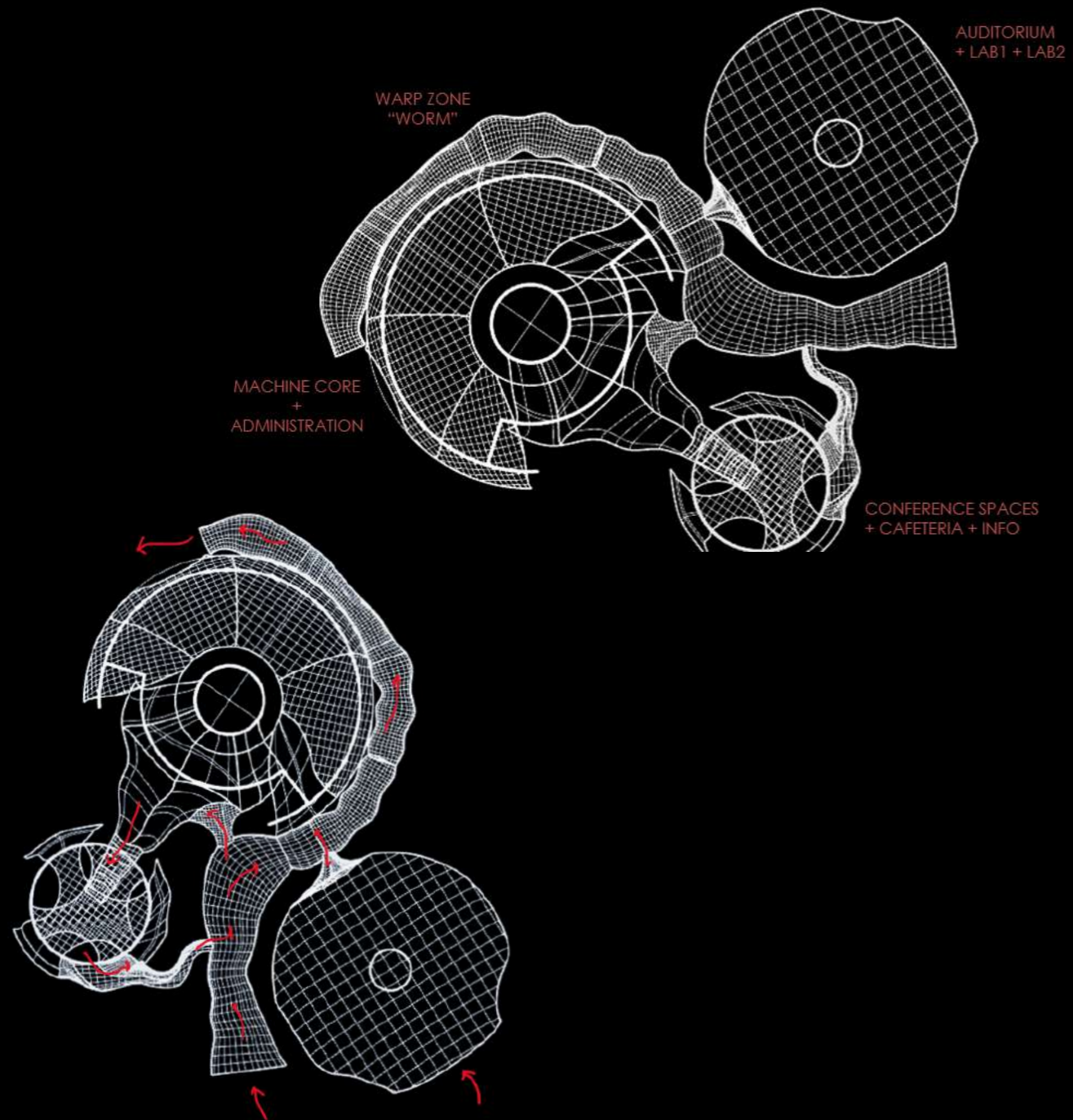
PROGRAM



SPACES	OCCUPANTS	NO. OF PEOPLE	QUANTITY	SIZE (sqm)	TOTAL SIZE	% OF BUILDING	SPACE TYPE (P/S/T)
MACHINE							
1 ENERGY STORAGE TANKS	PERSONNEL	5	2	80	160	3.2	
2 SUPPLY+GENERAL STORAGE	PERSONNEL	5	1	60	60	1.2	
3 MAINTENANCE	PERSONNEL	5	1	45	45	0.9	
4 CONTROL ROOMS	PERSONNEL	10	1	50	50	1	
5 DATA CENTRE	PERSONNEL	5	1	25	25	0.5	
SUB-TOTAL NET ASSIGNABLE				260	340	6.8	
ENTRY, LOBBY, ADMISSIONS, STORE							
1 INFORMATION	MIX	3	1	4	4	0.08	
2 ADMISSIONS/TICKETS	MIX	3	1	5	5	0.1	
3 RETAIL	MIX	10	1	150	150	3	
SUB-TOTAL NET ASSIGNABLE				159	159	3.18	
ACTIVITY/PROGRAM AREAS							
1 EXHIBITION SPACES	VISITORS	80	1	1500	1500	30	
2 WARP ZONE	VISITORS	40	1	150	150	3	
3 LAB 1	VISITORS	30	1	150	150	3	
4 LAB 2	VISITORS	30	1	150	150	3	
5 AUDITORIUM	VISITORS	80	1	1000	1000	20	
7 CAFE	VISITORS	20	1	250	250	5	
8 MEETING SPACES	VISITORS	30	4	30	120	2.4	
9 CONFERENCE ROOMS	VISITORS	40	2	50	100	2	
10 MEN'S RESTROOMS	VISITORS	5	1	15	15	0.3	
11 WOMEN'S RESTROOMS	VISITORS	5	1	15	15	0.3	
SUB-TOTAL NET ASSIGNABLE				3310	3450	69	
ADMINISTRATION+SERVICES							
1 INFORMATION	MIX	3	1	4	4	0.08	
2 SECURITY	PERSONNEL	3	1	15	15	0.3	
3 SUPPLY+GENERAL STORAGE	PERSONNEL	5	1	40	40	0.8	
4 CONTROL ROOM	PERSONNEL	5	1	30	30	0.6	
5 TRASH HOLDING+RECYCLE AREA	PERSONNEL	5	1	100	100	2	
6 EMPLOYEE'S RESTROOMS	PERSONNEL	10	1	20	20	0.4	
7 PARKING	MIX	60	1	900	900	18	
SUB-TOTAL NET ASSIGNABLE				1109	1109	22.18	







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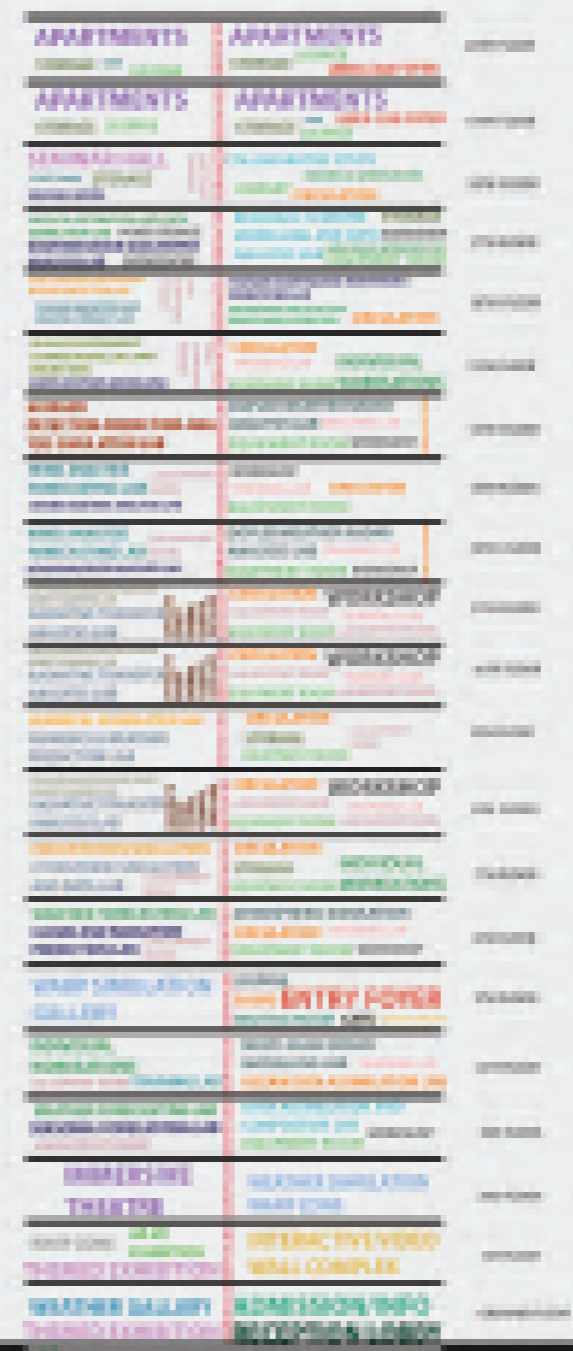
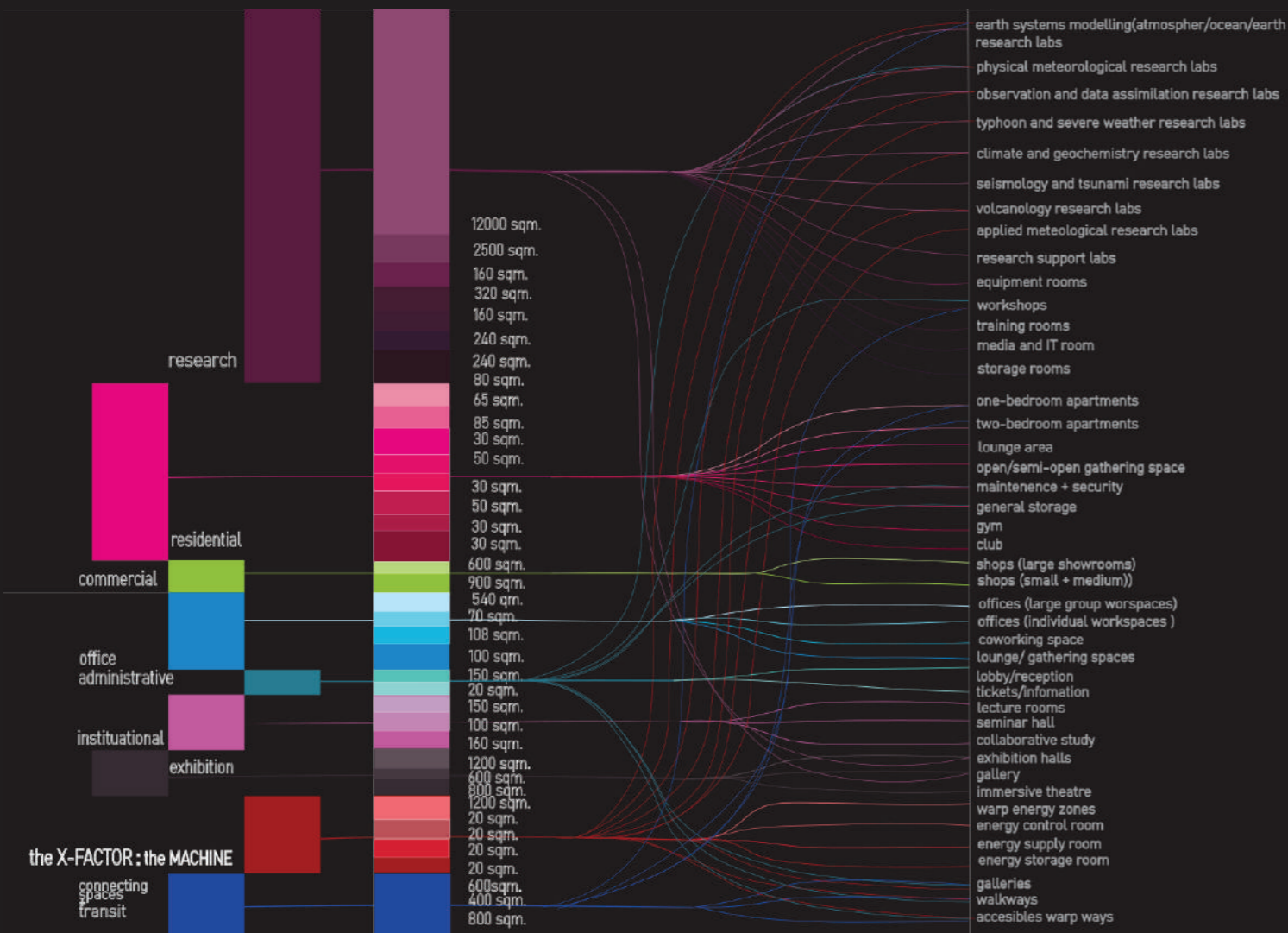
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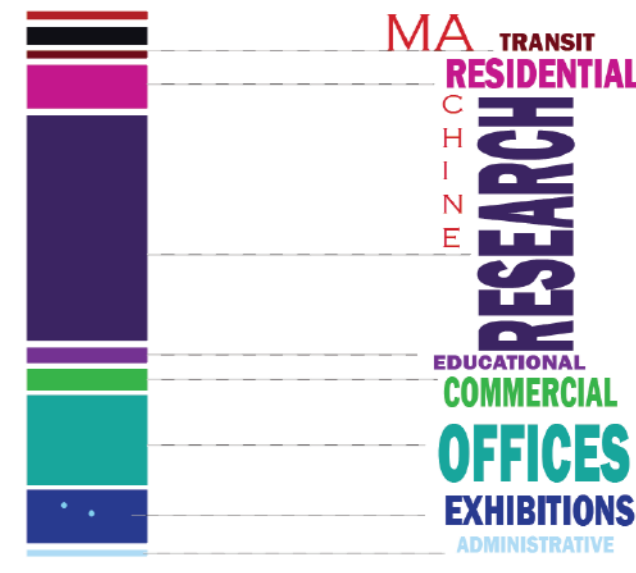
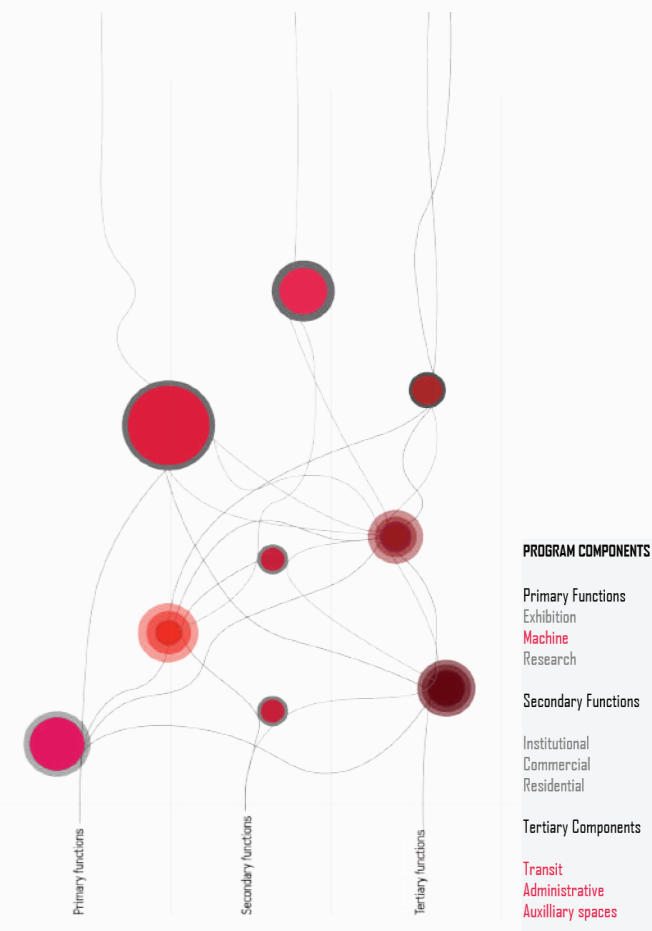


THE AGE OF AI

ADJACENCY DIAGRAM



SERVICES
**BASEMENT
 PARKING**



SOLAR RADIATION ANALYSIS

ALGORITHMIC PROCESS :

The aim of the process was to analyse the effect of solar radiation in the direct sun hours and find the most suitable orientation (i.e. maximized heat gain on the periphery of the built mass for the placement of the prototypical unit.

The hypothetical placed voxel mass is hence rotated across a series of angles: 0 to 60 degrees respectively to find the best suited orientation of the builform with maximized solar gain.

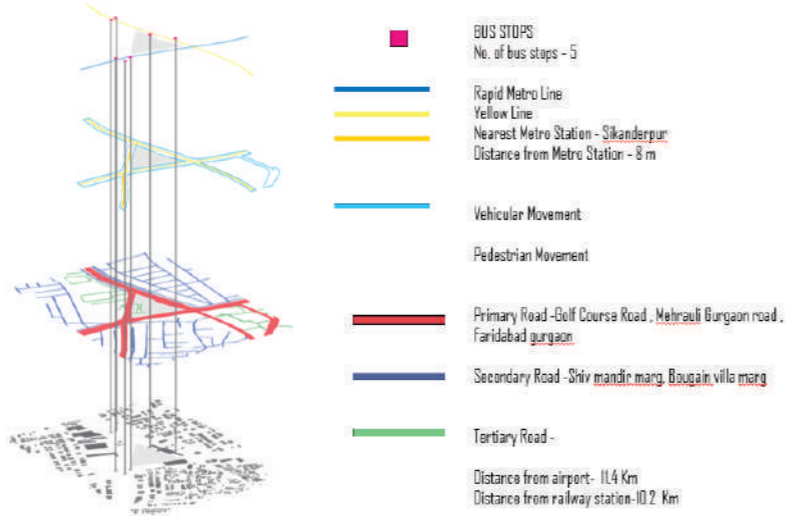
ACCESSIBILITY

Site - Sikanderpur

USER GROUP ANALYSIS

ALGORITHMIC PROCESS :

The main user groups occupying the site are – regular commuters, visitors, students, staff and residents respectively. The site has been analysed for eight time slots throughout the day in order to understand the clustering pattern of occupants for various activities.



SIKANDERPUR - METRO STATION

Sikanderpur is a popular locality situated in Gurgaon and the pin code of this locality is 122004.

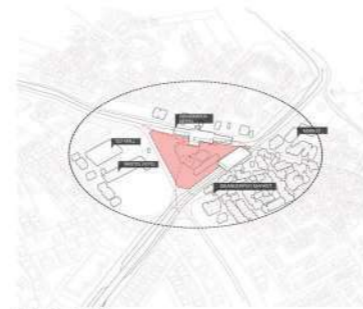


POPULATION

Existing - 15.5 Lakhs and is estimated to rise to 42 Lakhs by the end of this decade.

LOCATION & ORIENTATION

Located adjacent to South-Delhi falling in NCR Delhi.
Latitude - 28d,27m,55s
Longitude - 77d,01m,00s



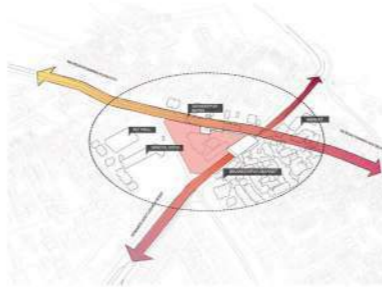
VISUAL ACCESS



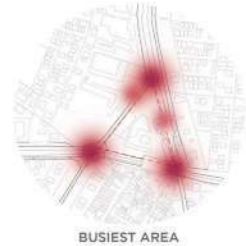
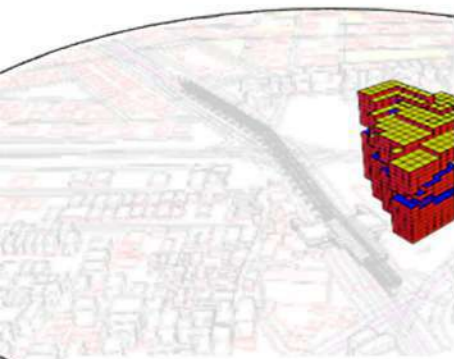
PEDESTRIAN ACCESS



VEGETATION

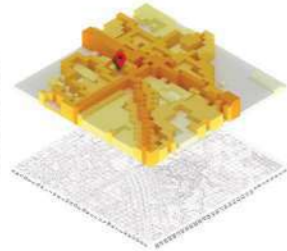


ROAD ACCESS



BUSIEST AREA

ISOMETRIC VIEW



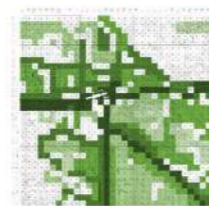
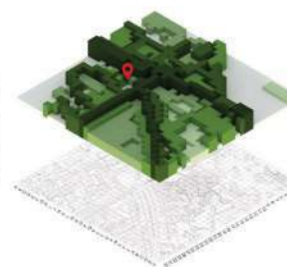
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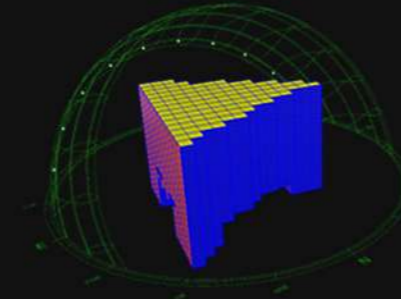
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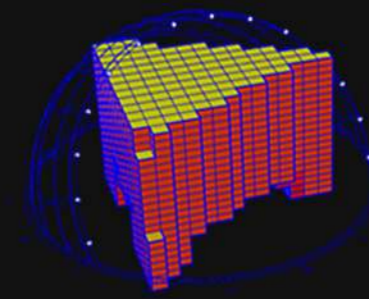
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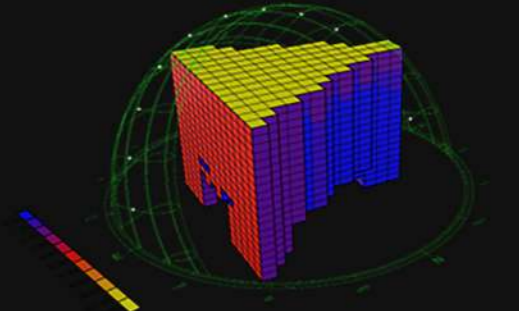
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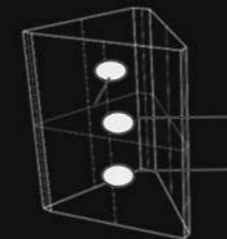
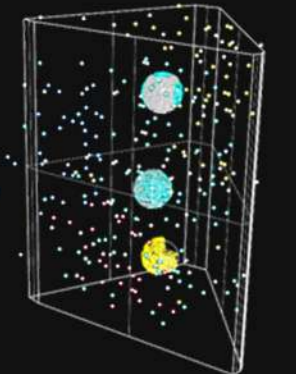
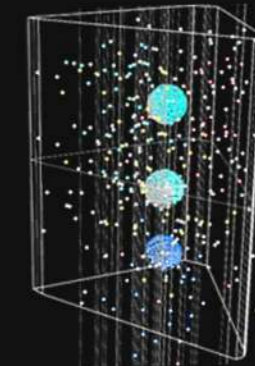
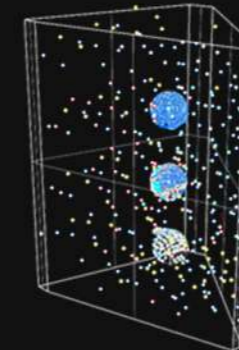


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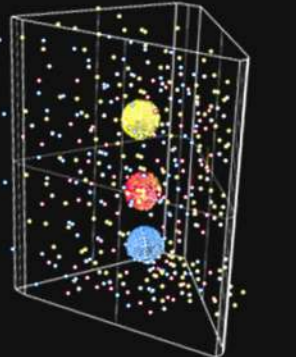
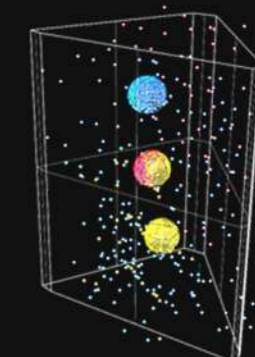
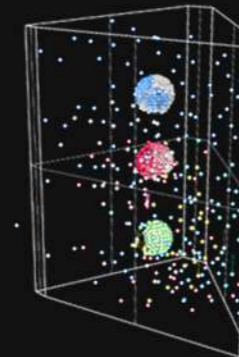
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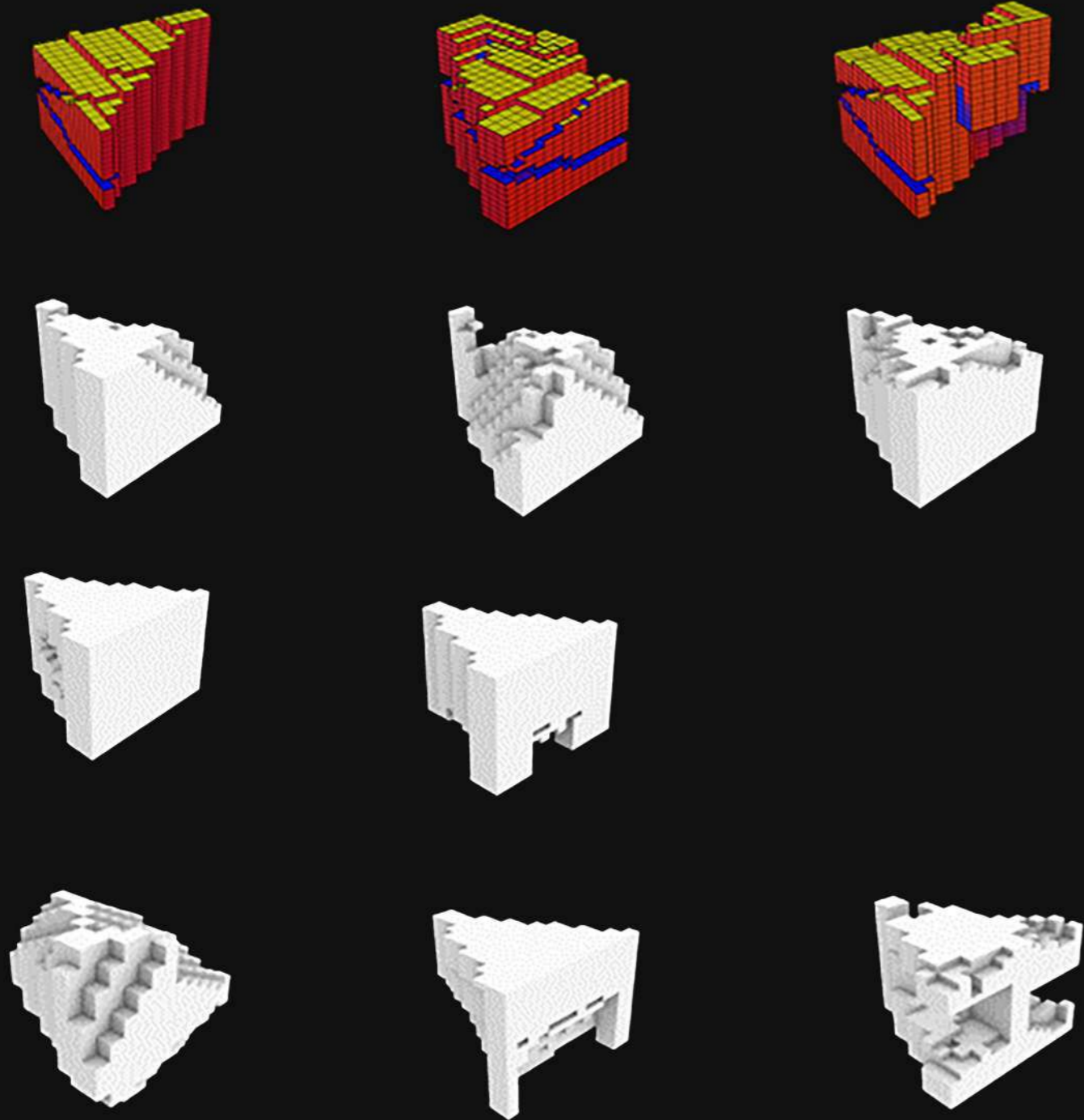
- Regular commuters (Ur)
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- Staff (Ue)
- Residents (Ure)



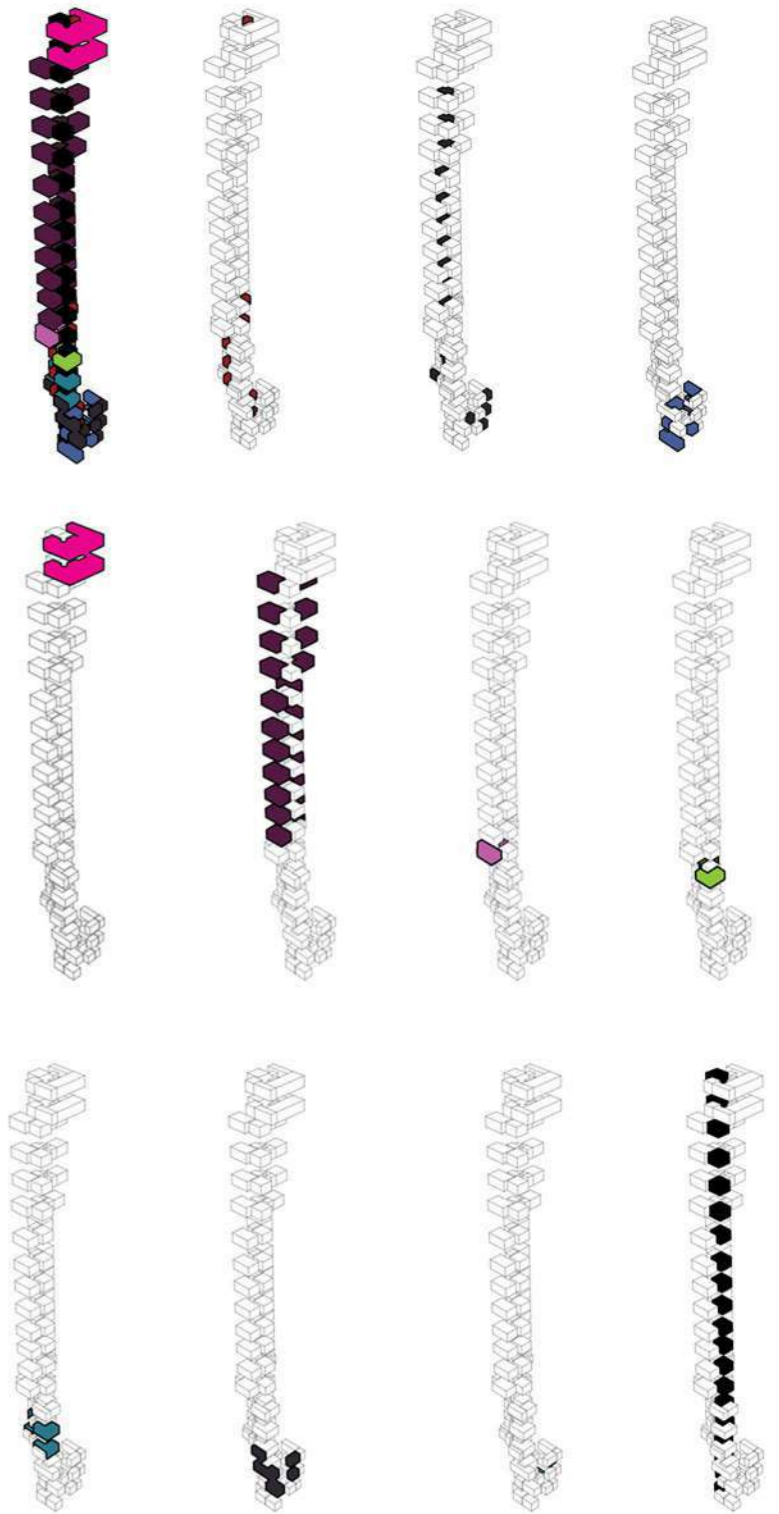
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Tertiary activity



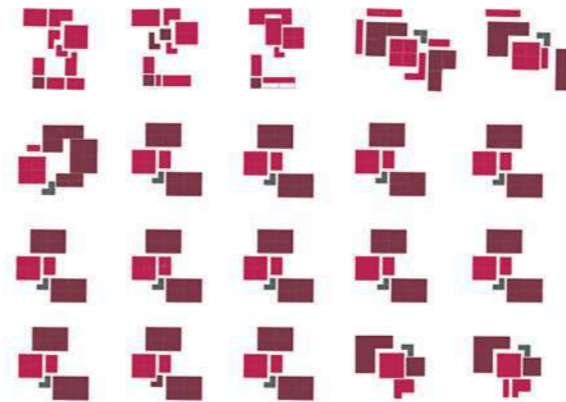
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FINAL FORM DERIVATION



Linking to program and massing form derivatives

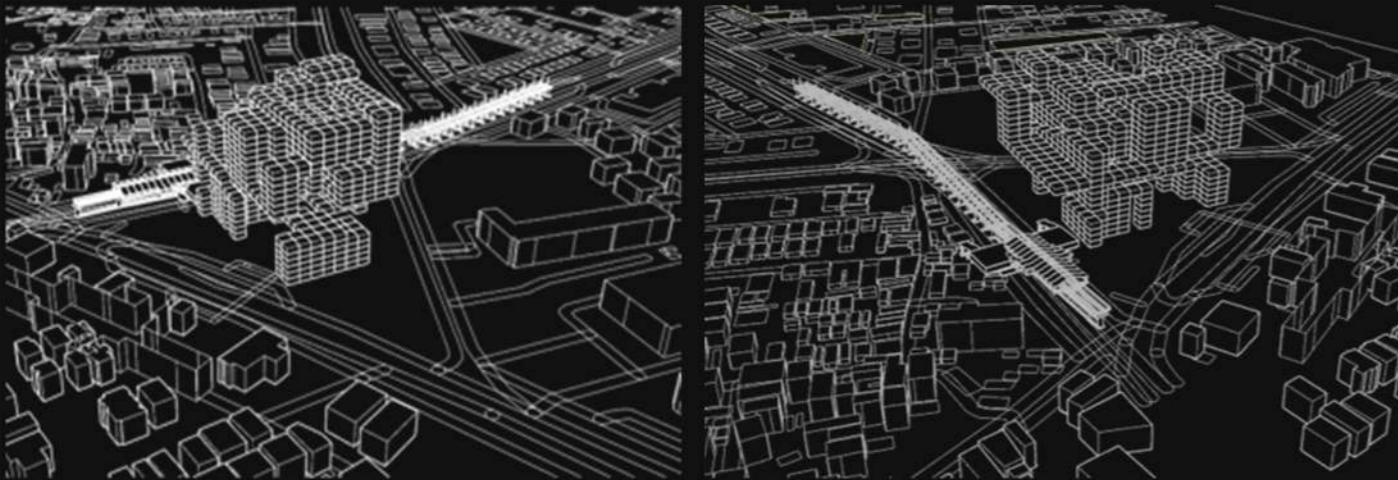
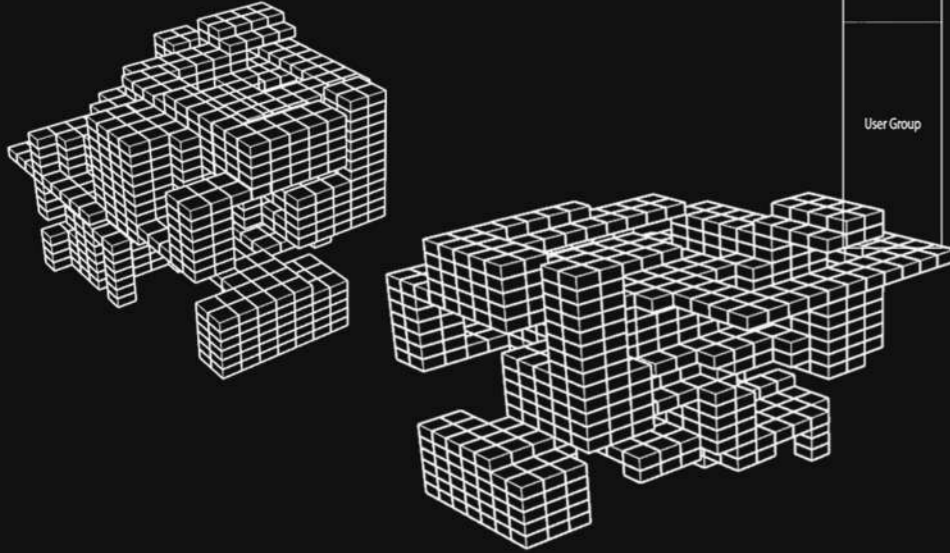


FINAL FORM DERIVATION

PRIMARY PARAMETER - SOLAR RADIATION

SECODARY PARAMETER - ACCESSIBILITY

TERTIARY PARAMETER - USER GROUP

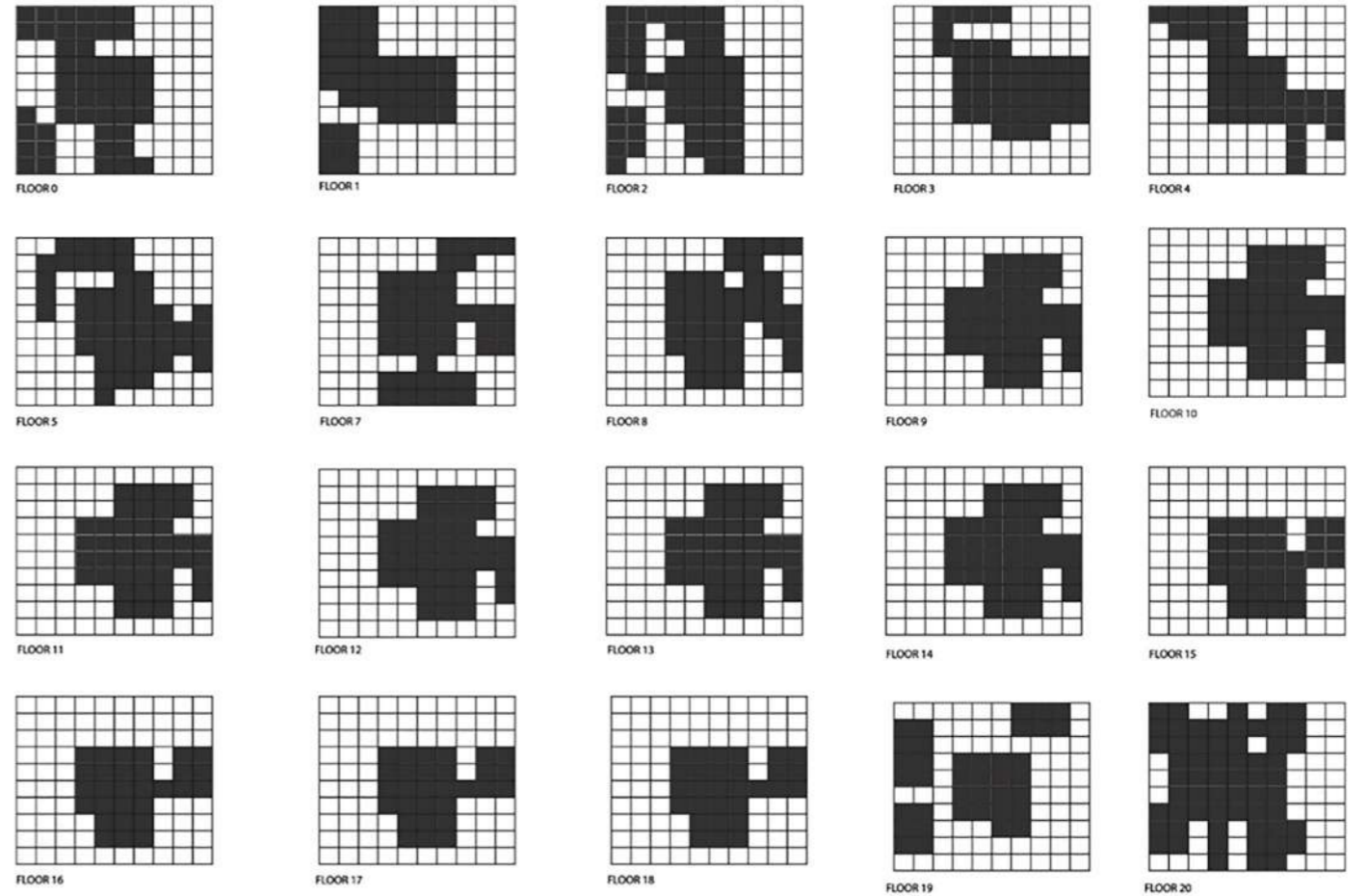
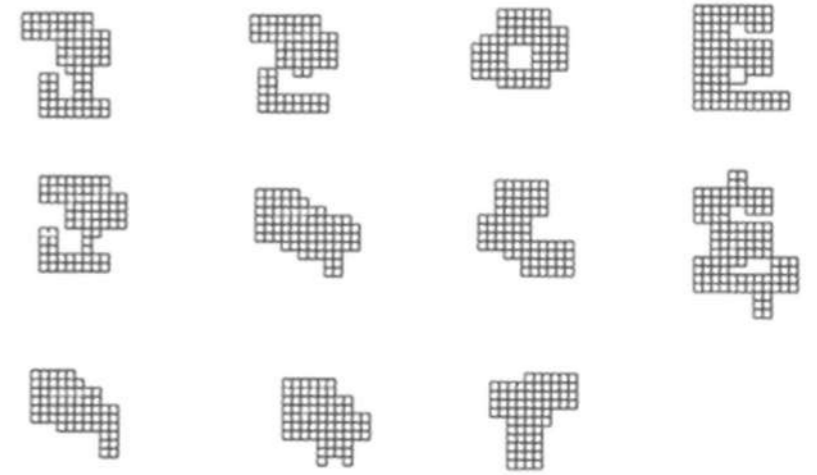


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	Sj0		●	SjAp
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	Am	●		SjApAmAuAv
	Au	●		SxAx
	Av	●		SxAxUv
	Uv	●	●	SxAxUvUr
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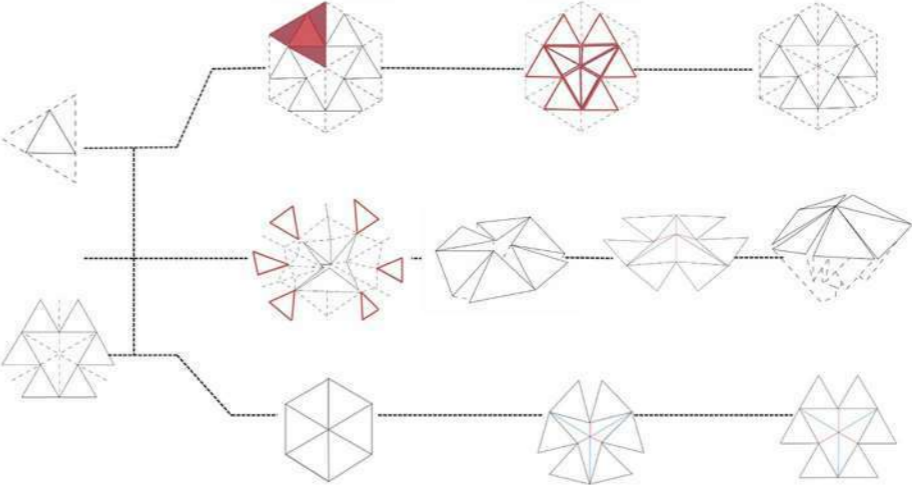
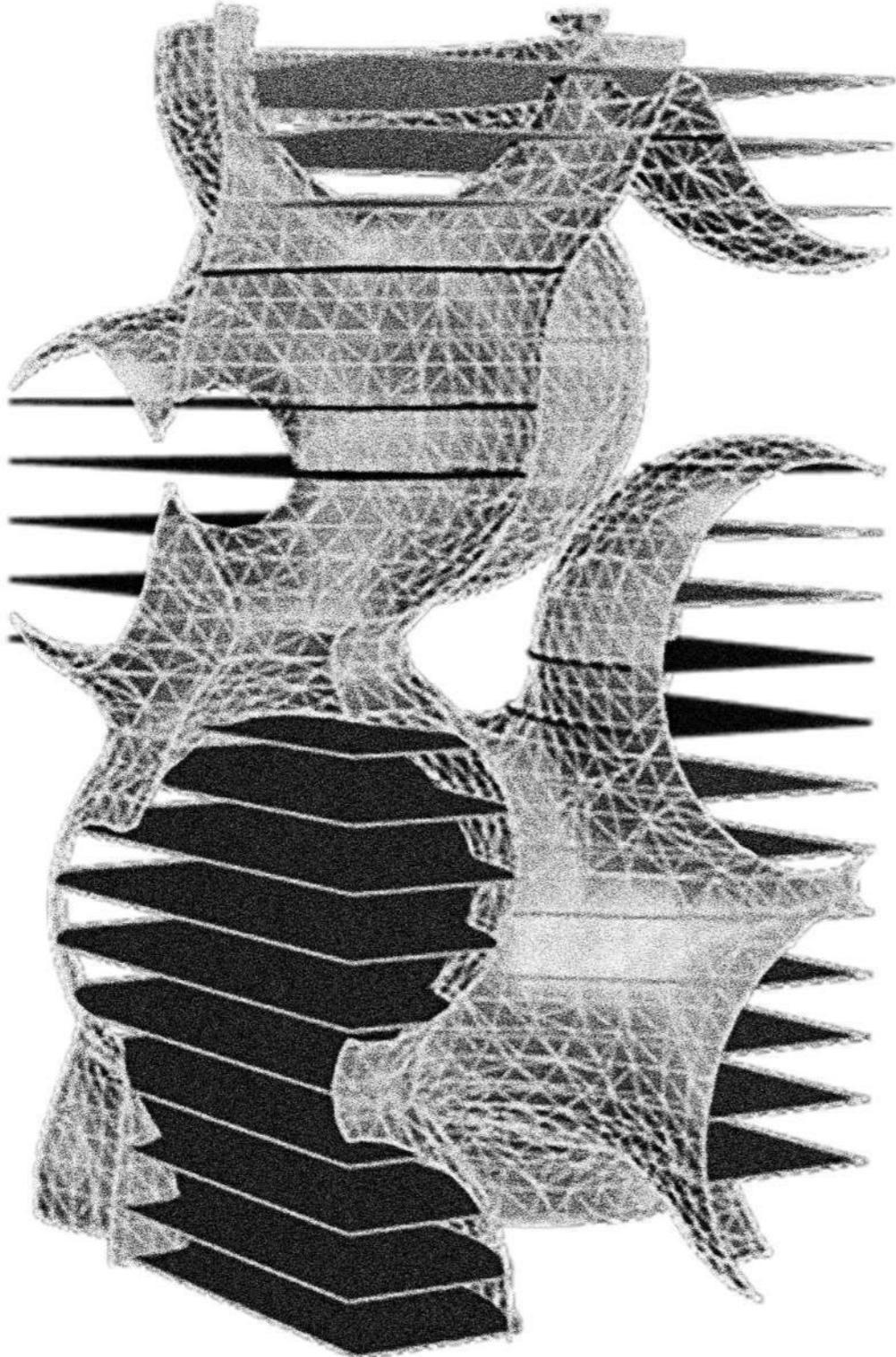
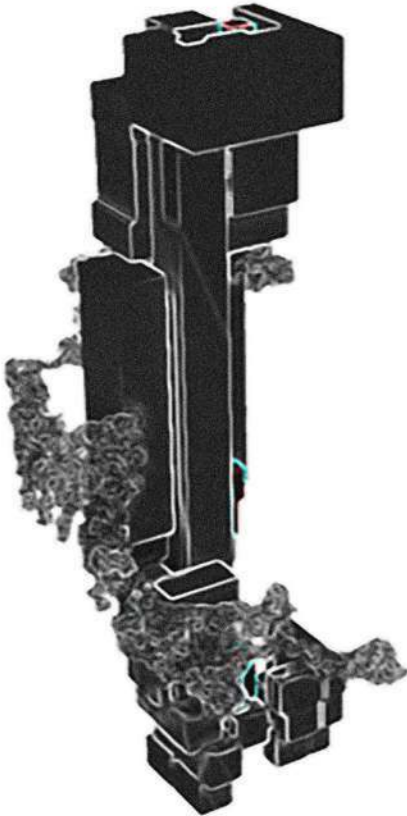
FLOOR WISE SPATIAL LAYOUTS

The floor wise arrangements demonstrate the spaces with maximum user density at any given point in time and the white spaces show the possible placement of voids.

- Occupied spaces
- Un-occupied spaces



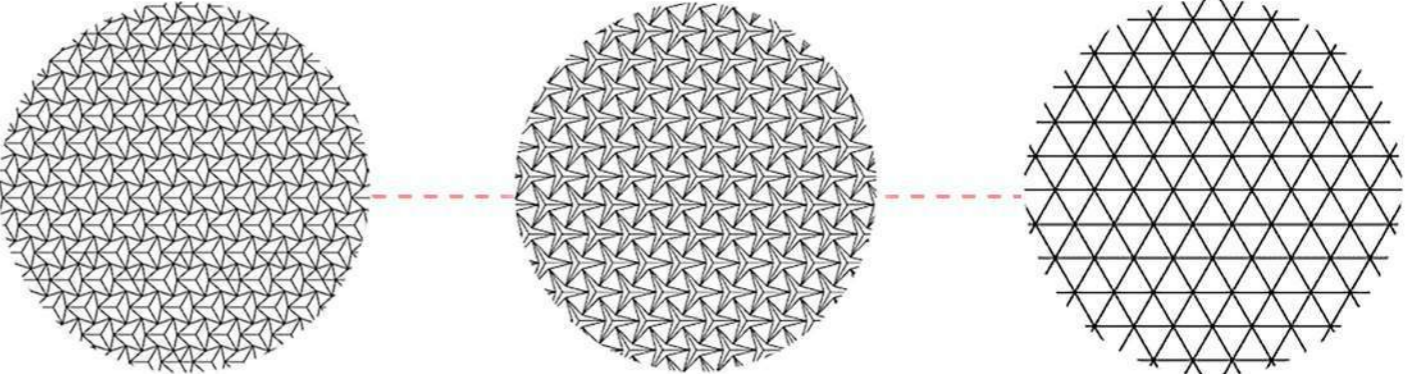
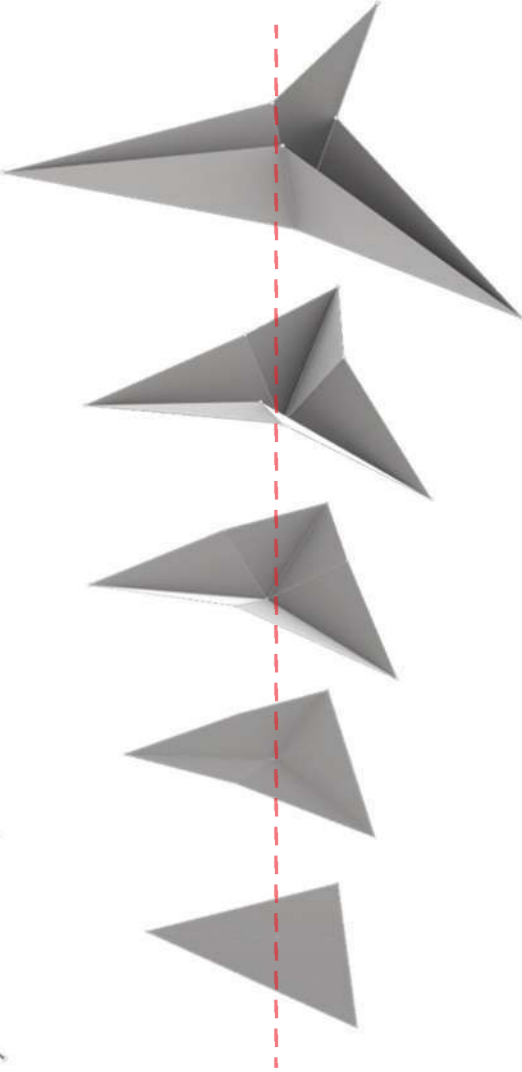
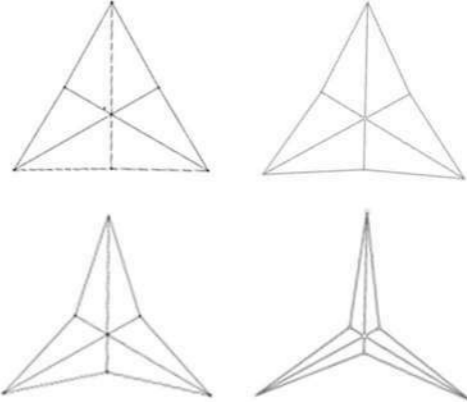
PROTOTYPICAL INTEGRATION

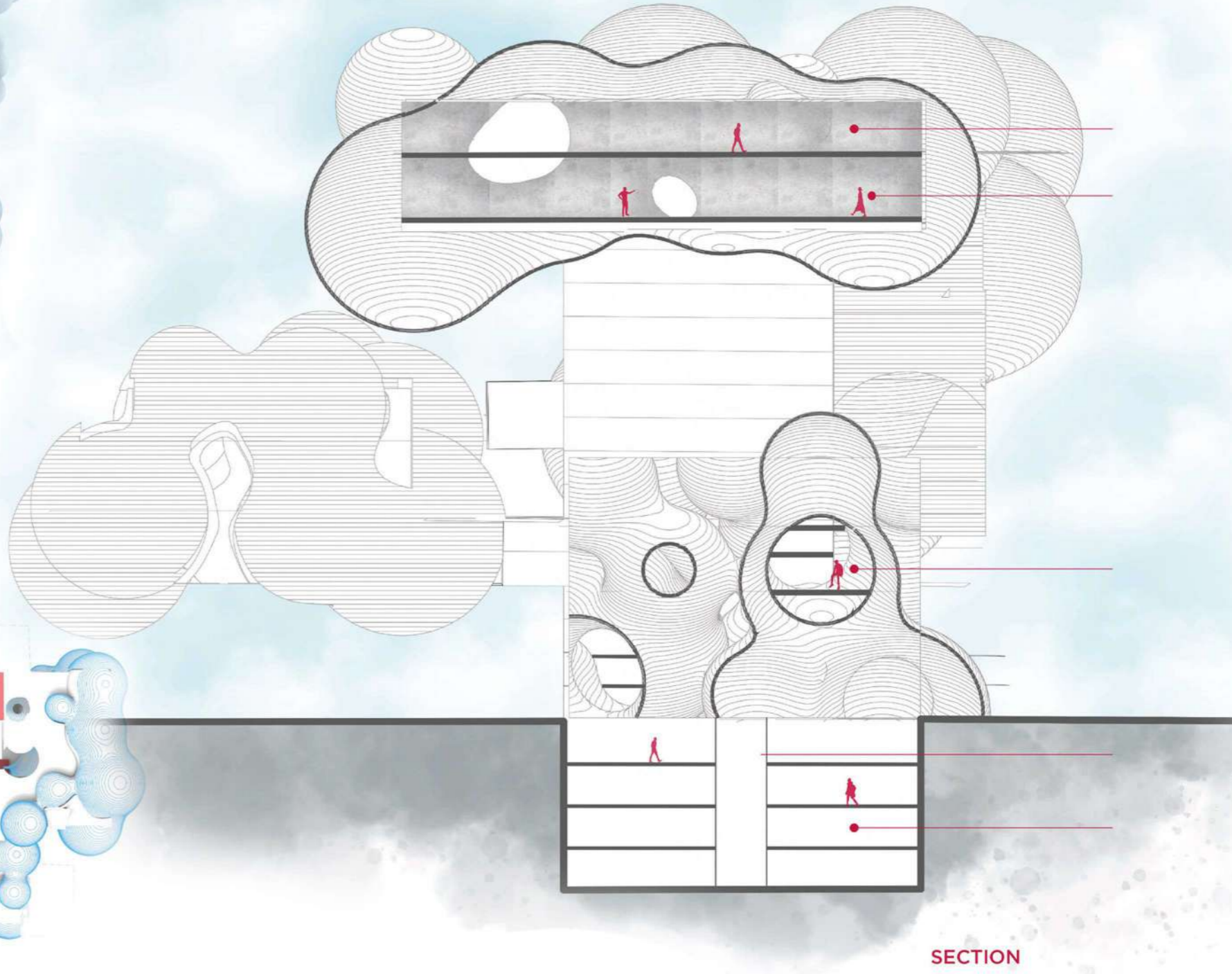
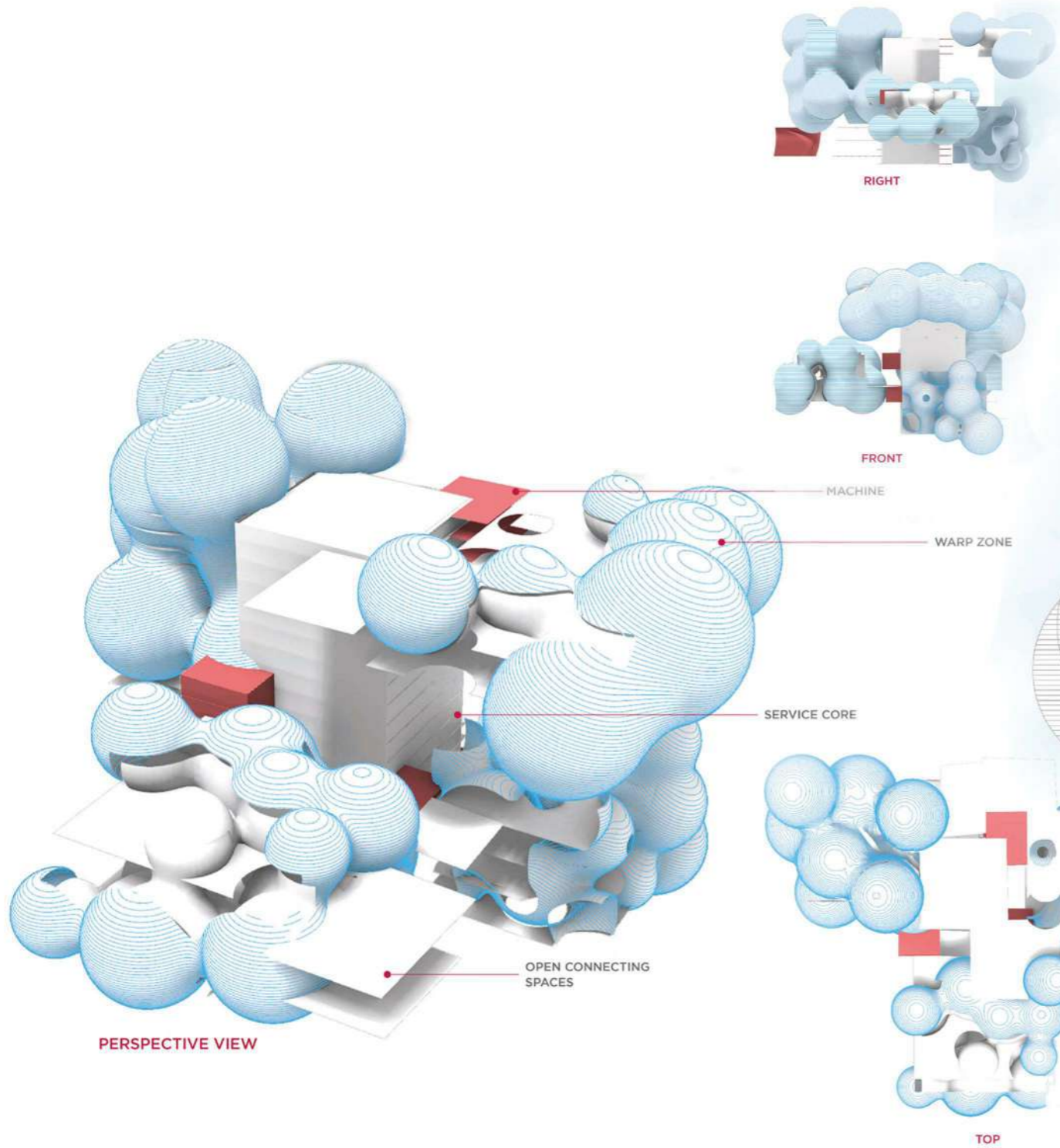


PROCESS OF EXPANSION OF THE PROTOTYPICAL UNITS

RULE 1.0 : The prototypical unit is a triangle joined to adjacent triangles in a group of six each, of dimension 200 mm.

Each of the triangular thermoelectric unit is joined to each other using the shape memory polymer joint.





project **RUDOLPH**

YEAR

2022- PRESENT
(ONGOING)

THEME

METAVEVERSE IN ARCHITECTURE

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New York is the largest and most influential American metropolis, encompassing Manhattan and Staten islands, the western sections of Long Island, and a small portion of the New York state mainland to the north of Manhattan.

New York City is in reality a collection of many neighbourhoods scattered among the city's five boroughs—Manhattan, Brooklyn, the Bronx, Queens, and Staten Island—each exhibiting its own lifestyle. Moving from one city neighbourhood to the next may be like passing from one country to another.

CITY CHARACTER

New York is the most ethnically diverse, religiously varied, commercially driven, famously congested, and, in the eyes of many, the most attractive urban centre in the country.

Wall Street means finance, Broadway is synonymous with theatre, Fifth Avenue is automatically paired with shopping, Madison Avenue means the advertising industry, Greenwich Village connotes bohemian lifestyles, Seventh Avenue signifies fashion, Tammany Hall defines machine politics, and Harlem evokes images of the Jazz Age, African American aspirations, and slums.



Image source : internet

CITY LAYOUT

The high-rise elegance of Park Avenue and the Upper East Side rapidly gives way to the teeming streets of Harlem to the north and to the crowded bohemian existence of the Lower East Side and Greenwich Village to the south.

The jumble of pre-Revolutionary streets continues up to Houston Street, where the grid pattern becomes dominant and continues up the island. Soho (short for "south of Houston") covers much of the old immigrant East Side and now has been matched by a Noho neighbourhood. To the west is Henry James's Washington Square and beyond that Greenwich Village, formerly a haven for artists

"The grid has shaped this vibrant city, imposing an order and controlling its chaos."

DEMOGRAPHY

New York has more Jews than Tel Aviv, more Irish than Dublin, more Italians than Naples, and more Puerto Ricans than San Juan. Its symbol is the Statue of Liberty, but the metropolis is itself an icon, the arena in which Emma Lazarus's "tempest-tost" people of every nation are transformed into Americans—and if they remain in the city, they become New Yorkers.

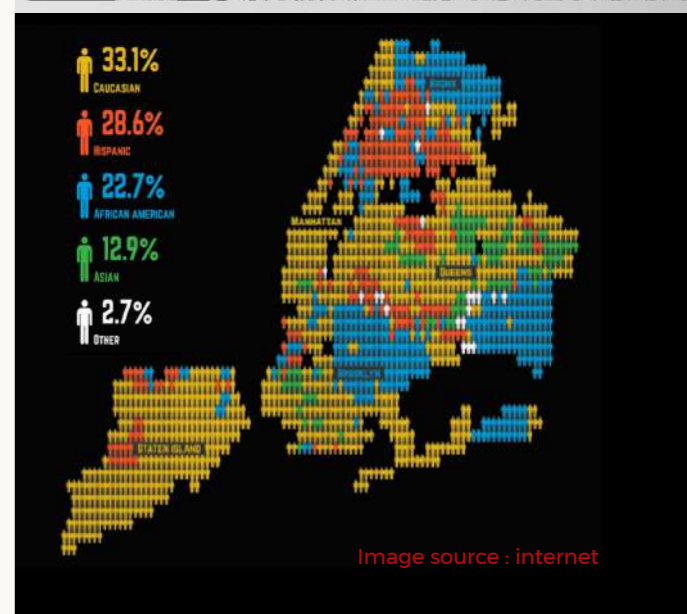


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CONCEPT

- Shifting and transforming land parcels according to Footfall
- Time of the day
- Different physical features - open/green spaces
- Road networks
- Transportation lines
- Public spaces/landmarks

Residential area

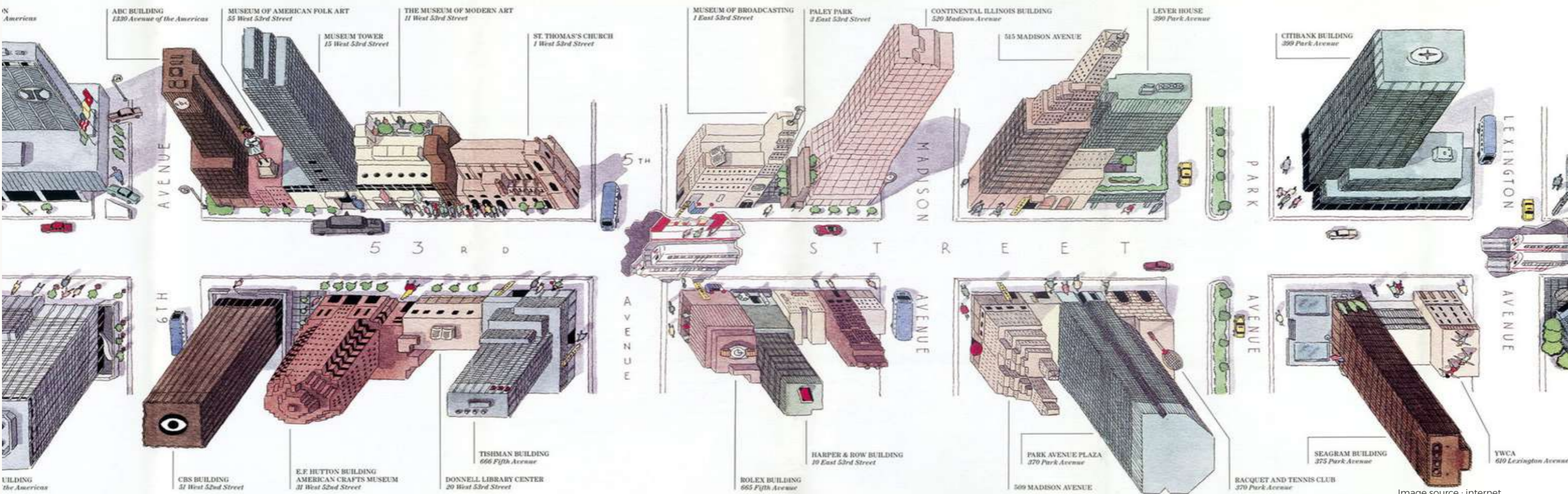


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-Art Street

(Every street/avenue has created a image of itself)

Taking the same thing forward to give identity to the avenues, we created the art street.

Premium users

(Users who pay extra will get the privilege to stay connected to chosen node)

People can buy or sell their art in any form.

We can find them floating in the sky or on the facade of building or at billboards etc and buy them while walking or transiting to other place.

STAGE I

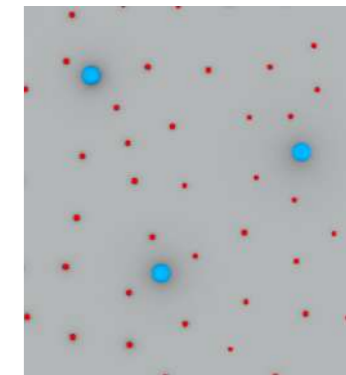
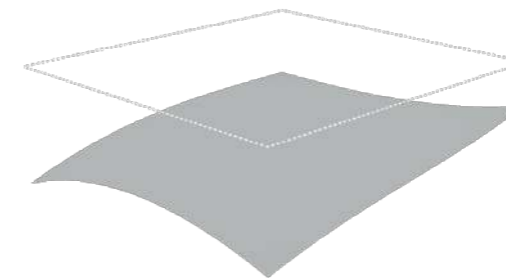
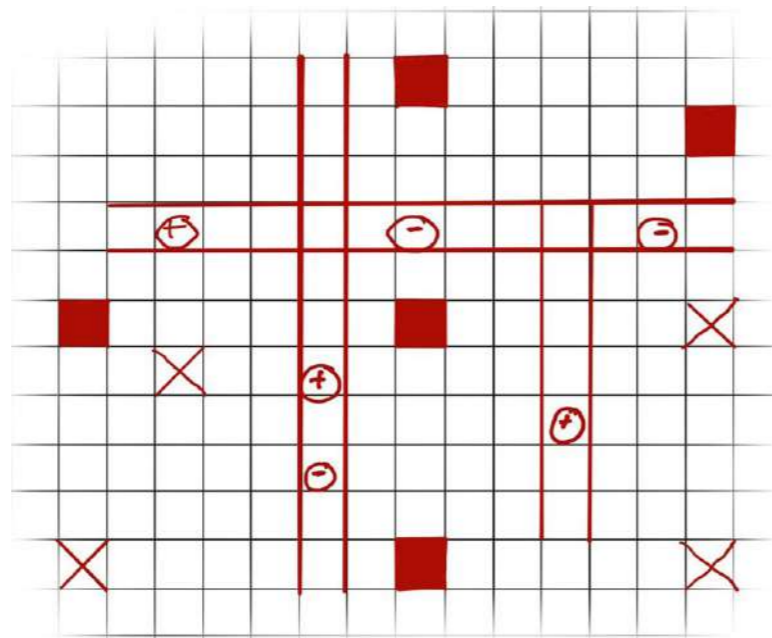
Decoding the grid system

There are many aspects that govern these systems. For this prototype, a list of guidelines was taken:

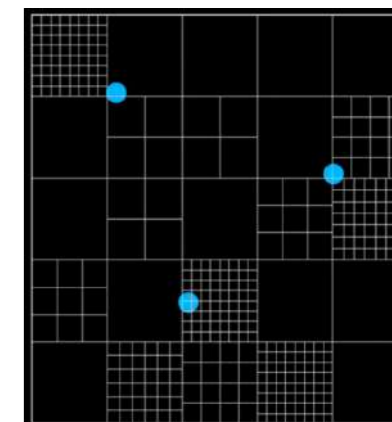
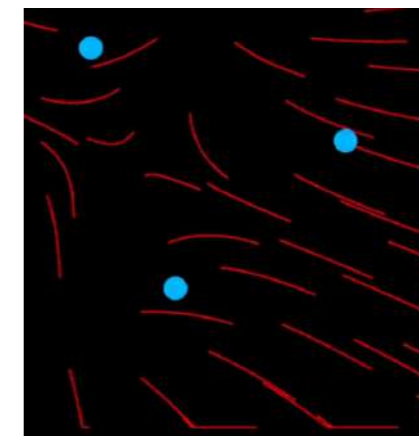
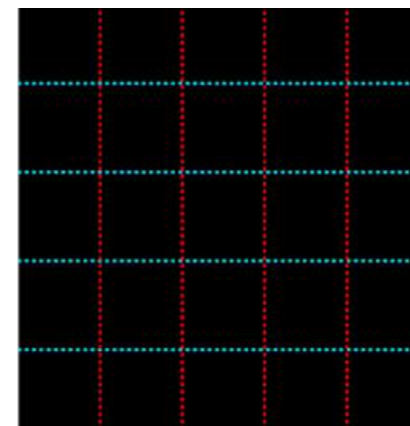
The Dynamic Nodes only move on certain alleys and major road/connectivity networks.

The Land Parcels may move with the dynamic nodes or remain stationary.

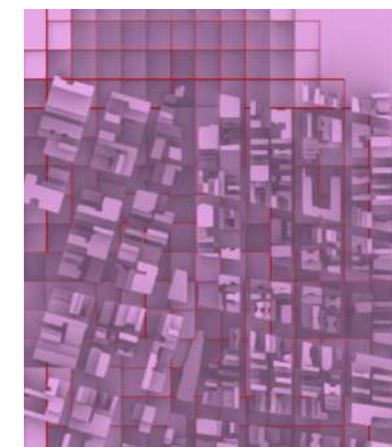
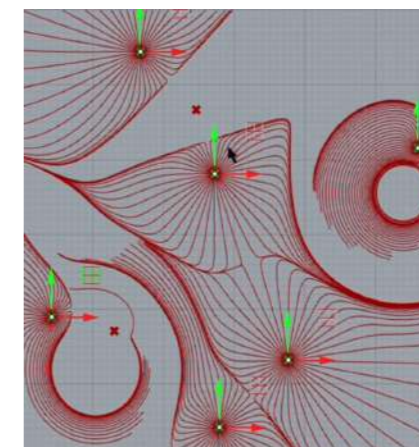
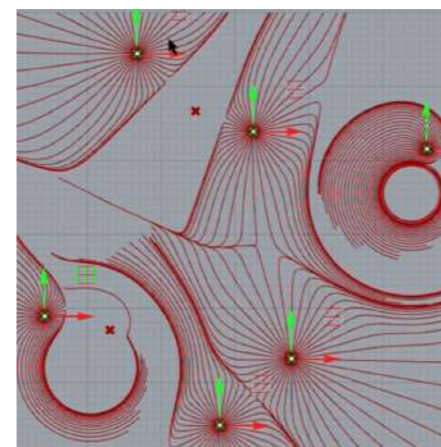
There will be land parcels occupied by public and semi-public space which will move with the nodes and govern the virtual economy.



Identifying nodes



Identifying Shortest Way



Final Prototype

STAGE II

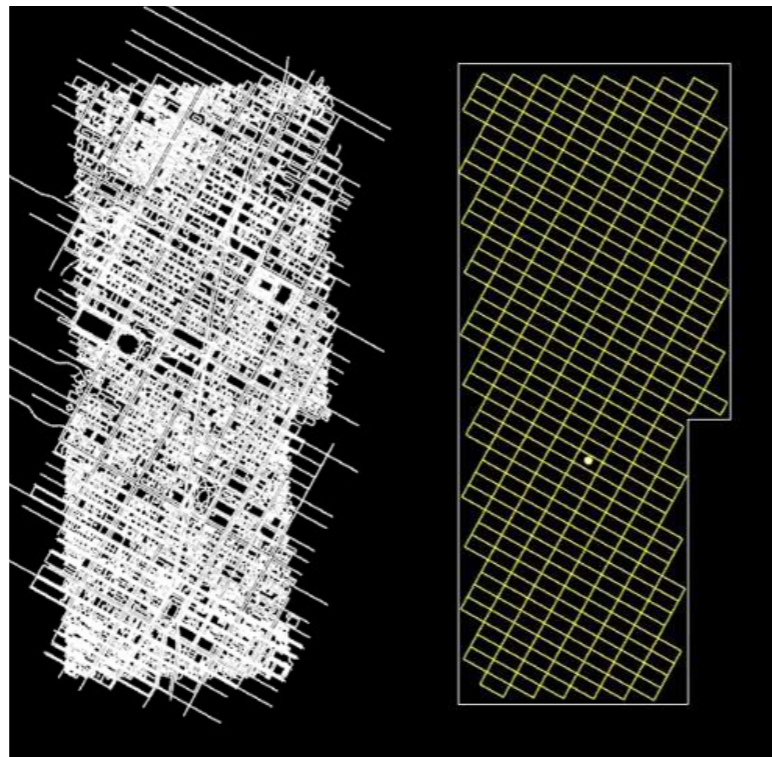
Addition and Subdivision of Land Parcels

In this analysis, an area is divided into a grid-like pattern.

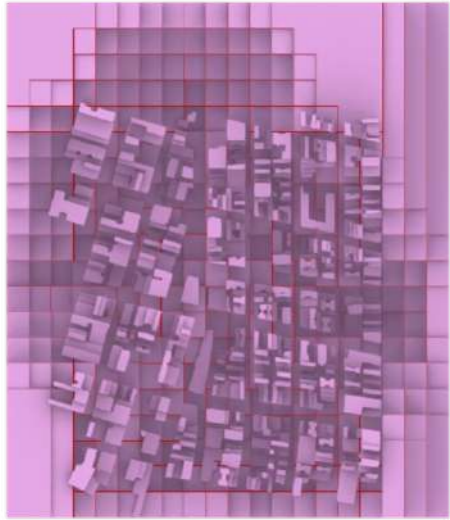
This grid further adds up or subdivides according to the shifting nodes, denoted by circles/spheres.

The addition or subdivision of the land parcel also affect the parcel in z direction, i.e., this gives then a particular height or depth.

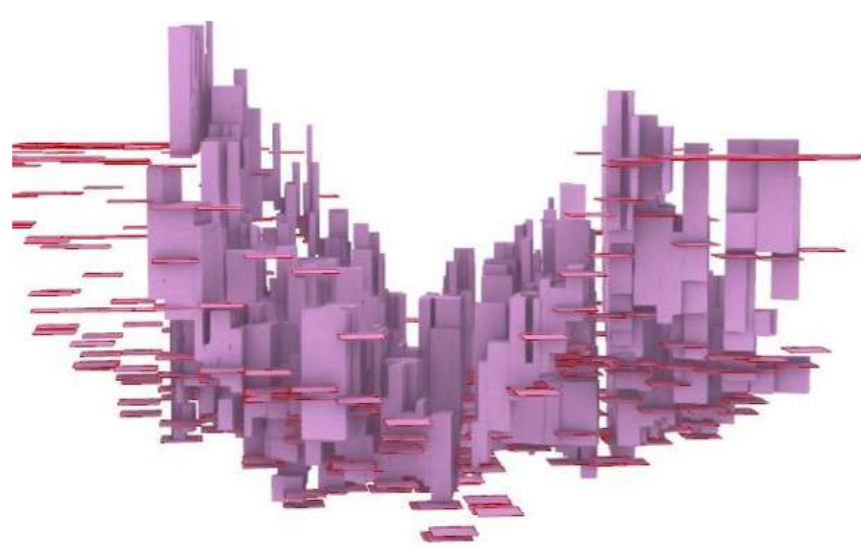
The movement of people is also governed by the moving nodes and is analysed with the help of swarm tendency.



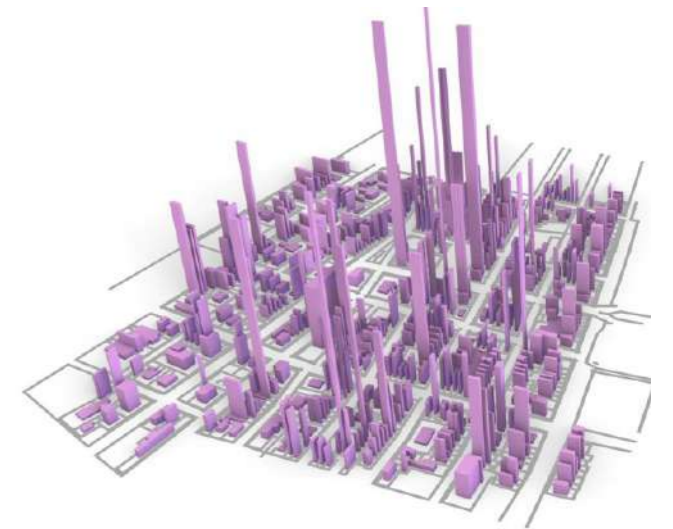
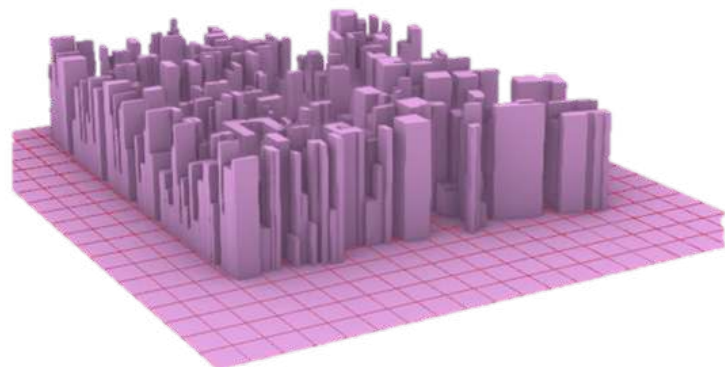
ALGORITHM



Once the grid is figured out and the dynamic nodes start moving, it is necessary for the nodes to connect with other parcels. This simulation was tested in order to find the shortest path between a major dynamic node and particular land parcels. This function provides user the ability to connect with their preferred dynamic node. By doing this people are more connected to their interests in metaverse.



The final prototype made using the previous learnings and outcomes combines most of the attributes of workability. It stitches both systems with the simulation and the environment. Even though the prototype is made for a small patch of land, due to technological problems, it works using all the previous scripts and provides a functioning metaverse platform.



3D

VISUALIZATION

RESEARCH QUESTION

How can mechanical and physical properties of bio-cellulose can be exploited in order to fabricate a building bio-material in a material-driven, cost-efficient fabrication process?

AIM

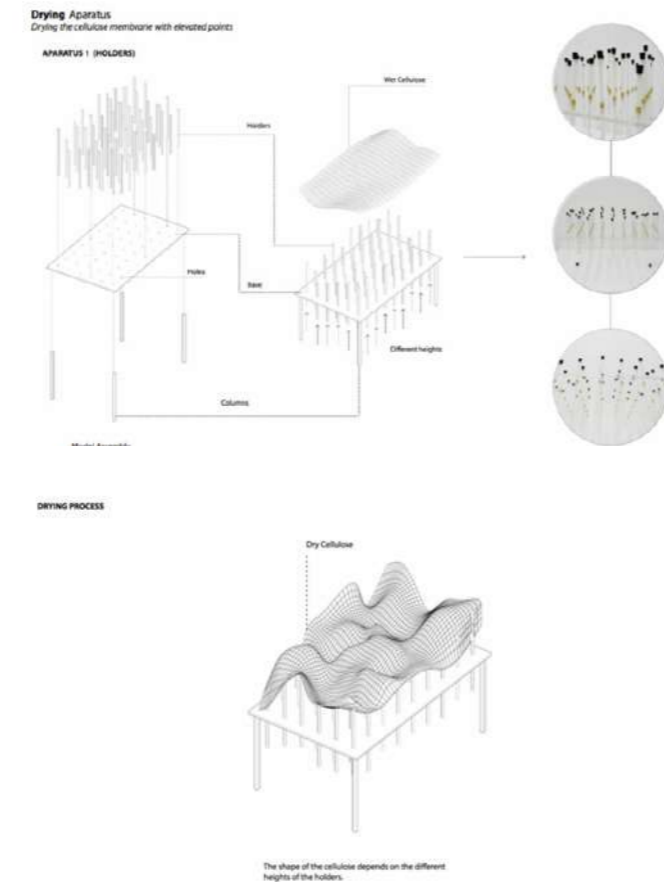
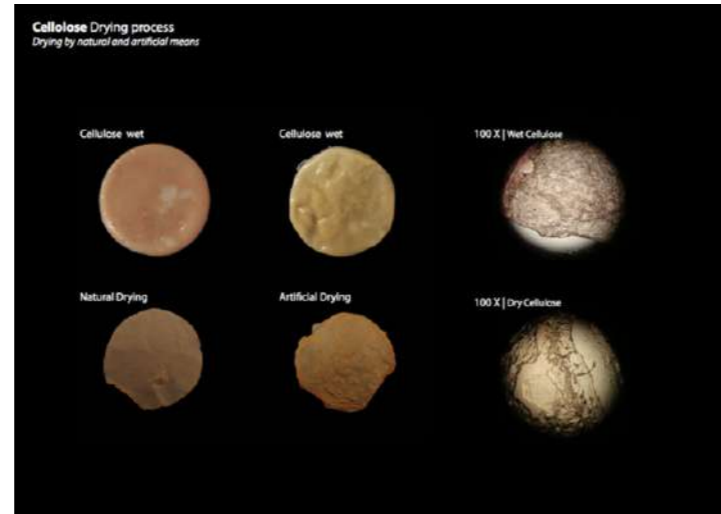
To discover methods in which bio-fabric generated through synthesis of bacterial cellulose can be produced in through a material-informed organic fabrication process to be used in large scale deployable architectural projects as a sustainable alternative.

OBJECTIVES

1. To identify potential the potential bio-fibre composites made of bacterial cellulose which can be developed as alternate building materials for various architectural applications.
2. To analyse the physical and chemical properties of these bacterial cellulose based composites and understand the processes involved in their production at various stage to be used as a major architectural material.
3. To identify the potential applications of the bio-materials to be used a sustainable alternative to traditional building materials used at a large scale.

SCOPE

Particular emphasis is placed on the exploration of bio-composites of microbial cellulose and other natural fibers and implementation in architectural context, creating an environmentally responsive architecture with a high level of integration between structure, shape, and material across scales - micro, meso and macro. Bio-Inspired Fabrication Methodologies and Virtual and Physical Prototyping -Because of these unique properties, it is an attractive candidate for a wide range of applications, including within architecture and engineering (i.e.: water retaining structures, architectural components, etc.), but due to the lack of suitable fabrication methods and digital design tools, cellulose is still disregarded as a building material.



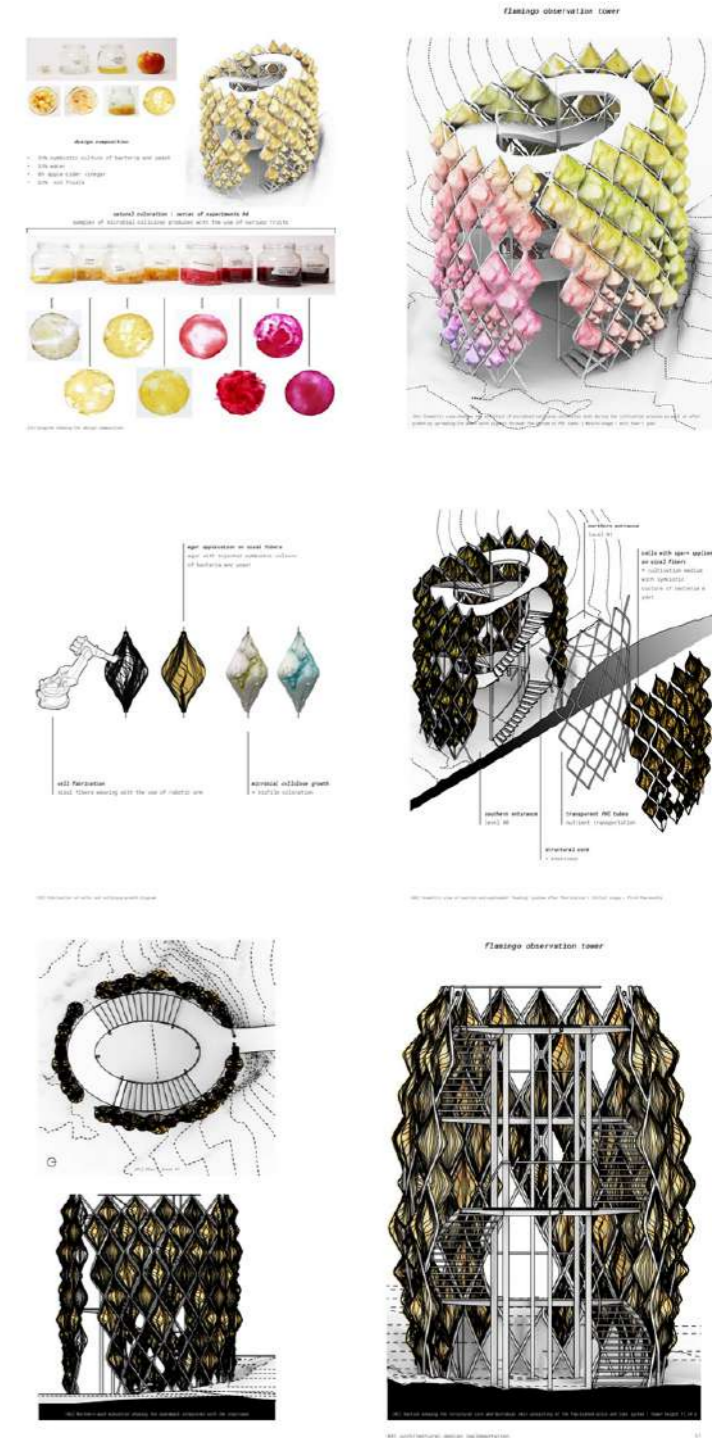
ABSTRACT

"In her (nature's) inventions nothing is lacking, and nothing is superfluous."
– Leonardo da Vinci

Geometric-driven form generation was the product of the institutionalised division between form, structure, and material that was firmly ingrained in modernist design theory and paralleled by a systematic segmentation between modelling, analysis, and manufacture. This preference for form above substance was included into the creation and design logic of CAD.

As a result of current pressures and an increasing understanding of the shortcomings and environmental risks of this strategy, modern design culture is transitioning to a more material-aware mindset.

Inspired by natural processes, where form development is dependent on local variations in the material properties to maximise performance while using the fewest resources possible. This approach assumes that material comes first and that shape results from the organisation of material qualities in relation to structural and environmental performance. Products that are not based on fuel have outstanding mechanical and biodegradability properties, particularly bio-polymers. Bacterial cellulose has proven to be an extraordinarily versatile bio-polymer, drawing interest in a wide range of practical scientific applications including electronics, biomedical devices, and tissue-engineering. Development of bio-fabrication methods connected to material-informed computational modelling and material science is required by the introduction of bacterial cellulose as a building material. The paper reviews, suggests and demonstrates approaches for a material-based strategy in exploiting the enormous potential of Bacterial Cellulose-based bio-materials and their potential to have a profound impact on the ideas of architectural innovation and sustainability for a better future.



SCOPE FOR FUTURE

Therefore, it's crucial to create bio-fabrication approaches connected to computational modelling with a materially informed perspective in order to introduce cellulose as a building material.

The improvement of the polymer's mechanical properties, such as its strength and stiffness, is a crucial area for potential future growth.

a variety of structural BC bio-composites can be created by calcifying 3D membranes with hydroxyapatite, chitosan, or lining.

Engineering, building, and architecture have traditionally been research hotspots for lightweight structural materials with high mechanical performance. deployable lightweight structures

technical DRAWINGS

YEAR

2021

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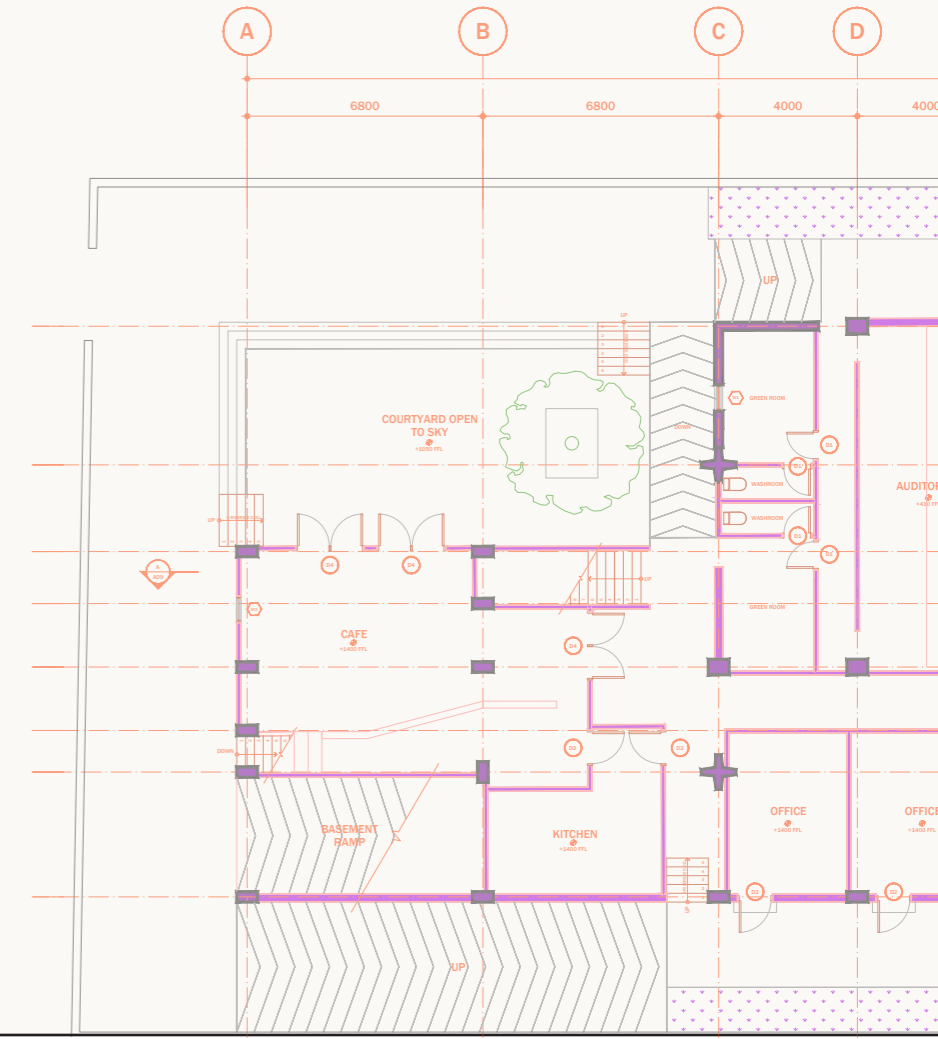
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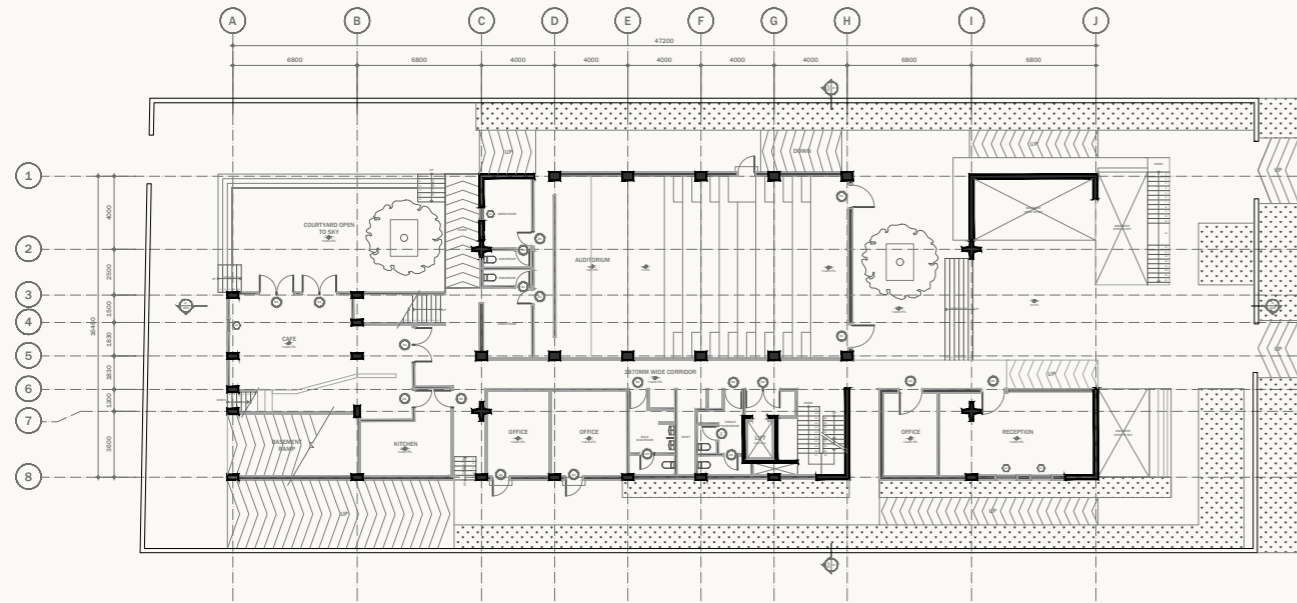
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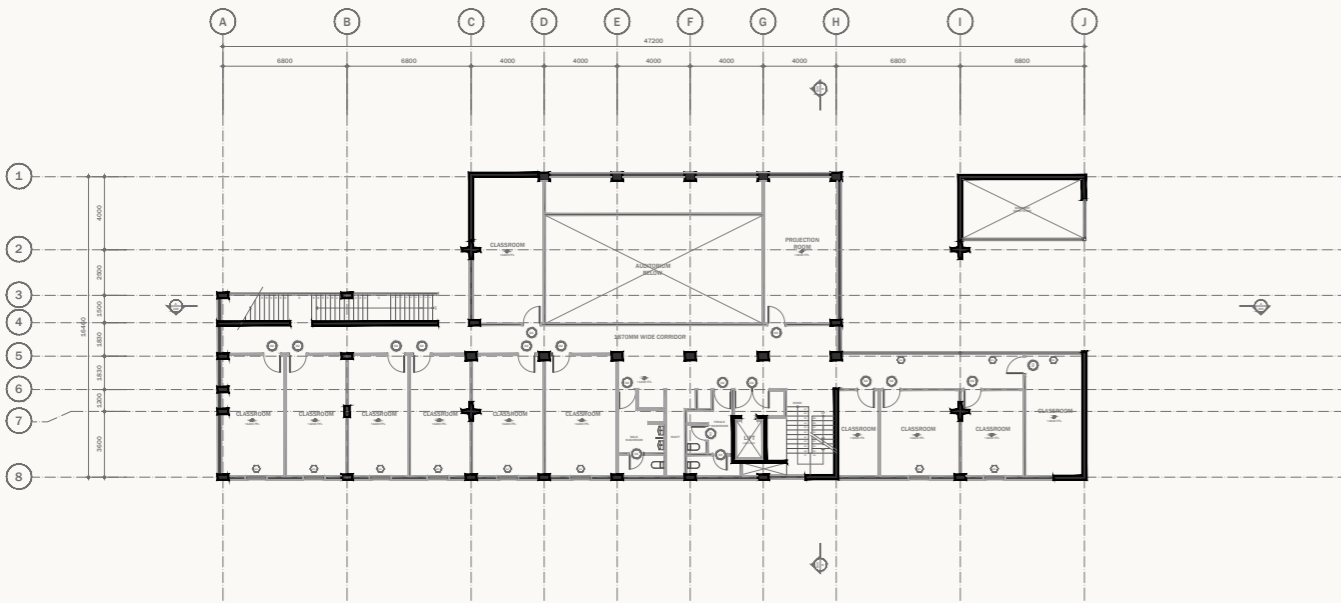
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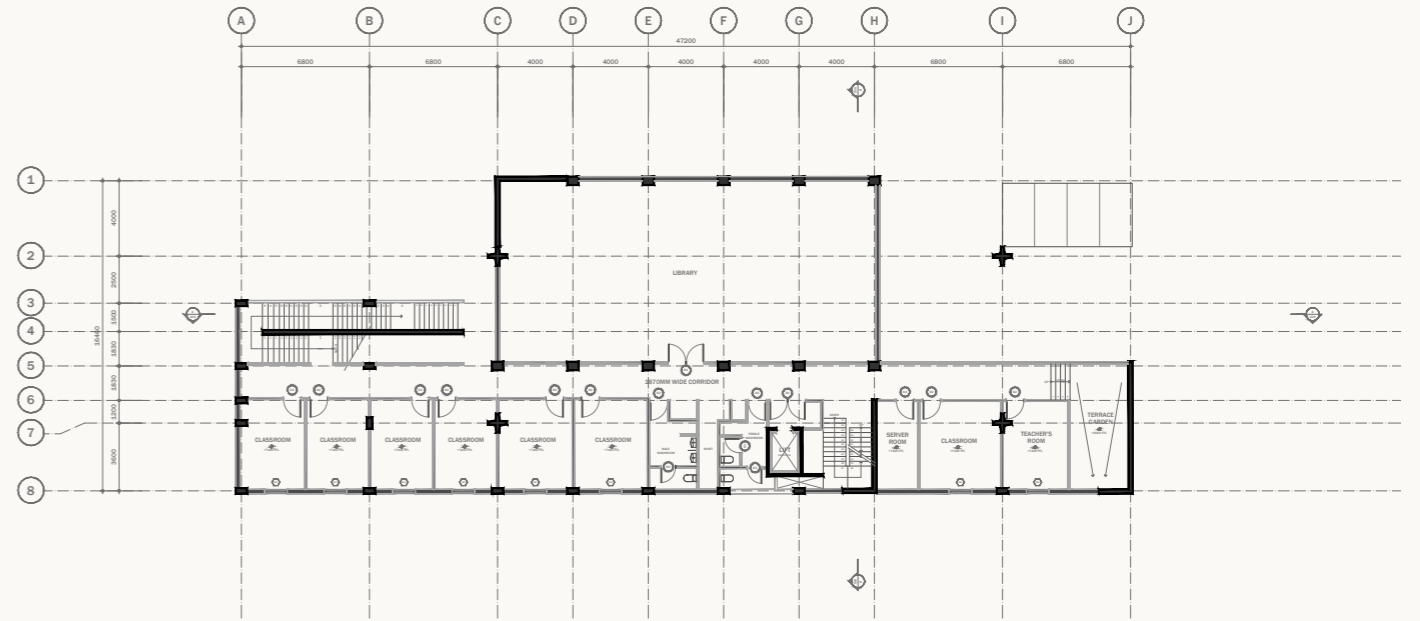
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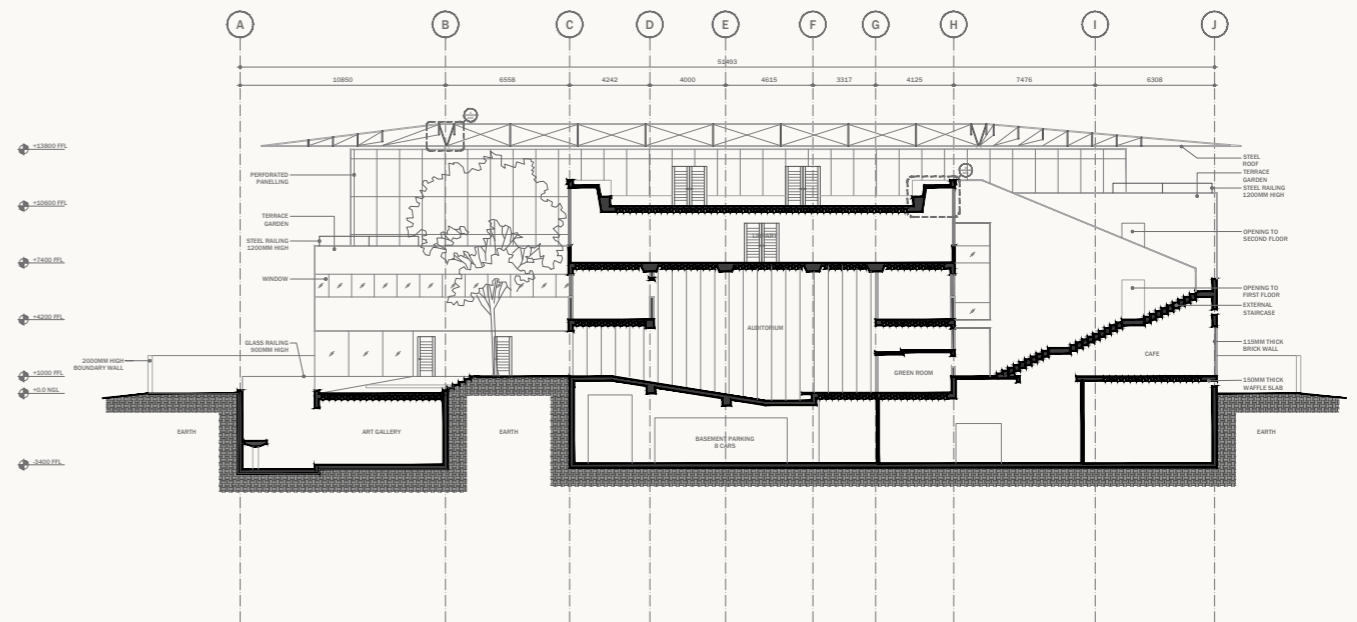
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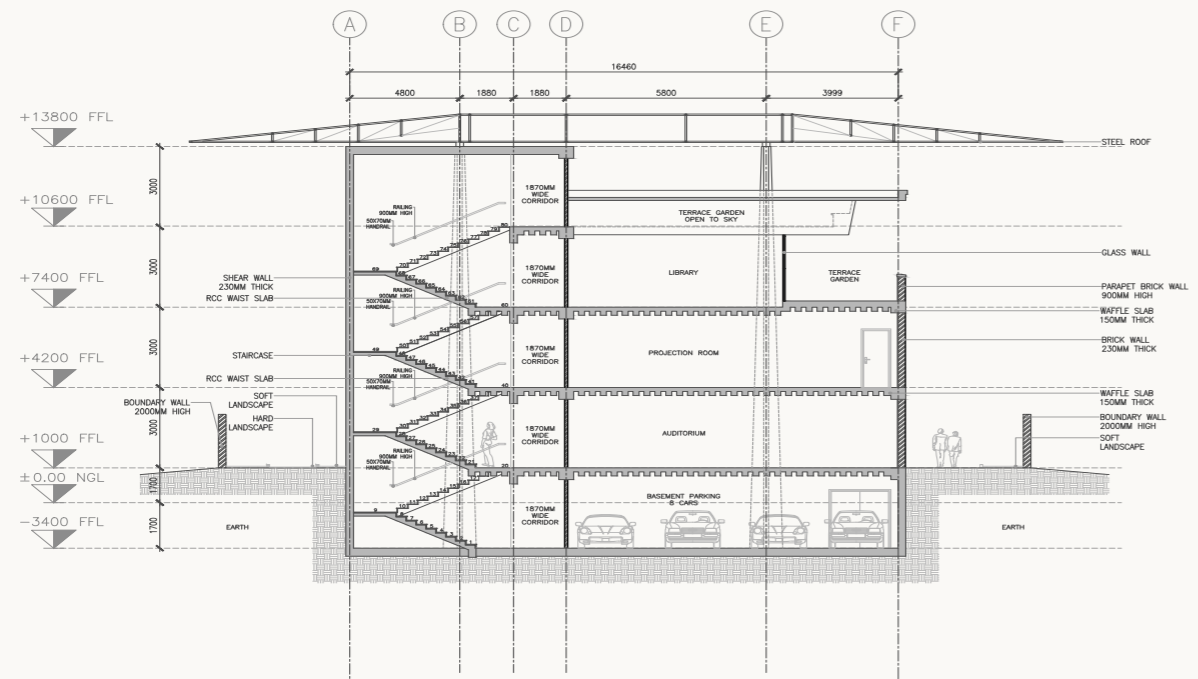


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5 SECTION CC



SECTION BB
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