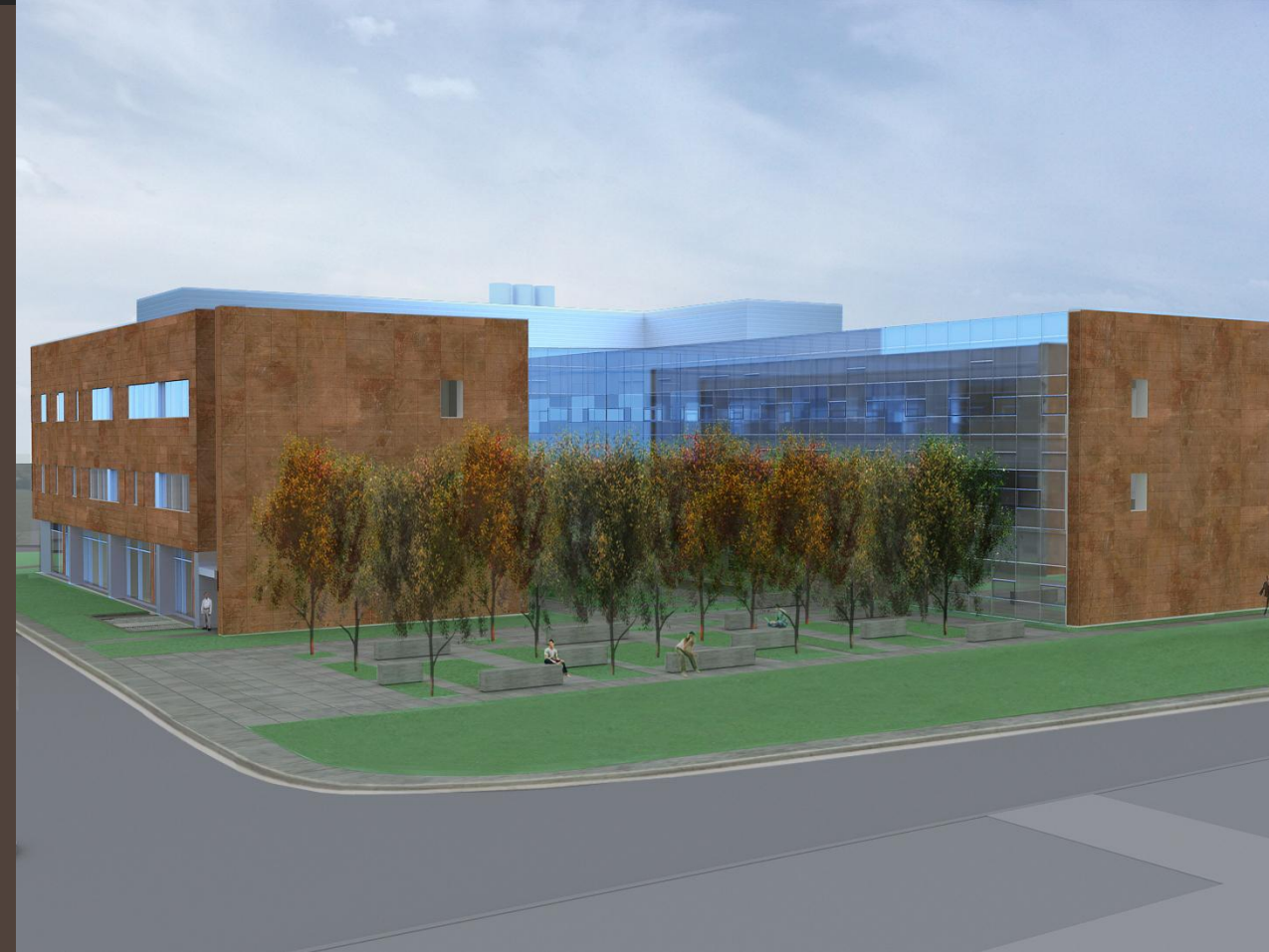


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Garden City, NY



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Advisor – James Freihaut, PhD & Dustin Eplee
The Pennsylvania State University**

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Decentralized System Findings

- 20% decrease in first cost with chilled beam & dedicated outdoor air system
- 50% reduction in supply air
- 18% increase in chilled water flow
- 26% decrease in energy*

Chiller Plant Findings

- \$26,000 lower first cost with variable primary flow
- \$1,500 annual energy savings with variable primary flow

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Building Information

Size	72,400 Square Feet
Occupancy:	Classrooms/Laboratories/Offices
Levels:	3/Penthouse/Basement
Cost:	\$30 Million
Construction Dates:	March 2010 – January 2012

Team

Architect:	Cannon Design
Structural:	Cannon Design
M/E/P/FP:	Cannon Design
CM:	Jacobs Project Management Co.



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Waterside

- Campus High Temperature Hot Water – 270°F
 - Heat Exchangers – 180°F
 - Direct to Air Handling Units
- Campus Chilled Water - 42°F
 - Booster Pumps
 - Direct to all coils

Airside

- Classrooms/Offices
 - 25,550 CFM VAV with Terminal Reheat
- Laboratories
 - VAV with Supply Valves and Reheat
 - Fume Hoods
 - Glycol Heat Recovery Run-Around Loop
- Laboratory Exhaust
 - 3 Fans with a minimum discharge of 4,000 FPM
 - Heat Recovery

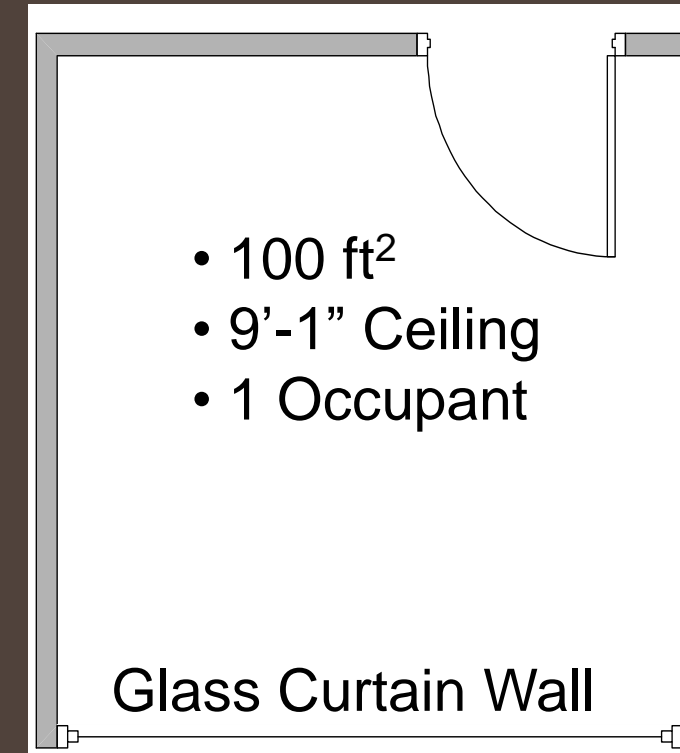
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Chilled Beam

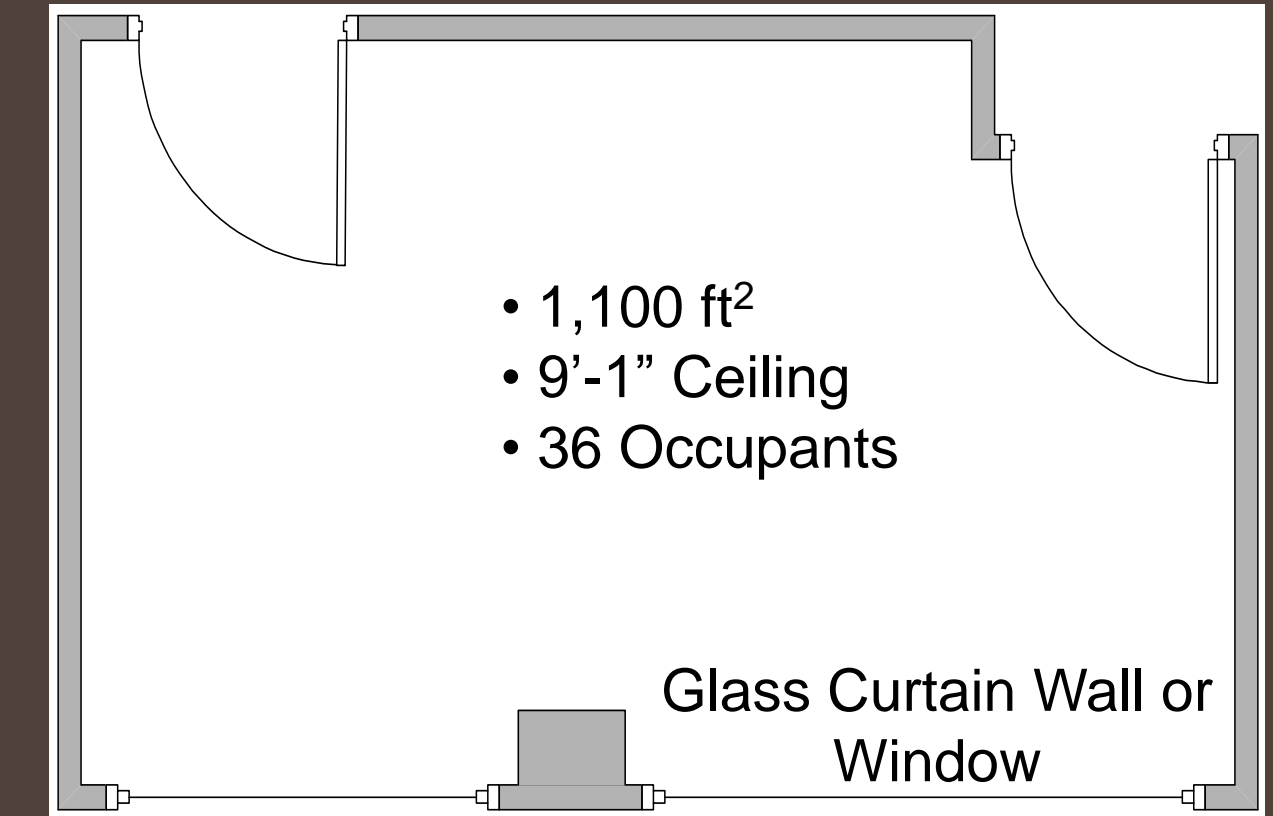
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Chilled Beam

- Classrooms

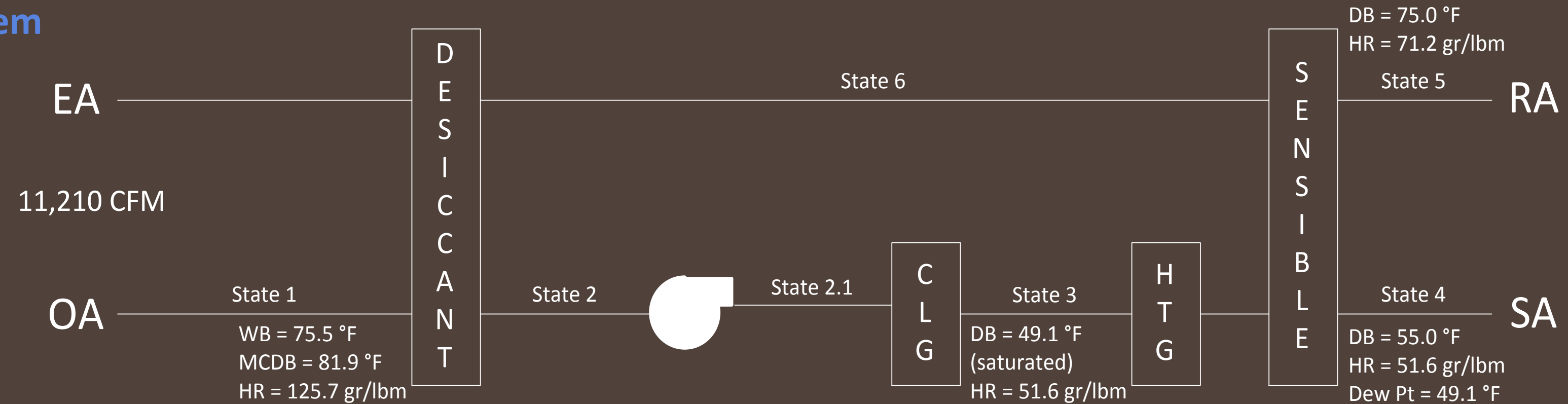


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Dedicated Outdoor Air Unit



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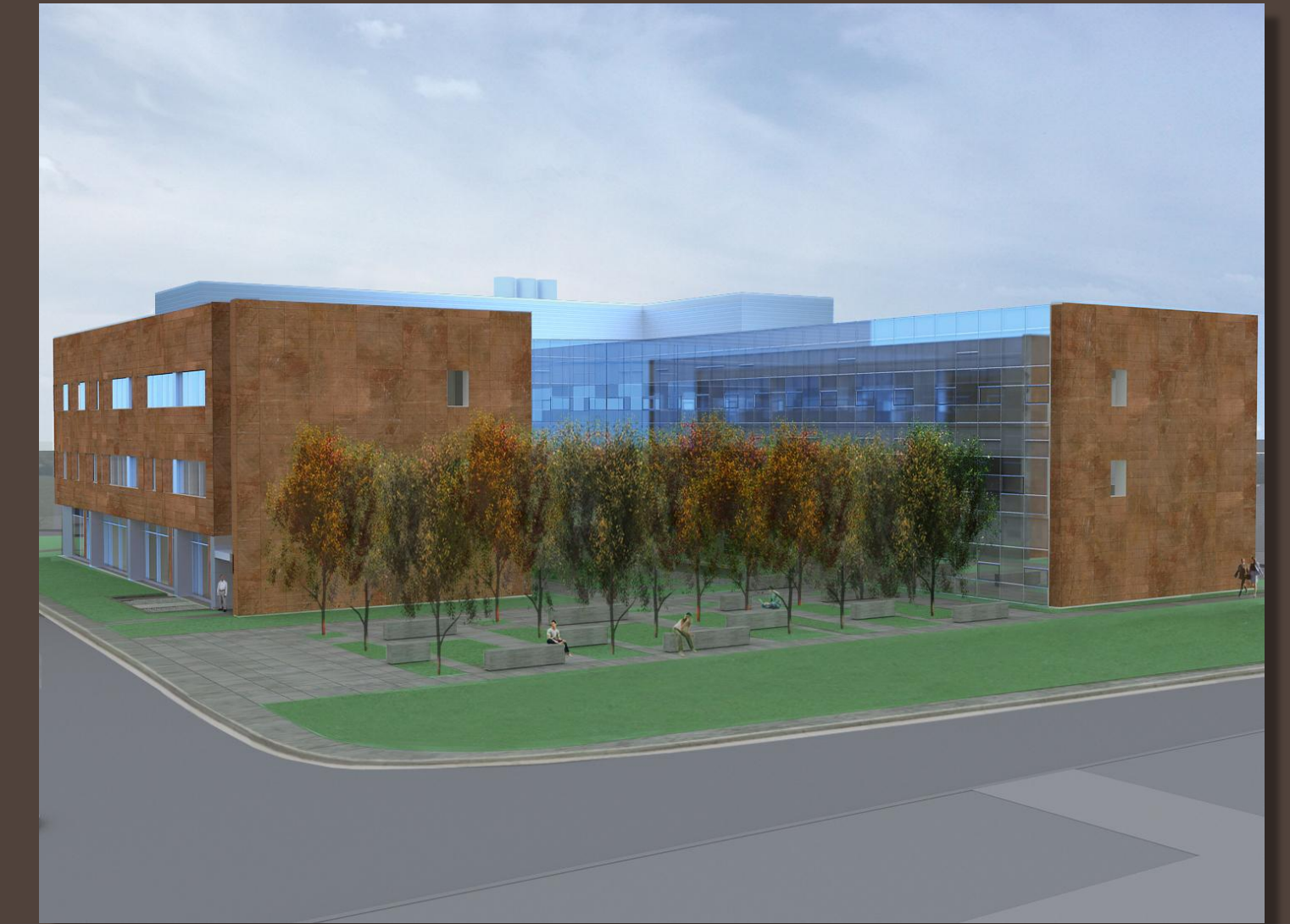
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Energy Analysis Procedure

- Obtain design hourly cooling load predictions
- Select Similar Pump/Fan model
- Create regressions illustrating equipment
 - Curve Model
- Use regressions to determine power
- Apply utility rate structure

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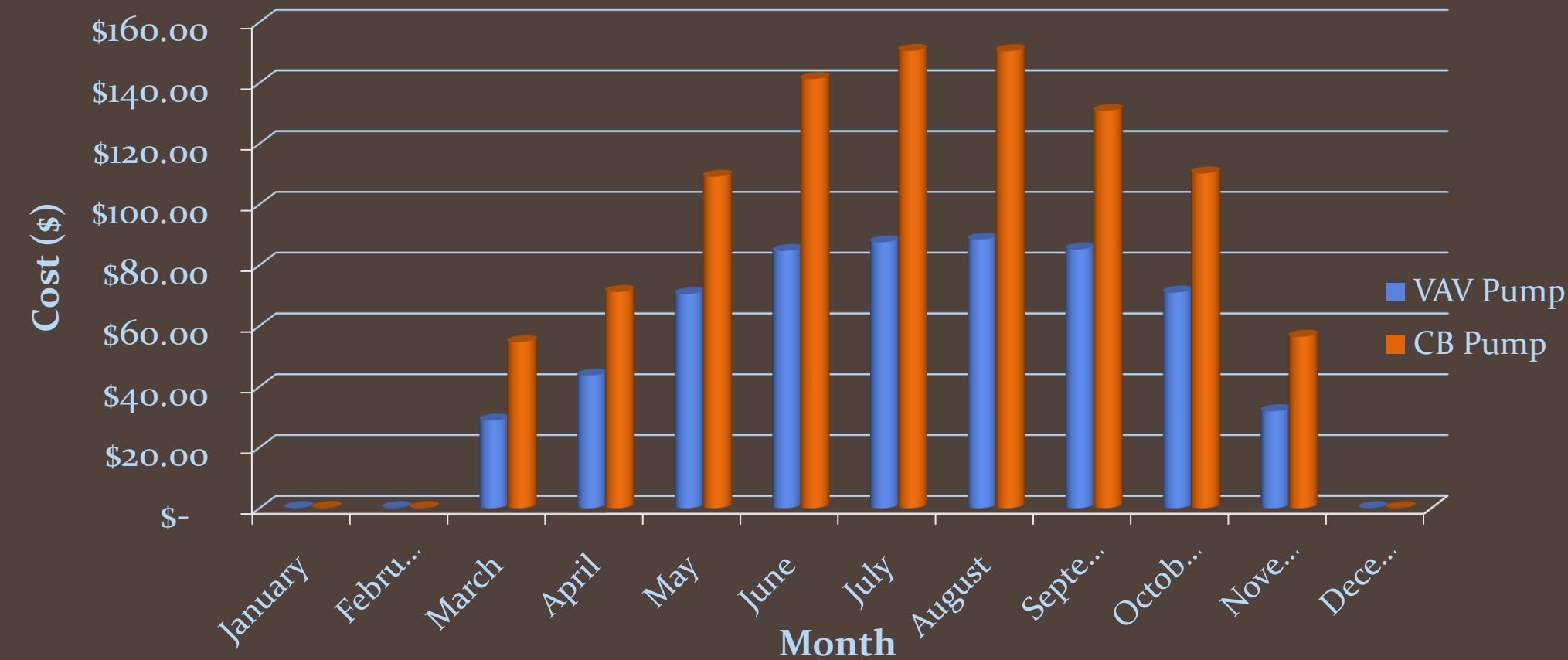
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Pump Energy

Monthly CHW Pump Cost



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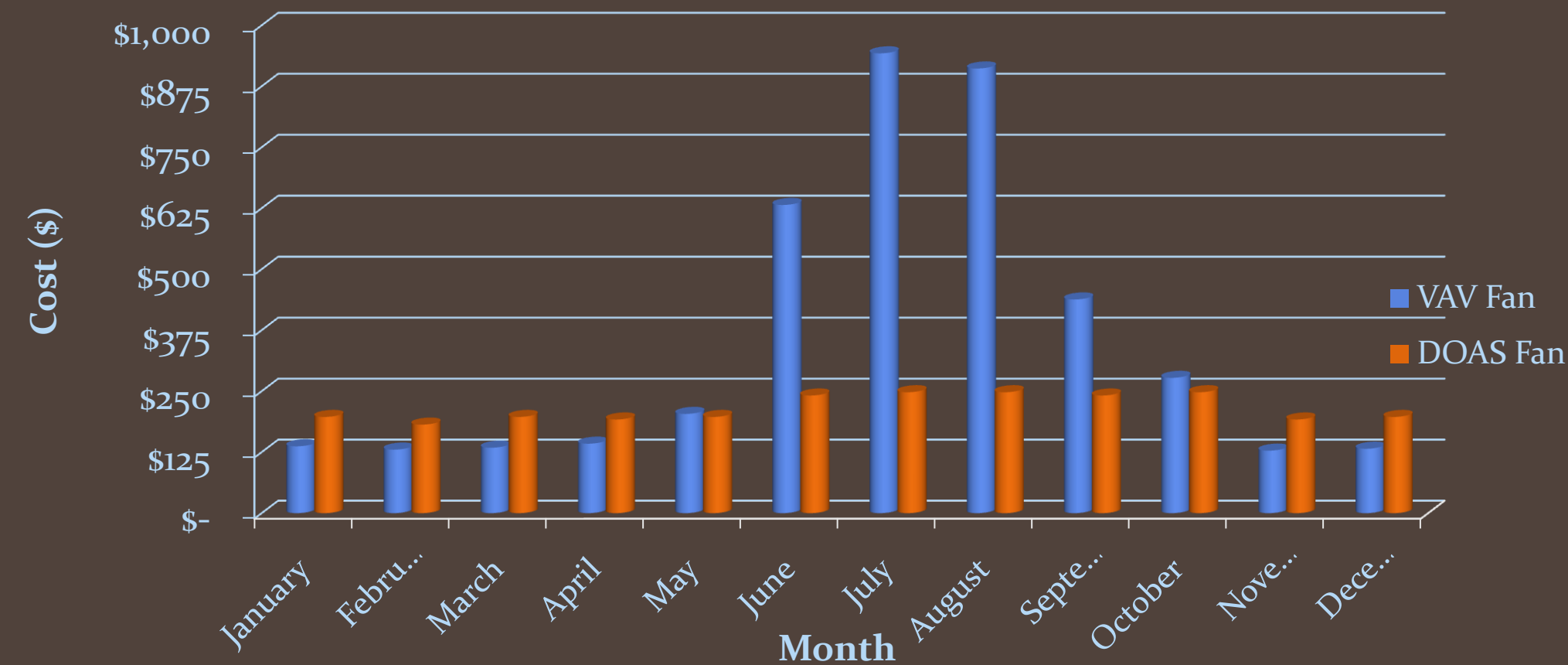
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Fan Energy

Monthly Fan Cost



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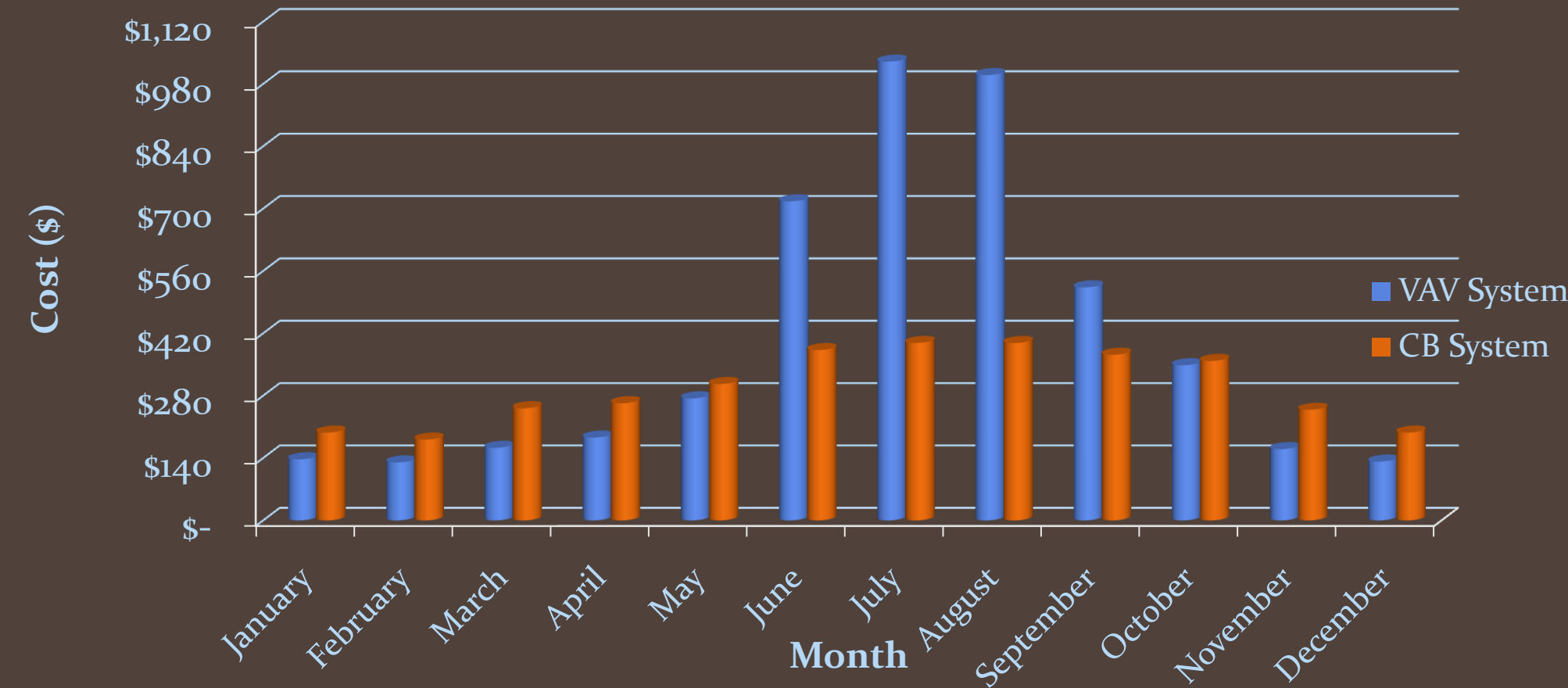
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Total Energy

Monthly Energy Cost without Chilled Water



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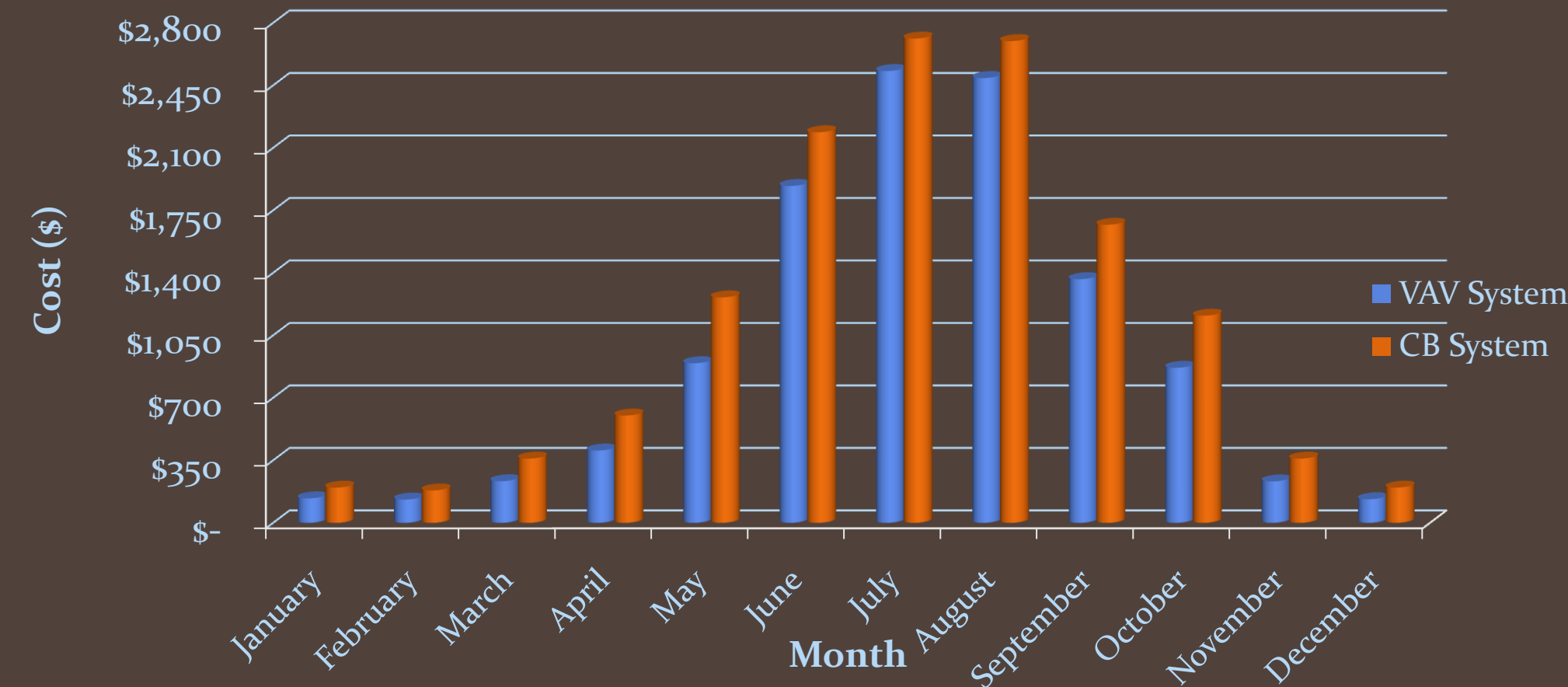
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First Cost

- New Chilled Beam/DOAS - \$1,000,000
 - Smaller Air Handling Unit
 - Less VAV Boxes
 - Less Ductwork
 - No Finned Tube Radiation
 - Extra Piping
 - Add Desiccant/Sensible Wheels
 - Add Pump
- 20% Less First Cost

First Cost

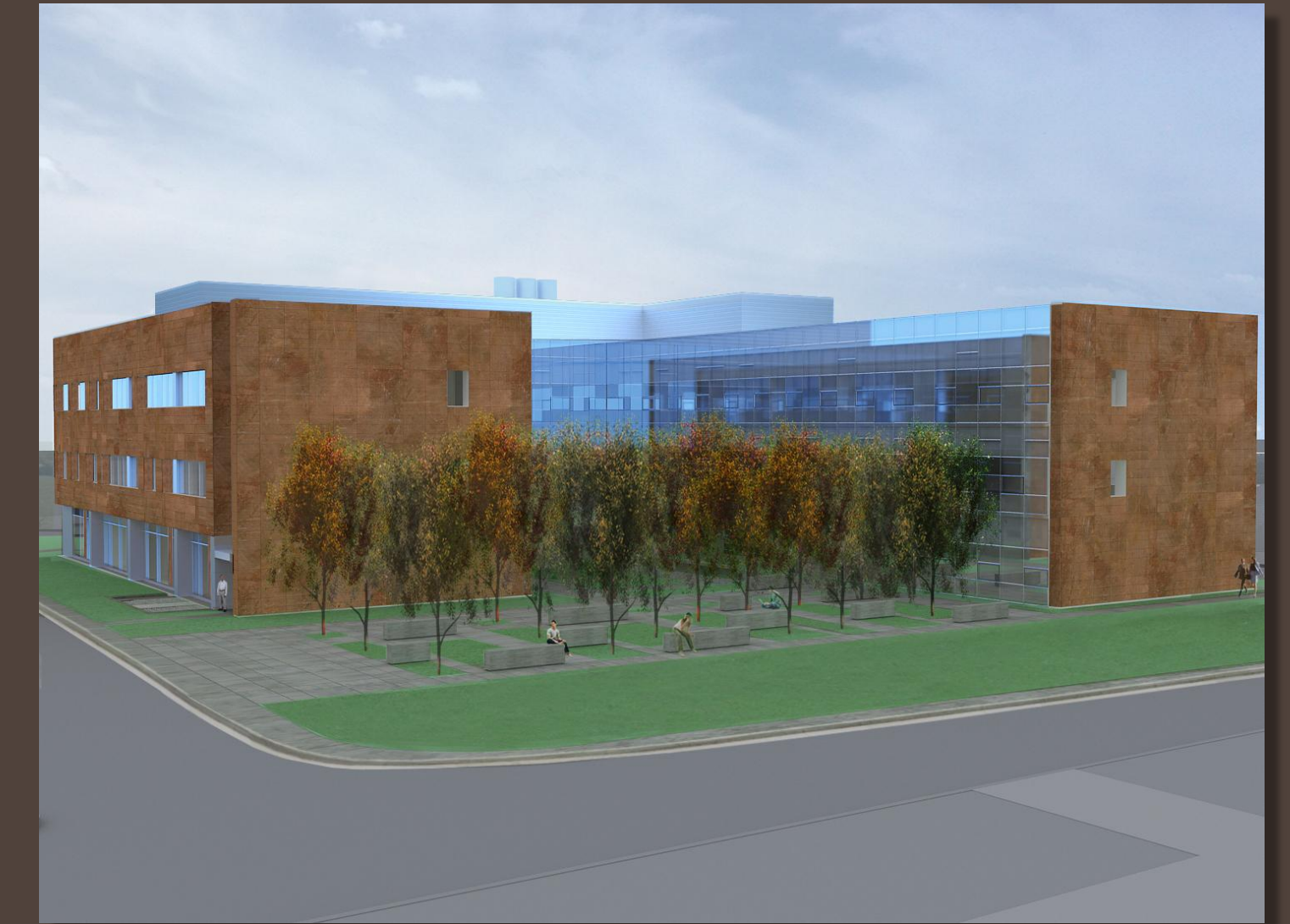
- Existing VAV with Terminal Reheat - \$1,254,000
 - Large Air Handling Unit
 - Many VAV Boxes
 - Much Ductwork
 - Less Pumps
 - Less piping

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Life Cycle Cost

- VAV with Terminal Reheat
 - 30-year NPV: \$1,628,000
- Chilled Beam with Dedicated Outdoor Air System
 - 30-year NPV: \$1,470,000
- **9.7% Lower LCC with Chilled Beam/DOAS**



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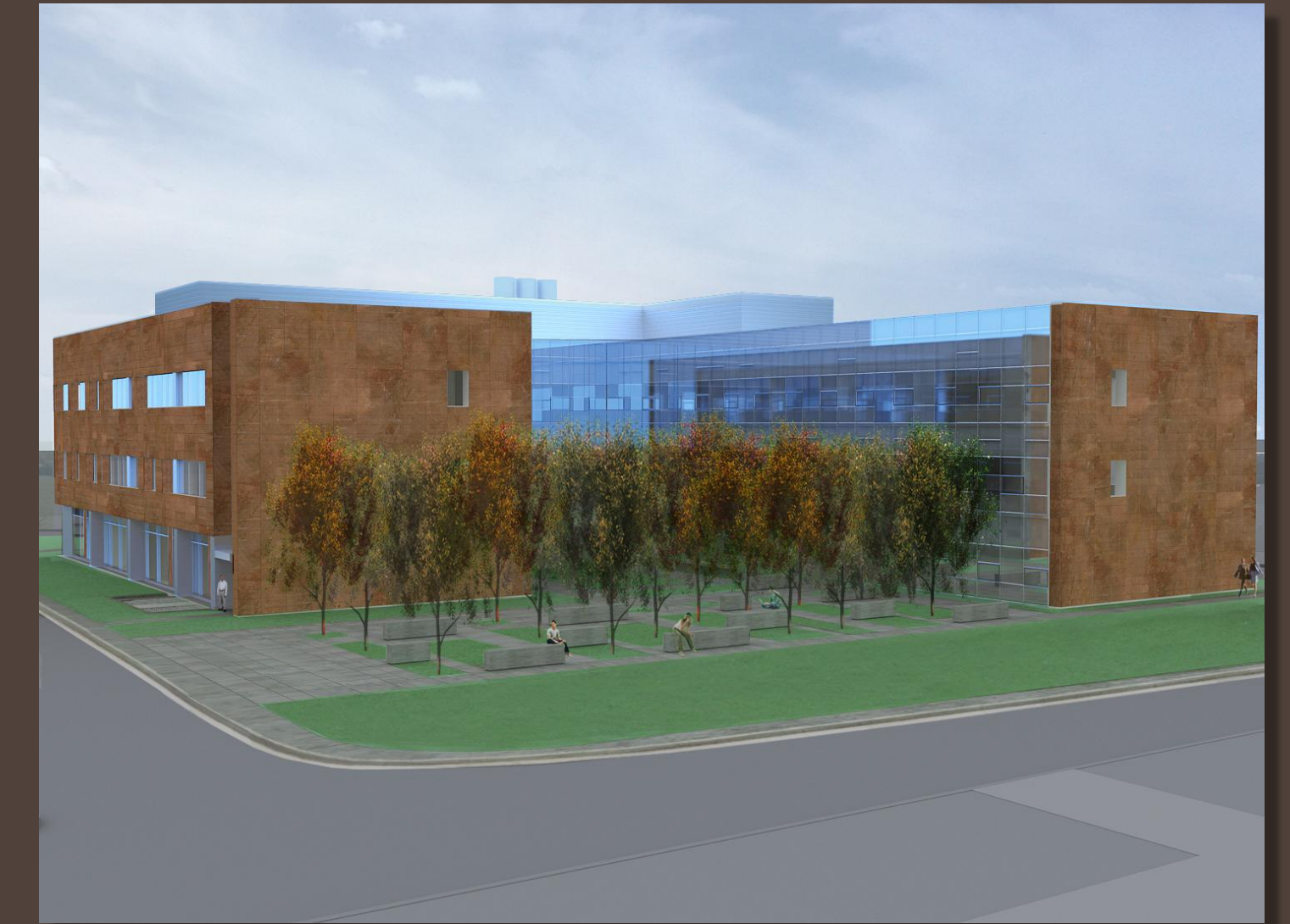
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Chiller Plant

- Equipment
 - Carrier 270 Screw Chiller
 - Bell & Gossett Base-Mounted Pumps
 - Marley Cooling Tower

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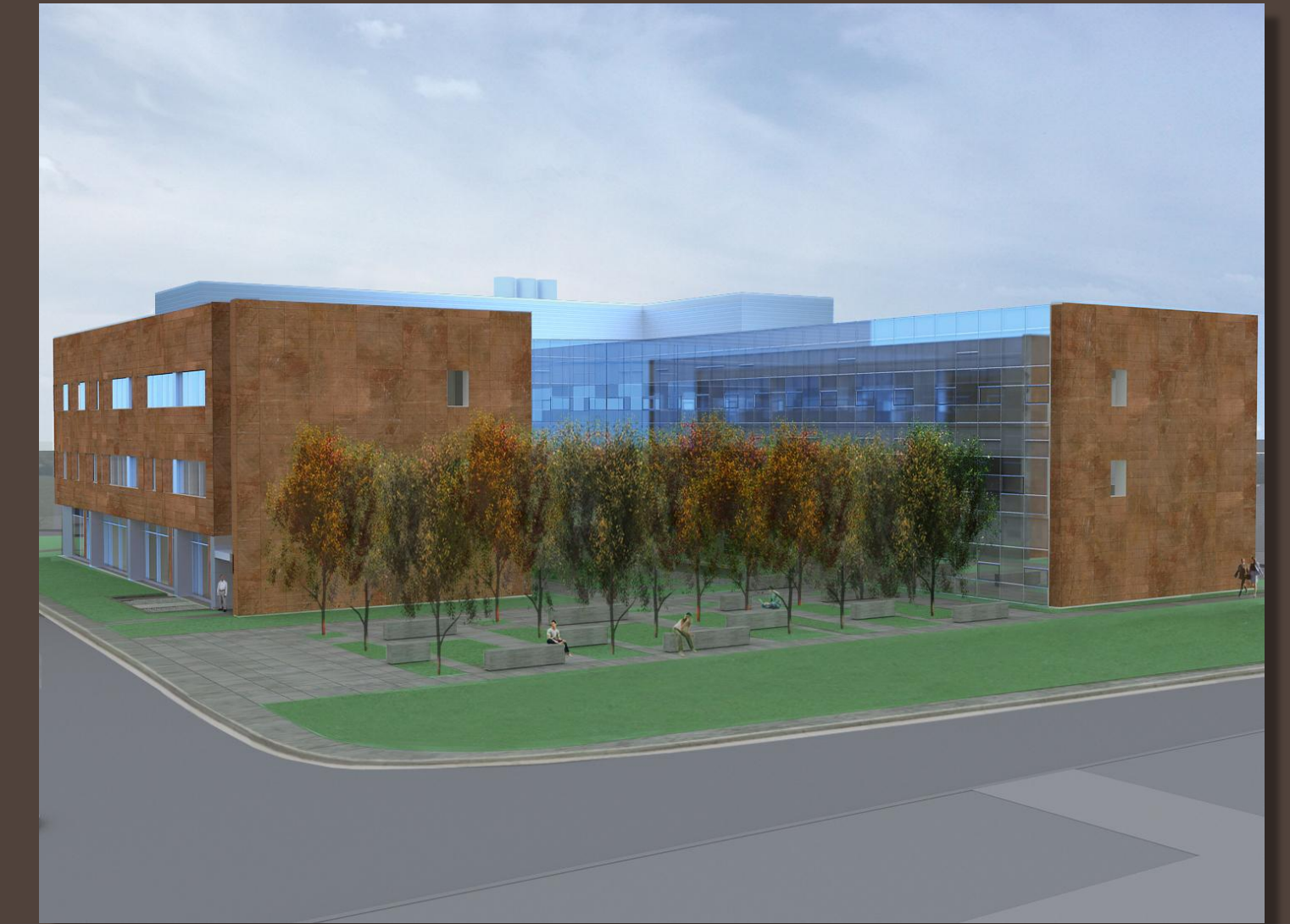
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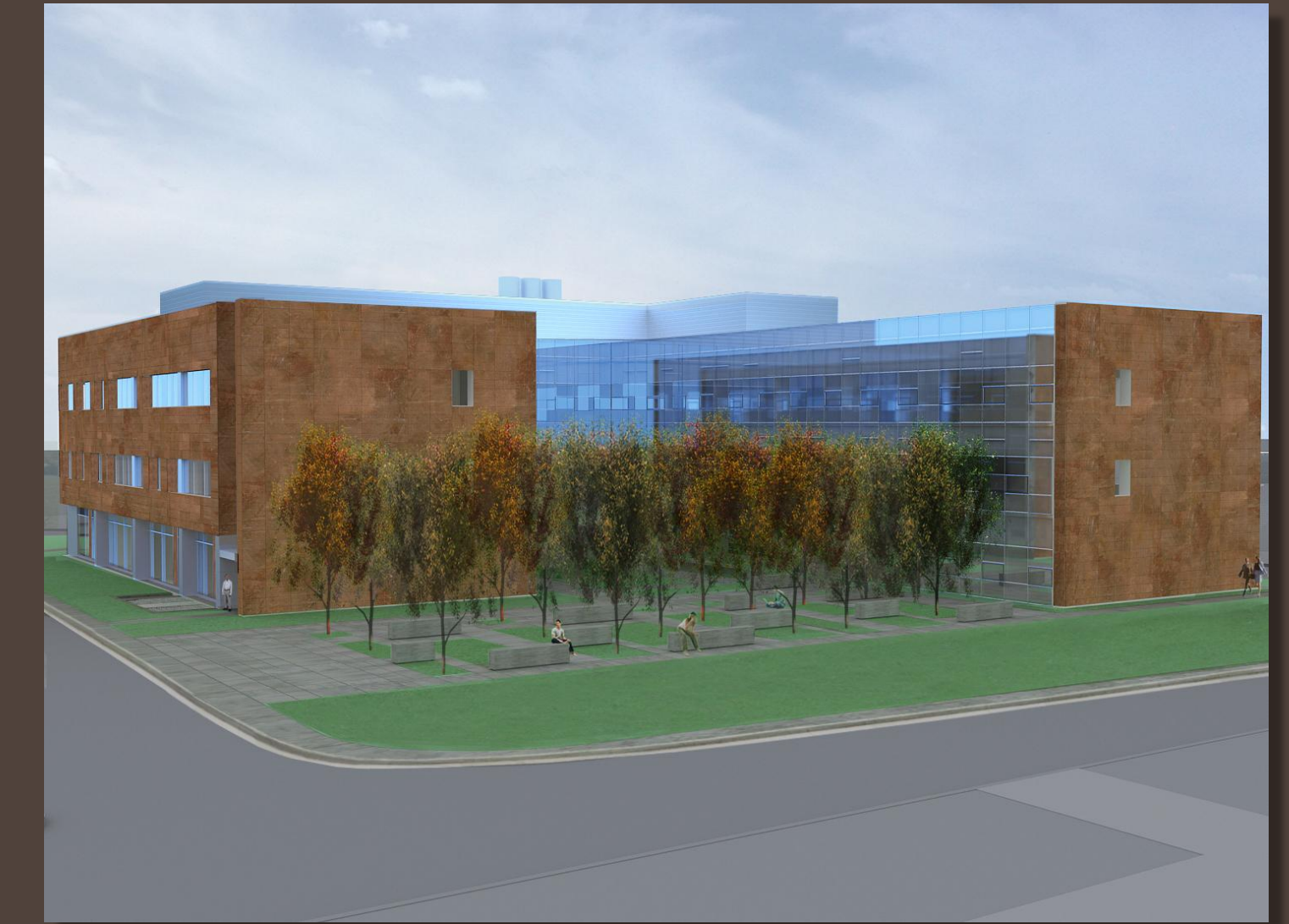
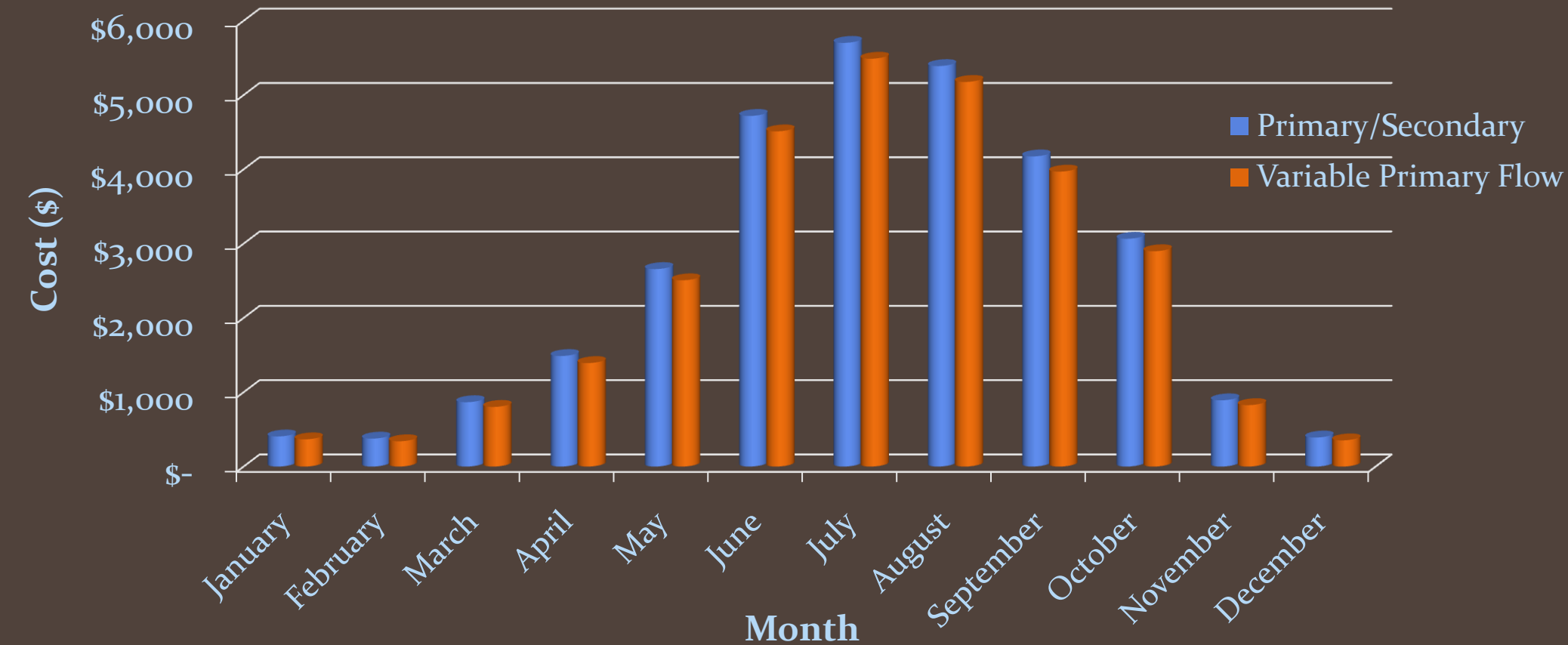
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Chiller Plant Energy

Monthly Cost For P/S and VPF Configurations



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Chiller Plant First Cost

- Primary/Secondary - \$243,000
 - Extra set of pumps
 - More Piping
- Variable Primary Flow - \$217,000
 - Less Pumps
 - Less Piping
 - 11% decrease in first cost

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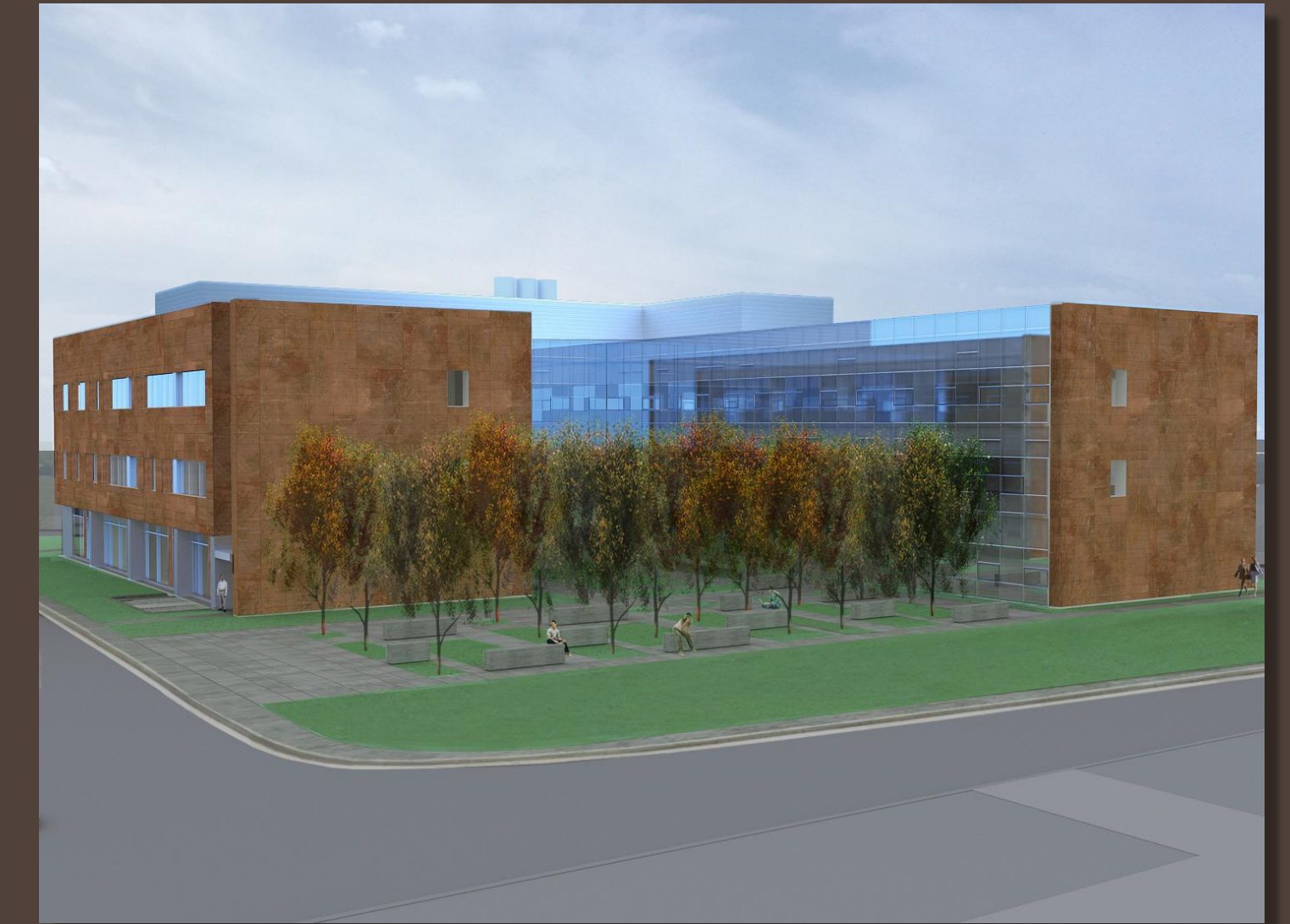
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Chiller Plant Life Cycle Cost

- Primary/Secondary
 - 30-year NPV: \$1,231,000
- Variable Primary Flow
 - 30-year NPV: \$1,161,000
- **6% Lower LCC with VPF**

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Daylighting

- Life Sciences Building Design Goals
- LEED Credit 8.1
 - 75% of regularly occupied spaces between 25 fc and 500 fc.
 - September 21 at 9am and 3pm



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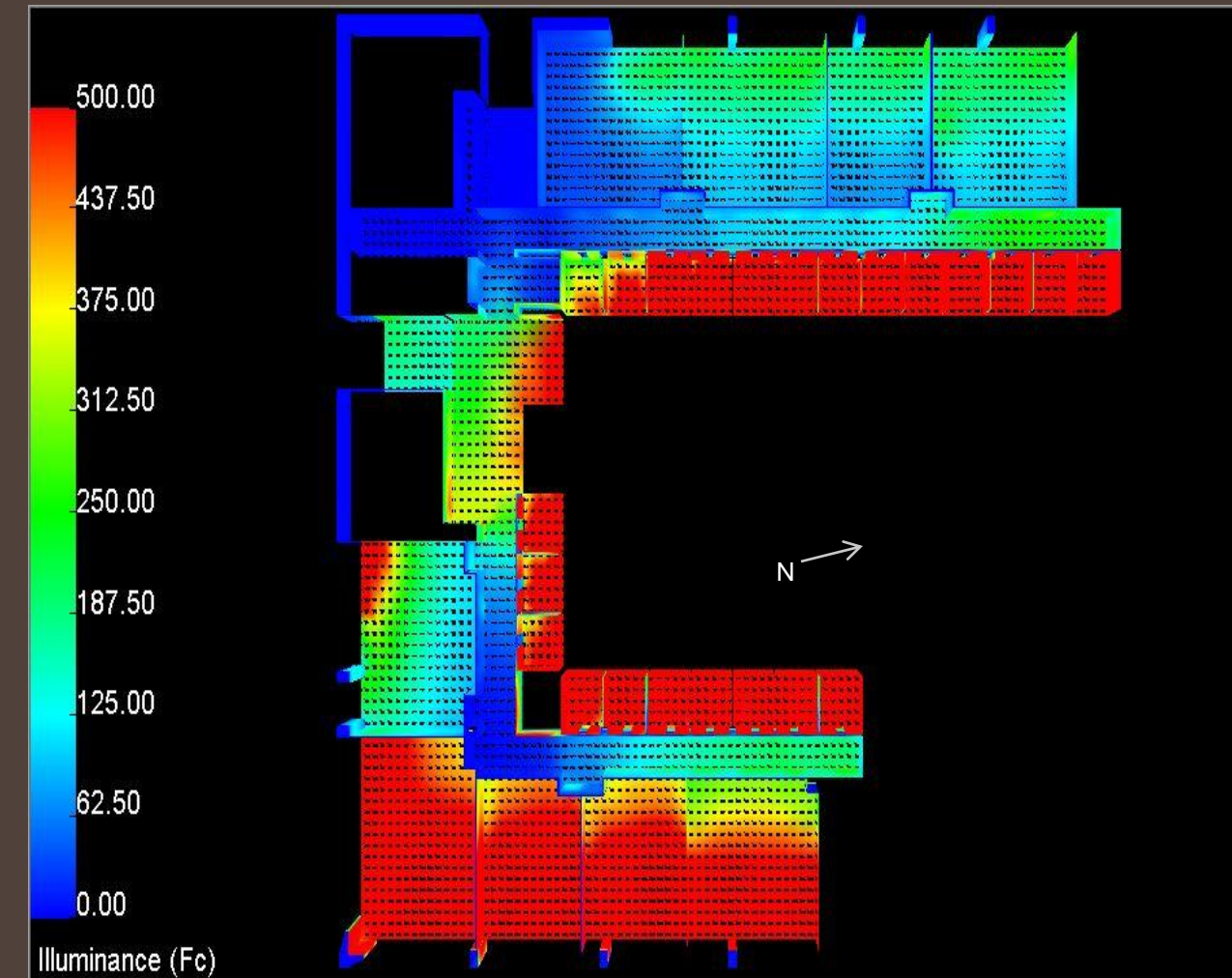
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Daylighting

- September 21st
- 9 am
- 1st floor

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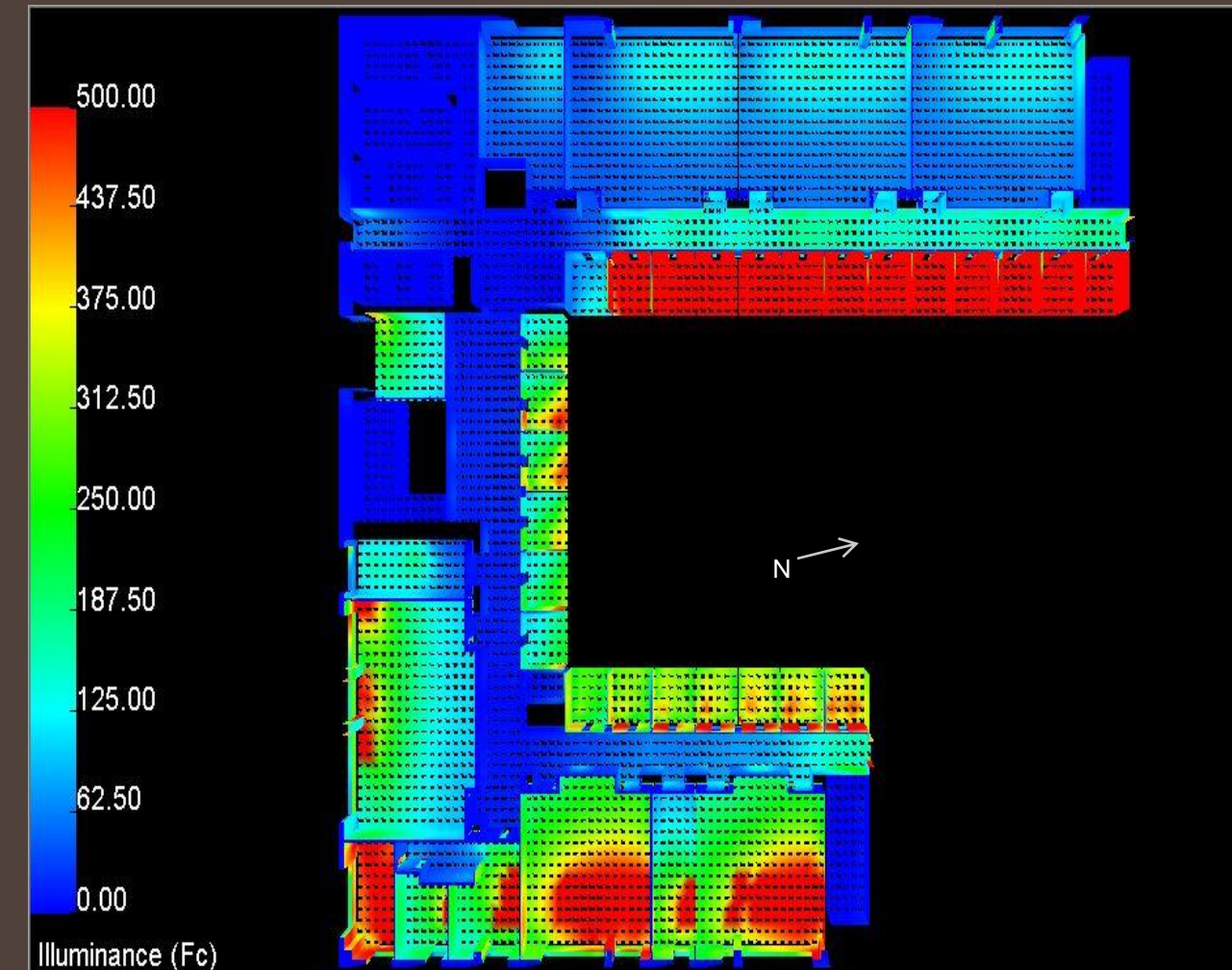
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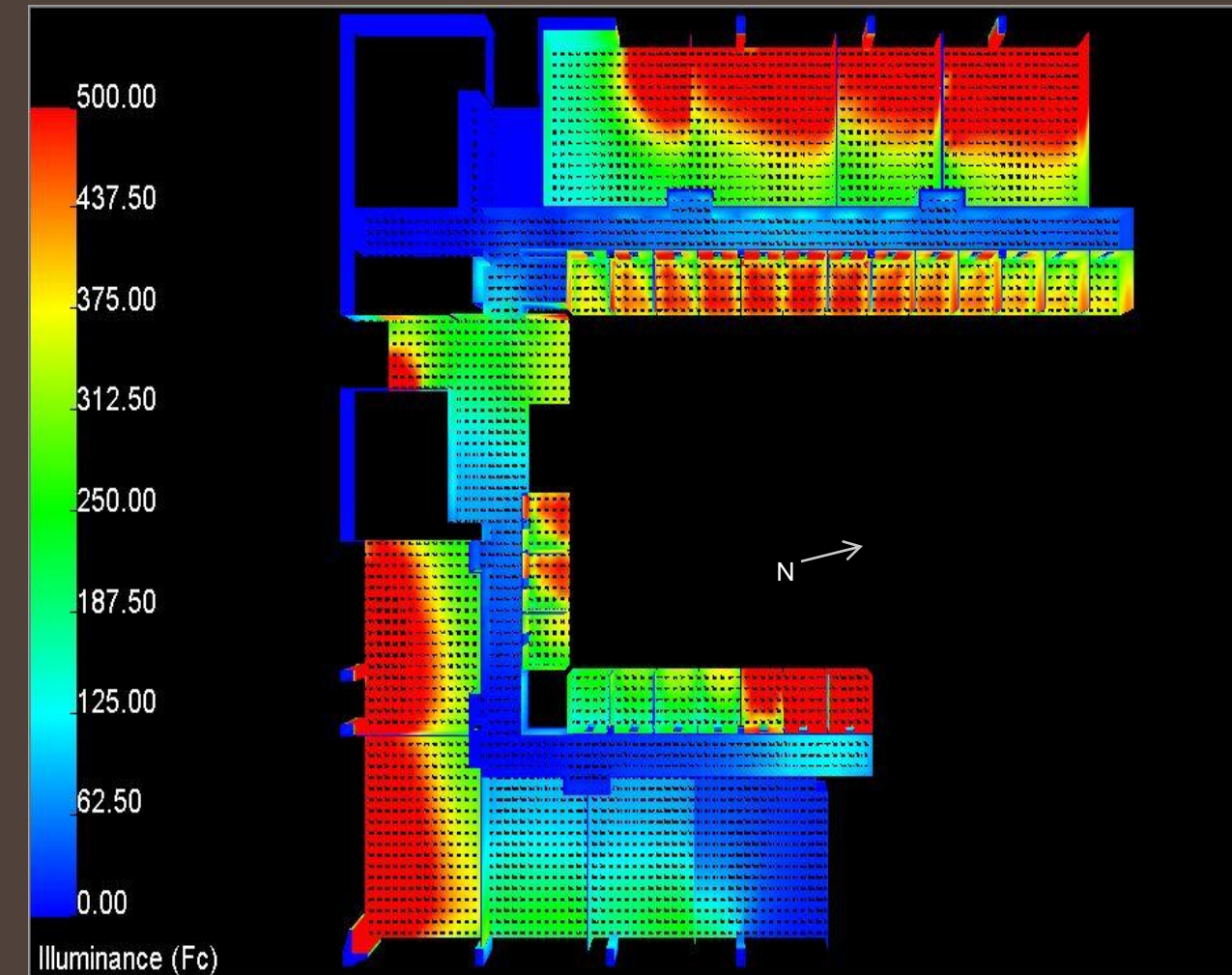
- September 21st
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- 2nd floor

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- 3 pm
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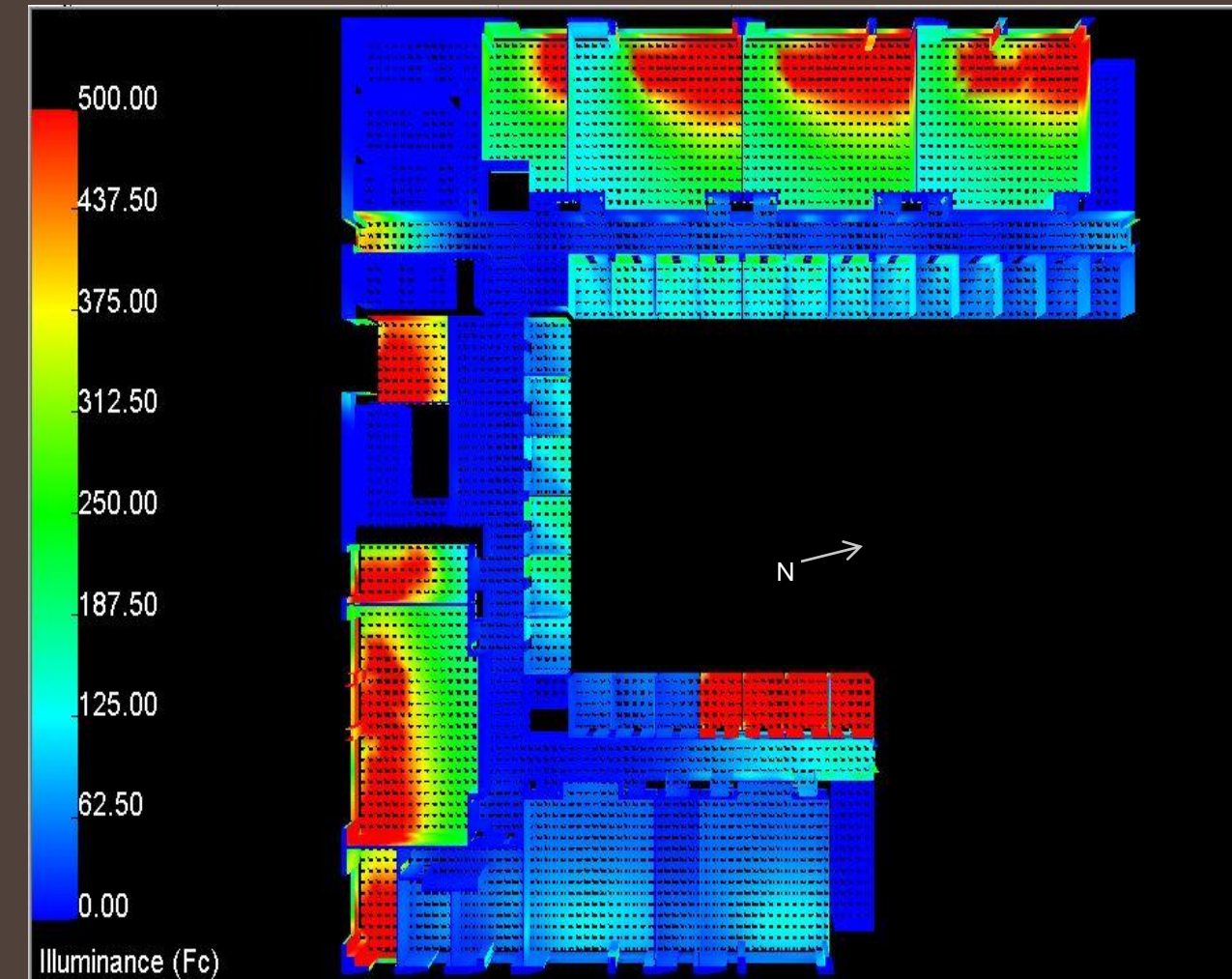
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- Conclusion
 - 1st floor, 9am – non-compliant
 - 73% at 9am
 - 82% at 3pm



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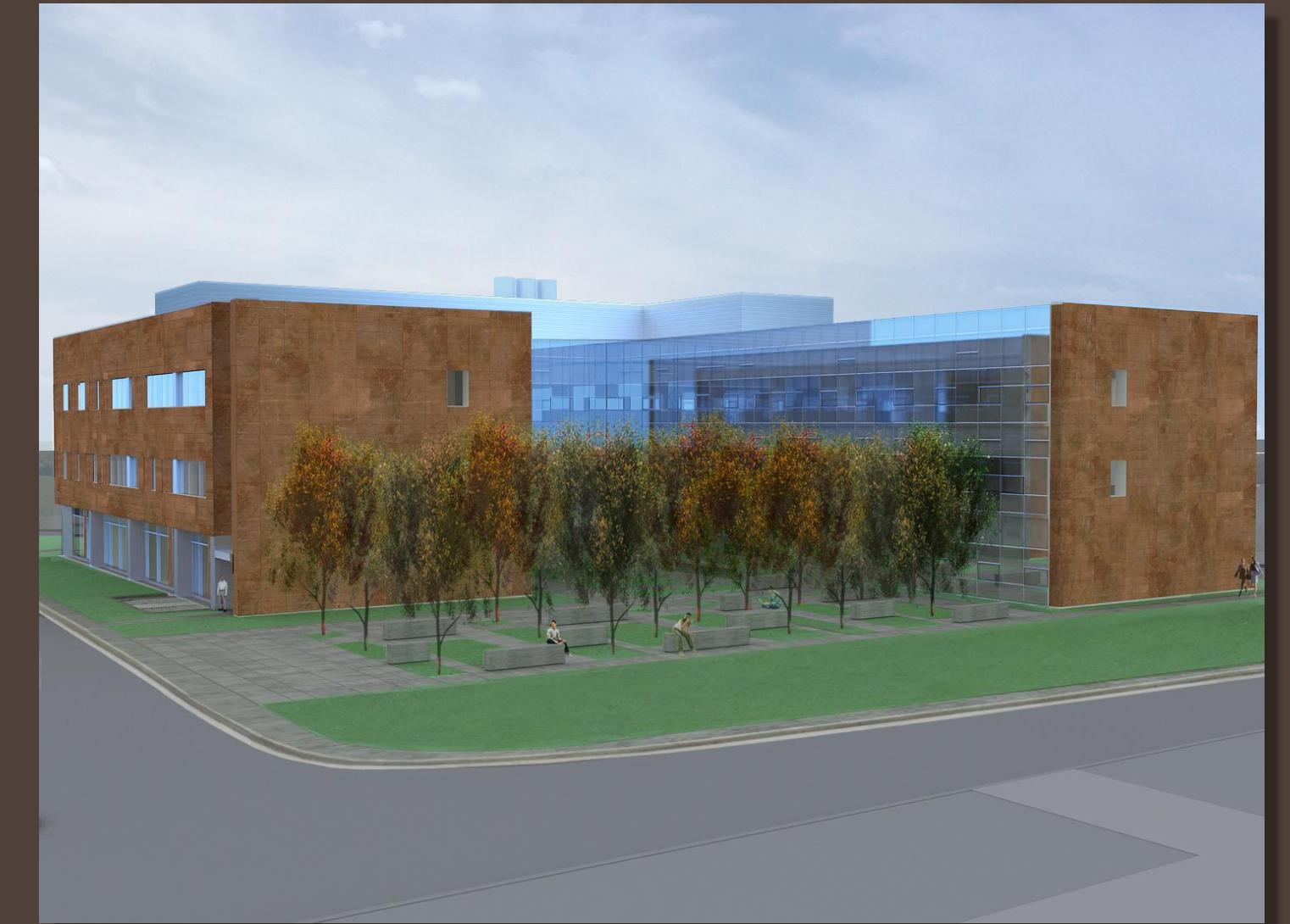
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- Decentralized Air System
 - \$254,000 decrease in first cost
 - 20% higher annual energy cost
 - 9.7% smaller LCC
- P/S vs. VPF
 - \$26,000 decrease in first cost with VPF
 - 5% decrease in annual energy cost with VPF
 - 6% smaller LCC with VPF



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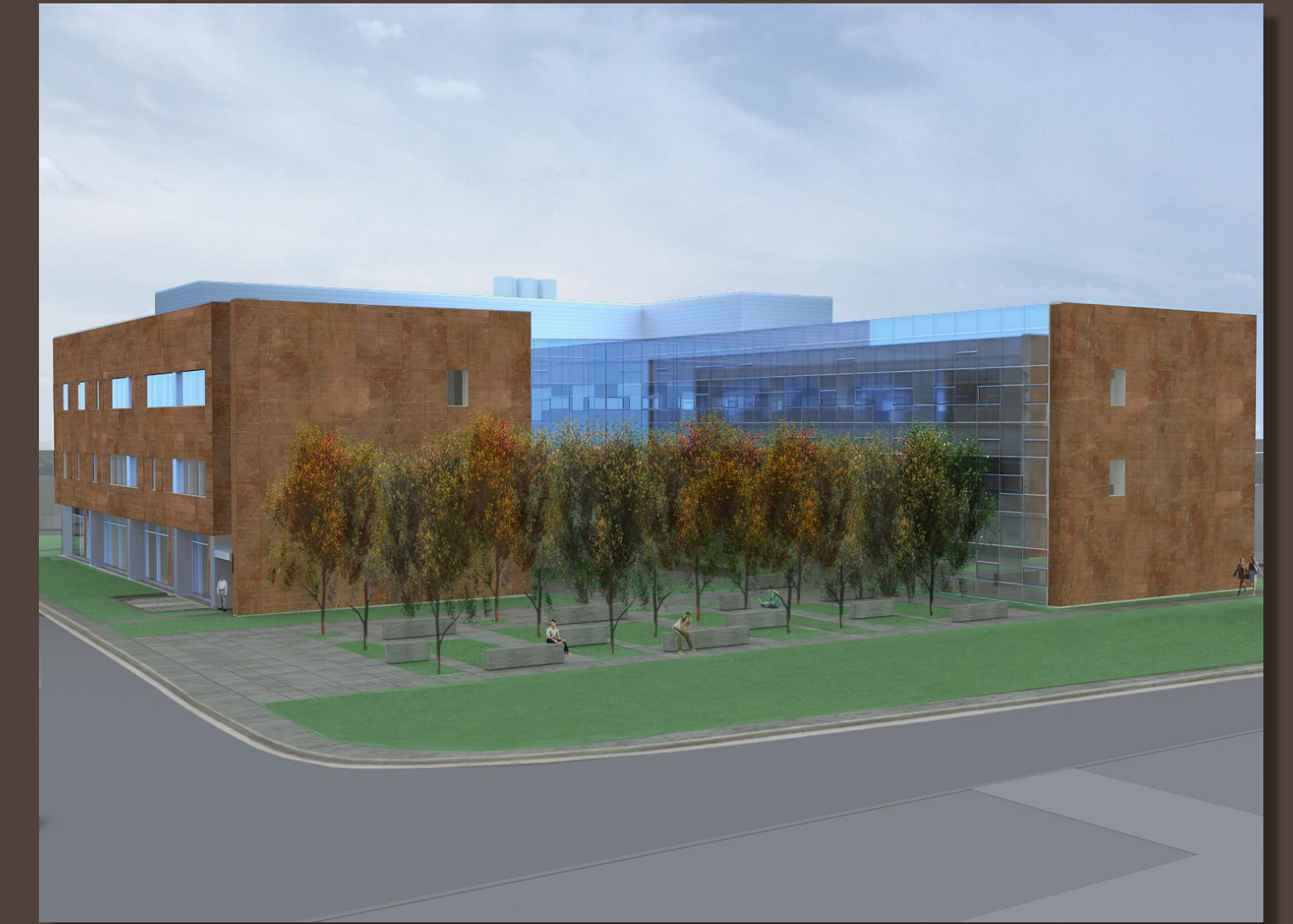
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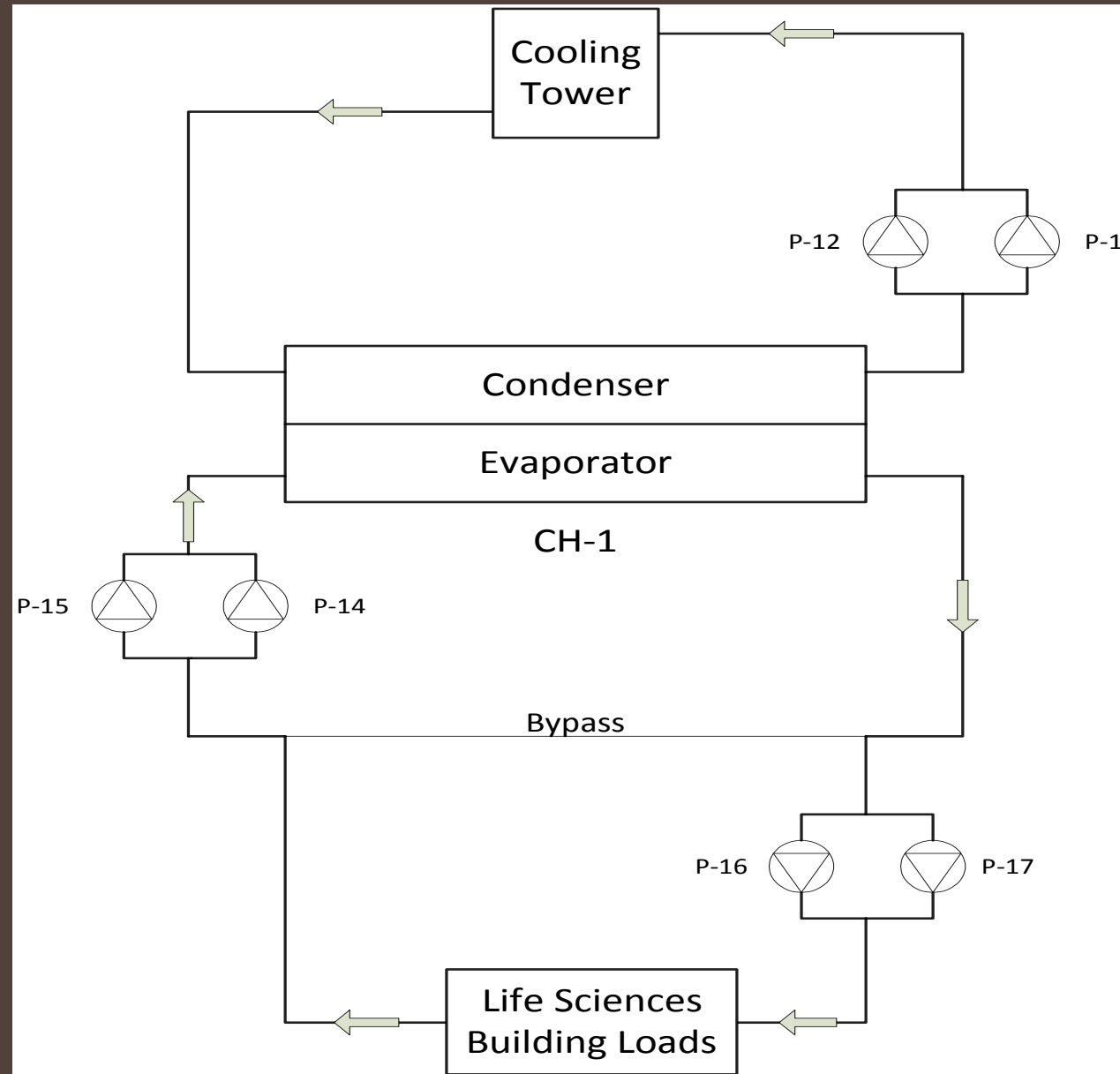


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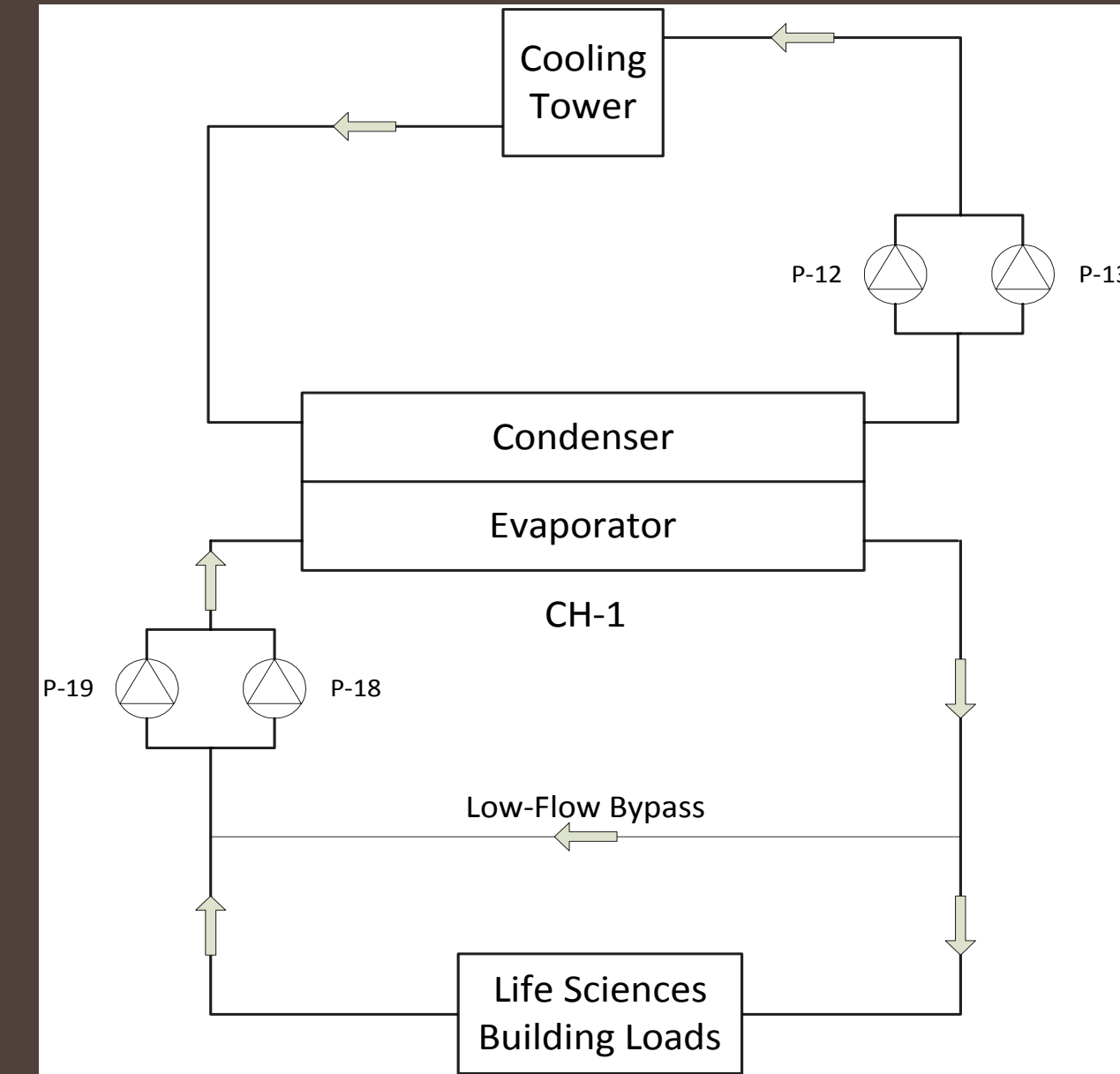
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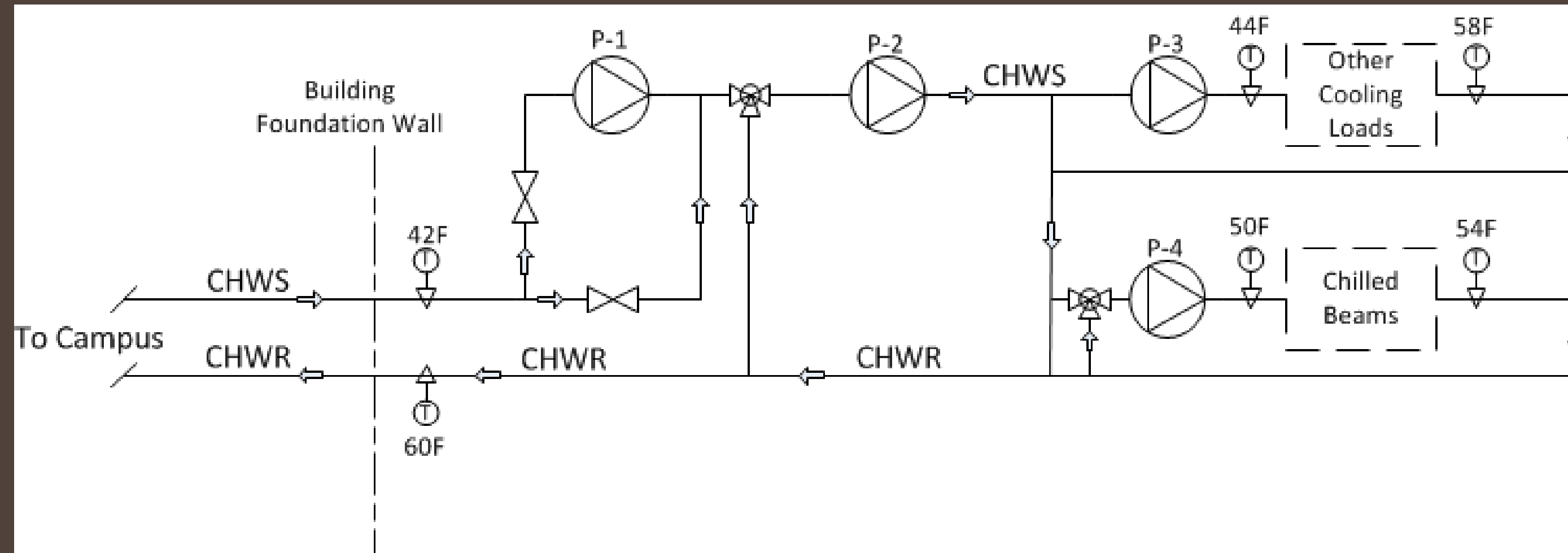
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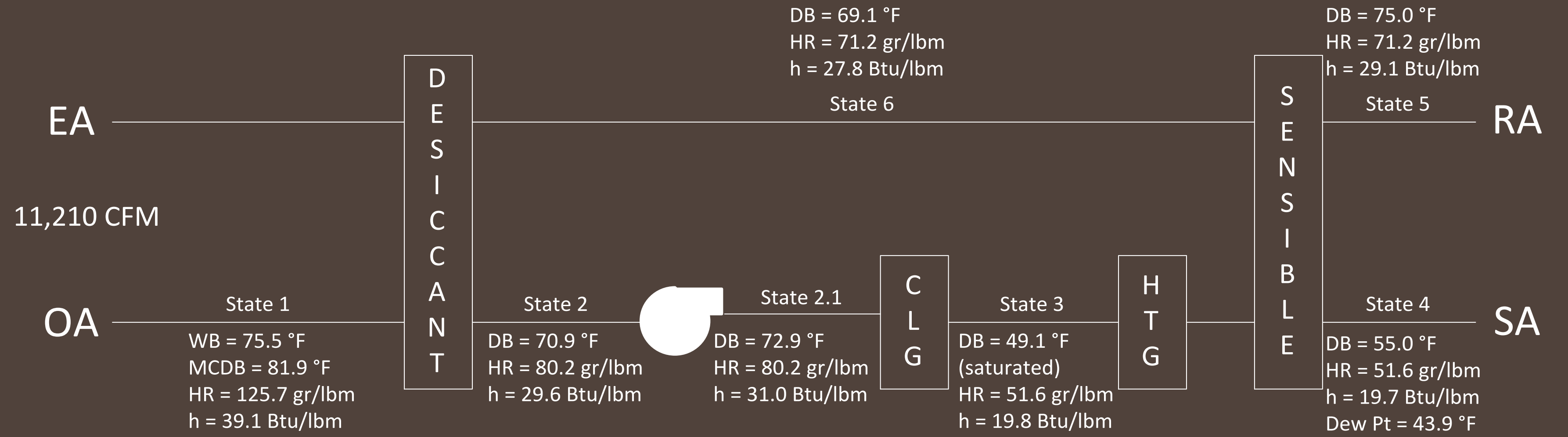
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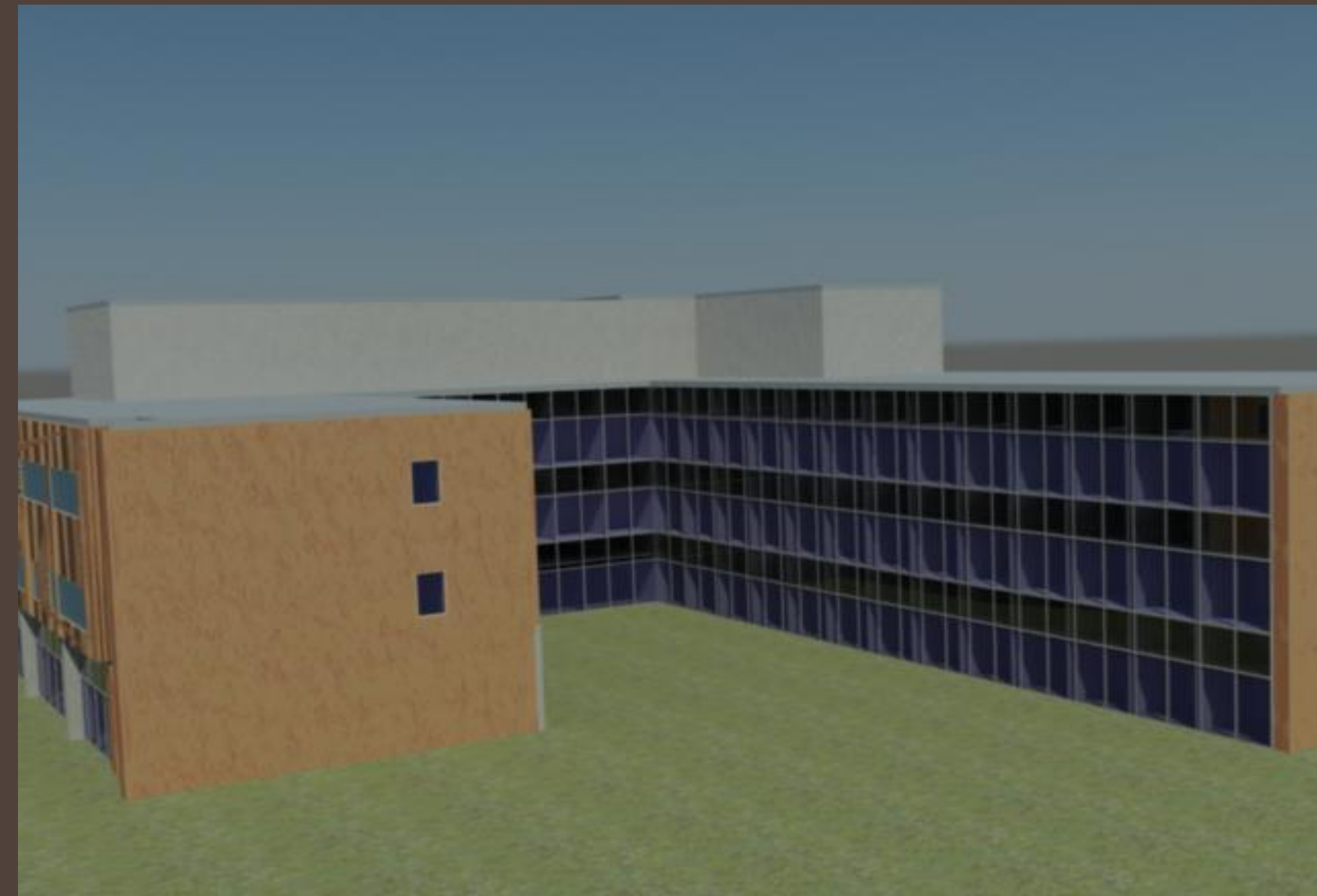
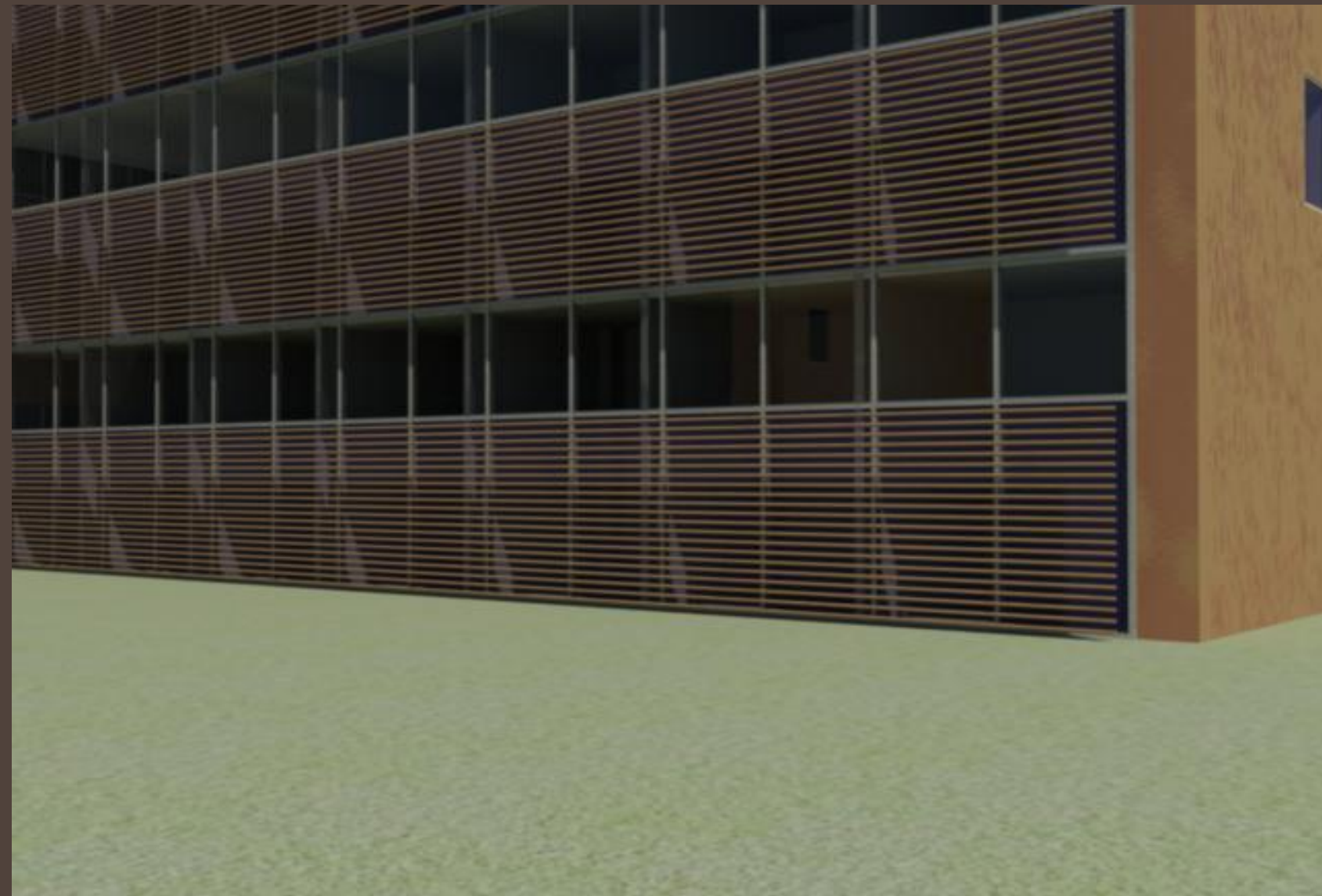
Chilled Beam Chilled Water Pumping Schematic



Dedicated Outdoor Air Unit Schematic



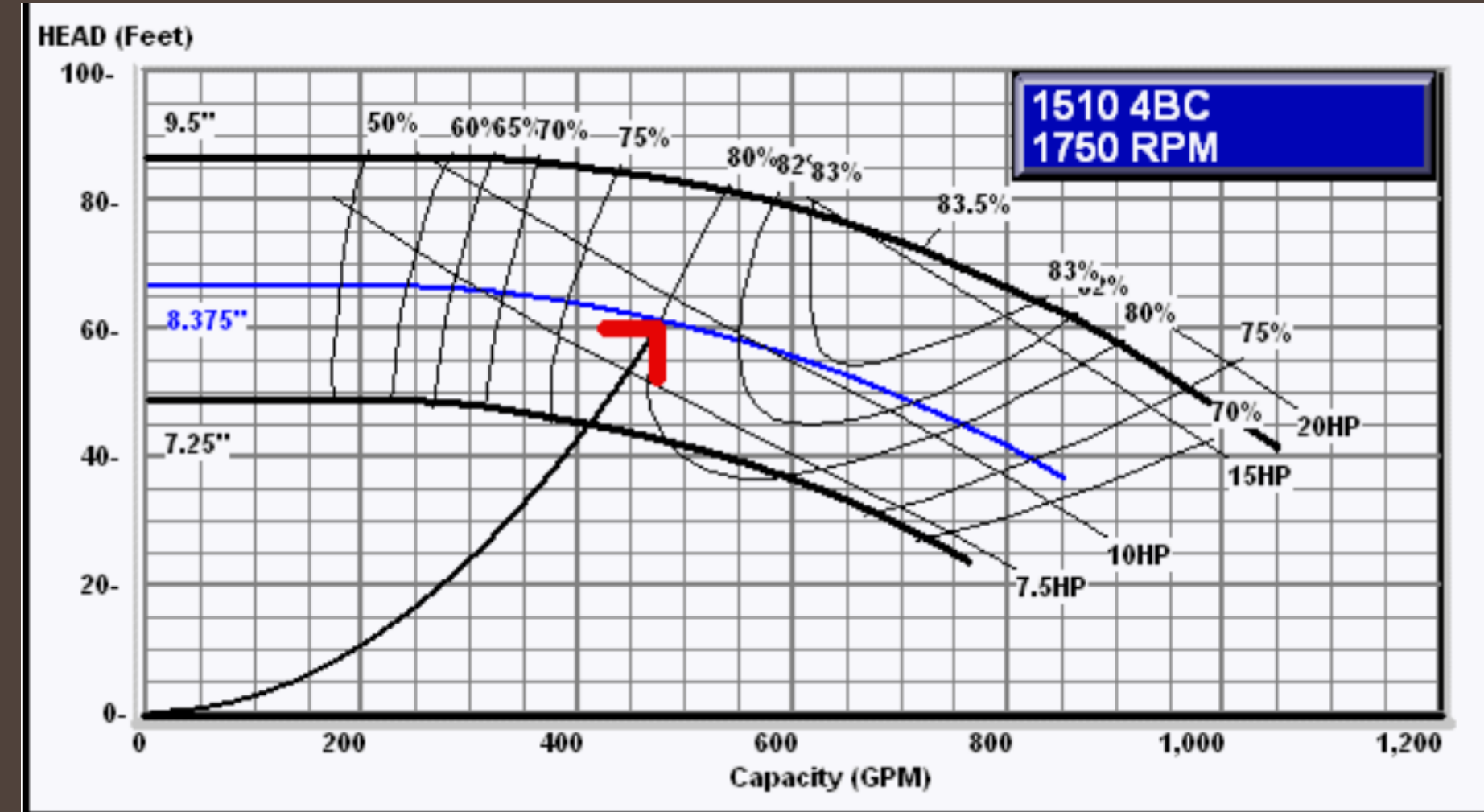
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Chiller Plant Location



DOAS Pump Curve



DOAS Unit Fan Curve

