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Project Information

- Location: Pittsburgh, PA
- Occupancy Type: Mixed-Use Office
- Size: 780,000 SF
- Height: 342 Feet
- Cost: \$179 Million
- Condominiums: 28 Units
- Hotel: 185 Rooms
- Parking Garage: 330 Spaces Underground
- LEED: Core and Shell Gold
Fairmont Hotel Gold

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Project Information

- Owner: The PNC Financial Services Group
- Design Architect: Gensler
- Local Architect of Record: Astorino
- Main Tenants: PNC
Reed Smith Law Firm
- Hotel Operator: Fairmont Hotels & Resorts
- Condominiums: Howard Hanna Real Estate

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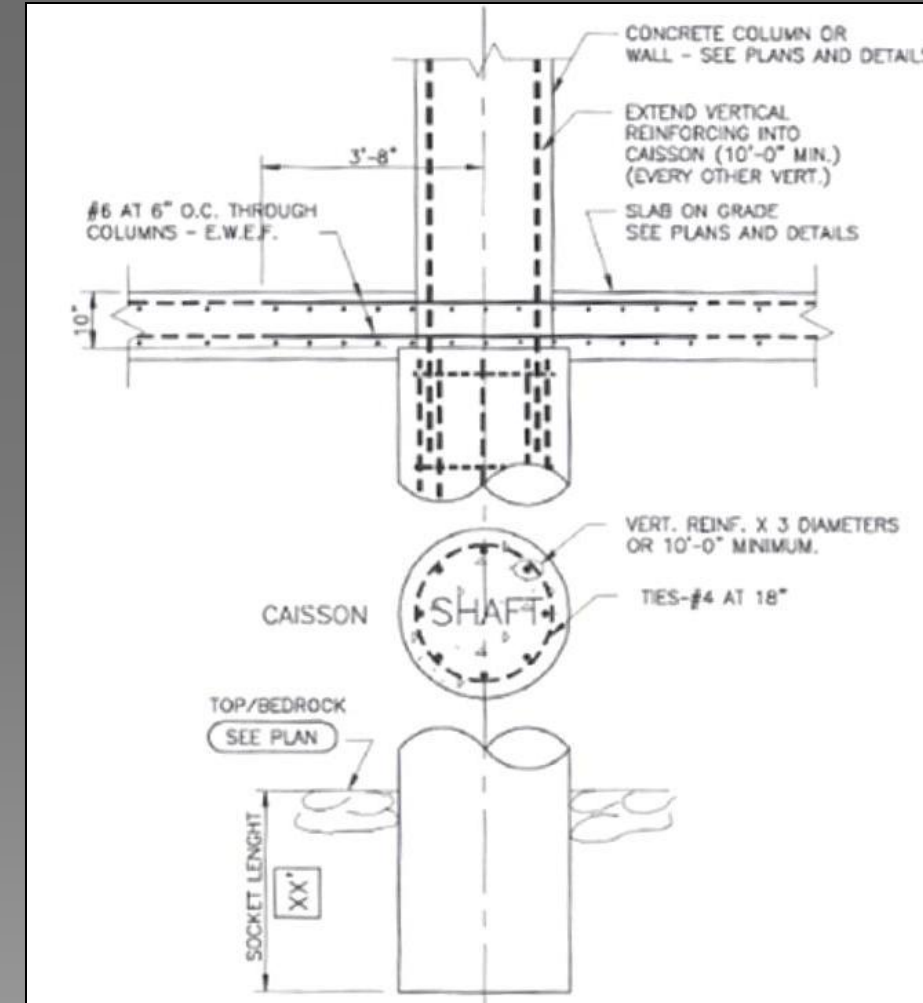
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Cassion Detail



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Existing Structure

Foundation System

- Soil Overburden 60' to Bedrock
- Typical Column Reaction of 3500 kips
- Caisson drilled till auger refusal or socket into bedrock

CAISSONS $F_{BR.} = 30K/SQ. FT.$				
MARK	SIZE \emptyset	VERT. REINF. length=3 X DIA.	TIES	DOWELS
A.	48"	7-#10	#4@18" O.C.	4-#8 X 8'-0" DEVELOP INTO PEDESTAL
B.	54"	9-#10	#4@18" O.C.	
C.	42"	7-#9	#3@18" O.C.	
D.	60"	9-#11	#3@18" O.C.	

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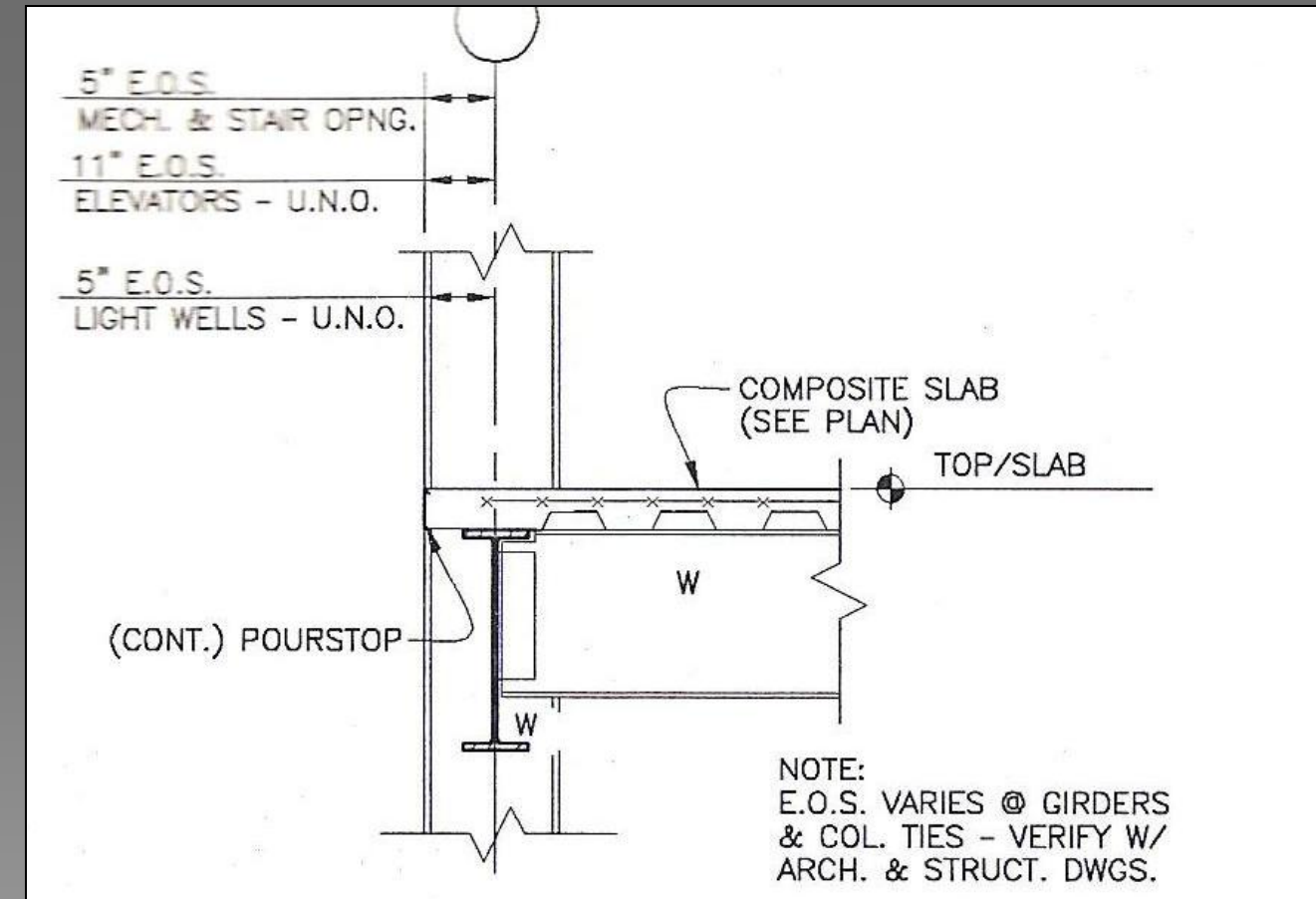
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Floor Detail



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Existing Structure

Gravity System

- Typical Bay Size 30' by 42.5'
- 5 1/2" Composite Floor Construction
- W21x44 Fill Beams
- W24x62 Girders
- W14 Columns Ranging from 68 to 740 lb/ft

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Existing Structure

Lateral System

- Concrete Core Shear Walls
- Stop at 14th Floor
- Size change at 8th floor
- Steel Moment Frame



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Thesis Goals

Structural Depth

- Redesign building with concrete to try and reduce costs with minimal impact to current floor plans
 - New Gravity System
 - New Lateral System

Construction Management Breadth

- Compare sequencing and cost

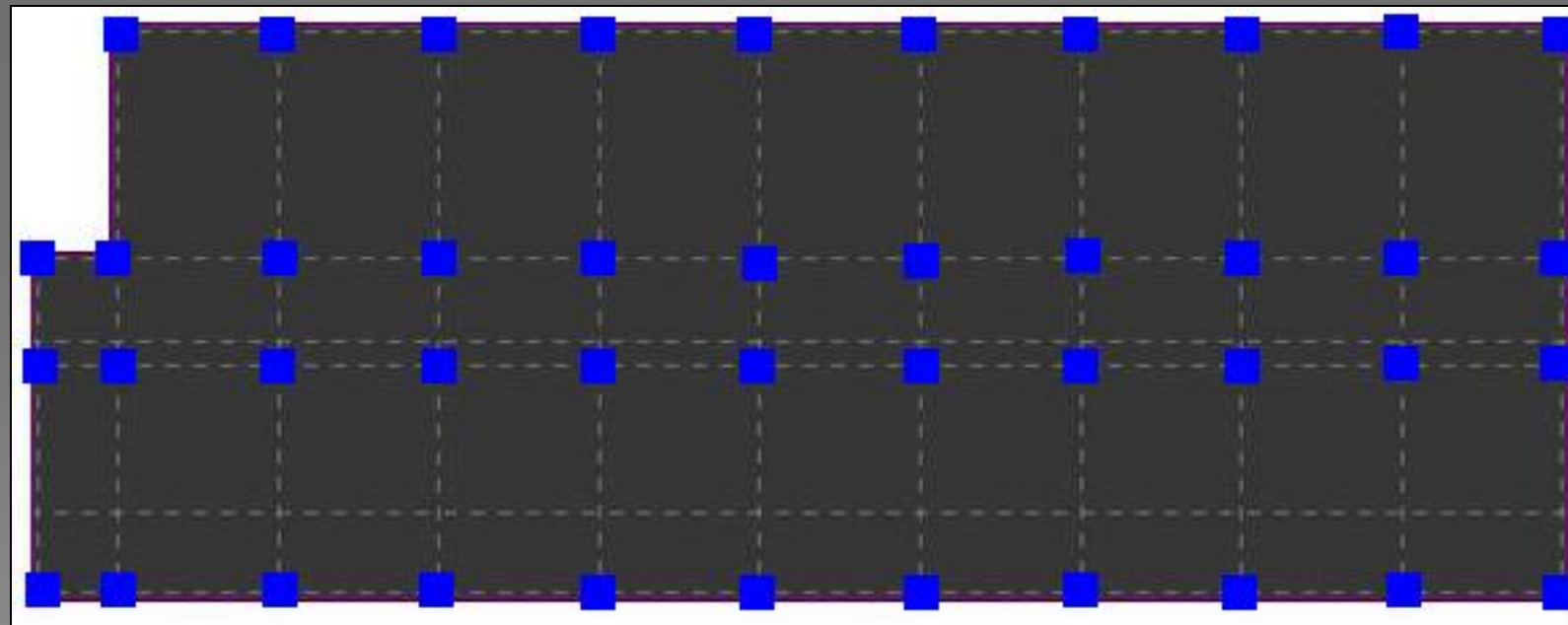
Architectural Breadth

- Determine effects on floor plans

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Initial Column Layout



Structural Depth

Design Process

1. Initial Plan Layout
2. Gravity System Design
3. Lateral System Design

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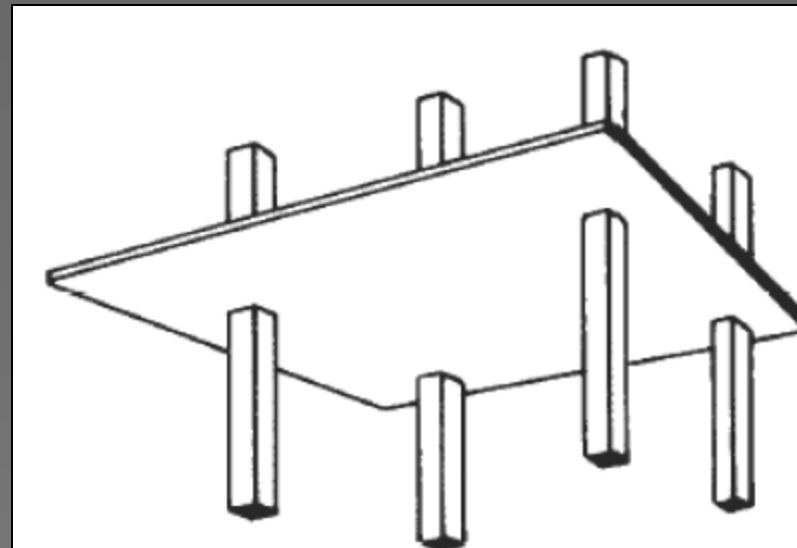
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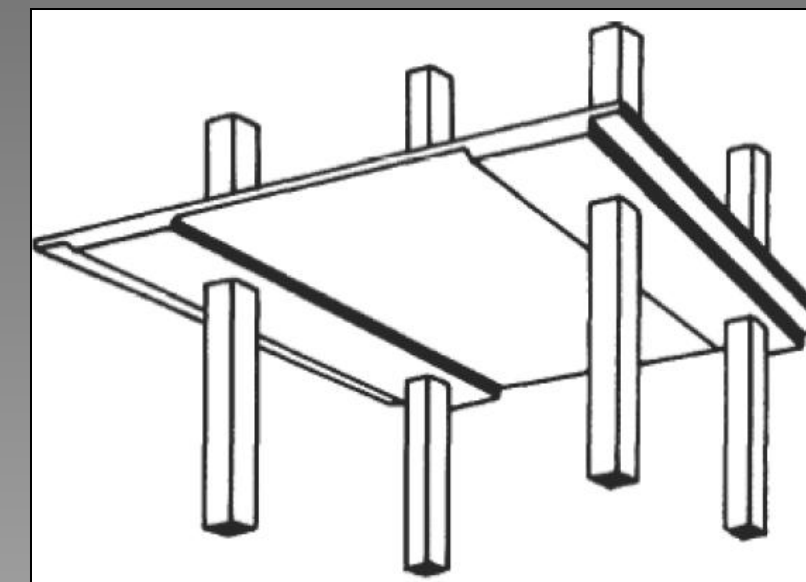
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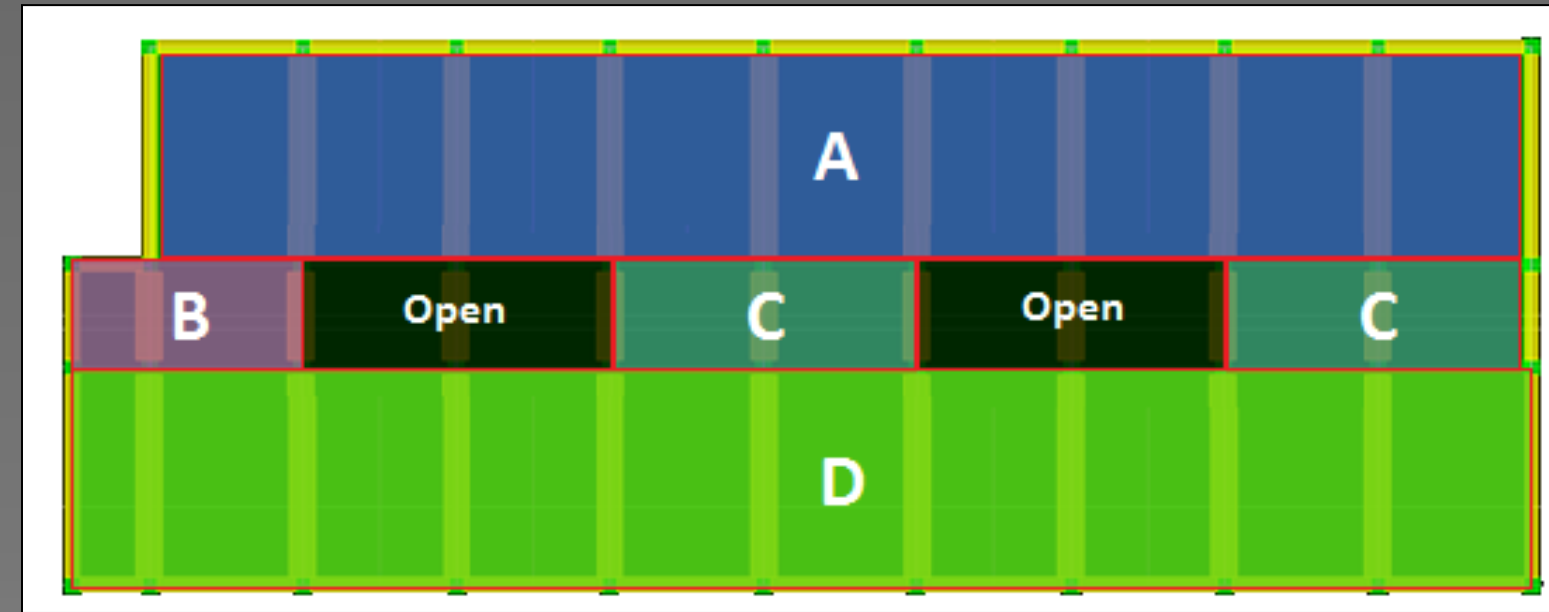
Slab Design Alternatives

1. Flat Slab System
2. Two-Way Post-Tensioned Slab
3. One-Way Post-Tensioned Slab with Wide Shallow Beams

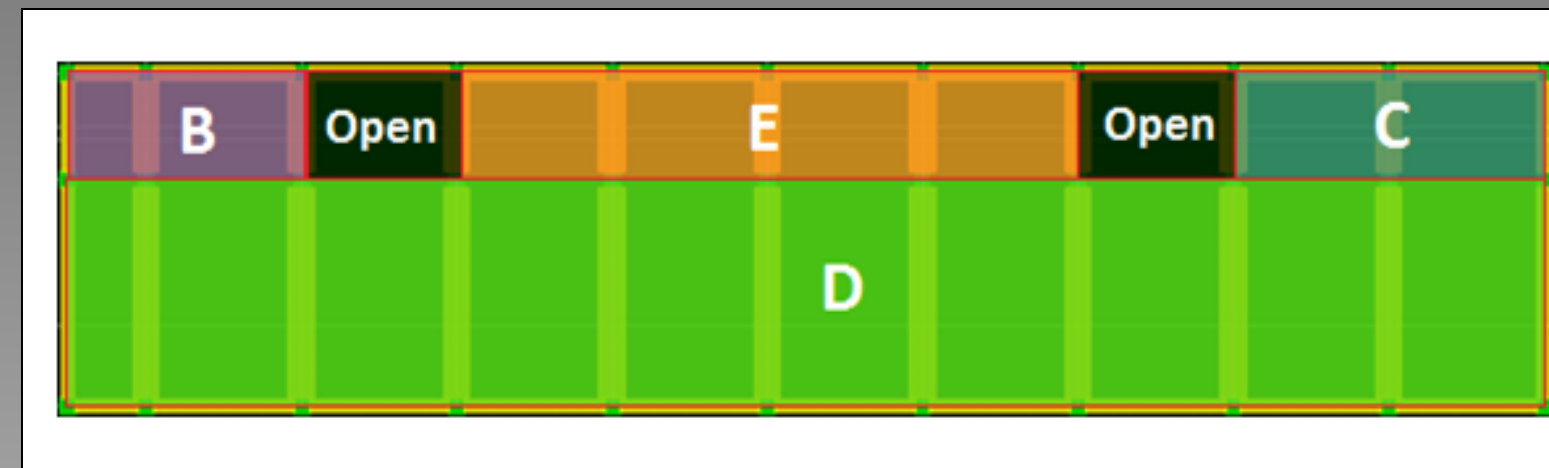
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Ground – 14th Floor



15th Floor– 23rd Floor



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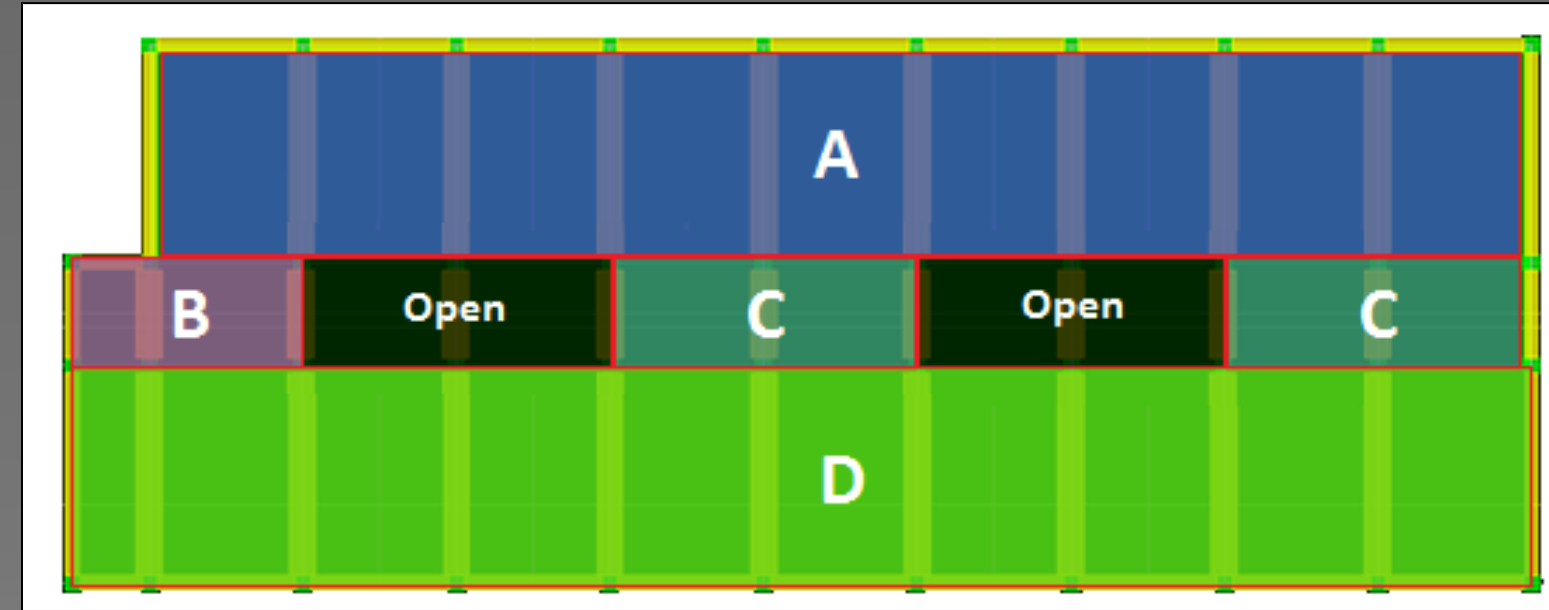
One-Way Slab Design

- 8" Uniform Thickness
 $L/h = 45$
- Typical span length of 30'
- 100 psf Live Load
- 20 psf Superimposed Dead Load
- Broke up into Sections and Design Individually
- ADAPT-PT modeled 1' wide sections
- Pre-stressed Class U properties
- #4 Rebar for Ordinary Reinforcing

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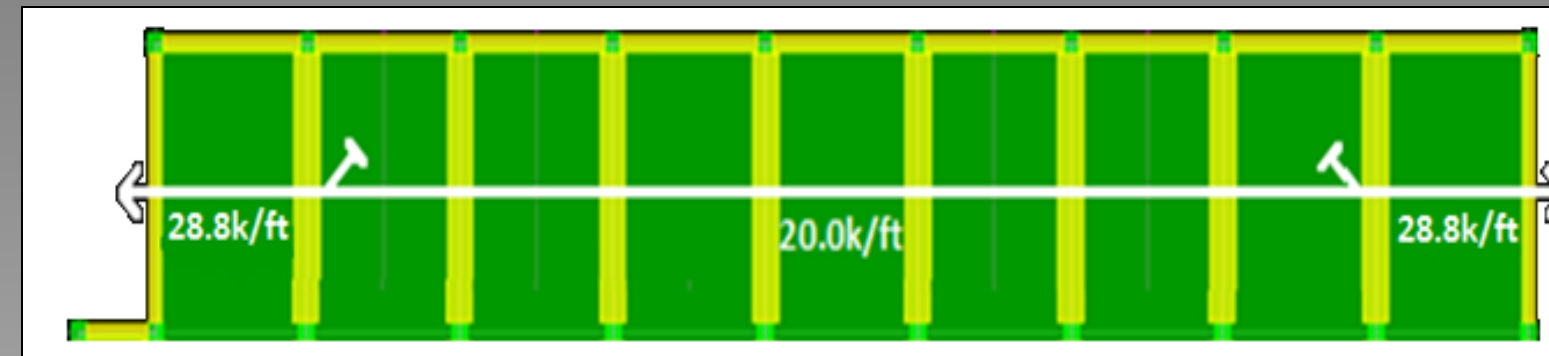


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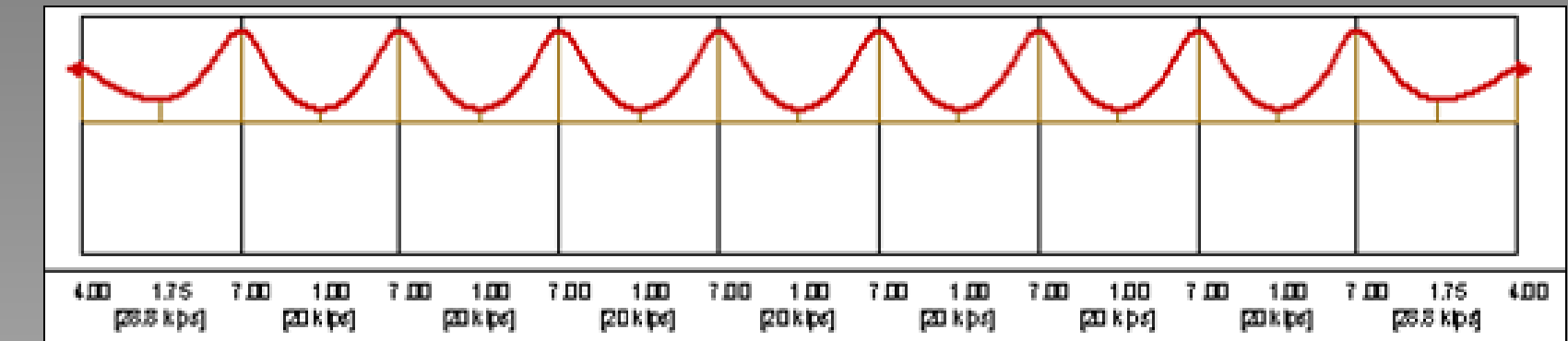
Slab A Design

- 9 Spans at 30'
- ½", 7-wire tendons
- Exterior bays PT Force of 28.8 kips/ft
- Interior bays PT Force of 20.0 kips/ft
- Pre-stressed Class U properties

Slab A Design



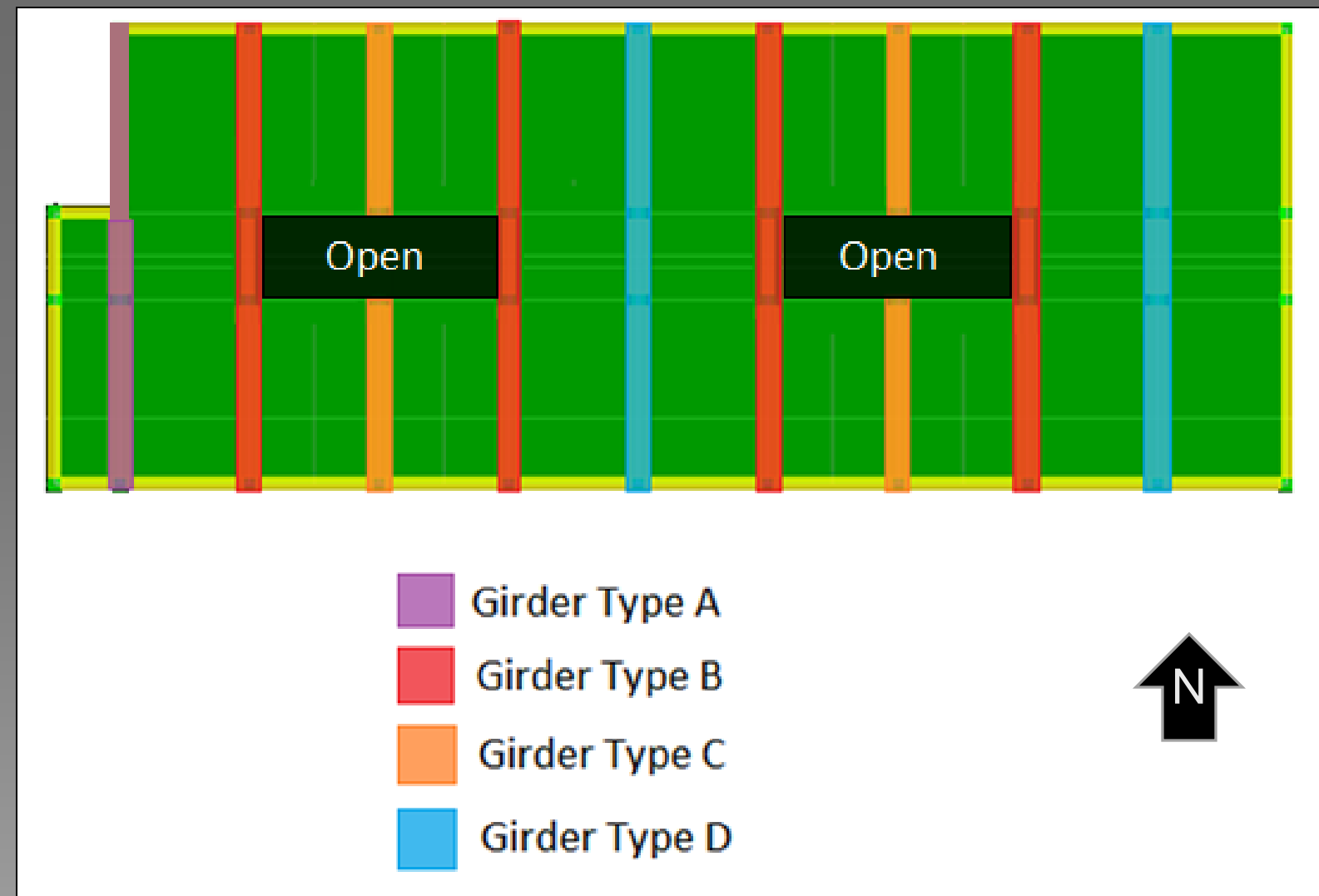
Slab A Tendon Profile



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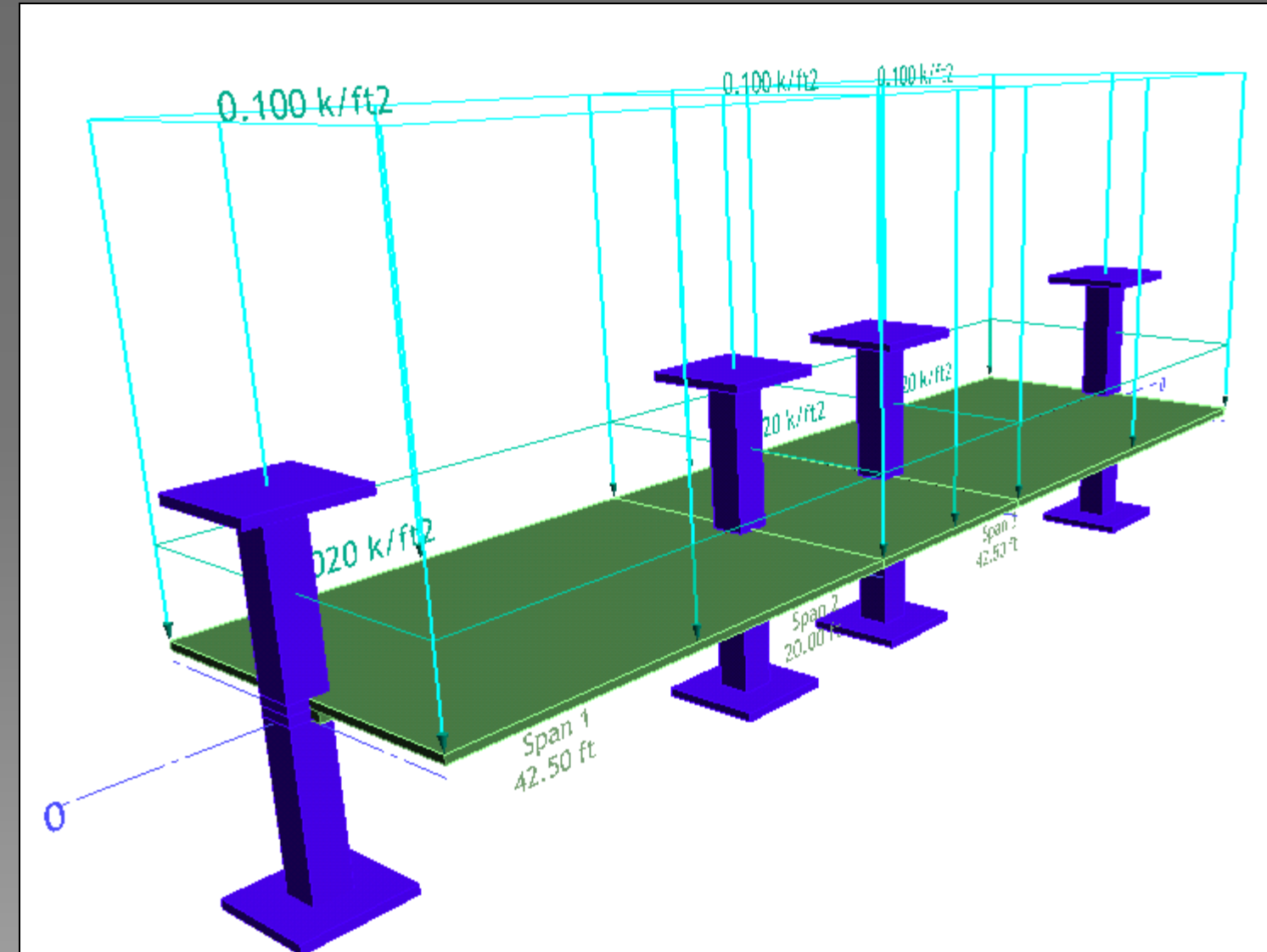
Girder Design

- Broken up into types and designed individually
- ADAPT-PT used for analysis
- Typically 60" wide by 18" deep
 - $L/h = 30$
- # 8 Rebar for Ordinary Reinforcing

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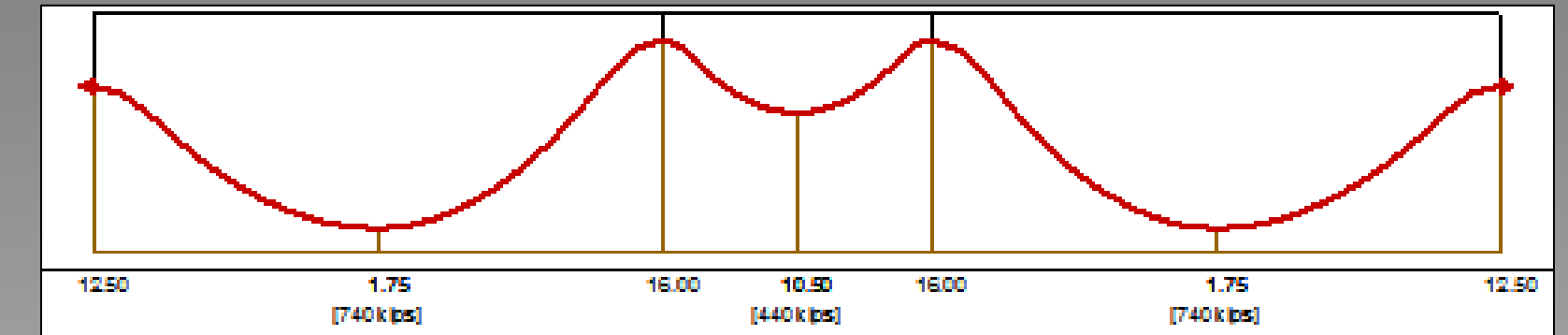
ADAPT-PT Model



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Girder Design Type D

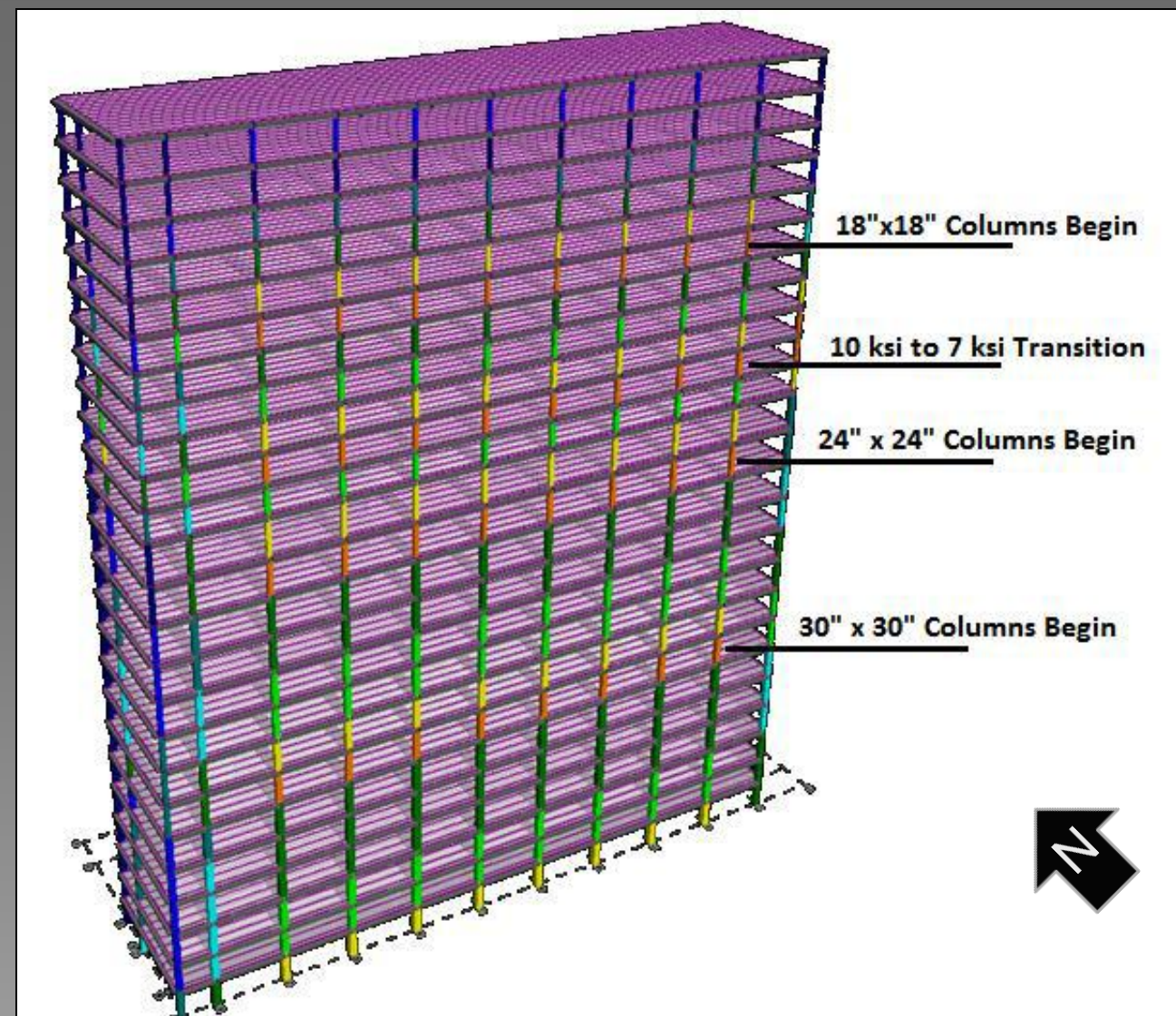
- Modeled as "T-Beams", effective width according to ACI 318
- 100 psf Live Load
- 20 psf Superimposed Dead Load
- PT Force Required
 - Exterior: 740 Kips from 29 strands
 - Interior 440 kips from 19 Strands



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RAM Model



Structural Depth

Column Design

- Preliminary Size of 36" by 36"
- Modeled in RAM Structural System
- Size Changes Every 6 Floors
- Strength Change from 10ksi to 7ksi at 14th Floor

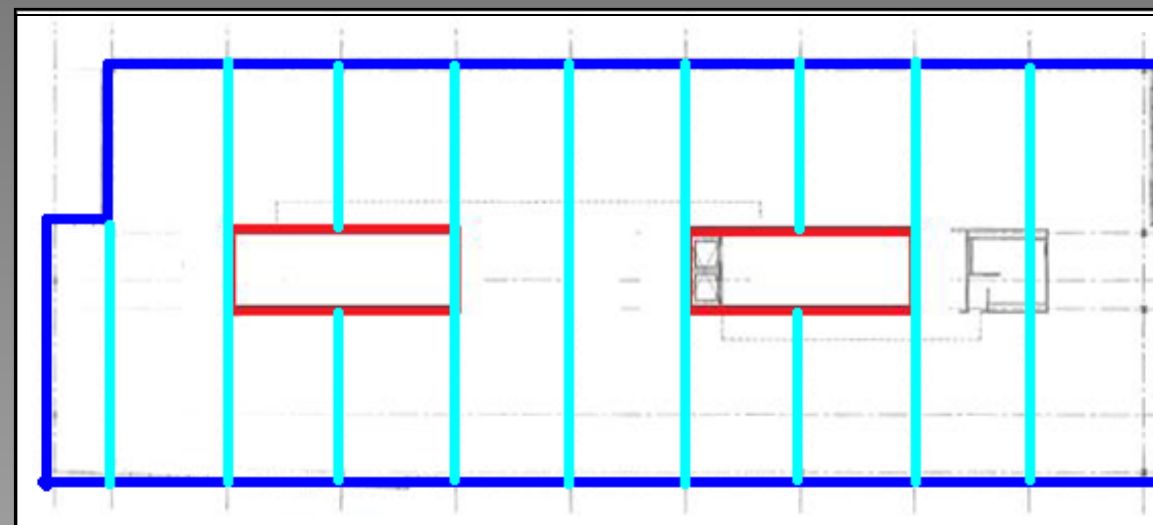
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Existing Layout



New Layout



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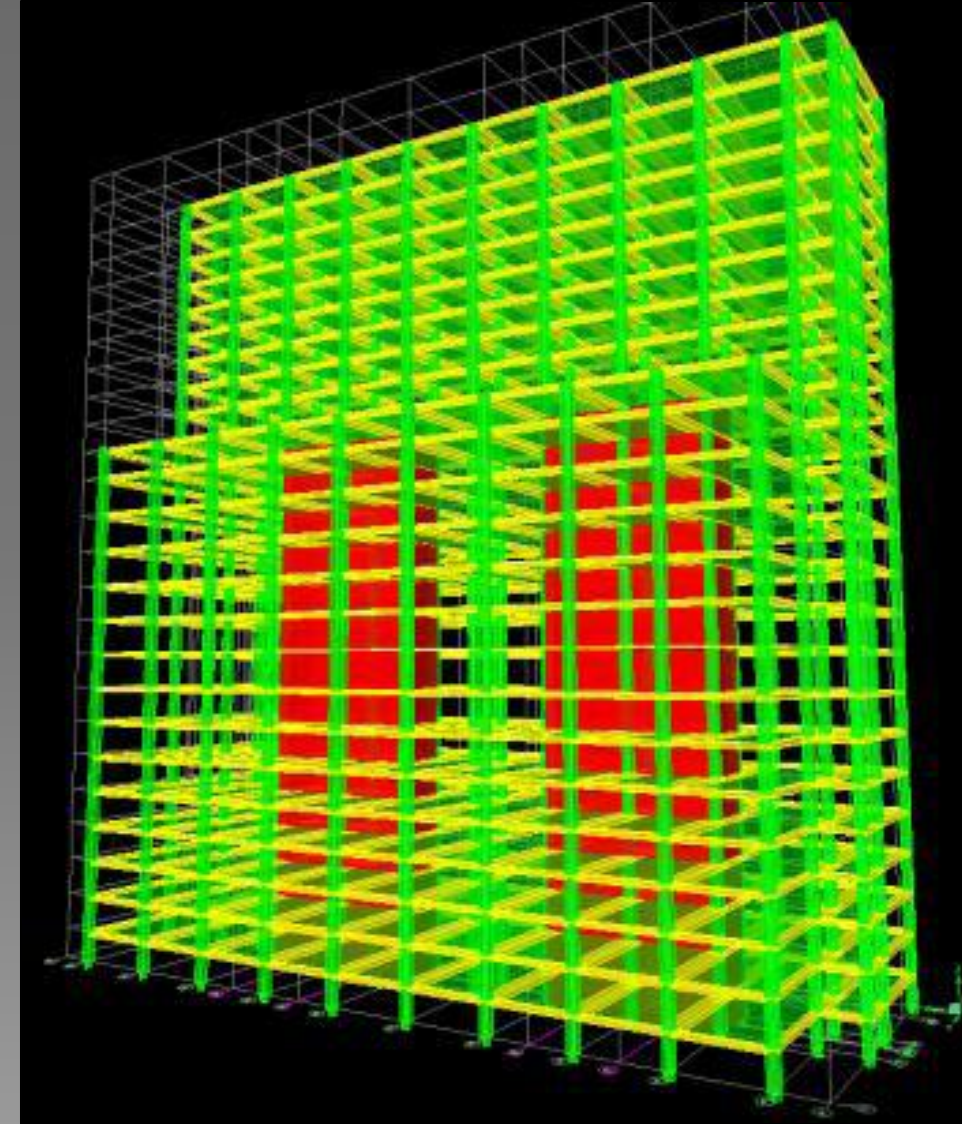
Lateral System Design

- Concrete Core Shear Walls till 14th Floor
- Perimeter Moment Frame
- Moment Frame in Short Direction of Building
- Dual System Classification: $R = 5.5$

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ETABS Model



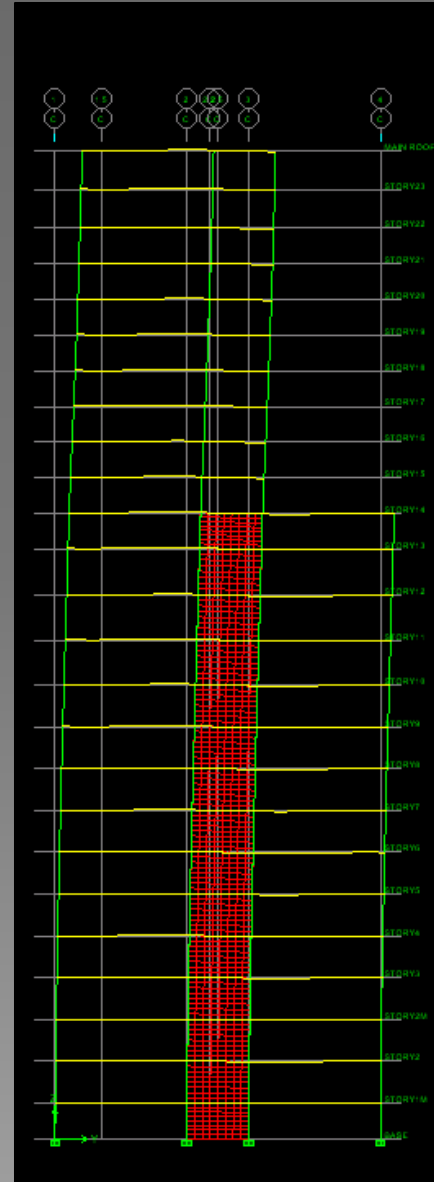
Structural Depth

ETABS Model Results

- Period of Vibration:
 - Mode 1= 3.37
 - Mode 2= 2.65
 - Mode 3= 2.34
- $C_u * T_a = 2.1$
- Building Weight = 103700 kips
- Seismic Base Shear = 2390 kips
- Wind Base Shear N/S = 2814 kips
- Wind Base Shear E/W = 795 kips

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Maximum Lateral Displacement in Y Direction (North South) due to wind load						
Floor Level	Floor Height (ft)	Total Height (ft)	Displacement (in)	Story Drift (in)	Allowable Displacement (in) L/400	Allowable Story Drift (in)
Main Roof	23	319.0	5.93	0.2	9.57	0.375
23	12.5	306.5	5.73	0.24	9.195	0.345
22	11.5	295.0	5.49	0.24	8.85	0.345
21	11.5	283.5	5.25	0.27	8.505	0.345
20	11.5	272.0	4.98	0.3	8.16	0.345
19	11.5	260.5	4.68	0.33	7.815	0.345
18	11.5	249.0	4.35	0.35	7.47	0.345
17	11.5	237.5	4.00	0.37	7.125	0.345
16	11.5	226.0	3.63	0.38	6.78	0.345
15	11.5	214.5	3.25	0.33	6.435	0.345
14	11.5	203.0	2.92	0.22	6.09	0.45
13	15	188.0	2.70	0.3	5.64	0.435
12	14.5	173.5	2.40	0.28	5.205	0.435
11	14.5	159.0	2.12	0.27	4.77	0.405
10	13.5	145.5	1.85	0.25	4.365	0.405
9	13.5	132.0	1.60	0.24	3.96	0.405
8	13.5	118.5	1.36	0.23	3.555	0.405
7	13.5	105.0	1.13	0.22	3.15	0.405
6	13.5	91.5	0.91	0.2	2.745	0.405
5	13.5	78.0	0.71	0.19	2.34	0.405
4	13.5	64.5	0.52	0.16	1.935	0.405
3	13.5	51.0	0.36	0.14	1.53	0.405
2mezz	13.5	37.5	0.22	0.11	1.125	0.405
2	13.5	24.0	0.11	0.076	0.72	0.345
1mezz	11.5	12.5	0.034	0.034	0.375	0.375
Ground	12.5	0.0	0.00	0	0	0

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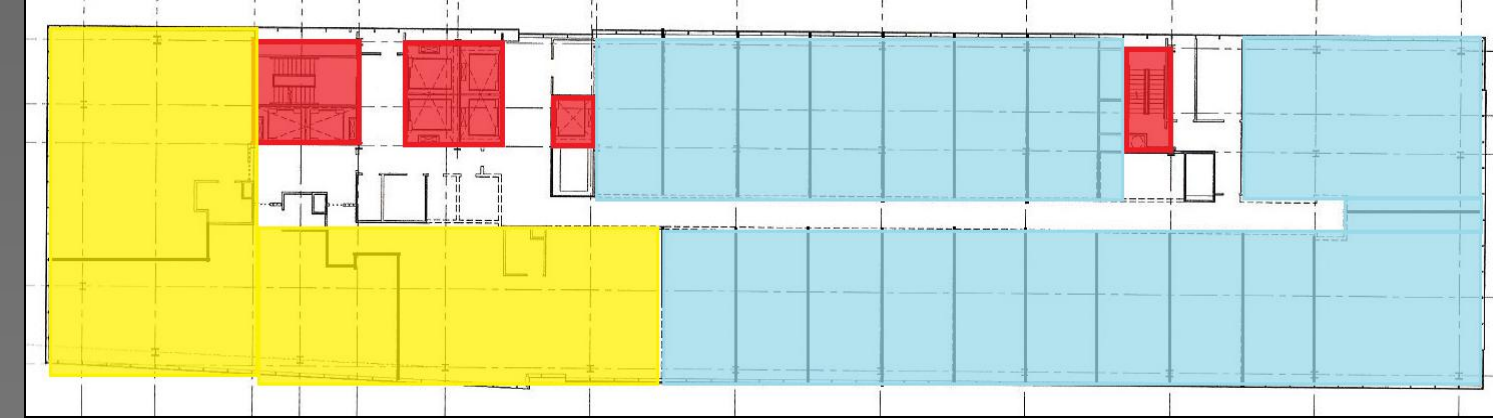
Lateral System Deflections

- Wind Controlled in North/South
- Seismic Controlled in East/West
- Max Allowable Deflection of 9.57" from wind loads
 $h/400$
- Max Allowable Seismic Story Drift from equation
 $0.015h_{sx}$
 - North/South Deflection Due to Wind = 5.93"
 - East/West Deflection Due to Seismic = 2.56"

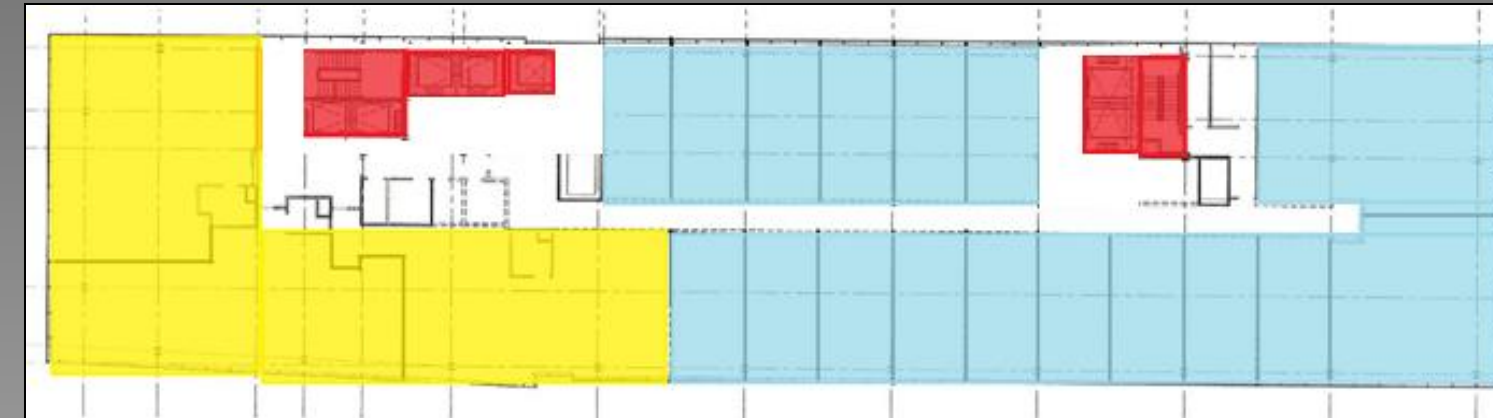
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Architectural Breadth

Movement of Vertical Circulation Wells Impact to key areas:

- 2nd Floor: Restaurant and Ballroom
- 8th Floor: Typical Office Level
- 15th Floor: Typical Condo/Hotel Level

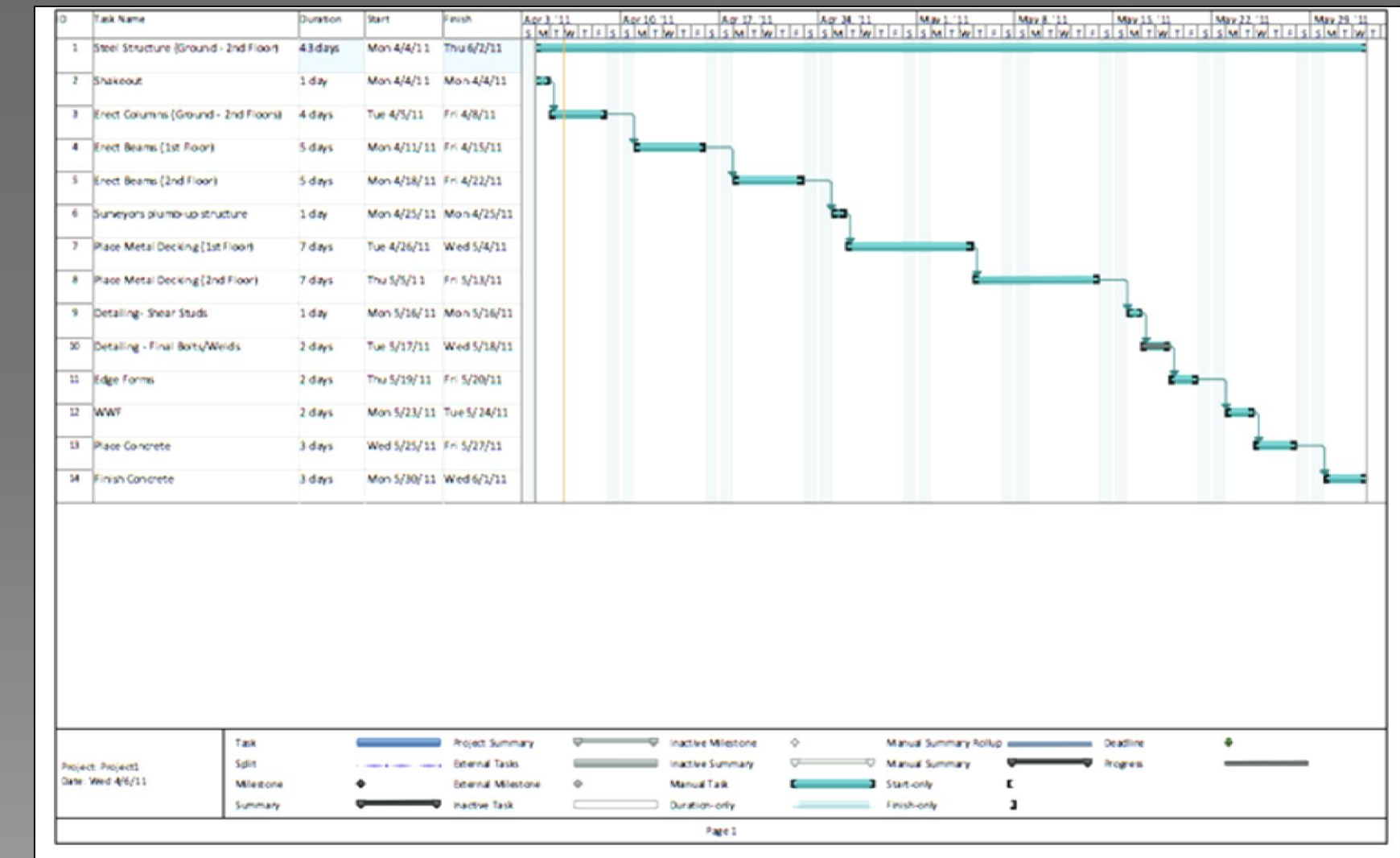
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- 43 days per 2 Floor
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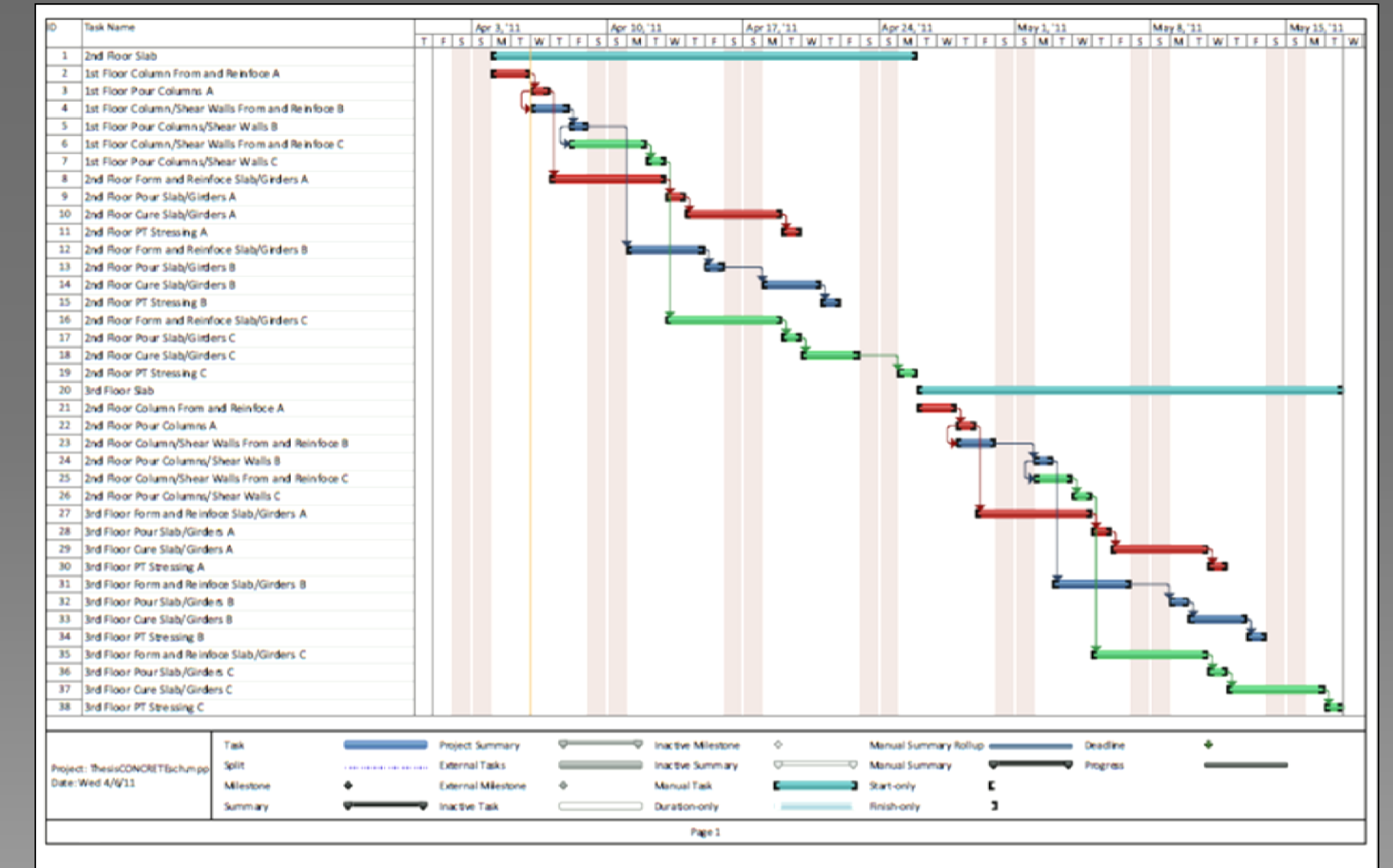
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Cost Comparison			
	Bare Costs	O&P Costs	Total
Steel	\$16,008,174	\$3,610,772	\$19,618,946
Concrete	\$16,599,099	\$5,062,030	\$21,661,129

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Conclusions

The goal of creating a more cost effective concrete structure was not met with this redesign.

Increased building weight would require a redesign of the foundation system. Which was not in the scope of this project.

New system also resulted in a lost of useable space for the tenants, in particular the hotel portion of the building.



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North/South											
Story	Height (ft)	kz or kh	qz	Windward (psf)	Windward (plf)	Windward (kips)	Leeward (psf)	Leeward (plf)	Leeward (kips)	Story Force (kips)	Moment (k-ft)
Building Portion A											
1mezz	12.50	0.57	17.86	19.52	5796.52	36.34	-25.96	-7711.17	-46.27	82.61	1032.57
2.00	24.00	0.65	20.43	21.34	6338.93	38.06	-25.96	-7711.17	-48.19	86.25	2070.09
2mezz	37.50	0.75	23.34	23.33	6929.32	44.78	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	96.83	3631.15
3.00	51.00	0.81	25.51	24.79	7362.97	48.24	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	100.29	5114.63
4.00	64.50	0.87	27.20	25.93	7699.99	50.84	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	102.89	6636.27
5.00	78.00	0.92	28.89	27.05	8034.75	53.10	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	105.16	8202.10
6.00	91.50	0.96	30.22	27.94	8297.13	55.12	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	107.17	9806.10
7.00	105.00	1.00	31.41	28.72	8530.75	56.79	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	108.84	11428.67
8.00	118.50	1.04	32.47	29.42	8737.44	58.28	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	110.33	13074.17
9.00	132.00	1.07	33.53	30.11	8943.56	59.67	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	111.72	14747.54
10.00	145.50	1.10	34.50	30.75	9132.28	61.01	-25.96	-7711.17	-52.05	113.06	16449.70
11.00	159.00	1.13	35.35	31.30	9295.99	64.52	-25.96	-7711.17	-53.98	118.50	18841.12
12.00	173.50	1.16	36.25	31.89	9471.48	68.03	-25.96	-7711.17	-55.91	123.94	21503.25
13.00	188.00	1.18	37.04	32.40	9622.04	70.42	-25.96	-7711.17	-56.87	127.29	23929.89
Building Portion B											
14.00	203.00	1.20	37.75	32.89	9767.96	64.17	-25.96	-7711.17	-51.09	115.25	23396.16
15.00	214.50	1.22	38.33	33.26	9878.22	56.48	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	100.82	21626.32
16.00	226.00	1.24	38.90	33.63	9988.37	57.12	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	101.46	22928.98
17.00	237.50	1.26	39.48	34.00	10098.42	57.75	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	102.09	24246.07
18.00	249.00	1.28	40.06	34.37	10208.37	58.38	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	102.72	25577.59
19.00	260.50	1.29	40.57	34.70	10305.32	58.98	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	103.32	26913.84
20.00	272.00	1.31	41.07	35.02	10400.97	59.53	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	103.87	28252.59
21.00	283.50	1.33	41.58	35.34	10496.55	60.08	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	104.42	29602.95
22.00	295.00	1.34	42.08	35.66	10592.07	60.63	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	104.97	30965.85
23.00	306.50	1.36	42.55	35.96	10679.54	63.83	-25.96	-7711.17	-46.27	110.09	33743.44
Roof Main	319.00	1.37	43.02	36.26	10767.90	95.29	-25.96	-7711.17	-68.44	163.73	52228.48
Roof High	342.00	1.40	43.88	36.80	10930.35	61.92	-25.96	-7711.17	-44.34	106.25	36339.10
Sum=										2813.86	512288.61

Wind Load Design Criteria		
Category		
Basic Wind Speed	V	120
Importance Factor	I	
Exposure Category	-	B
Directionality Factor	K _d	0.85
Topographic Factor	k _{zt}	1
Intensity of Turbulence	I _z	0.2238
Integral Length of Scale of Turbulence	L _w	574.945
Background Response Factor	Q	0.7766
Gust Effect Factor	G _f	0.8231
	G _{C_{pi}}	+/- 0.18
Windward Pressure	C _p	0.8
Leeward Pressure	C _p	-0.5

East/West											
Story	Height (ft)	kz or kh	qz	Windward (psf)	Windward (plf)	Windward (kips)	Leeward (psf)	Leeward (plf)	Leeward (kips)	Story Force (kips)	Moment (k-ft)
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2mezz	37.50	0.75	23.34	24.21	2971.40	19.24	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	35.11	1316.78
3.00	51.00	0.81	25.51	25.64	3146.94	20.65	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	36.52	1862.72
4.00	64.50	0.87	27.20	26.74	3282.15	21.70	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	37.57	2423.44
5.00	78.00	0.92	28.89	27.84	3417.56	22.61	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	38.49	3001.92
6.00	91.50	0.96	30.22	28.70	3522.74	23.42	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	39.30	3595.78
7.00	105.00	1.00	31.41	29.46	3616.33	24.09	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	39.97	4196.74
8.00	118.50	1.04	32.47	30.13	3699.01	24.69	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	40.56	4806.82
9.00	132.00	1.07	33.53	30.81	3781.94	25.25	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	41.12	5428.21
10.00	145.50	1.10	34.50	31.43	3857.84	25.78	-19.16	-2351.79	-15.87	41.66	6061.37
11.00	159.00	1.13	35.35	31.96	3923.44	27.24	-19.16	-2351.79	-16.46	43.71	6949.13
12.00	173.50	1.16	36.25	32.54	3994.06	28.70	-19.16	-2351.79	-17.05	45.75	7937.87
13.00	188.00	1.18	37.04	33.03	4054.39	29.68	-19.16	-2351.79	-17.34	47.03	8841.06
Building Portion B											
14.00	203.00	1.20	37.75	34.23	2139.39	21.35	-15.41	-962.85	-11.59	32.94	6687.25
15.00	214.50	1.22	38.33	34.58	2161.05	12.36	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	17.90	3839.59
16.00	226.00	1.24	38.90	34.93	2182.83	12.49	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.03	4073.67
17.00	237.50	1.26	39.48	35.28	2204.71	12.61	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.15	4310.76
18.00	249.00	1.28	40.06	35.63	2226.67	12.74	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.28	4550.88
19.00	260.50	1.29	40.57	35.93	2245.86	12.86	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.39	4791.88
20.00	272.00	1.31	41.07	36.24	2264.86	12.97	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.50	5033.28
21.00	283.50	1.33	41.58	36.54	2283.92	13.08	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.61	5277.11
22.00	295.00	1.34	42.08	36.85	2303.04	13.19	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.72	5523.56
23.00	306.50	1.36	42.55	37.13	2320.47	13.87	-15.41	-962.85	-5.78	19.65	6022.68
Roof Main	319.00	1.37	43.02	37.41	2338.01	20.70	-15.41	-962.85	-8.55	29.24	9327.67
Roof High	342.00	1.40	43.88	37.93	2370.44	13.44	-15.41	-962.85	-5.54	18.98	6491.15
Sum=										795.11	123470.60