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PROJECT INFORMATION

LOCATION: 500 DELAWARE AVE.

SIZE: 387,000 SF

NO. OF STORES: 15 (ABOVE GRADE)

OVERALL PROJECT COST: \$52 MILLION

DATES OF CONSTRUCTION (START-FINISH):

JULY 2005-DECEMBER 2006 (PROJECTED)

FUNCTION: MULTI-STORY OFFICE TOWER WITH LOWER LEVEL RETAIL, BANK, AND CAFE AND 5-STORY PARKING GARAGE.

PROJECT TEAM

OWNER/DEVELOPER: BUCCINI/POLLIN GROUP, INC.

GENERAL CONTRACTOR: GILBANE

ARCHITECT: GENSLER

ENGINEERS:

- CIVIL: LANDMARK ENGINEERS
- GEOTECH: DUFFIELD ASSOCIATES, INC.
- MEP: BALA CONSULTING ENGINEERS
- STRUCTURAL: O'DONNELL, NACCARATO & MACINTOSH

MAJOR TENANTS:

- LAW-FIRM OF MORRIS, JAMES, HITCHENS & WILLIAMS
- WSFS FINANCIAL CORP.

ARCHITECTURAL FEATURES

- BOWED, GLASS CURTAIN WALL FACADE
- CROWN TRELLIS ON ROOF FRAMING MECHANICAL PENTHOUSE
- ZINC METAL PANEL ON FIRST AND SECOND FLOOR BELT WITH PRECAST CONCRETE PANELS ON REAR.
- 14 FLOORS OF TENANT FIT-OUT
- FIRST FLOOR CAFE FEATURES KINKED ROOF AND PROTRUDES FROM TOWER FOOTPRINT.

LIGHTING/ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

LIGHTING

INTERIOR: 6" OPEN REFLECTOR DOWNLIGHT PENDANTS W/ COMPACT FLOURESCENT LAMPS.

EXTERIOR: METAL HALIDE DOWNLIGHTS AND LED ILLUMINATING STRIPS W/ TEMPERED GLASS LENSES.

ELECTRICAL

- 480/277V & 208/120V POWER W/ (2) 2500/3325 KVA TRANSFORMERS & 1600A BUS RISERS.
- 750 KW, 938 KVA EMERGENCY GENERATOR

STRUCTURAL SYSTEM

FOUNDATION: 12" DIA. AUGER-CAST PILES & GRADE BEAMS SUPPORTING 5" SLAB ON GRADE.

SUPERSTRUCTURE:

- OFFICE TOWER: COMPOSITE STEEL FRAMING
- GARAGE: PRE-CAST CONCRETE DOUBLE TEES ON CAST-IN-PLACE BEAMS & COLUMNS.

LATERAL SYSTEM:

- OFFICE TOWER: MIX OF BRACED, MOMENT, AND CHEVRON FRAMES AT 9 LOCATIONS
- GARAGE: PRE-CAST CONCRETE SHEARWALLS

STRUCTURAL SLABS: SLABS ON GRADE ARE 5" NWT. CONCRETE OVER 6" COMPACT FILL AND ELEVATED SLABS ARE 3 1/4" LWT. CONCRETE ON 3" COMPOSITE LOK-FLOOR DECK.

MECHANICAL SYSTEM

- 3-CELL WATER COOLING TOWER
- DIRECT EXCHANGE, 18-TON AIR CONDITIONING FAN COIL UNITS
- RISERS FOR 24,000 CFM ON EACH FLOOR PROVIDING 4800 CFM OUTDOOR AIR.

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1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Gateway Plaza is a 15-story office tower located in the Central Business District of downtown Wilmington, Delaware. The \$52 million project began in July 2005 and is projected for completion in December 2006. The 16-story, 210'-6" tower will offer 387,000 square feet of rentable office space



Figure 1-Rendering of the front of Gateway Plaza.
(Photo courtesy of Gensler).

for tenant fit-out. The architect of design is Gensler and the property owner is Buccini

Pollin Group. The ground floor is a public plaza level including a restaurant, post-office, and WSFS branch bank. In the rear of the building there is a 5-story parking garage housing 600 car parking spaces for the building's employees.

This report is an in-depth study of the structural system of Gateway Plaza. The objective of the report is to gain knowledge and experience in post-tensioned concrete design and methods for reducing floor depth. RAM *Concept* software was utilized to determine deflection and stress plans for various loading conditions. The design resulted in a one-way post-tensioned slab that is 8" thick, with 6-strand unbonded tendons spaced approximately 6.25' o.c. The beams supporting this slab are also post-tensioned and range in size from 20"x24" using 12 strands to 36"x24" using 39 strands. The columns and floor system use 6000 psi concrete. Additionally, concrete shearwalls were designed to be 12" thick using 4000 psi concrete and work in conjunction with the concrete frames to resist lateral loads, which were developed using ASCE 7-02.

Two breadth studies were also performed to understand design from the point of view of the other building systems. These studies focus on how concrete design has impacted the mechanical system, specifically the layout of ducts, and the cost and schedule factors in managing the construction.

Through these feasibility studies it has been determined that the post-tensioned concrete redesign of the structure is a good alternative, but not likely to be utilized in the given building market of Wilmington, Delaware.

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2.0 BUILDING INFORMATION

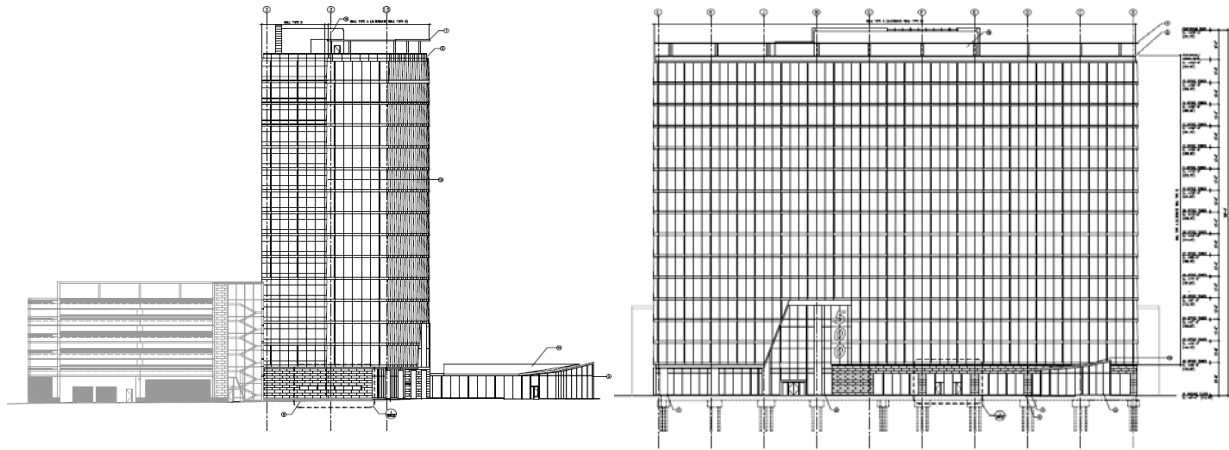


Figure 2-Front of side elevations of the office tower and parking garage. (Drawings courtesy of Gensler)

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Primary Project Team

- Owner/Developer: Buccini/Pollin Group
- General Contractor: Gilbane
- Architect: Gensler
- Engineers:
 - *Civil*: Landmark Engineering
 - *Geotech*: Duffield Associates, Inc.
 - *MEP*: BALA Consulting Engineers, Inc.
 - *Structural*: O'Donnell, Naccarato & MacIntosh
- Project Delivery Method: Design-Bid-Build

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grained soils and medium to stiff consistency silt and clay soils lay beneath the miscellaneous fill layer. Their depths range from approximately 57'-63' below the existing ground surface." Finally, dense to very dense sand soils, evidence of weathered bedrock, lay below the sandy silt layer.

Architecture

Gateway Plaza is the first new building to be constructed in Wilmington's Central Business District (CBD) in 15 years. The tower will fill in the gap between neighboring office towers. It is predicted to be a landmark among all of the CBD's office towers because it will have one of the few all-glass curtain walls in town. The curtain wall will give the façade a more modern feel than the dated 1970s architecture of the DuPont Hotel and the "cookie-cutter" appearance of the Sheraton Hotel, which both have concrete facades. The northeast quadrant of the tower features a corner that appears to be "sliced" off at an angle that imitates the angle of Delaware Ave.

The main entrance to the lobby has a 5-story cut-out of the front façade. The public café on the ground level adds interest to the building because it protrudes out of the footprint of the main tower and features a kinked, standing seam, metal roof. The protrusion creates a courtyard in front of the entrance and allows for shaded outdoor seating, a new feature to the CBD. The remaining 14 stories of the tower remain office space for tenant fit-outs.

Building Envelope

The bulk of Gateway Plaza's primary office tower is enclosed with a glass curtain wall system featuring a reflective glazing. It is characterized by the overlapping, shingle-type construction of blue-tinted glazing. The first floor, however, is a flat lock, zinc wall panel system which is also carried up the office tower on the spine of the south end. The parking garage is clad with pre-cast concrete panels. There is a painted, metal panel screen wall on the roof serves to hide the mechanical penthouse. The roof is an EPDM system using polyisocyanurate insulation over fiberglass sheathing on metal deck.



Figure 7-Mock up of curtain wall system. (Photo courtesy of Gilbane).

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2.1 Primary Engineering Systems

Mechanical

The variable volume mechanical system of Gateway Plaza is located on the roof in a mechanical penthouse. Here, the 3-cell water cooling tower and heat pumps supply conditioned air to all 15 floors of the building. On floors 2-15, there are direct exchange air conditioning units using R-22 refrigerant. In the building's IT/Telephone room on the first floor, there is a Liebert Challenger 3000 air conditioning unit to provide up to 5 tons of cooling control the temperature and humidity required by the sensitive computing equipment.

Since the building is to be fit out, space for the risers has been designated to a mechanical room found on each floor in the tower's service core. Return air from each floor is dumped into the mechanical room and is exhausted. There are outdoor air louvers in each room to replace the exhausted air and provide ventilation.

Electrical

Gateway Plaza's electrical system is powered by both 480/277V and 208/120V panel boards. Power is supplied to the building by two 2500/3325 kVA transformers. There are two main distribution panels that service floors 1-8 and floors 9-roof, respectively. The voltage is stepped down through transformers on the second, fifth, eighth, eleventh, and fourteenth floors in electrical rooms in the building's core. A 1600A bus riser supplies power to the typical office levels for lighting and receptacles. There is a 750kW, 938 kVA emergency generator which services the fire pumps.

Lighting

Lighting for the service core of the typical office floors is provided with 6" open reflector down lights with compact fluorescent lamps. For the tenant spaces, the lighting plans will be finalized upon fit-out. On the exterior plaza area, metal halide downlights flood the walls of the first floor with light. Illuminating strips with tempered glass lenses are located under trees to light the plaza and seating areas.

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2.2 Additional Engineering Systems

Fire Protection

Almost every area of Gateway Plaza is protected by a wet sprinkler system with a 4" wet standpipe in each of the two stairwells. The water is supplied to the standpipes by a fire pump and a jockey pump for the higher floors; both are located on the 1st floor in the water service room. The fire pump has a capacity of 750 GPM and the jockey pump has a capacity of 109 GPM. These can run on emergency power supplied by a diesel generator.

Transportation

Gateway Plaza has a central service core servicing most of the building's transportation needs. There are 5 public elevators, 1 service elevator, and two stairwells in the core. The public elevators and stairwells run to all floors of the office tower and the service elevator will also run to the mechanical penthouse.

The main entrance to the public is on Delaware Ave. and will have a vestibule to control air loss. The service core can be accessed from this main entrance, while the public areas will have separate entrances also along Delaware Ave. including one to the café and one to the WSFS bank.

Telecommunications

The building has a main technology/data center on the ground floor. It is located in the parking garage and will service all of the security systems and telephone lines in the building.

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3.0 STRUCTURAL SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

Gateway Plaza has two distinct buildings and two distinct building systems. The office tower is composite steel construction with braced frames and the parking garage is pre-cast concrete with pre-cast shearwalls. The two structures are separated using a 2" expansion joint. The structural engineer is responsible for designing the office tower and the pre-cast supplier is responsible for the design of the garage. For this reason, focus will be centered on the office tower design.

Foundations

Due to the poor soil conditions on site, deep foundations were deemed necessary for the high gravity column loads and overturning moments from lateral resisting elements. The soils report recommended end-bearing caissons, but due to designer preference, concrete filled, steel tube piles were chosen. The piles are 12" in diameter and use high strength concrete to develop 120 tons of end-bearing capacity per pile. Most of the piles are drilled 70' down to bedrock. The clusters are topped with pile caps that range from 40"-65" thick. Grade beams span the pile caps around the entire building's perimeter, and a 5" slab on grade span the grade beams in much of the foundation and are intermittently supported by single piles.

The office tower's steel columns sit on pile caps of various shapes. The columns from the lateral load resisting system generally sit on clusters of 18 piles or more where those from the gravity system sit on clusters of 6-12. The larger foundations under the lateral frames are to resist the overturning moment from wind and seismic loading. The pile clusters in the office tower are on a 30'x52' grid on the north side and a 30'x36' grid on the south side (see the foundation plan on next page).

The vertical support members in the parking garage sit on pile caps that are 40-50" thick and are generally square. The lateral load resisting system of the garage, pre-cast concrete shearwalls, sits on 7-pile clusters while the cast-in-place concrete columns rest on 4-pile clusters. The clusters in the parking garage are on a 30'x62' grid (not shown).

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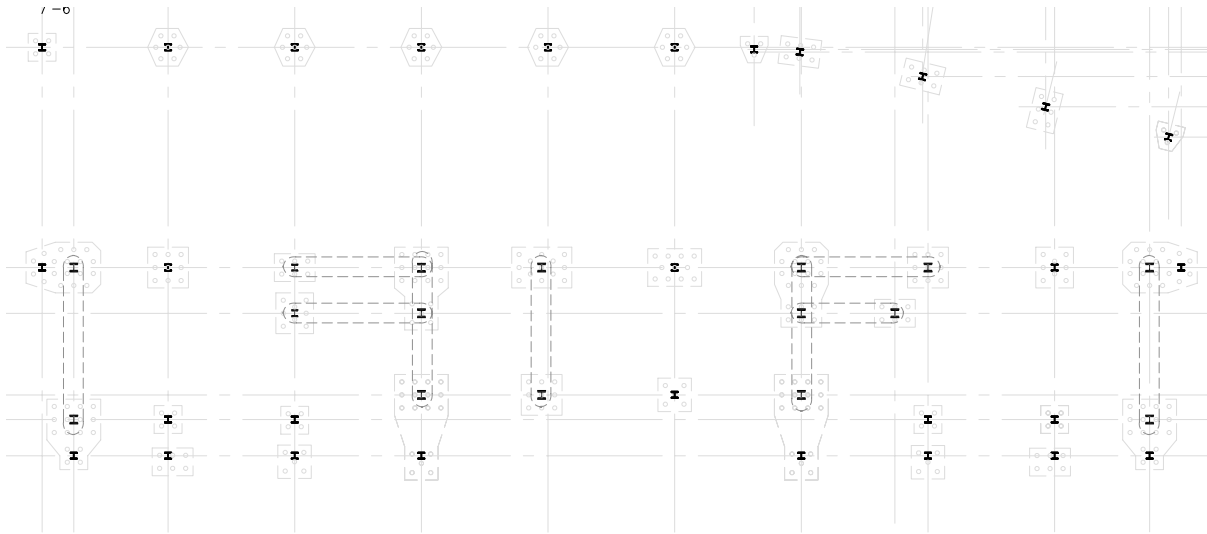


Figure 8-Foundation plan

Framing

Gateway Plaza uses two types of framing systems for its two types of use: composite steel for the office tower and precast/cast-in-place concrete for the parking garage.

The composite steel in the office tower uses two grid systems: one orthogonal and one rotated. As aforementioned, the grids are 30'x52' and 30'x36'. The rotated grid is an adaptation of the orthogonal grid that is turned 14° clockwise from

plan north, and is used to create the sliced surface on the northeast face. The columns are spliced

every other floor or 27'. All framing members on the office floors use wide-flange shapes of A992, Gr. 50 steel where the framing of the penthouse and screen-wall on the roof use HSS tube shapes of A36 steel. All of the columns, in both the lateral and gravity systems, are W14 shapes of various sizes. The girders and beams range in size but are usually W18 or W24 shapes. The plan below shows the framing for a typical floor. The dashed lines indicate the locations of the braced frames.



Figure 9-Steel framing during construction.
(Photo courtesy of Gilbane)

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The garage is typical construction of cast-in-place concrete columns and pre-cast concrete beams. The pre-cast double tee beams span girders that are pre-cast L-beams. Sizing of these members is left to the pre-cast contractor.

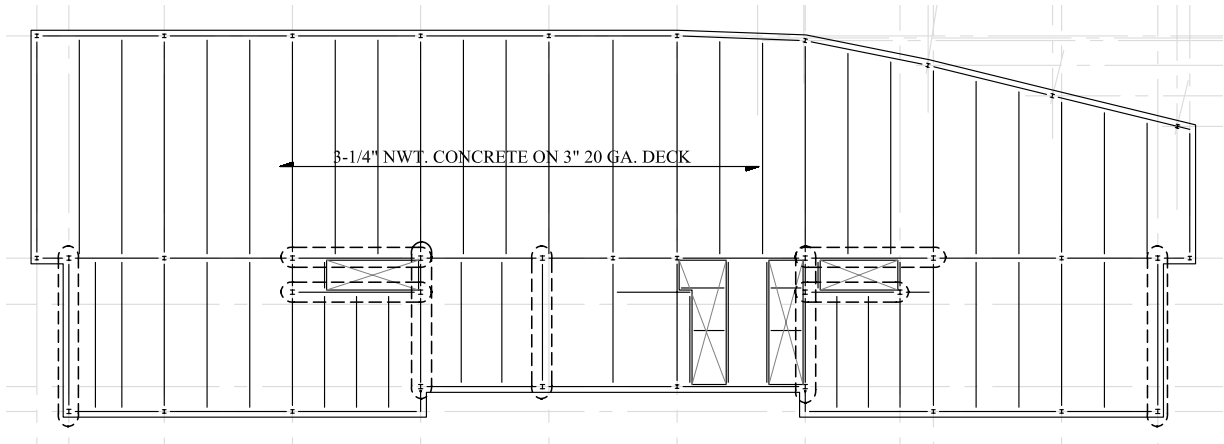


Figure 10-Framing plan of a typical floor.

Structural Slabs

There are 6 types of structural slabs used in Gateway Plaza: three slabs on grade and three supported metal deck slabs.

Each type of slab on grade is normal-weight concrete cast over 6" crushed stone and compacted fill. The first type of slab on grade (SOG) is used in the on a majority of the ground level where there will be retail space and parking. This type is 5" of concrete with 6x6-W2.9x2.9 WWF reinforcing. Another type of slab on grade is 6" of concrete with 6x6-W2.0x2.0 WWF reinforcing. This SOG can be found in the loading area for the retail occupants. The final type of SOG is 12" concrete reinforced with #8 @ 12" o.c. each way in the top and #6 @ 12" o.c. each way in the bottom. This larger slab is used in the loading dock that is accessible by the entire building.

All three types of supported slabs on deck utilize $\frac{3}{4}$ " ϕ shear studs and concrete with a compressive strength of 3000 psi. Two types of supported slabs are 3-1/4" light-weight concrete on 3" Lok-Floor composite deck and use 6x6 W1.4x1.4 WWF reinforcing. The difference between them is the gage of the deck. One type is 20 gage and used in the office area of all the elevated floors, the other is 16 gage which will be shored during construction and will be used in the mechanical areas of each floor. The third type of supported slab is

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found on the penthouse floor and is 2-1/2" of normal-weight concrete on 1-1/2" Lok-Floor composite deck. It, too, uses 6x6 W1.4xW1.4 WWF reinforcing.

Lateral Load Resisting System

The lateral load resisting system for Gateway Plaza utilizes ordinary moment frames and concentrically braced frames. The bracing members are not the traditional, A36, angles but are A992 wide flange shapes. There are five frames resisting load in the north-south direction, and four in east-west direction. The braced frames are located around the service core of the building, where bracing is not a concern. The moment frames are located on the east and west edges of the building, which is exposed by curtain wall. The location of these frames does a good job at preventing torsion by keeping the floor's center of rigidity very close to its center of mass. However, this is only the case for loads in the north-south direction. The structure may be subjected to torsion in the case of loads in the east-west direction because the center of rigidity is further from the center of mass.

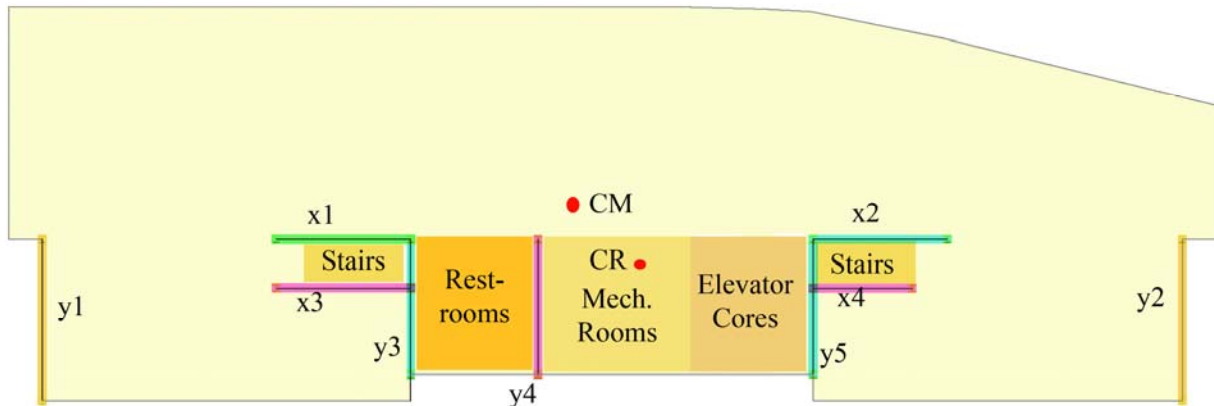
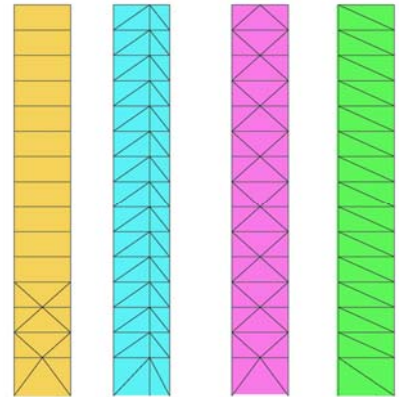


Figure 11-Location of braced frames and centers of mass and rigidity.

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4.0 PROBLEM STATEMENT AND SOLUTION PROPOSAL

An area for redesign was difficult to pinpoint with Gateway Plaza. After the research and analysis performed during Technical Assignments 1-3, it has been determined that the current structural systems--steel framing, concentrically braced frames, and deep foundations--was the best given building type, local conditions and accepted practice. Though no feasible framing alternatives were found during research for *Technical Report 2: Pro-con Study of Alternate Framing Systems*, further research and faculty consultation has suggested that a one-way post-tensioned concrete slab system is worth considering. There are no height restrictions dictated by the architect or zoning ordinances, but the post-tensioned system could add a significant amount of ceiling space. The purpose behind this design is to gain knowledge and experience in the design of post-tensioned concrete systems in buildings.

Proposed Problem Solution

As mentioned in the problem statement above, post-tensioned concrete slabs and beams will be designed to replicate the architectural requirements of the building by adhering to the given column grids. To achieve this, cast-in-place columns, post-tensioned beams and slabs, and shearwalls will be designed. Although foundations will not be explicitly designed, they will be sized approximately for end bearing strength. Making an appropriate comparison of the concrete system to the steel system will require the consideration of the following factors: cost, project duration, and impact on foundations.

Method for Solution

In order to redesign the building using post-tensioned concrete slabs, research must initially be performed to gain knowledge in how to design such a system. By researching texts, journals, and code manuals, a good deal of technical knowledge should be gained. By talking with students whose thesis buildings use post-tensioned concrete in their existing designs and professionals in the industry, significant knowledge of practical design shall be gained.

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Once a significant amount of information has been gathered, schematic designs will commence. A preliminary framing plan will be laid out and the office floors will be designed using loads obtained in *Technical Report 1: Existing Building Conditions*. The first round of analysis for all members will be performed by hand calculations using ACI 318-05 *Building Code Requirements for Reinforced Concrete* and *The Post-tensioning Manual*. Further analysis will be completed using structural software including: ENERCALC, RAM Structural System, and Concept. Finally, wind and seismic loads will be computed by hand and applied to the structure. A design for the lateral system will be designed and checked in RAM Frame for all possible loading cases and combinations as laid out in Chapter 2 of ASCE 7-02.

Once the design has been finalized, a proper comparison shall be made between the composite steel framing and the post-tensioned concrete framing based on the factors mentioned above.

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5.0 DESIGN CRITERIA

5.1 Design Objectives

The main objective of this project is to find an alternative structural system that will perform as well as steel in achieving long-span bays. Additionally, the chosen type of system should allow greater control in determining floor depths. Therefore, keeping these depths to a minimum will be of great importance. In order to meet this goal, the following standards must be met:

- Long bay spans must be preserved.
- Service spaces in the building's core must remain unchanged.
- Limit the overall floor depth to 24".
- Keep shearwalls in locations similar to those of the braced frames.
- Design must be in compliance with model codes set forth by ACI 318-05, IBC 2003, and ASCE 7-05.

5.2 Design Procedure

To make this project manageable, one of the main assumptions considered is that floors 2-5 are one type of typical floor and floors 6-15 are a second type of typical floor. Since the office tower is the responsibility of the structural designer, it alone will be considered for the redesign. The garage will be omitted from design because it is the responsibility of the precast manufacturer.

All schematic designs will be performed by traditional hand calculations using procedures outlined in concrete design texts by Antoine Naaman and Charles Nilson as well as ACI 318-05. Spreadsheets containing the calculations embedded in these procedures will be created to ease repetition. The preliminary designs yielded by the spreadsheets (available in *Appendix B: Preliminary Member Design*) will be entered into ENERCALC to confirm hand calculations. A structure of these preliminary members will be modeled in RAM structural design software for refinement. The gravity system will be checked and refined using RAM Concrete and post-tensioned elements including slabs and beams will use RAM Concept. Concept will be used to check concrete stresses and deflections under service conditions as well as design minimum reinforcing. The lateral system will be analyzed

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further using RAM Frame to scrutinize lateral loads and compare them to hand calculations, as well as obtain building drifts under various load cases and combinations.

5.3 Loading Conditions

5.3.1 Gravity Loads

5.3.1.1 Dead and Live

Dead loads include the self-weight of the structure and any additional loads accounting for sprinklers, MEP, and collateral loading. It is evident that the total dead load is greater for the concrete design than it was for the composite steel design, 115 psf compared to 65 psf. The live loading conditions comply with those set forth in IBC 2003.

A majority of the office tower is classified as office occupancy which results in a live load of 60 psf, plus an additional 20 psf for partitions. Although the loads are not consistent with those of the original designer, they are still conservative and comply with IBC 2003. There are portions on each floor considered to be service spaces which house HVAC and electrical equipment in mechanical rooms. These spaces, subjected to heavy equipment loads, will be designed for a 125 psf live load. This area is illustrated on the typical floor in the diagram above. The table above summarizes the gravity loading conditions in each type of occupancy.

5.3.1.2 Snow Loads

The roof will inevitably be designed for snow loading. But since there is a building setback where the main roof meets the penthouse, drifting has the possibility of becoming an issue. Drifting can occur on the north and west sides the penthouse indicated by the lavender areas

LOADING IN POUNDS/SQUARE FOOT					
	Office Floors	Mechanical Rooms	Penthouse Floor	Main roof	Penthouse Roof
Concrete Slab	100	100	100	50	50
Roof & Insulation				5	5
Ceiling	5	5	5	5	5
Collateral	5	5	5	5	5
Mechanical	5	5	5	10	10
Total Dead Load	115	115	115	65	65
Total Live Load	80	125	150	60	60

Table 1-Gravity loading information.

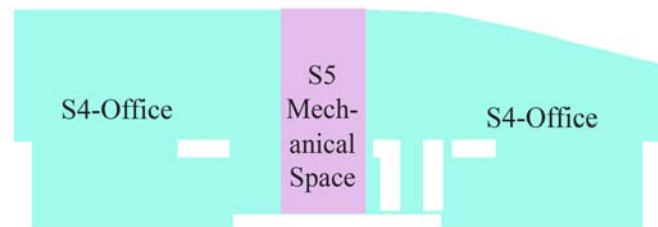


Figure 12-Diagram of loading conditions.

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labeled 1 and 2 in the diagram to the right. A spreadsheet was developed according to the ASCE 7-02 guidelines set out in Chapter 7. In section 1, the

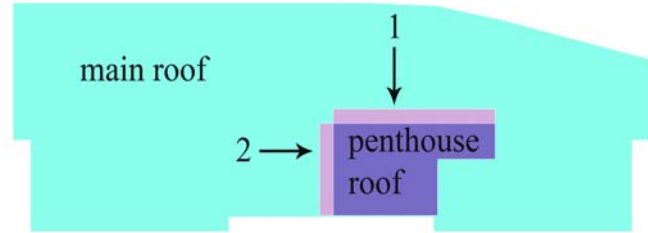


Figure 13-Areas of concern for snow drift.

maximum drift load was found to be 49

psf and in section 2, the load was found to be 63 psf. For further details on the calculations, please refer to *Appendix A.1: Snow Loading*.

5.3.2 Lateral Loads

The lateral loads, both wind and seismic, for the building were found using the guidelines set forth in IBC 2003 and ASCE7-02. Complete calculations were found using spreadsheets; please refer to *Appendix A.2: Lateral Loading* for intermediate steps. Although the wind loads for Gateway Plaza did not change due the redesign, seismic loads increased dramatically due to the increase in the structure's weight.

The wind load is distinctly greater in the north-south direction because the building dimension perpendicular to this direction is 270', which is three times larger than that in the opposite direction, and collects a great deal more pressure. In the east-west direction, however, seismic loads were found to control due to the increase in building weight. Considering both load types--seismic and all four cases of wind--and including accidental eccentricity, the only cases that resulted in unfavorable results were those that included eccentricity. In addition to the existing eccentricity between the center of rigidity and the center of mass, the accidental eccentricity created unfavorable rotations. Load combinations checked by RAM Frame include those from ASCE 7-02 in Chapter 2.0 for strength design:

1. $1.4(D)$
2. $1.2(D)+1.6(L)+0.5(L,orS)$
3. $1.2(D)+1.6(L,orS)+(0.5Lor0.8W)$
4. $1.2(D)+1.6(W)+L+0.5(L,orS)$ **Controls in N-S**
5. $1.2D+1.0E+0.5L+0.2S$
6. $0.9(D)+1.6(W)$
7. $0.9(D)+1.0(E)$ **Controls in E-W**

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5.3.2.1 Wind Loading

Wind Loads on the Main Wind Force Resisting System were found according to the Analytical Procedure, outlined in Section 6.5. To find the story forces and shears, a tributary area approach was taken. The pressure at each floor level was distributed over an area equal to half the floor height above and below the level. As would be expected from a building on the coastal Northeastern United States, wind is the controlling load case in the north-south direction.

The basic wind loading characteristics are:

- Basic Wind Speed: 90 mph
- Wind Load Importance: 1.0
- Exposure Category: B
- Internal Pressure Coefficient: +/- 0.18
- Height: 210.5'
- Maximum wind pressure at roof: 23.3 psf

These characteristics were used to find the following loads on the building in both characteristic directions. The loads and controlling drift tabulated on page 20 are summaries of RAM output, which are similar to the hand calculations performed according to ASCE 7-02. ASCE 7's Case 4 resulted in a building drift of 2.96", approximately $h/850$, which is considered very acceptable.

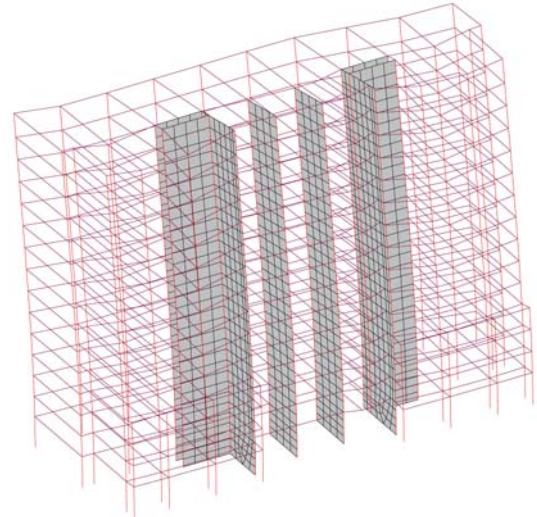


Figure 14-Structure under wind loads in north direction.

5.3.2.2 Seismic Loading

Seismic Loads were found using the Equivalent Lateral Force Procedure as laid out in Section 9.5.5 of ASCE 7-02. Seismic loading characteristics include:

- Site Class: D
- Spectral Response: 0.3
- 1-second Spectral Response: 0.075
- Design Spectral Response: 0.32

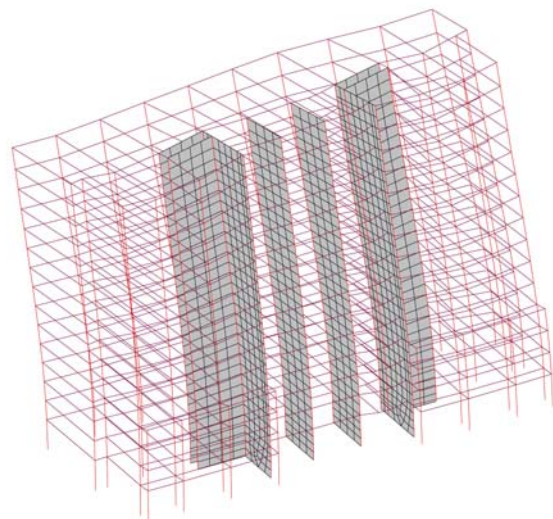


Figure 15-Structure under seismic loads in the east-west direction.

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- 1-second Design Spectral Response: 0.12
- Seismic Use Group: II
- Seismic Design Category: B
- Seismic Importance Factor: 1.0
- Response Modification Factor: 3
- Base shear: 709 k

These characteristics were used to find the following loads on the building in both characteristic directions. The loads and controlling drift are tabulated on the next page. Case 7 was shown to control drift in the east-west direction, 2.25". Again, this is an acceptable drift limit.

The table on the next page summarizes the story shears in both, north-south and east-west, directions according to RAM Frame and hand calculations performed according to ASCE 7-02. Additionally, it tabulates the maximum story drifts according to the controlling load combinations. The diagrams below depict how these forces act on the building in both directions.

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	Story Shear due to Wind				Story Shear due to		Story Drift	Story Drift
	X		Y		Both X & Y		X	Y
	ASCE 7	RAM	ASCE 7	RAM	ASCE 7	RAM	1.2D+1.0E+.5L _r	1.2D+1.6W+.5L _r
R	24.6	15 k	90 k	48 k	55 k	88 k	2.255 in	2.963 in
15	46.8	42 k	172 k	139 k	156 k	205 k	2.383 in	2.703 in
14	68.5	69 k	253 k	225 k	251 k	306 k	2.193 in	2.457 in
13	90	95 k	332 k	310 k	335 k	393 k	1.998 in	2.212 in
12	111.1	121 k	411 k	393 k	408 k	467 k	1.799 in	1.967 in
11	131.6	146 k	488 k	476 k	472 k	528 k	1.596 in	1.726 in
10	151.9	170 k	564 k	556 k	526 k	579 k	1.392 in	1.488 in
9	171.7	193 k	639 k	634 k	572 k	619 k	1.190 in	1.259 in
8	190.9	216 k	712 k	709 k	610 k	679 k	0.992 in	1.038 in
7	209.4	237 k	783 k	782 k	639 k	672 k	0.801 in	0.829 in
6	227.3	256 k	852 k	852 k	662 k	686 k	0.620 in	0.634 in
5	244.4	274 k	919 k	918 k	680 k	695 k	0.446 in	0.458 in
4	260.7	289 k	984 k	980 k	692 k	698 k	0.301 in	0.304 in
3	275.9	301 k	1045 k	1036 k	699 k	695 k	0.178 in	0.177 in
2	281.6	311 k	1068 k	1110 k	702 k	695 k	0.082 in	0.081 in

Table 2-Comparison of hand calculations to computer analysis results and worst case story drifts.

NS-direction wind forces EW-direction wind forces Seismic Forces

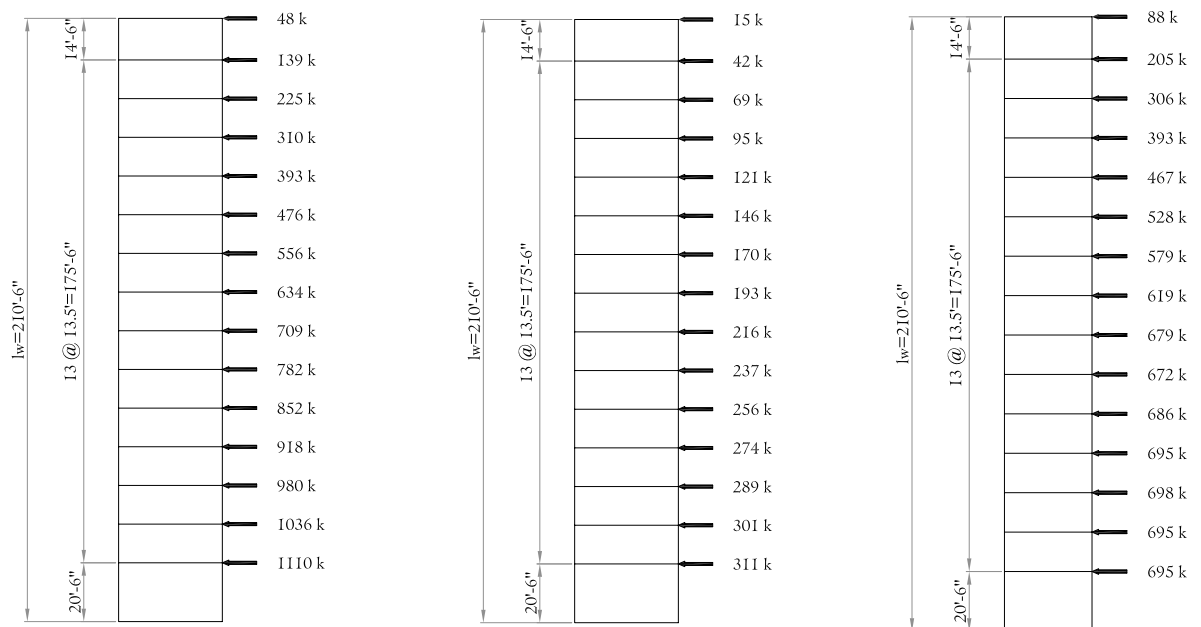


Figure 16-Story forces on the building due to lateral loads.

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6.0 STRUCTURAL DEPTH

6.1 Post-tensioning

6.1.1 Slab

Spanning 52.5' with regular reinforced concrete is very difficult, and nearly impossible to stay within reasonable floor depths. For this reason, it has been concluded that a one-way post-tensioned floor system is the best candidate for redesign. The 52.5' span also requires the concrete to have a high compressive strength to withstand the large stress imposed by the prestressing tendons. For this reason, the monolithically cast slab and beam floor system will be designed using 6000 psi concrete. The slab spans the 30'-0" direction and is framed out by post-tensioned beams along column grid lines. Initial designs and hand calculations were performed following an example published by the Portland Cement Association. The example conforms to the concrete and steel stress limits provided by Chapter 18 in ACI 318-02 and is classified as Class U, uncracked. For detailed calculations, see *Appendix B.1: Post-tensioned Slab*.

An 8" thick slab was initially chosen according to an l/44 guideline set forth by the Post-tensioning Institute and accepted practice. The tendon profile was laid out in order to preserve the 2-hour fire rating of the existing system, requiring 1.75" of cover for prestressing tendons. This restricted the strands to a depth of 6.75" from the top of the slab at mid-span, 1.75" at the interior supports, and 4" at exterior supports (see **Figure 17**-Tendon profile in slab). With this profile, the effective prestressing force is found to be 1303 k. This translates into 49 tendons that need to be evenly distributed across the 52'-6" span. For constructability purposes, 8 ducts with 6 wires in each were distributed evenly across the bay. The ducts were routed around any slab openings to preserve the continuity of the prestressing force. In the angled northeast corner of the building where the slab area decreases, every other tendon was removed to prevent over-stressing the concrete (see **Figure 18**-Tendon layouts in slab).

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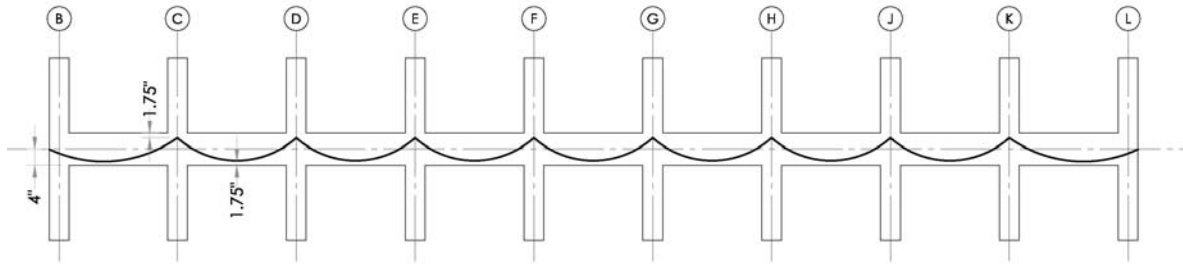


Figure 17-Tendon profile in slab.

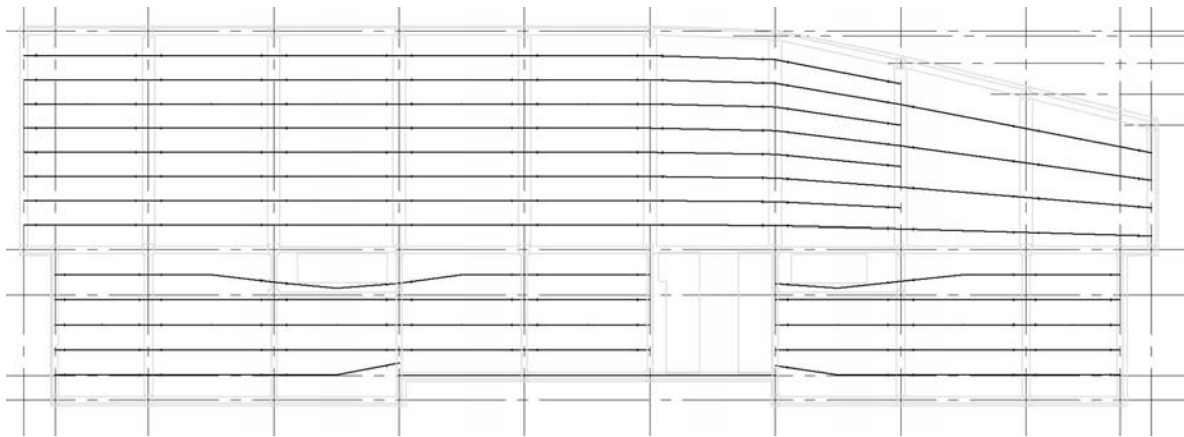


Figure 18-Tendon layouts in slab.

6.I.2 Post-tensioned Beams

The beams are included in the design because the aspect ratio of the bay is greater than the 2:1 ratio necessary for a two-way flat slab system. Therefore, post-tensioned beams will need to frame out the slab. They will need to be massive because of the large spans and heavy slab loads that they must support. To keep with the original goal of decreasing floor depth, the beams were kept to a maximum of 24" deep, including slab depth. Therefore, the beams are unconventionally wide and utilize a large amount of slab to aide in compression. The beams were initially designed according to Chapter 18 in ACI 318 and designed as Class T, the transition between uncracked and cracked. They are analyzed as T-beams to account for the additional compressive strength found in the slab. Detailed hand calculation that account for prestress losses can be found in *Appendix B.3: Beams*. These calculations consider the tendon profile to have a single drape, rather than a parabolic profile, which simplifies the calculation and provides a sufficient initial design. A feasible domain of

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acceptable initial forces and tendon eccentricities was constructed where an initial force, number of strands, and tendon profile were chosen.

The desired beam geometries were entered into ENERCALC to determine section properties including: area, moment of inertia, section modulus, and neutral axis. The geometry and loading for the 52.5' beam require 39 tendons with a profile of 14" at the ends and 5" at mid-span. The 36' beam requires 16 strands with the same profile. Because these calculations do not consider the beams to be continuous, they are just approximations and require closer evaluation. When the tendons from interior beams span shearwalls, they require a straight tendon profile.

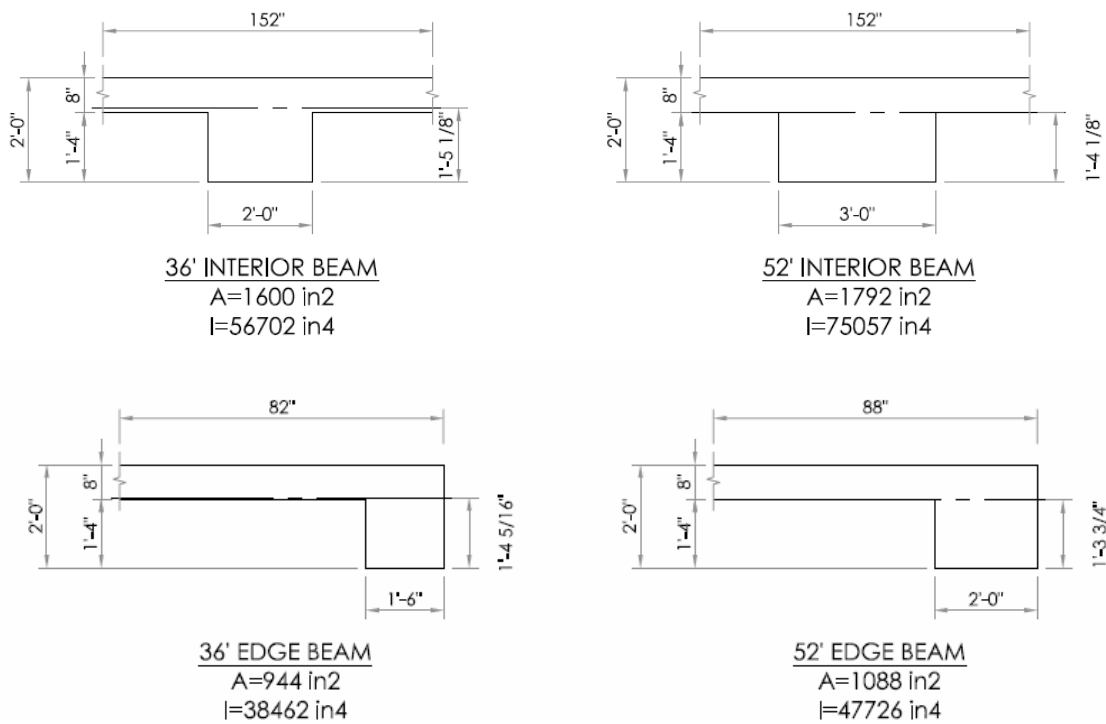


Figure 19-Cross sections of beams with section properties found in ENERCALC.

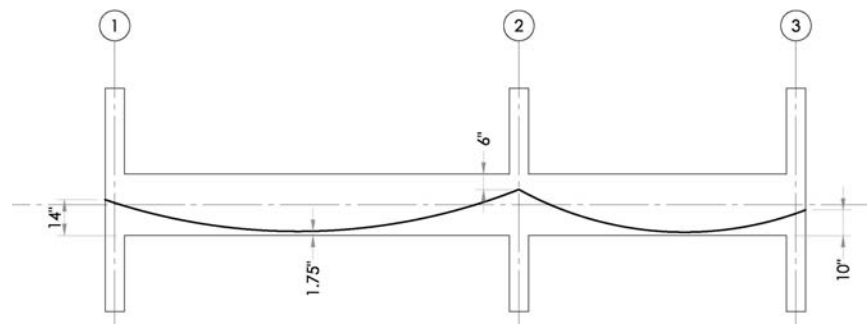


Figure 20-Tendon layout in continuous beams.

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6.I.3 RAM Concept

The slab and beams, designed by hand calculations, were modeled in RAM Concept and are considered to be typical of all floors in the building. The program was used to determine concrete stresses and deflections for multiple load cases including: initial, sustained, and long-term service loading. Transverse shear reinforcement for beams and minimum required reinforcement for the slab were also determined with RAM Concept.

When modeled, column and middle design strips were generated according the ACI 318-02 for the maximum flange width of beams. Minimum reinforcement in the beams and slab was also indicated to be 0.0018 using #4 bars (see illustrations below for design strips).

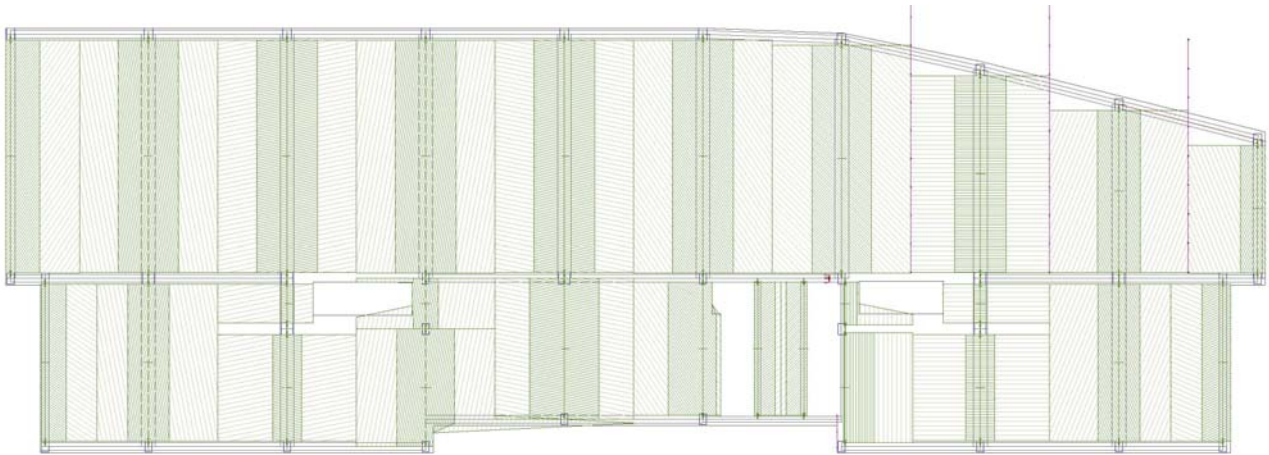


Figure 21-Longitude design strips generated by RAM Concept.

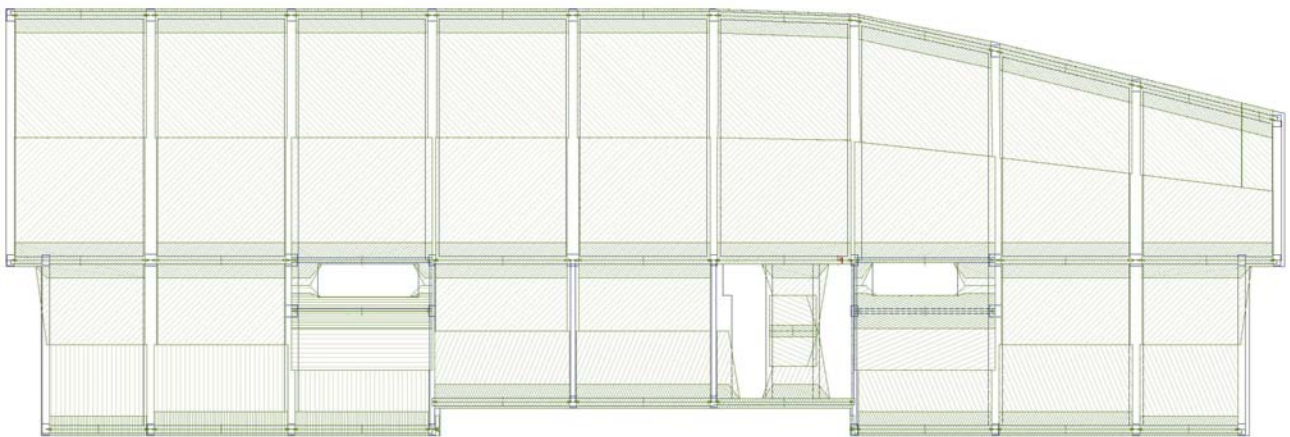


Figure 22-Latitude design strips generated by RAM Concept.

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The preliminary designs worked well when modeled, and required only a few minor adjustments. The following beam schedule summarizes the location of beams, sizes, initial prestressing force, and number of strands. See the following two pages for transverse shear reinforcing details and deflection plans for various loading conditions. For minimum slab reinforcing details, see *Appendix C: Plans*.

Properties	B-1	B-2	B-3	B-4	B-5	B-6
Dimensions	24x 24	36x 24	18x 24	24x 24	20x 24	24x 24
Shape	L	T	L	T	L	T
Fi	638 k	1064 k	266 k	1064 k	319 k	1064 k
# Strands	24	40	10	40	12	40
d_{supports}	17in 18in	14in 18in	18in 17in	18in 17in	17in 17in	18in 17in
d_{mid}	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in

Properties	B-7	B-8	B-9	B-10	B-11	B-12
Dimensions	18x 24	18x 24	20x 24	20x 24	20x 24	36x 24
Shape	L	L	T	T/L	L	T
Fi	319 k	319 k	319 k	319 k	319 k	1064 k
# Strands	12	12	12	12	12	40
d_{supports}	17in	14in 17in	17in 20in	14in 17in	14in 20in	14in 20in
d_{mid}	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in

Properties	B-13	B-14	B-15	B-16
Dimensions	36x 24	36x 24	24x 24	16x 12
Shape	T	T	L	L
Fi	718 k	718 k	559 k	0 k
# Strands	27	27	21	0
d_{supports}	14in 18in	14in 18in	17in 18in	-
d_{mid}	1.75 in	1.75 in	1.75 in	-

Table 3-Beam schedule including tendon profile, dimensions, and number of strands.

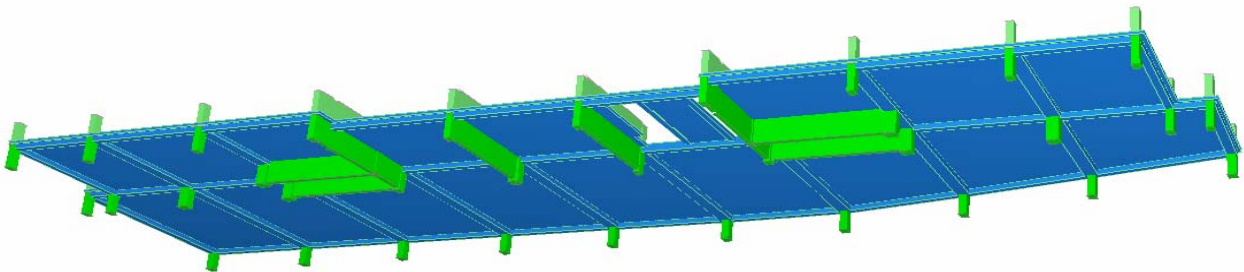


Figure 23- 3D view of underside of typical floor.

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Transverse Reinforcing Details

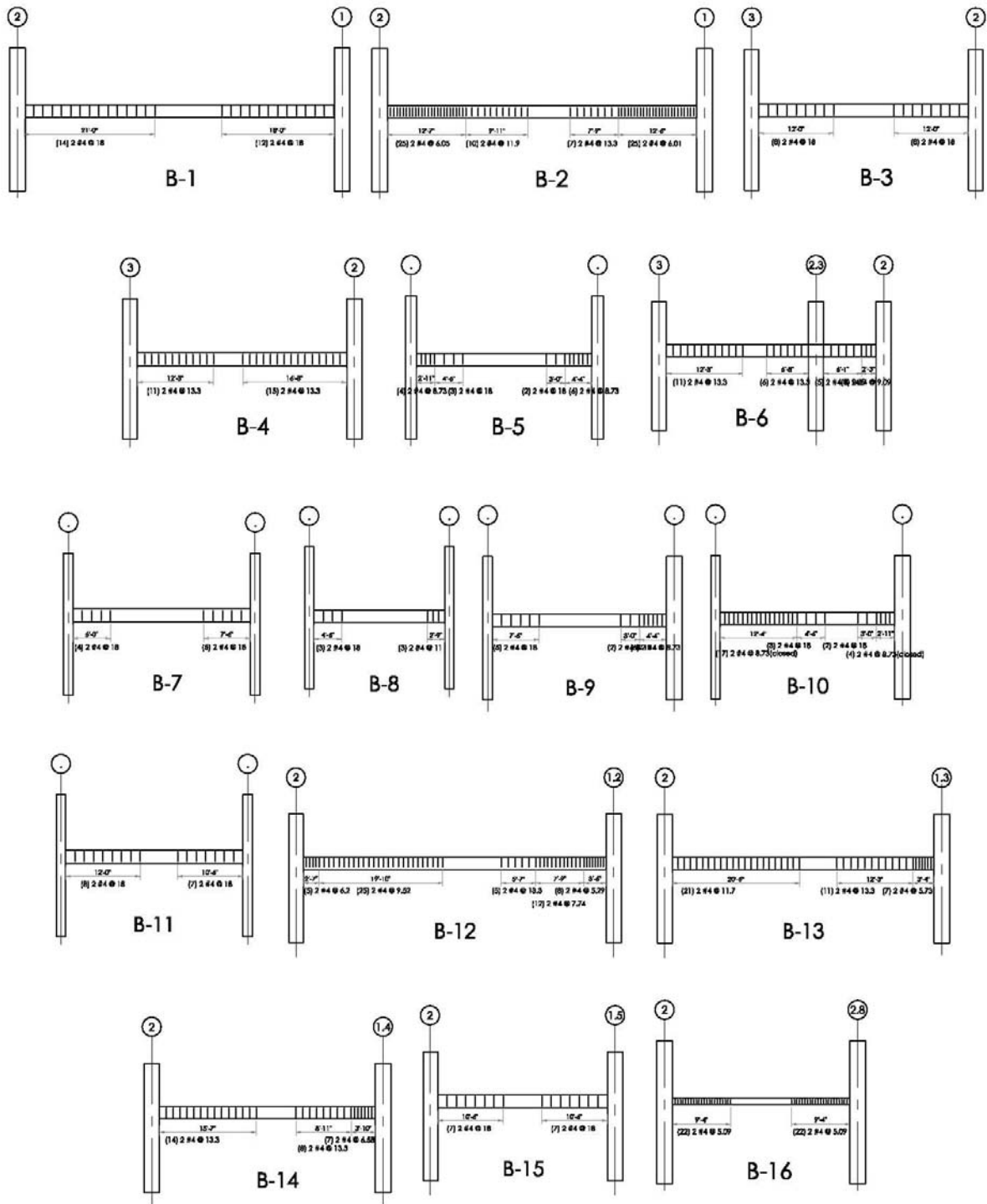
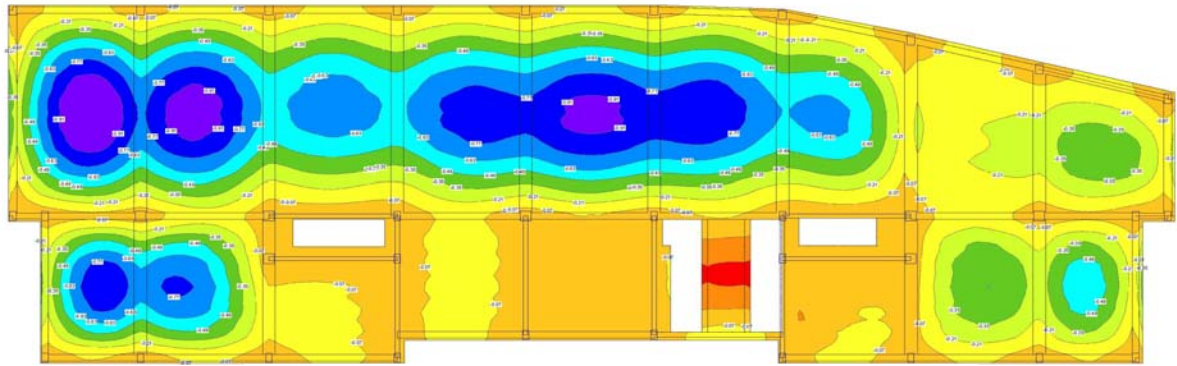


Figure 24-Transverse, shear reinforcement layouts for beams as designed by RAM Concept. See framing plan in Appendix C.4: Post-tensioned concrete typical floor framing.

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Deflection Plans



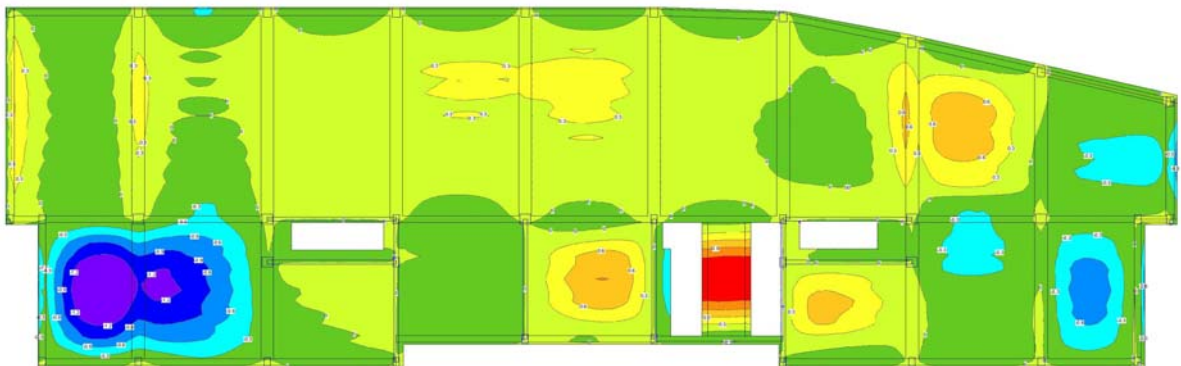
Initial Service LC
Vertical Deflection Plot

-0.91 -0.77 -0.63 -0.49 -0.35 -0.21 -0.07 0 0.21
Min Value = -1.077 inches @ (1687,284.2) Max Value = 0.2368 inches @ (1842,244.8)



Sustained Service LC
Vertical Deflection Plot

-0.4 -0.3 -0.2 -0.1 0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4
Min Value = -0.5451 inches @ (1692,241.9) Max Value = 0.4321 inches @ (1836,244.9)



Long-Term Deflection LC
Vertical Deflection Plot

-1.2 -0.9 -0.6 -0.3 0 0.3 0.6 0.9 1.2
Min Value = -1.684 inches @ (1692,241.9) Max Value = 1.581 inches @ (1836,244.9)

Figure 25-Deflection plans for three loading conditions from RAM Concept.

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6.2 Regularly Reinforced

6.2.1 Columns

Columns were designed in a traditional manner by determining axial forces at each level and approximating moments applied to the top and bottom of the column from beams framing into it. The axial forces were found based on tributary area where live loads were reduced based on Chapter 4.8 in ASCE 7-02. Preliminary calculations can be found in *Appendix B.2: Columns*. With these axial loads and approximate moments, interaction diagrams were used to determine initial reinforcing details.

These initial column sizes were modeled in RAM Concrete and their reinforcing was analyzed more closely. The reinforcing is spliced at every other level, and patterns and bar sizes have been narrowed down for constructability purposes. All columns have transverse shear reinforcing of #3 closed bars at 9" o.c. The following page contains the final column schedule, and the foundation plan can be found in *Appendix C.3: Post-tensioned concrete foundation*.

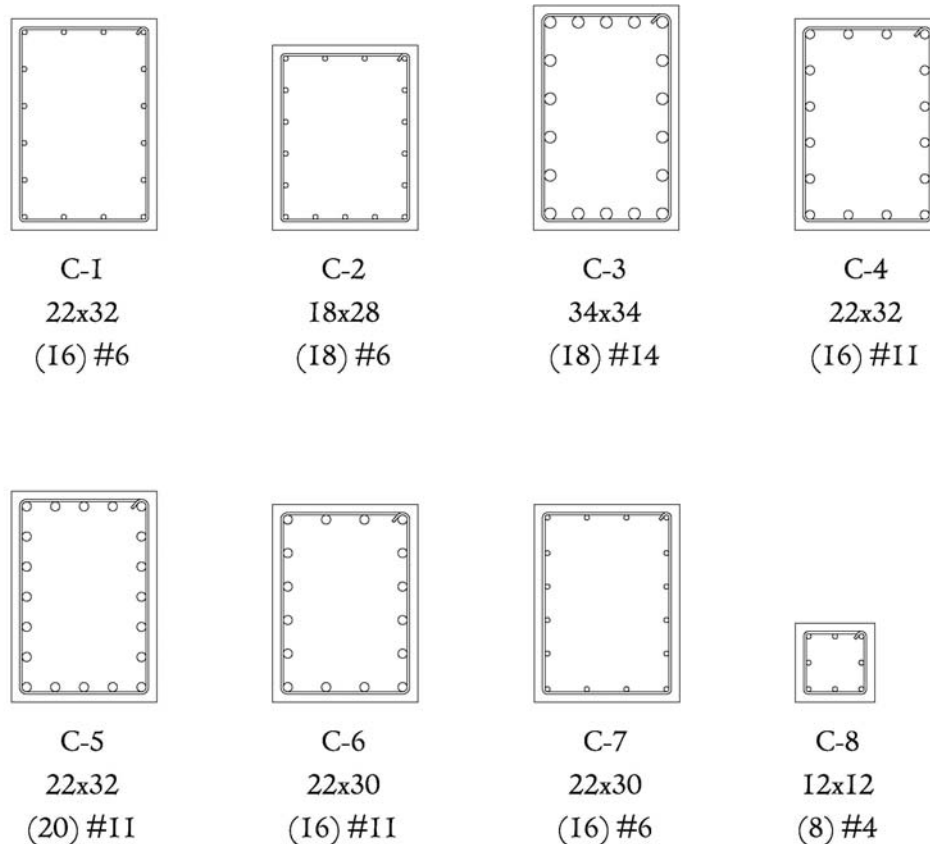


Figure 26-Reinforcing for columns (see column schedule on next page).

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Floor	C-1	C-2	C-3	C-4	C-5	C-6	C-7	C-8
R	22x 22 (16)- #9 2228k	18x 18 (18)- #4 1212k	24x 24 (18)- #6 2218k	24x 24 (16)- #9 2533k	22x 22 (20)- #8 2221k	22x 26 (16)- #8 2389k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
I5	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #9 2520k	22x 26 (20)- #7 2364k	22x 26 (16)- #9 2520k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
I4	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
I3	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
I2	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1647.594k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3815.760k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	
II	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
I0	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
9	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
8	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
7	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
6	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
5	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	34x 34 (18)- #8 4387k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k
4	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	34x 34 (18)- #9 4534k	22x 32 (16)- #8 2827k	22x 32 (20)- #8 2950k	22x 30 (16)- #8 2681k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k
3	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	34x 34 (18)- #11 4927k	22x 32 (16)- #10 3126k	22x 32 (20)- #10 3324k	22x 30 (16)- #10 2980k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k
2	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #6 1980k	34x 34 (18)- #14 5412k	22x 32 (16)- #11 3307k	22x 32 (20)- #11 3551k	22x 30 (16)- #11 3161k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k

Table 4-Column schedule. See foundation plan in *Appendix C.3: Post-tensioned concrete-typical floor framing.*

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6.2.2 Lateral System Design

Initially, the lateral system was planned to be cast-in-place shearwalls in similar locations to the braced frames in the composite steel structure. After running lateral load analyses in RAM considering all of the load combinations discussed in the section 5.3.2 *Lateral Loads*, story drifts were too large in certain load combinations. Without the freedom to add more shearwalls, the concrete frames needed to be included. Because this building is designed as a cast-in-place concrete structure with connections similar to moment connections, every frame that has been designed for gravity loading can be considered in resisting lateral load. However, these frames are not enough to resist all of the lateral loads alone and need to be incorporated with the shearwalls. Concrete shearwalls are used as the main structural elements that resist lateral forces and concrete frames supplement in resisting lateral loads.

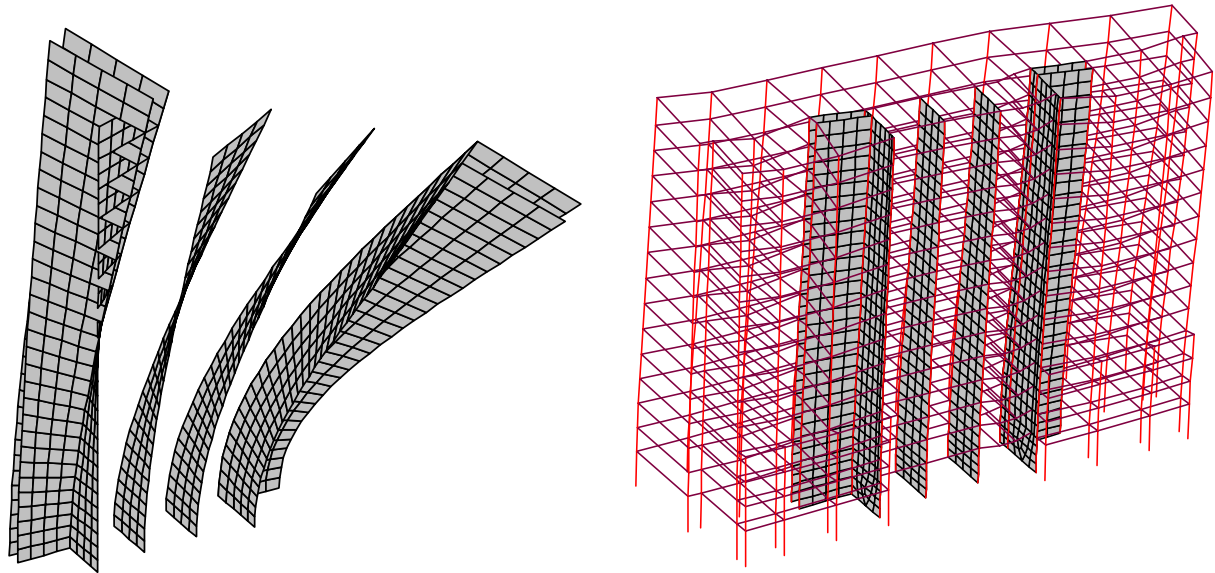


Figure 27-Lateral systems under 1.2D+0.5L+1.4E when seismic loading is in the east-west direction and considers 5% accidental eccentricity.

The shearwalls are sufficient in resisting load combinations considering dead, live, and most cases of wind loading. However, the load combinations considering seismic loading introduce large deflections, around 12" when load is applied in the east-west direction, and torsional problems, around 1.15°. Since this drift was not drastically decreased by increasing wall thickness or material strength, the introduction of concrete moment frames to help in resisting loads is necessary.

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Shearwall Design: The reinforcement was designed to resist only shear forces, and not checked in bending for overturning. Initial designs for shearwalls were performed using the controlling load cases in each direction that were found by hand calculations. Wind loads were found to control in the north-south direction while seismic loads were found to control in the east-west direction. Shearwalls were designed using basic strength principles of $V_u \leq \phi V_n$ and $V_n = V_c + V_s$ and modeled as a cantilevered beam with a series wall shears acting as point loads.

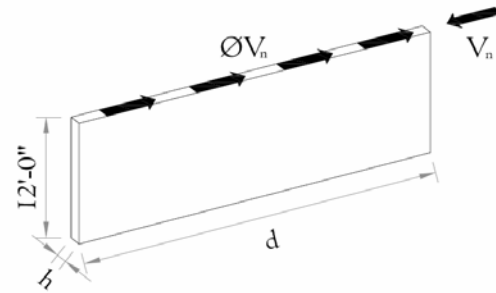


Figure 28-Shear wall dimension and loading diagram.

The walls were designed for the most heavily loaded level in shear and bending. The greatest loading, shear of 308 k and moment of 270 ft-k, exists in walls 1 and 4 (see diagram below) during wind loading in the north-south direction. A trial wall size of 12" thick with a compressive strength of 4000 psi were used for both directions and found to work. The steel used is #6 @ 14" in both horizontal and vertical directions.

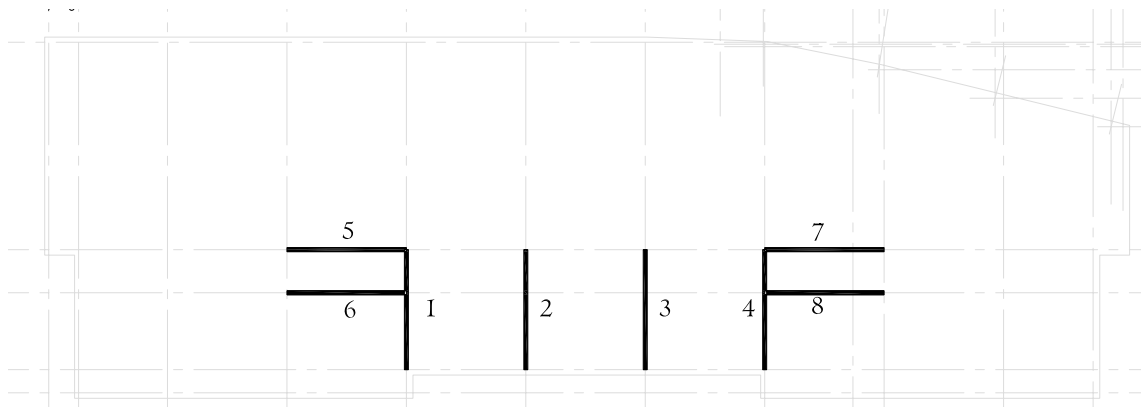


Figure 29-Location of shearwalls in plan.

To determine the distribution of lateral forces to the shearwalls, their stiffnesses were calculated by the following equation: $k = \frac{Et}{4(h/l)^3 + 3(h/l)}$ and the story shears were distributed accordingly. From these forces, the overturning moments and uplift at the base of each wall were found. All of these values are tabulated in the table on the next page and shown acting on the shearwalls. Refer to *Appendix B.4: Shearwalls* for further calculations on shearwalls.

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Direct Shear on Shear Walls Due to Controlling Lateral Forces								
Floor	N-S				E-W			
	I	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
R	29 k	17 k	17 k	29 k	14 k	14 k	14 k	14 k
15	54 k	32 k	32 k	54 k	39 k	39 k	39 k	39 k
14	80 k	47 k	47 k	80 k	63 k	63 k	63 k	63 k
13	105 k	61 k	61 k	105 k	84 k	84 k	84 k	84 k
12	130 k	76 k	76 k	130 k	102 k	102 k	102 k	102 k
11	154 k	90 k	90 k	154 k	118 k	118 k	118 k	118 k
10	178 k	105 k	105 k	178 k	132 k	132 k	132 k	132 k
9	201 k	119 k	119 k	201 k	143 k	143 k	143 k	143 k
8	223 k	133 k	133 k	223 k	152 k	152 k	152 k	152 k
7	245 k	147 k	147 k	245 k	160 k	160 k	160 k	160 k
6	265 k	161 k	161 k	265 k	166 k	166 k	166 k	166 k
5	284 k	175 k	175 k	284 k	170 k	170 k	170 k	170 k
4	300 k	191 k	191 k	300 k	173 k	173 k	173 k	173 k
3	312 k	210 k	210 k	312 k	175 k	175 k	175 k	175 k
2	308 k	226 k	226 k	308 k	176 k	176 k	176 k	176 k
Overturning	249,327	150,208	150,208	249,327	172,127	172,127	172,127	172,127
Uplift	6,926 k	5,007 k	5,007 k	6,926 k	5,738 k	5,738 k	5,738 k	5,738 k

Table 5-Shear on walls due to direct shear.

Y-direction wind forces

X-direction seismic forces

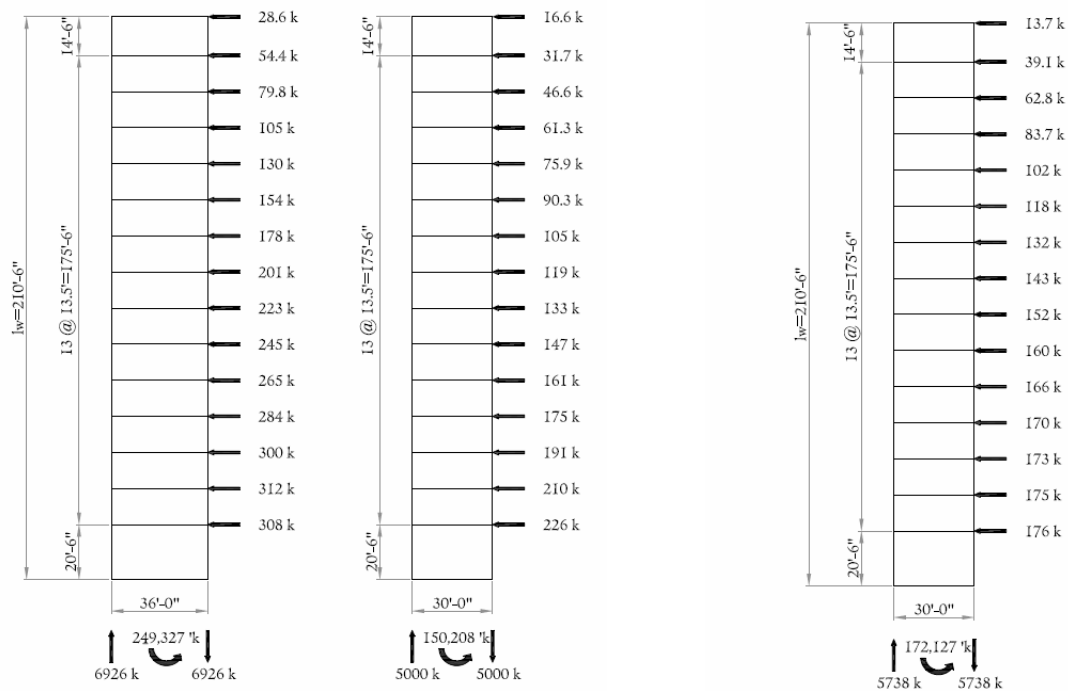


Figure 30-Direct shear acting on walls with resulting uplift and overturning moment.

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6.3 Foundations

The concrete structure adds 30% more weight to the foundation when compared to the composite steel structure. The undesirable soil conditions in the city of Wilmington warrant deep foundations to support the gravity loads and overturning moment imposed on them. Since the clusters of auger-cast piles are already 10-18, increasing the size of clusters will begin to compromise the already poor soil. The objective of changing the foundations to caissons is to preserve the integrity of the soil, to limit settlement, and eliminate the need for a 60" pile cap. Their capacity was found based on the end soil bearing pressure of the caisson. For those underneath shearwalls, they will be reinforced to take tension due to overturning.

Caissons						
		Amount	Material	Labor	Equip-ment	Cost
A1020-310	4'-0" dia. x 100'	20 Ea	4358	70459		\$1,496,329
	5'-0" dia. x 100'	6 Ea	8064	144990		\$918,324
	6'-0" dia. x 100'	10 Ea	11730	172277		\$1,840,069
					TOTAL	\$4,254,722
Concrete Filled, Drilled Piers						
A1020-130	End Bearing Steel Piles					Cost
2380	4 pile cluster	5	5625	3325		\$44,750
2460	6 pile cluster	8	8425	5025		\$107,600
2480	7 pile cluster	7	9825	5850		\$109,725
2500	8 pile cluster	5	12600	7525		\$100,625
2560	12 pile cluster	9	15400	9200		\$221,400
03310-240	Pile caps, incl. forms and reinf.	612	108	49	0.31	\$96,309
					TOTAL	\$680,409

Table 6-Cost estimate and comparison between caissons and concrete filled, steel piles.

In addition to the caissons, grade beams will be provided to engage all of the deep foundations when the shearwalls and frames are forced into action. Although the caissons and the grade beams have not been explicitly designed for, the impact that the structure has on them has been estimated. The foundation plan can be found in **Figure 29**-Foundation Plan.

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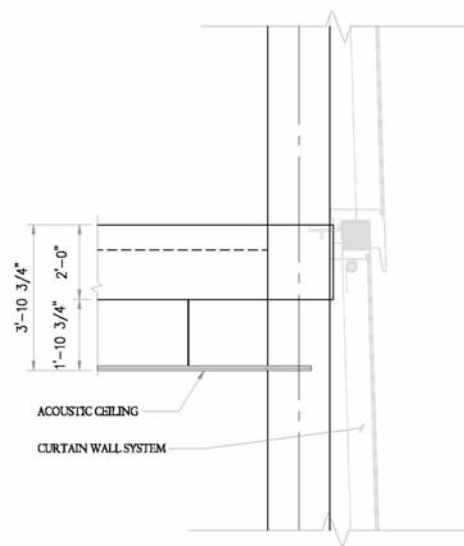
7.0 STRUCTURAL SUMMARY

The concrete in the super-structure including: columns, girders, and slabs, will have a compressive strength of 6000 psi, but the shearwalls will be 4000 psi. The need for such high strength concrete in the gravity framing comes from the long-span feature of the office floors. In order to preserve the 52'-6" spans, the concrete needed to have enough strength to withstand the amount of stress caused by the post-tensioning force.

Post-tensioned Slab: The post-tensioned slab will be 8" thick and contribute 100 psf of dead load to the structure. The ungrouted tendons in the slab will be spaced about 6' o.c. and span the 30' direction of each bay. The tendons will be banded in groups of (6) ½" diameter strands and have yield strength of 270 ksi. They will have a parabolic profile of 6.75" above the bottom of the slab at supports and 1.75" from the bottom of the slab at mid-span.

Columns: The columns in the building range in size from 18"x28" to 30"x30". See page 28 for a full column schedule, and refer to the foundation plan in *Appendix C.3: Post-tensioned concrete-foundation* for column locations.

Beams: The beams will use post-tensioning steel with yield strength of 270 ksi. The steel strands will be grouted solid. Interior beams spanning 52'-6" will be 16"x36" and have approximately 35 strands in them, and interior beams spanning 36'-0" will be 16"x24" and have approximately 20 strands in them. In order to develop the full compressive capacity in the slab, the beams will be analyzed as T-beams. Beam designs have achieved the objective of decreasing floor depth by 7.25" over the composite steel system, when fire-proofing is considered.



POST-TENSIONED CONCRETE SECTION

Figure 31-Section of concrete floor system.

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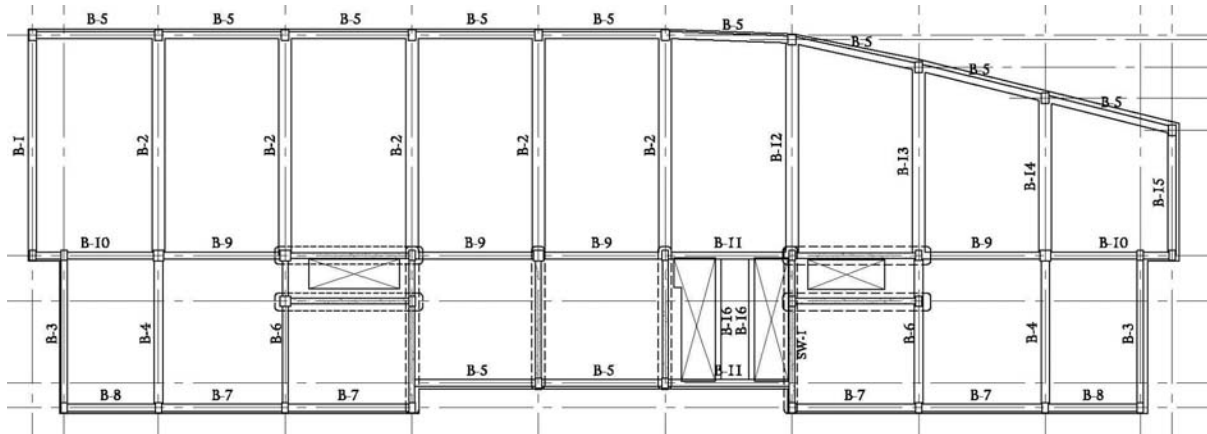


Figure 32-Post-tensioned concrete framing plan for typical floor.

Shearwalls: Shearwalls will be identical in each direction: 12” thick, 4000 psi, and #6 @ 14” both vertically and horizontally. Though shearwalls will resist a majority of the lateral loads, they are not the only lateral resisting elements.

Foundations: The foundations will be caissons to support the additional weight of the concrete frame. Their sizes range from 4’-0” to 6’-6” in diameter. The caissons under shearwalls will be reinforced at the top to prevent overturning. They will be connected by a network of grade beams to more evenly distribute load and prevent differential settlement. The foundation plan is pictured below.

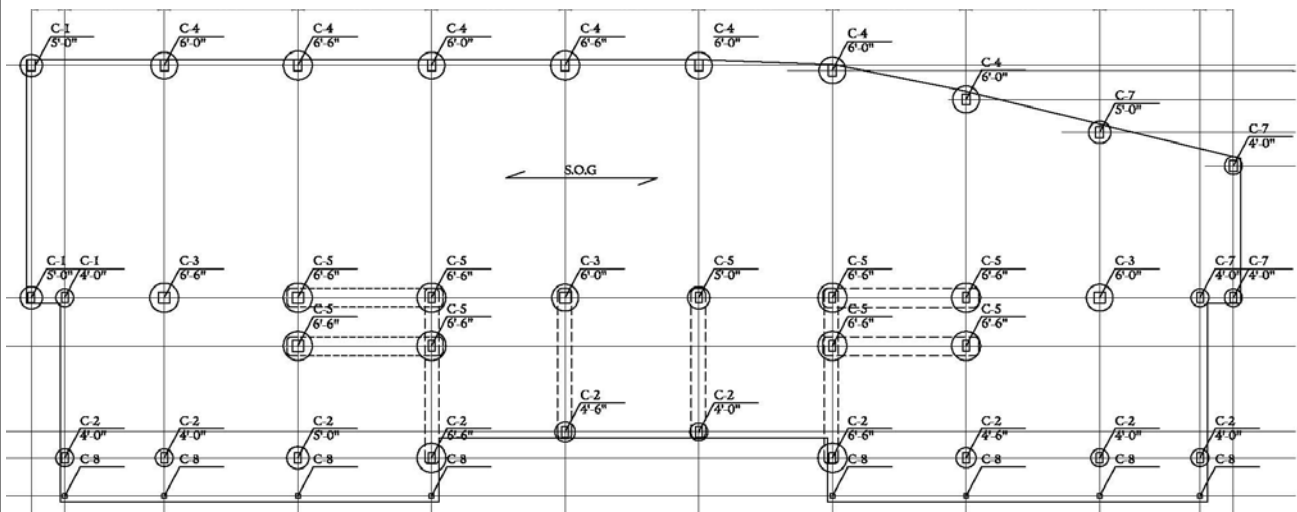


Figure 33-Foundation plan.

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8.0 BREADTH STUDIES

The post-tension concrete design of Gateway Plaza will have an impact on all of the systems in the building, including the construction of the project. In particular, this report will focus on how supply air ducts, part of the mechanical system, can be designed according to ASHRAE Standard 62.1 and how the project can be scheduled efficiently.

8.1 Mechanical Study

The main goal of the mechanical study is to design supply and return air ducts in a typical floor in Gateway Plaza. To keep with the objective of the structural design, minimizing floor depth, these ducts will be designed to minimize their depth. Since the building is for tenant fit-out, there is no existing duct plan to compare. However, the riser on each floor has a main supply duct with a depth of 26". To handle air return, the ceiling will be used as a plenum for collecting return air, a system that works well when drop ceilings are used. The mechanical room is equipped with two 90"x32" grilles to pull in air from the plenum, and the room has a louver to exhaust air outside.

8.1.1 Indoor Air Quality

Before ducts could be laid out, it is necessary to check that the building is receiving the required amount of outdoor air for proper ventilation. The layout for the new structural system was designed according to *ASHRAE Standard 62.1: Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality* using the Ventilation Rate Procedure laid out in section 6.2. This procedure "determines outdoor air intake rates based on space type, occupancy level, and floor area." The actual amount of outdoor air supplied by the mechanical equipment has been compared to the minimum amount of outdoor air intake typical of the office floor (shown on the next page) as determined by the above procedure.

Since the building is for tenant fit-out, a basic design was established where the typical office floor was subdivided into five separate offices, seen in the diagram below. To estimate the occupancy of each office, it was assumed that each person occupied a 10'x10' cubicle, or 100 ft², including hallway circulation space.

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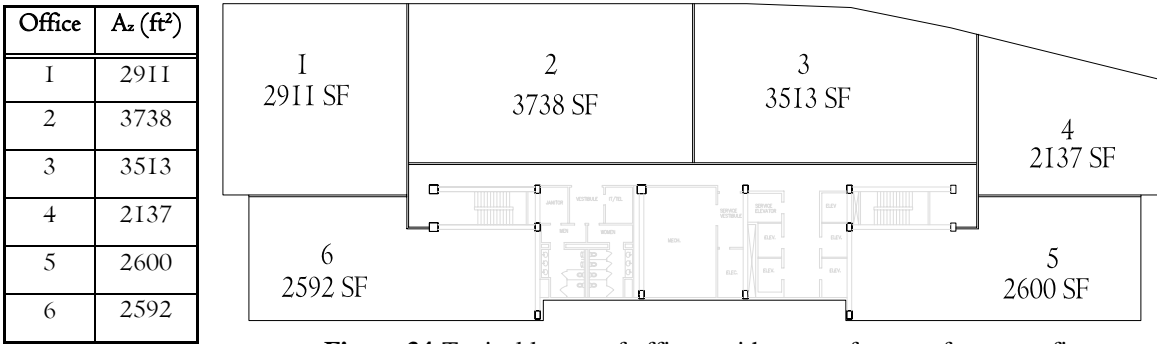


Figure 34-Typical layout of offices, with square footage, for tenant fit-out.

The ventilation rate procedure has been outlined below for the office type 1.

Step 1: Breathing Zone Outdoor Airflow

$$V_{bz} = R_p P_z + R_a A_z \quad (\text{Eq. 6-1})$$

$$\circ R_p = 5 \text{ cfm} \quad (\text{Table 6-1})$$

$$\circ R_a = 0.06 \text{ cfm} / \text{sf}$$

$$V_{bz} = 5 \text{ cfm}(30 \text{ people}) + 0.06 \text{ cfm} / \text{sf}(2911 \text{ sf}) = 325 \text{ cfm}$$

Step 2: Zone Outdoor Airflow

$$V_{oz} = \frac{V_{bz}}{E_z} \quad (\text{Eq. 6-2})$$

$$\circ E_z = 1.0 \quad (\text{From Table 6-2 for ceiling supply of cool air.})$$

$$V_{oz} = \frac{325 \text{ cfm}}{1.0} = 325 \text{ cfm}$$

Step 3: Multiple-Zone Recirculation System

- Primary Outdoor Air Fraction

$$Z_p = \frac{V_{oz}}{V_{pz}} \quad (\text{Eq. 6-5})$$

$$Z_p = \frac{325 \text{ cfm}}{\frac{2911 \text{ sf}}{17,491 \text{ sf}}(22,725 \text{ sf})} = .0859 \text{ cfm} \text{ where } V_{pz} \text{ is taken to be the ratio of the}$$

area of the office being supplied to the total area of all of the offices multiplied by the total area of the typical floor.

- Uncorrected Outdoor Air Intake

$$V_{ou} = D \sum_{\text{all zones}} R_p P_z + D \sum_{\text{all zones}} R_a A_z \quad (\text{Eq. 6-6})$$

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- The occupancy diversity is taken to be 1.0, which is conservative, because each office is being designed as having the same occupancy requirements.

$$V_{ou} = 325cfm$$

o Outdoor Air Intake

$$V_{ot} = \frac{V_{ou}}{E_v}$$

- Ventilation Efficiency: $E_v = 1.0$ because $Z_p < 0.15$.

$$V_{ot} = 325cfm$$

Step 4: Outdoor Air Comparison

After all of the spaces have been calculated, the total amount of outdoor air that must be supplied to office space #1 is found to be 1942 cfm (see *Appendix D.1 Mechanical* for calculation of all spaces). This value is greatly less than the 4545 cfm that is supplied to the area by the existing equipment. Therefore, the typical office floor is capable of handling the ventilation requirements. This oversize is to be expected for a tenant fit-out space where space requirements are unknown.

8.1.2 Diffuser Layout

Since the requirements for each office space have been found according to ASHRAE Standard 62.1, the ducts can be laid out to achieve the necessary supply loads. Assuming that each supply diffuser will have a throw range of a 6'-16' radius, the diffusers can be laid out for each office space, taking care to cover the entire area. The diffusers specified by the architect are 24"x24" so that they will fit into the 24"x48" acoustic ceiling grid. See the diagram below for the preliminary diffuser lay-out and the throw area.

Return grills have been laid out in such a manner to create a natural circulation of air. The returns, about three supplies to each return, have been positioned between rows of supply diffusers. While the air will be supplied to the offices through forced air, ceiling plenum return will bring air back to the mechanical room.

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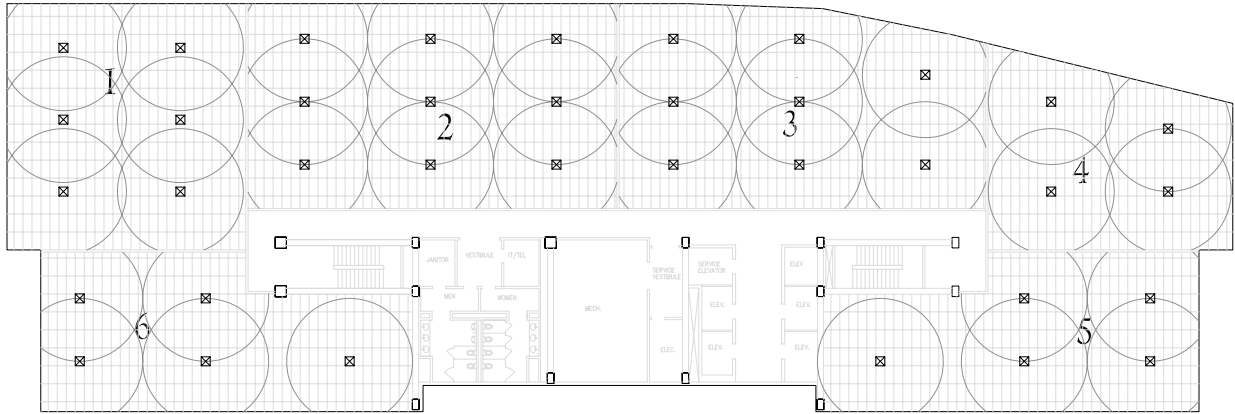


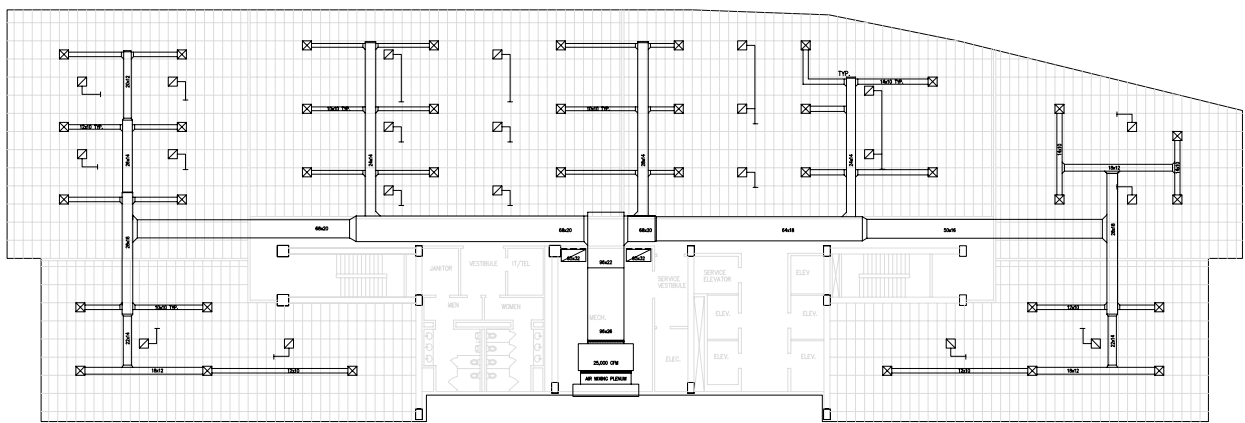
Figure 35-Diffuser layout and ranges of throw.

8.1.3 Duct Layout

The diffusers were connected using the shortest run of ducts from the riser originating in the mechanical room in each floor. The only obstacle that needed to be avoided was the shearwalls flanking the mechanical room and stairwells. Therefore, the runs to the ducts in office spaces 5 and 6 were unusually long. The ducts originated in the mechanical room at a size of 96x26 and eventually branched off to a size of 10x10 at their smallest. To size the ducts, the Duct Designer (duct-o-lator) supplied from the Loren Cook Company was used. A friction loss of 0.08" of water per 100' of duct was assumed.

As was previously mentioned, air will be returned to the mechanical room through the ceiling plenum. To better direct the air in such a large ceiling plenum, duct stubs will be connected to the return grilles to direct the air to the mechanical room.

The plan below shows the layout of ductwork, both supply and return, to each office.



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8.2 Construction Study

8.2.I Scheduling Impact

There is a significant difference in tasks and sequence of tasks that take place when building a concrete structure and building a composite steel structure. There are more trades on site



Figure 37-Lifts in the construction sequence.

with concrete construction due to the necessary formwork, reinforcement, post-tensioning, and placing of concrete. This leads to the necessity of coordinating these trades to minimize down-time and preventing trades from interfering with one another.

Since there is virtually no lead time for concrete, compared to steel, a post-tensioned concrete floor can be produced from start to finish in around 5 days, so the structure can be erected quickly.

Due to the large size of the elevated slabs, approximately 24,000 ft² and 640 cubic yards of concrete per floor, and the limited capacity of concrete trucks, about 10 cubic yards per truck, tasks will be completed in the 3 sections. The diagram below depicts the three sections the building has been divided into: column lines B-E, E-H, and H-L. The areas of these sections are more manageable for crews and for delivery coordination: A=7650ft², B=7400 ft², C=7000 ft².

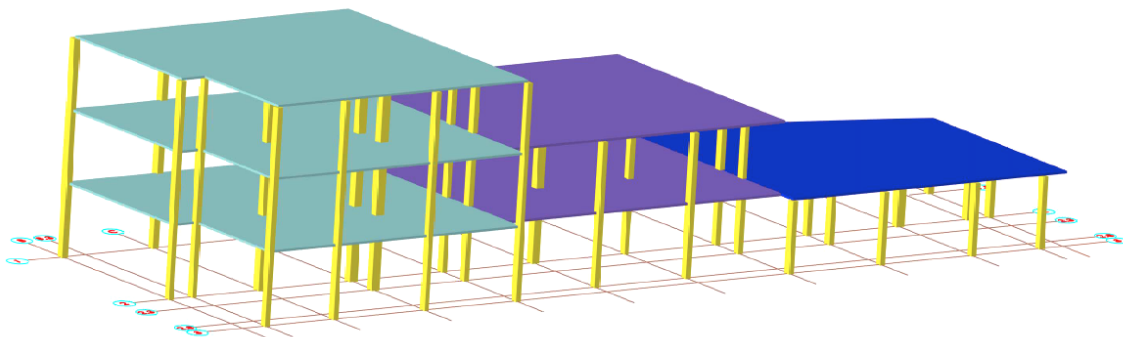


Figure 38-Schematic of how construction will take place with lift sequencing.

The following events and their durations, on a floor by floor and section by section basis, were considered when scheduling this project:

- Columns (F/R/P): 2 days
 - Forming

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- Tying Reinforcement
- Pouring and curing
- Construct/Erect shoring and formwork: 3 days
- Tie reinforcement for slab and beams: 1 day
- Rough-in for MEP: 1 day
- Concrete (for each section):
 - Pour and finish: 1 day
 - Cure: 2 days
- Strip formwork and install reshoring: 2 days
- Jack the post-tensioning tendons: 1 day

The previous tasks were scheduled using Primavera project management software and compared to the Primavera schedule obtained from the Gilbane Construction Manager for the composite steel structure. For the full schedule, refer to *Appendix D.2: Construction*. The composite steel construction lasted 140 days while the post-tensioned concrete construction lasted 156 days. Though these construction times are comparable, it does not include the lead time needed to obtain and fabricate steel.

8.2.2 Cost Analysis

Structural Framing Costs: The following cost comparisons take into consideration only the structural systems including: slabs, beams, columns, and lateral elements, and do not include foundation costs. Estimates for both systems were compiled using material takeoffs for a typical floor and finding unit prices for each material in RS Means 2005. Although, this is not the year when the project was bid, the estimates are both done using RS Means 2005, so they are in direct comparison. See *Appendix D.2: Construction*.

Cost Comparison		
	Cost/Floor	cost/sf
Concrete	\$ 654,702	\$ 27.98
Steel	\$ 616,892	\$ 26.36

Table 7-Cost comparison between post-tensioned concrete structure and composite steel structure.

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As evidence by the cost comparison for the two systems, the post-tensioned concrete system is more expensive by \$1.62/ft² and approximately \$626,940 for the whole project. This is a 7% increase over the existing composite steel structure.

Foundations Costs: Since the foundations were changed as part of the post-tensioned concrete design, the change needs to be accounted for when considering project feasibility. Again, material takeoffs, available in *Appendix D.2: Construction*, were compiled and then assembly costs were taken from RS Means 2005. Caissons proved to be much more expensive than the existing concrete filled steel piles. The price for caissons is over \$4 million where the price for the piles was only \$700,000.

The charts below accurately illustrate differences in price, duration, and foundation costs between the composite steel and post-tensioned concrete systems.

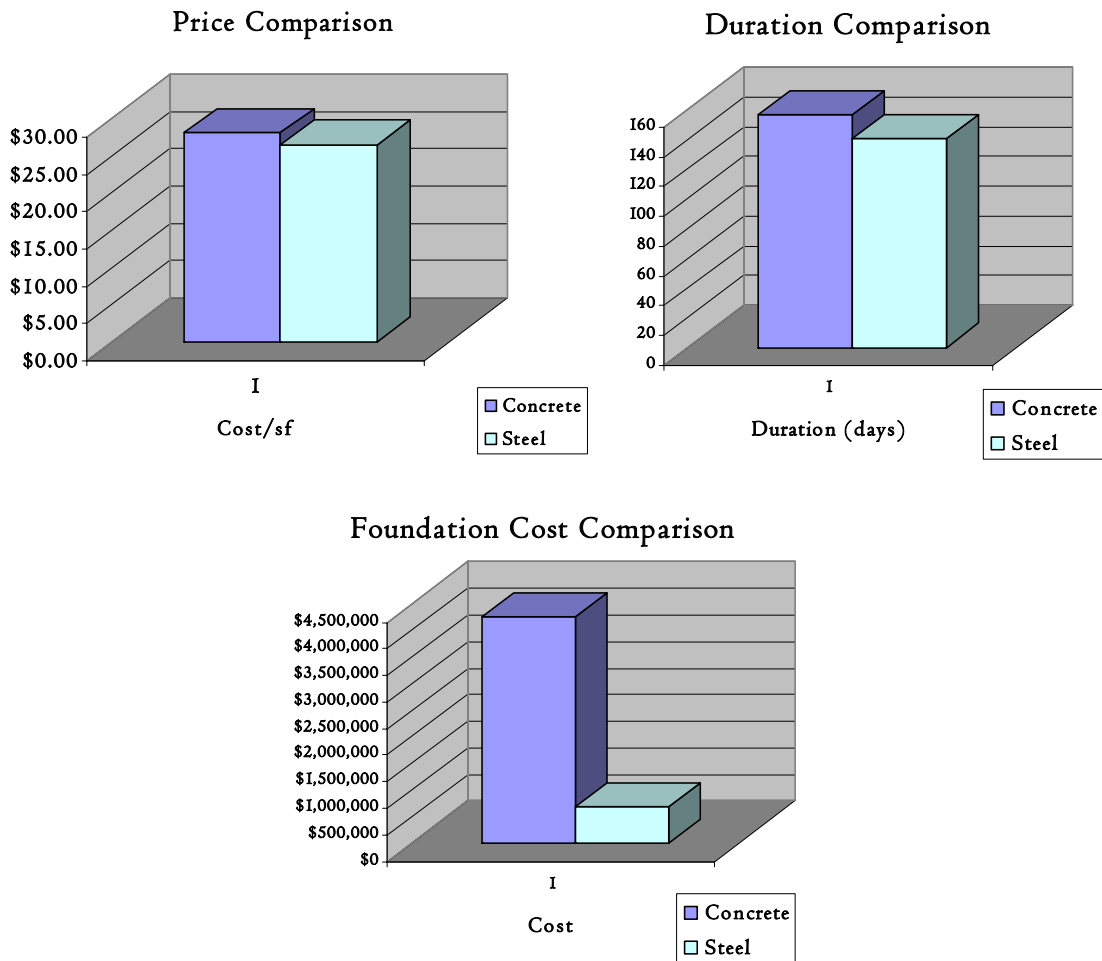


Figure 40-Comparison charts.

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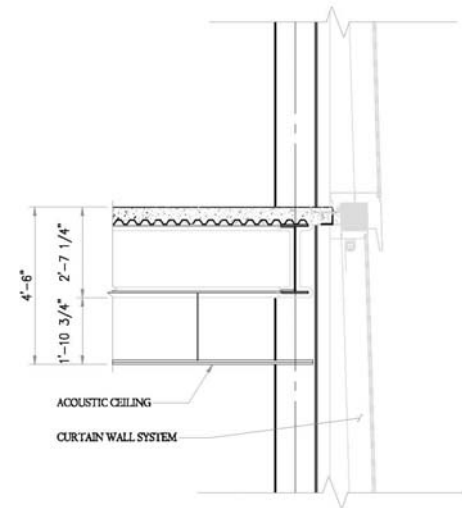
9.0 CONCLUSIONS

This report contains a thorough investigation of the existing composite steel structure and an analysis and design of the new post-tensioned concrete structural framing system. After this investigation, the systems were compared based on cost, schedule, and impact on foundations. The post-tensioned design is a good alternative based on cost and schedule, but its impact on foundations is unfavorable. If a caisson foundation system was implemented, it would drastically increase the cost of foundations by \$3.5 million.

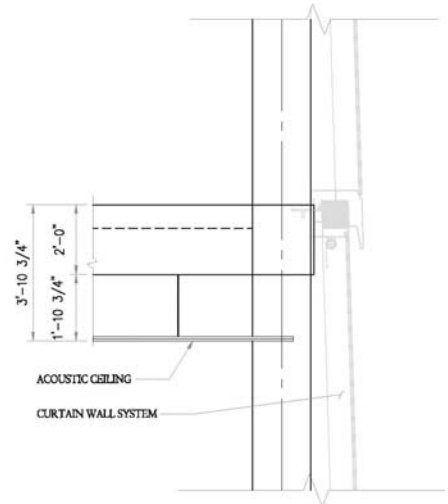
Although these comparisons show that the post-tensioned system is a good alternative, comparison based strictly on these factors is not enough. Architectural requirements and local market conditions tend to drive design more than the engineer. Taking these factors into consideration, the original composite steel framing is the favorable system. Wilmington, and most of Delaware, has remained dominated by steel design. Though composite steel has proved favorable for Gateway Plaza's requirements, the original objective of decreasing floor depth was achieved with the new design. Each floor had a savings of 7.25". This is an overall savings of 116", or 9.66', but not enough to add another floor level.

Breadth studies also allowed a good deal of understanding to be gained into how the structural system affects the other systems in the building as well as the impact it has on construction.

Despite the final recommendation that the original system is the best design for Gateway Plaza, a great deal of knowledge was gained through extensive research and the original objective of decreasing floor depths was achieved.



COMPOSITE STEEL SECTION



POST-TENSIONED CONCRETE SECTION

Figure 41-Floor section comparison.

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APPENDIX A: LOAD CALCULATIONS

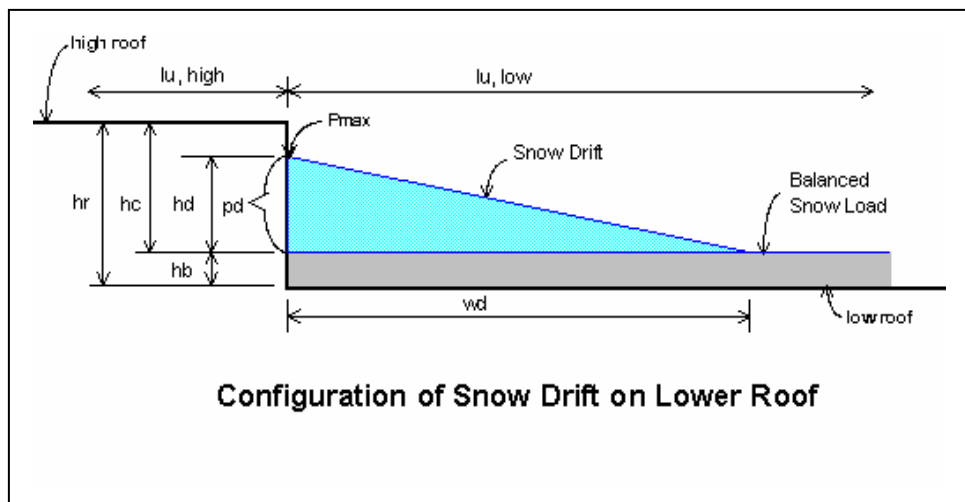
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A.I Snow Loading

<i>Design Parameters</i>		
P_g	25.00 psf	Ground Snow Load - Figure 1608.2
	Above Tree Line	Terrain Category - Section 1609.4
	Fully Exposed	Roof Exposure - Table 1608.3.1b
C_e	0.8	Exposure Factor - Table 1608.3.1
C_t	1.00	Thermal Factor - Section 1608.3.2
	I	Importance Category - Table 1604.5
I	1.0	Importance Factor - Table 1609.5
P_f	20.00 psf	Flat Roof Snow Load, $P_f = 0.7 * C_e * C_t * I_s * P_g$ - Section 1608.3
D	17 pcf	Snow density, $D = 0.13P_g + 14 \leq 30$ pcf - 1608.7
h_b	1'	Height of minimum roof snow load, (Default, P_f/D) - 1608.7
h_r	19'	Difference in height between upper and lower roofs
h_c	17'	Difference in height between upper roof and top of flat roof snow
$l_{u, high}$	36'	Horizontal dimension of upper roof normal to the line of change of roof level
$l_{u, low}$	48'	Horizontal dimension of lower roof normal to the line of change of roof level

<i>Drift Calculations</i>					
Drift location	Calc. h_d (ft)	Corrected h_d (ft)	P_d (psf)	P_{max} (psf)	W_d
Windward Drift	1.73	1.73	29.77	49.77	6.90
Leeward Drift	1.95	1.95	33.70	53.70	7.81
Design Drift	1.95	1.95	33.7	53.7	7.8

X	Y	A1 (psf)	A2 (psf)	Total (psf)
2.0	45	45	4	49
4.0	36	36	4	41
6.0	28	28	4	32
7.8	20	20	4	24



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D	17.25 pcf	Snow density, $D = 0.13P_g + 14 \leq 30$ pcf - 1608.7
h_b	1.16'	Height of minimum roof snow load, (Default, P_f/D) - 1608.7
h_r	18.5'	Difference in height between upper and lower roofs
h_c	17.3'	Difference in height between upper roof and top of flat roof snow
$l_{u, high}$	44'	Horizontal dimension of upper roof normal to the line of change of roof level
$l_{u, low}$	130'	Horizontal dimension of lower roof normal to the line of change of roof level

Drift Calculations

Drift location	Calc. h_d (ft)	Corrected h_d (ft)	P_d (psf)	P_{max} (psf)	W_d
Windward Drift	2.85	2.85	49.14	69.14	11.39
Leeward Drift	2.19	2.19	37.82	57.82	8.77
Design Drift	2.85	2.85	49.1	69.1	11.4

X	Y	A1 (psf)	A2 (psf)	Total (psf)
2.0	61	61	4	65
4.0	52	52	4	56
6.0	43	43	4	48
8.0	35	35	4	39
10.0	26	26	4	30
11.4	20	20	3	23

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A.2 Lateral Loading

A.2.I Wind

Input Information

	L: Length of Building in X- Direction	B: Length of Building in Y - Direction	L/B	B/L	Story Heights (ft)	Building Story Height (ft)
						210.50 ft
R	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	14.50 ft	210.50 ft
15	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	196.00 ft
14	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	182.50 ft
13	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	169.00 ft
12	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	155.50 ft
11	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	142.00 ft
10	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	128.50 ft
9	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	115.00 ft
8	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	101.50 ft
7	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	88.00 ft
6	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	74.50 ft
5	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	61.00 ft
4	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	47.50 ft
3	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	13.50 ft	34.00 ft
2	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	10.25 ft	20.50 ft
Int.	270.00 ft	88.00 ft	3.07	0.33	10.25 ft	10.25 ft

210.50 ft

h	210.50 ft	Mean Roof Height of Building
H	210.50 ft	Total Height of Roof
Ct	0.030	Fundamental Period Coefficient, ASCE 7-02 Table 9.5.5.3.2
x	0.750	Fundamental Period Factor, ASCE 7-02 Table 9.5.5.3.2
Ta	0.60 Hz	Structure is flexible so G will be calculated per ASCE Section 6.5.8.2
⊙	0.0 deg	Angle of Roof Slope
V	90 mph	
I	1.00	
Exposure	B	
Roof Diaphragm	2	Is roof diaphragm considered rigid or flexible??

Calculated Information

Height	HIGH	"High" for Buildings >60', "Low" for Buildings < 60'
Cp-w	0.8	Windward Wall Pressure Coefficient, ASCE 7-02 Figure 6-6
Cp-S	-0.7	Side Wall Pressure Coefficient, ASCE 7-02 Figure 6-6
Kd	0.85	Wind Directionality Factor, ASCE 7-02 Table 6-4
Gcpi	0.18	Internal Pressure Coefficients for Enclosed Buildings, ASCE 7-02 Figure 6-5

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Criteria	Reference/Description		
h	210.5	height of building	
zmin	30	RIGID: From Table 6-2 of ASCE 7-02	
zbar	126.3	RIGID: $0.6^*h > zmin$: ASCE 7-02 Section 6.5.8.1	
c	0.3	RIGID: From Table 6-2 of ASCE	
g _a	3.4	per section 6.5.8.1 and 6.5.8.2 of ASCE 7-02	
g _v	3.4	per section 6.5.8.1 and 6.5.8.2 of ASCE 7-02	
l	320	RIGID: Table 6-2 of ASCE 7-02	
e	0.33	RIGID: Table 6-2 of ASCE 7-02	
n ₁ , Y-dir	0.561	Natural Period	
n ₁ , X-dir	0.81	Natural Period	
b	0.05	Damping Factor	
V	90	Basic Wind Speed	
bbar	0.45	FLEXIBLE: Table 6-2 ASCE 7-02	
abar	0.25	FLEXIBLE: Table 6-2 ASCE 7-02	
L ₁	0.2398684	Equation 6-5 ASCE 7-02	
L ₂	500.52643	Equation 6-7 ASCE 7-02	
	Y - Direction	X - Direction	
g _r	4.0493434	4.1389373	FLEXIBLE: Equation 6-9
V _s	75.529414	75.529414	FLEXIBLE: Equation 6-14
h _n	10.384339	10.384339	FLEXIBLE: Section 6.5.8.2
R _n	0.0916621	0.0916621	FLEXIBLE: Section 6.5.8.2
N ₁	5.367795	5.367795	FLEXIBLE: Equation 6-12
R _n	0.0485013	0.0485013	FLEXIBLE: Equation 6-11

Stiff Building Calculations						Flexible Building Calculations					
Level	Height	B	L	Q	G stiff X-dir	nl	nb	Rl	Rb	R	G flex X-dir
Int.	10.25	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
3	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
4	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
5	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
6	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
7	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
8	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
9	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
10	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
11	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
12	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
13	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
14	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
15	13.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
R	14.5	88	270	0.829	0.833	44.592	4.341	0.0222	0.204	0.099	0.838
0	0	0	0	0.856	0.848	0.000	0.000	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

Stiff Building Calculations						Flexible Building Calculations					
Level	Height	B	L	G stiff Y-dir		nl	nb	Rl	Rb	R	G flex Y-dir
Int.	10.25	270	88	0.787	0.811	10.066	9.225	0.0944	0.103	0.072	0.813
3	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	10.066	9.225	0.0944	0.103	0.072	0.813
4	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	10.066	9.225	0.0944	0.103	0.072	0.813
5	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	10.066	9.225	0.0944	0.103	0.072	0.813
6	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	10.066	9.225	0.0944	0.103	0.072	0.813
7	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	10.066	9.225	0.0944	0.103	0.072	0.813
8	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
9	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
10	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
11	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
12	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
13	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
14	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
15	13.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
R	14.5	270	88	0.787	0.811	14.534	13.320	0.0664	0.072	0.060	0.812
0	0	0	0	0.856	0.848	0.000	0.000	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

Summary

h	G flex Y-dir		G flex X-dir		height	part to short	part to long
10	0	1	0.813	0.838	1	0	0.813 0.838
24	20	3	0.813	0.838	2	15	0.813 0.838
37.3	30	5	0.813	0.838	3	20	0.813 0.838
50.8	50	7	0.813	0.838	4	25	0.813 0.838
64	60	8	0.813	0.838	5	30	0.813 0.838
78	70	9	0.813	0.838	6	40	0.813 0.838
91	90	11	0.812	0.838	7	50	0.813 0.838
105	100	12	0.812	0.838	8	60	0.813 0.838
118	110	13	0.812	0.838	9	70	0.813 0.838
132	130	15	0.812	0.838	10	80	0.813 0.838
145	140	16	0.812	0.838	11	90	0.812 0.838
159	150	17	0.812	0.838	12	100	0.812 0.838
172	170	19	0.812	0.838	13	110	0.812 0.838
172	170	19	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	14	120	0.812 0.838

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Design Wind Pressures on Main-Wind-Resisting-Systems

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Height above ground level, z	Kz	G X-Dir	G Y-Dir	L/B	B/L	Cp Leeward X-Dir	Cp Leeward Y-Dir	Velocity Pressure, qz	Velocity Pressure, qh	Design Windward Wall Pressure in X-Dir	Design Windward Wall Pressure in Y-Dir	Design Leeward Wall Pressure in X-Dir	Design Leeward Wall Pressure in Y-Dir	Total Pressure for MWFRS in X-Dir	Total Pressure for MWFRS in Y-Dir	Building Floor Elevation
0 ft	0.575	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	10.1 psf	21.2 psf	6.8 psf	6.6 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	11.2 psf	15.2 psf	10.25 ft
15 ft	0.575	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	10.1 psf	21.2 psf	6.8 psf	6.6 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	11.2 psf	15.2 psf	20.50 ft
20 ft	0.624	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	11.0 psf	21.2 psf	7.4 psf	7.2 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	11.8 psf	15.8 psf	34.00 ft
25 ft	0.665	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	11.7 psf	21.2 psf	7.9 psf	7.6 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	12.3 psf	16.3 psf	47.50 ft
30 ft	0.701	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	12.3 psf	21.2 psf	8.3 psf	8.0 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	12.7 psf	16.7 psf	61.00 ft
40 ft	0.761	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	13.4 psf	21.2 psf	9.0 psf	8.7 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	13.4 psf	17.4 psf	74.50 ft
50 ft	0.811	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	14.3 psf	21.2 psf	9.6 psf	9.3 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	14.0 psf	17.9 psf	88.00 ft
60 ft	0.854	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	15.1 psf	21.2 psf	10.1 psf	9.8 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	14.5 psf	18.4 psf	101.50 ft
70 ft	0.892	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	15.7 psf	21.2 psf	10.5 psf	10.2 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	14.9 psf	18.9 psf	115.00 ft
80 ft	0.927	0.8378	0.8131	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	16.3 psf	21.2 psf	11.0 psf	10.6 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	15.4 psf	19.3 psf	128.50 ft
90 ft	0.959	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	16.9 psf	21.2 psf	11.3 psf	11.0 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	15.7 psf	19.6 psf	142.00 ft
100 ft	0.988	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	17.4 psf	21.2 psf	11.7 psf	11.3 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	16.1 psf	19.9 psf	155.50 ft
120 ft	1.041	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	18.3 psf	21.2 psf	12.3 psf	11.9 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	16.7 psf	20.6 psf	169.00 ft
140 ft	1.088	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	19.2 psf	21.2 psf	12.9 psf	12.5 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	17.3 psf	21.1 psf	182.50 ft
160 ft	1.130	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	19.9 psf	21.2 psf	13.4 psf	12.9 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	17.8 psf	21.6 psf	196.00 ft
180 ft	1.169	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	20.6 psf	21.2 psf	13.8 psf	13.4 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	18.2 psf	22.0 psf	210.50 ft
200 ft	1.205	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	21.2 psf	21.2 psf	14.2 psf	13.8 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	18.6 psf	22.4 psf	210.50 ft
250 ft	1.284	0.8378	0.8124	3.07	0.33	-0.248	-0.500	22.6 psf	21.2 psf	15.2 psf	14.7 psf	-4.4 psf	-8.6 psf	19.6 psf	23.3 psf	
300 ft	1.353	0.8378	0.8124													
350 ft	1.414	0.8378	0.8124													
400 ft	1.469	0.8378	0.8124													
450 ft	1.519	0.8378	0.8124													
500 ft	1.565	0.8378	0.8124													

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Total Pressure for Frames Resisting Wind Forces Parallel to Y Direction

Total, Windward, Leeward?

Total

Height above ground level, z	0.5	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	R
Floor To Floor Heights	10.25 ft	10.25 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	14.50 ft
Story Elevations	15.38 ft	27.25 ft	40.75 ft	54.25 ft	67.75 ft	81.25 ft	94.75 ft	108.25 ft	121.75 ft	135.25 ft	148.75 ft	162.25 ft	175.75 ft	189.25 ft	202.75 ft	210.50 ft
Mid-Story Elevations	0 ft															
15 ft	15.2 psf	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif	228.3 pif
20 ft	13.8 psf	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif	78.9 pif
25 ft	16.3 psf	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif	81.3 pif
30 ft	16.7 psf	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif	83.3 pif
40 ft	17.4 psf	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif	173.5 pif
50 ft	17.9 psf	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif	179.3 pif
60 ft	18.4 psf	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif	184.2 pif
70 ft	18.9 psf	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif	188.7 pif
80 ft	19.3 psf	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif	192.6 pif
90 ft	19.6 psf	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif	196.1 pif
100 ft	19.9 psf	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif	199.5 pif
120 ft	20.6 psf	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif	411.0 pif
140 ft	21.1 psf	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif	421.8 pif
160 ft	21.6 psf	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif	431.5 pif
180 ft	22.0 psf	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif	440.3 pif
200 ft	22.4 psf	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif	448.5 pif
250 ft	23.3 psf	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif	462.1 pif
300 ft																
350 ft																
400 ft																
450 ft																
500 ft																
Total Story Shear @ Floor	0 pif	87 pif	313 pif	552 pif	799 pif	1056 pif	1319 pif	1589 pif	1866 pif	2148 pif	2433 pif	2725 pif	3020 pif	3319 pif	3621 pif	3956 pif
Story Force per Floor	0.000 klf	0.087 klf	0.239 klf	0.256 klf	0.248 klf	0.256 klf	0.263 klf	0.270 klf	0.277 klf	0.282 klf	0.286 klf	0.291 klf	0.295 klf	0.298 klf	0.303 klf	0.335 klf

Total Wind Force on MWFRS in Y Direction

Floor Level	0.5	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	R
Length of Building	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft	270.0 ft
Frame Story Force per Floor	0.0 k	23.5 k	61.0 k	64.4 k	66.9 k	69.2 k	71.0 k	72.8 k	74.9 k	76.1 k	77.1 k	78.6 k	79.7 k	80.5 k	81.7 k	90.4 k
Frame Story Shear per Floor	10680.0 k	10680.0 k	10445.5 k	983.5 k	919.1 k	852.1 k	782.9 k	711.9 k	639.2 k	564.2 k	488.1 k	411.0 k	332.3 k	252.6 k	172.1 k	90.4 k

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Total Pressure for Frames Resisting Wind Forces Parallel to X Direction

Total, Windward, Leeward?

Height above ground level, z	Int.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	R
Floor To Floor Heights	10.25 ft	10.25 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	13.50 ft	14.50 ft
Story Elevations	10.25 ft	20.50 ft	34.00 ft	47.50 ft	61.00 ft	74.50 ft	88.00 ft	101.50 ft	115.00 ft	128.50 ft	142.00 ft	155.50 ft	169.00 ft	182.50 ft	196.00 ft	210.50 ft
Mid - Story Elevations	15.38 ft	27.25 ft	40.75 ft	54.25 ft	67.75 ft	81.25 ft	94.75 ft	108.25 ft	121.75 ft	135.25 ft	148.75 ft	162.25 ft	175.75 ft	189.25 ft	202.75 ft	210.50 ft
0 ft																
20 ft	11.8 psf	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif	58.9 pif
25 ft	12.3 psf	61 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif	61.3 pif
30 ft	12.7 psf	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif	63.4 pif
40 ft	13.4 psf	53.6 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif	133.9 pif
50 ft	14.0 psf	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif	139.8 pif
60 ft	14.5 psf	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif	144.9 pif
70 ft	14.9 psf	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif	149.5 pif
80 ft	15.4 psf	69.1 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif	153.6 pif
90 ft	15.7 psf	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif	157.3 pif
100 ft	16.1 psf	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif	160.8 pif
120 ft	16.7 psf	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif	334.0 pif
140 ft	17.3 psf															
160 ft	17.8 psf															
180 ft	18.2 psf															
200 ft	18.6 psf															
250 ft	19.6 psf															
300 ft																
350 ft																
400 ft																
450 ft																
500 ft																
Total Story Shear @ Floor	0.0 pif	65.0 pif	237.1 pif	422.3 pif	617.1 pif	820.7 pif	1031.0 pif	1248.3 pif	1473.9 pif	1704.0 pif	1937.9 pif	2177.6 pif	2421.4 pif	2668.4 pif	2919.9 pif	3200.0 pif
Story Force per Floor	0.000 klf	0.065 klf	0.172 klf	0.185 klf	0.195 klf	0.204 klf	0.210 klf	0.217 klf	0.225 klf	0.230 klf	0.234 klf	0.240 klf	0.244 klf	0.247 klf	0.252 klf	0.260 klf

Total Wind Force on MWFRS in X Direction

Floor Level	Int.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	R
Length of Building	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft	88.0 ft
Frame Story Force per Floor	0.0 k	5.7 k	15.1 k	16.3 k	17.1 k	17.9 k	18.5 k	19.1 k	19.8 k	20.3 k	20.6 k	21.1 k	21.5 k	21.7 k	22.1 k	24.6 k
Frame Story Shear per Floor	281.6 k	281.6 k	275.9 k	260.7 k	244.4 k	227.3 k	209.4 k	190.9 k	171.7 k	151.9 k	131.6 k	111.1 k	90.0 k	68.5 k	46.8 k	24.6 k

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A.2.2 Seismic

Input Information

D	Site Class - Section 1615.1.1
II	Seismic Use Group - Section 1616.2
B	Seismic Design Category - Section 1616.3
.300g	S_s , Spectral Accelerations for Short Periods - Section 1615.1
.075g	S_1 , Spectral Accelerations for 1 Second Period - Section 1615.1
1.56	F_a , Site Coefficient - Table 1615.1.2(1)
2.4	F_v , Site Coefficient - Table 1615.1.2(2)
0.468	S_{MS} , Maximum Spectral Accelerations for Short Periods - Section 1615.1.2
0.18	S_{M1} , Maximum Spectral Accelerations for 1 Second Period - Section 1615.1.2
0.312	S_{DS} , Design Spectral Accelerations for Short Periods - Section 1615.1.3
0.12	S_{D1} , Design Spectral Accelerations for 1 Second Period - Section 1615.1.3
0.03	C_T , Building Period Coefficient - Section 1617.4.2.1
0.75	X
210.5 ft	h_n , Building Height - Section 1617.4.2.1
1.66	$T_a = C_T * h_n^{3/4}$ - Approximate Fundamental Period - Section 1617.4.2.1
0.077	$T_O = 0.2 * (S_{D1}/S_{DS})$ - Section 1615.1.4
0.385	$T_S = S_{D1}/S_{DS}$ - Section 1615.1.4
0.072	S_a , Spectral Response Acceleration - Section 1615.1.4
1.25	I_e , Seismic Occupancy Importance Factor - Table 1604.5
5	R, Response Modification Factor - Table 1617.6
0.0780	C_S , Seismic Response Coefficient - Section 1617.4.1.1
0.0172	C_S (min) - Section 1617.4.1.1
0.0181	C_S (Max) - Section 1617.4.1.1
0.0181	C_S (Actual) - Section 1617.4.1.1
39,207 k	W, Effective Seismic Weight of Structure - Section 1617.4.1
709.4	$V = C_S * W$ - Seismic Base Shear - Section 1617.4.1
1.579	k, Distribution Exponent - Section 1617.4.3



2-5 Floor Plan
Area = 23,011 ft²
Perimeter = 773'



Typical Floor Plan
Area = 21,900 ft²
Perimeter = 718'

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Floor	Mass Calculations						Force Calculations					
	Floor-Floor Height (ft)	Area (ft ²)	Floor Load (psf)	Perimeter	Wall Loading (psf)	Weight	Height from Ground	$w_x h_x^k$	Cvx, (Eq. 9.5.4.2)	Story Force (k)	Story Shear (k)	
R		21,900	65.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	1424 k	210.5 ft	0	0	0.0 k	0.0 k	
15	14.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2597 k	196 ft	10,808,579	0.145	102.8 k	165.9 k	
14	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2669 k	182.5 ft	9,927,131	0.133	94.4 k	260.3 k	
13	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	169 ft	8,775,004	0.118	83.5 k	343.8 k	
12	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	155.5 ft	7,694,106	0.103	73.2 k	416.9 k	
11	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	142 ft	6,666,241	0.089	63.4 k	480.3 k	
10	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	128.5 ft	5,693,479	0.076	54.2 k	534.5 k	
9	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	115 ft	4,778,194	0.064	45.4 k	579.9 k	
8	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	101.5 ft	3,923,145	0.053	37.3 k	617.3 k	
7	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	88 ft	3,131,594	0.042	29.8 k	647.0 k	
6	13.5 ft	21,900	115.0 psf	718 ft	15.0 psf	2664 k	74.5 ft	2,407,495	0.032	22.9 k	669.9 k	
5	13.5 ft	23,000	115.0 psf	773 ft	15.0 psf	2802 k	61 ft	1,846,499	0.025	17.6 k	687.5 k	
4	13.5 ft	23,000	115.0 psf	773 ft	15.0 psf	2802 k	47.5 ft	1,243,992	0.017	11.8 k	699.3 k	
3	13.5 ft	23,000	115.0 psf	773 ft	15.0 psf	2802 k	34 ft	733,720	0.010	7.0 k	706.3 k	
2	13.5 ft	23,000	115.0 psf	773 ft	15.0 psf	2802 k	20.5 ft	330,061	0.004	3.1 k	709.4 k	
Gnd	20.5 ft	23,000					TOTAL	74,591,555	1.000	709.45		
TOTAL	210.5 ft	355,900				39,207 k						

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APPENDIX B: PRELIMINARY MEMBER DESIGN

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B.I Post-tensioned Slab

Given: Live Load = 80 psf

Dead Load = 100 psf (assuming 8" thick slab)

Total Load = 180 psf

Preliminary Design:

- Balance Load:
- Net Load: $\omega_n = TL - \omega_{pre}$
 $\omega_n = 180 \text{ psf} - 90 \text{ psf} = 90 \text{ psf}$
- Design limits
 - Cover: $\frac{3}{4}$ " from top and bottom
 - Allowable Stresses: Class U
 - At time of jacking
 - $f'_c = 6,000 \text{ psi}$
 - Compression (18.4.2a) = $0.60 f'_c = 0.6(6,000 \text{ psi}) = 3,600 \text{ psi}$
 - Tension (18.4.2b) = $3\sqrt{f'_c} = 3\sqrt{6000 \text{ psi}} = 232 \text{ psi}$
 - At service
 - $f'_c = 6,000 \text{ psi}$
 - Compression = $0.45 f'_c = 0.45(6,000 \text{ psi}) = 2,700 \text{ psi}$
 - Tension = $6\sqrt{f'_c} = 6\sqrt{6000 \text{ psi}} = 465 \text{ psi}$
 - Average pre-compression limits = 125 psi (min)
 = 300 psi (max)
 - Target Load Balances: 60%-80% of selfweight for slabs. Use 75%
 - $\omega_{pre} = 0.75 \text{ slab}$
 - $\omega_{pre} = 0.75(100 \text{ psf}) = 75 \text{ psf}$
- Tendon profile
 - $a_A = 4.0"$
 - $a_B = \frac{(4.0" + 7.0")}{2} - 1.75" = 3.75"$
- Prestress Force Required to Balance 70% of selfweight

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$$\circ w_b = 0.70(100 \text{ psf})(52.5') = 3675 \text{ plf} = 3.68 \text{ klf}$$

- Force needed in tendons to counteract the load in bay A-B.

$$\circ P = \frac{w_b l^2}{8a_A} = \frac{3.68 \text{ klf}(30')^2}{8(3.75"/12)} = 1323 \text{ k}$$

- Check Precompression

$$\circ \# \text{ tendons} = \frac{(1323 \text{ k})}{26.6 \text{ k / tendon}} = 49 \text{ tendons}$$

$$\circ \text{ Actual force for banded tendons: } P_{\text{actual}} = (49 \text{ tendons})(26.6 \text{ k}) = 1303 \text{ k}$$

$$\circ \text{ Actual precompression stress: } \frac{P_{\text{actual}}}{A} = \frac{1303 \text{ k}}{630 \text{ in}^2 \times 8"} = 259 \text{ psi}$$

$$\square 125 \text{ psi} < 259 \text{ psi} < 300 \text{ psi}$$

- Check Interior Span Force

$$\square P = \frac{(3.68 \text{ klf})(30')^2}{8(6")} = 827 \text{ k} < 1303 \text{ k} \text{ Less force is required in the center bay.}$$

- Check balance load for interior

$$\bullet w_b = \frac{(1303 \text{ k})(8)(6"/12)}{(30')^2} = 5.7 \text{ klf}$$

$$\bullet \frac{w_b}{w_{DL}} = \frac{5.7 \text{ klf}}{5.25 \text{ klf}} = 100\%$$

- **Effective prestress force, $P_{\text{eff}} = 1303 \text{ k}$**

For further analysis, this layout was entered into RAM Concept and checked further.

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B.2 Columns

Typical Columns Along Column Line 1

k	2	trib. W	30'
A_t	790 sf	f _c	6 ksi
span l_{ab}	52.5'	beam	800 plf
span l_{bc}	36'		

	w_{LL}	A_t (ft ²)	A_i (ft ²) = $A_t \times k$	Reduction = $0.25 + \frac{15}{\sqrt{A_i}}$	LL (k)	w_{DL} (psf)	DL (k)	Pu (k)	w_{uTL} (psf)	FEM _{ab}
R	60	790	1,580	0.63	30	65	72	134 k	3.24	447'k
15	80	1,580	3,160	0.52	65	115	224	373 k	7.98	1100'k
14	80	2,370	4,740	0.47	89	115	336	545 k	7.98	1100'k
13	80	3,160	6,320	0.44	111	115	447	714 k	7.98	1100'k
12	80	3,950	7,900	0.42	132	115	559	883 k	7.98	1100'k
11	80	4,740	9,480	0.40	153	115	671	1050 k	7.98	1100'k
10	80	5,530	11,060	0.40	177	115	783	1223 k	7.98	1100'k
9	80	6,320	12,640	0.40	202	115	895	1397 k	7.98	1100'k
8	80	7,110	14,220	0.40	228	115	1007	1572 k	7.98	1100'k
7	80	7,900	15,800	0.40	253	115	1119	1747 k	7.98	1100'k
6	80	8,690	17,380	0.40	278	115	1230	1921 k	7.98	1100'k
5	80	9,480	18,960	0.40	303	115	1342	2096 k	7.98	1100'k
4	80	10,270	20,540	0.40	329	115	1454	2271 k	7.98	1100'k
3	80	11,060	22,120	0.40	354	115	1566	2445 k	7.98	1100'k
2	80	11,850	23,700	0.40	379	115	1678	2620 k	7.98	1100'k

	b	h	γ	Rn	Kn	ρ	A_s		
R	20 in	20 in	0.80	0.1717	0.0862	0.031	12.4	(8)	#11
15	20 in	26 in	0.85	0.2503	0.1839	0.042	21.84	(14)	#11
14	20 in	26 in	0.85	0.2503	0.2685	0.048	24.96	(16)	#11
13	20 in	26 in	0.85	0.2503	0.3522	0.048	24.96	(16)	#11
12	20 in	26 in	0.85	0.2503	0.4353	0.048	24.96	(16)	#11
11	20 in	26 in	0.85	0.2503	0.5180	0.048	24.96	(16)	#11
10	20 in	26 in	0.85	0.2503	0.6029	0.048	24.96	(16)	#11
9	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	0.5972	0.047	28.2	(18)	#11
8	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	0.6718	0.047	28.2	(18)	#11
7	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	0.7464	0.047	28.2	(18)	#11
6	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	0.8211	0.047	28.2	(18)	#11
5	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	0.8957	0.075	45	(20)	#14
4	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	0.9704	0.075	45	(20)	#14
3	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	1.0450	0.075	45	(20)	#14
2	20 in	30 in	0.87	0.1880	1.1197	0.075	45	(20)	#14

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Typical Columns Along Column Line 3

k	2	trib. W	30'
A _t	540 sf	f _c	6 ksi
span l _{ab}	52.5'	beam	800 plf
span l _{bc}	36'		

	w _{LL}	A _t (ft ²)	A _i (ft ²) = A _t x k	Reduction= 0.25+15/√A _i	LL (k)	w _{DL} (psf)	DL (k)	Pu (k)	w _{uTL} (psf)	w _{uDL} (psf)	FEM _{bc}
R	60	540	1,080	0.71	23	65	50	96 k	3.24	2.34	152'k
15	80	1,080	2,160	0.57	49	115	153	263 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
14	80	1,620	3,240	0.51	67	115	230	382 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
13	80	2,160	4,320	0.48	83	115	306	499 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
12	80	2,700	5,400	0.45	98	115	383	616 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
11	80	3,240	6,480	0.44	113	115	459	732 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
10	80	3,780	7,560	0.42	128	115	536	847 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
9	80	4,320	8,640	0.41	142	115	612	962 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
8	80	4,860	9,720	0.40	156	115	689	1076 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
7	80	5,400	10,800	0.40	173	115	765	1194 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
6	80	5,940	11,880	0.40	190	115	842	1314 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
5	80	6,480	12,960	0.40	207	115	918	1433 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
4	80	7,020	14,040	0.40	225	115	995	1553 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
3	80	7,560	15,120	0.40	242	115	1071	1672 k	7.98	4.14	268'k
2	80	8,100	16,200	0.40	259	115	1148	1792 k	7.98	4.14	268'k

	b	h	γ	Rn	Kn	ρ	As		
R	18 in	18 in	0.78	0.080	0.076	0.022	7.128	(9)	#8
15	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.156	0.022	9.504	(12)	#8
14	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.227	0.08	34.56	(10)	#8
13	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.296	0.08	34.56	(10)	#8
12	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.366	0.08	34.56	(10)	#8
11	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.434	0.08	34.56	(10)	#8
10	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.503	0.08	34.56	(10)	#8
9	18 in	24 in	0.83	0.080	0.571	0.03	12.96	(16)	#8
8	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.548	0.03	15.12	(16)	#8
7	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.608	0.03	15.12	(16)	#8
6	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.668	0.03	15.12	(16)	#8
5	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.729	0.05	25.2	(16)	#11
4	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.790	0.05	25.2	(16)	#11
3	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.851	0.05	25.2	(16)	#11
2	18 in	28 in	0.86	0.058	0.912	0.05	25.2	(16)	#11

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Column Schedule

	C-1	C-2	C-3	C-4	C-5	C-6	C-7	C-8
R	22x 22 (16)- #9 2228k	18x 18 (18)- #4 1212k	24x 24 (18)- #6 2218k	24x 24 (16)- #9 2533k	22x 22 (20)- #8 2221k	22x 26 (16)- #8 2389k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
15	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #9 2520k	22x 26 (20)- #7 2364k	22x 26 (16)- #9 2520k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
14	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
13	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
12	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1647.594k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3815.760k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2170.740k	
11	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	18x 24 (18)- #5 1648k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (20)- #5 #N/A	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	22x 26 (16)- #6 2171k	
10	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
9	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
8	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
7	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
6	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	32x 32 (18)- #7 3816k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	
5	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	34x 34 (18)- #8 4387k	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	22x 32 (20)- #6 2677k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k
4	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	34x 34 (18)- #9 4534k	22x 32 (16)- #8 2827k	22x 32 (20)- #8 2950k	22x 30 (16)- #8 2681k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k
3	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #5 1886k	34x 34 (18)- #11 4927k	22x 32 (16)- #10 3126k	22x 32 (20)- #10 3324k	22x 30 (16)- #10 2980k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k
2	22x 32 (16)- #6 2608k	18x 28 (18)- #6 1980k	34x 34 (18)- #14 5412k	22x 32 (16)- #11 3307k	22x 32 (20)- #11 3551k	22x 30 (16)- #11 3161k	22x 30 (16)- #6 2462k	12x 12 (8)- #4 539k

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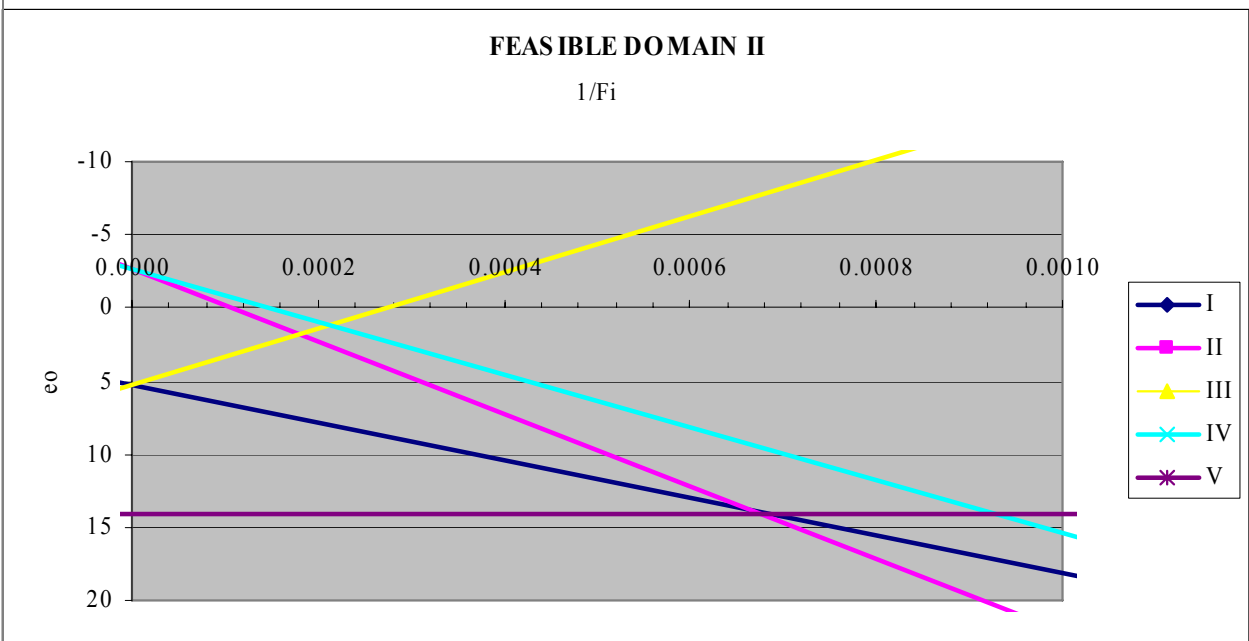
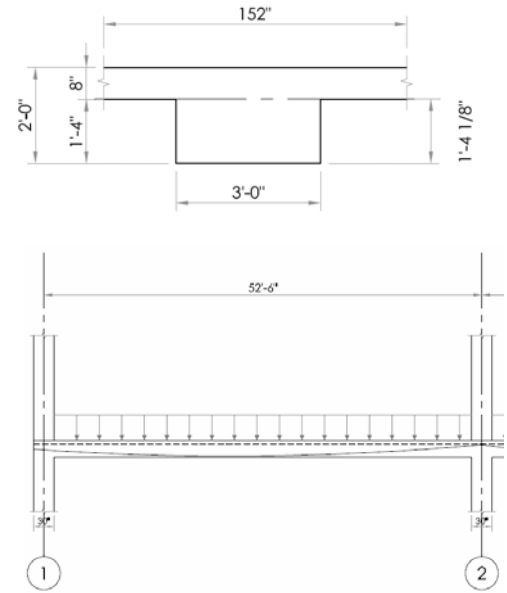
B.3 Beams

Note: All beams analyzed in a similar manner to the following two procedures.

Detailed Calculation of 52' Post-tensioned beams

Stresses		Losses			
f'_c	6000 psi	σ_{ci}	3 ksi		
f'_{ci}	5000 psi	σ_{cs}	4 ksi		
f_{pu}	270 ksi	σ_{ti}	0 ksi		
f_{pi}	181 ksi	σ_{ts}	-1 ksi		
f_{pv}	243 ksi	η	0.85		
Input Information					
L span	53'	A_{ps}	0 sq in		
dc,min	2 in	h	24 in		
Section Properties					
A (in ²)	I (in ⁴)	y_b (in)	y_t (in)		
1792	75057	16.1429	7.8571		
z_b (in)	z_t (in)	k_b (in)	k_t (in)		
4650	9553	5.33	-2.59		
$M_{mid-span}$ (in-k)					
ω_g (plf)	ω_{LL} (plf)	M_{min}	M_{max}		
3600	2,400	10,825	18,041		
1/Fi					
e_o	I	II	III	IV	V
-30	-0.0027	-0.0011	0.0018	-0.0015	14.1429
30	0.0019	0.0013	-0.0013	0.0018	14.1429

Selection of Force	
IV	V
F_i	1078 k
Selection of Steel	
0.8 f_{pu}	216 ksi
0.7 f_{pu}	189 ksi
A_s	5.96 sq in
#strands	39
F_i	1080 k
$e_{o,u}$	14 in
$e_{o,l}$	14 in
$e_{o,mid}$	14 in
$e_{o,supp}$	5 in



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Detailed Calculation of 36' Interior Post-tensioned Beam

Stresses		Losses	
f'_c	6000 psi	σ_{ci}	3 ksi
f'_{ci}	5000 psi	σ_{cs}	4 ksi
f_{pu}	270 ksi	σ_{ti}	0 ksi
f_{pi}	181 ksi	σ_{ts}	-1 ksi
f_{pv}	243 ksi	η	0.85

Input Information			
L_{span}	36'	A_{ps}	0.15 sq in
$d_{c,min}$	2 in	h	24 in

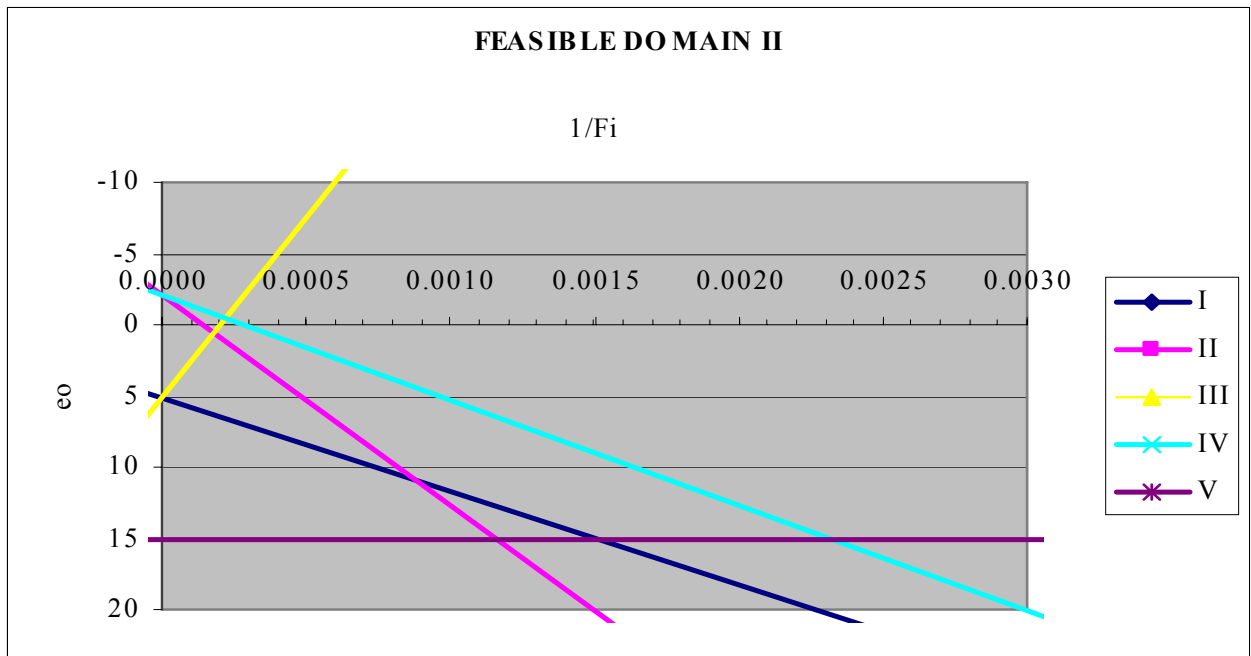
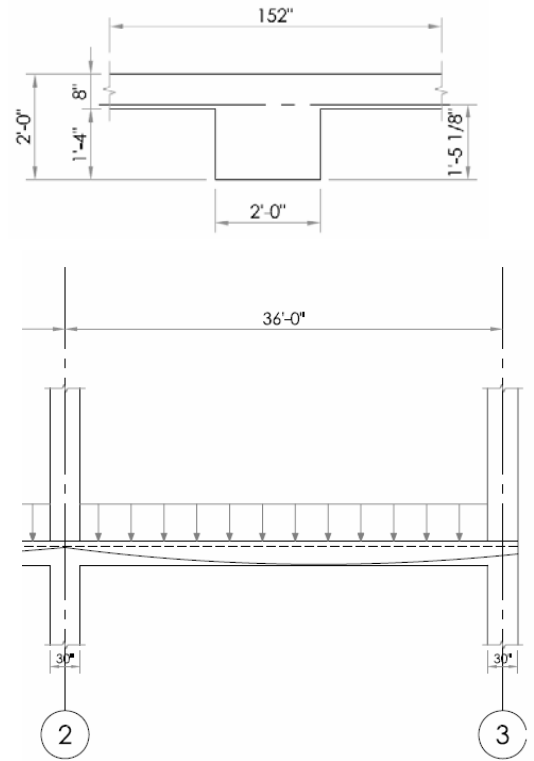
Section Properties			
A (in ²)	I (in ⁴)	y_b (in)	y_t (in)
1600	56702	17.12	6.88
z_b (in)	z_t (in)	k_b (in)	k_t (in)
3312	8242	5.15	-2.07

$M_{mid-span}$ (in-k)			
ω_g (plf)	ω_{LL} (plf)	M_{min}	M_{max}
3400	2,400	4,807	8,200

1/Fi					
e_o	I	II	III	IV	V
-30	-0.0054	0.0019	0.0014	-0.0038	15.12
30	0.0038	0.0022	-0.0010	0.0043	15.12

Selection of Force	
IV	V
F_i	430 k

Selection of Steel	
$0.8f_{pu}$	216 ksi
$0.7f_{pu}$	189 ksi
A_s	2.37 sq in
$\#_{strands}$	16
F_i	443 k
$e_{o,u}$	15 in
$e_{o,l}$	15 in
$e_{o,mid}$	15 in
$e_{o,supp}$	5 in



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B.4 Shearwalls

The shearwalls are designed using 4000 psi concrete and use the forces for wind in the north-south direction for the north-south walls and use the forces for seismic activity in the east-west direction. The hand calculations below show preliminary designs and the formulas used in the following spreadsheets.

$$V_u \leq \phi V_n$$

$$V_n = V_c + V_s$$

- $V_c = 2\sqrt{f'_c}hd = 2\sqrt{4000\text{ psi}}(12'')\left(0.8 \times 36' \times 12 \frac{\text{in}}{\text{ft}}\right) = 525k$

- $V_s = \frac{A_v f_y d}{s}$

- Horizontal Reinforcing

$$\rho_{h,\min} = 0.0025$$

$$A_{h,\min} = 0.0025(13.5' \times 12'')(36' \times 12'') = 175 \text{ in}^2$$

$$s_{\max} = \min \begin{cases} \frac{l_w}{5} = 86.4'' \\ 3h = 36'' = 18'' \\ 18'' \end{cases}$$

Try #6 @ 14'': $A_h = 183 \text{ in}^2, \rho = 0.0026$

- Vertical Reinforcing

$$\rho_{v,\min} = 0.0025$$

$$\rho_v = 0.0025 + 0.5 \left(2.5 - \frac{211'}{36'} \right) (0.0026 - 0.0025) = 0.0023 \therefore 0.0025$$

$$s_{\max} = \min \begin{cases} \frac{l_w}{3} = 144'' \\ 3h = 36'' = 18'' \\ 18'' \end{cases}$$

Try #6 @ 14'': $A_v = 183 \text{ in}^2, \rho = 0.0026$

$$V_s = \frac{A_v f_y d}{s} = \frac{183 \text{ in}^2 (60 \text{ ksi}) (0.8 \times 36' \times 12'')}{14''} = 271k$$

$$V_n = 525k + 271k = 796k$$

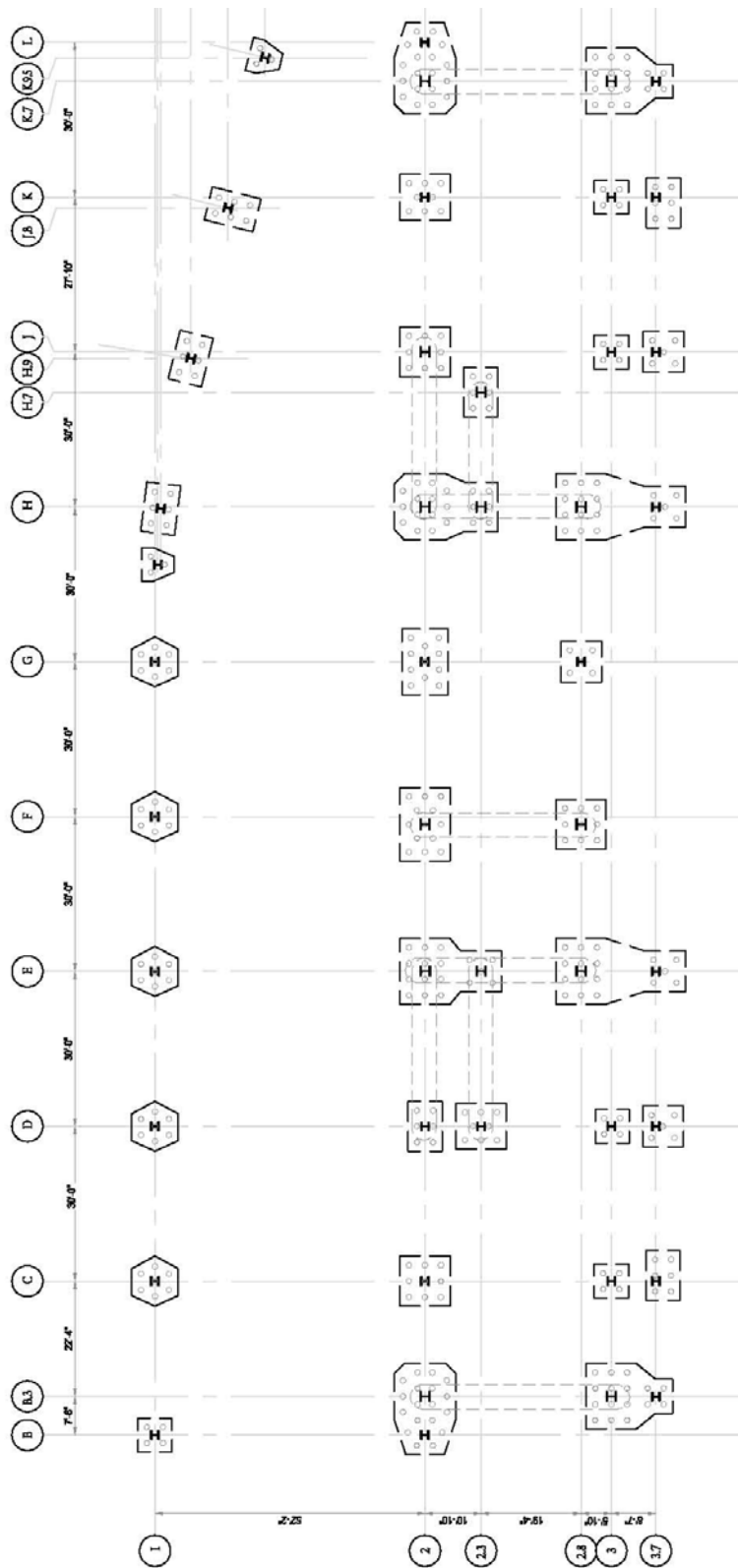
$$\phi V_n = 0.75(796k) = 597k$$

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APPENDIX C: PLANS

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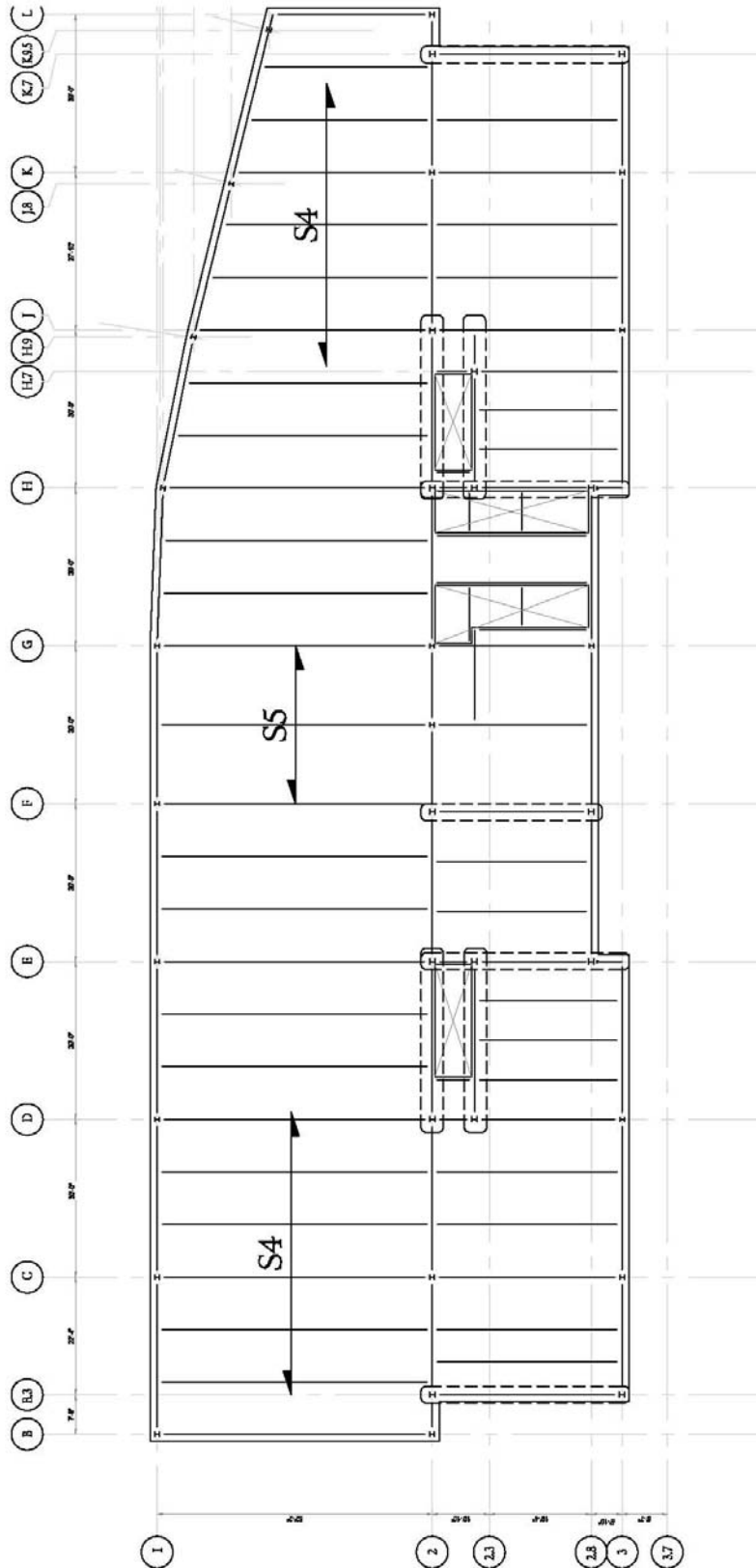
C.I Composite Steel-Foundation



COMPOSITE STEEL FOUNDATION PLAN

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C.2 Composite Steel-Typical Floor

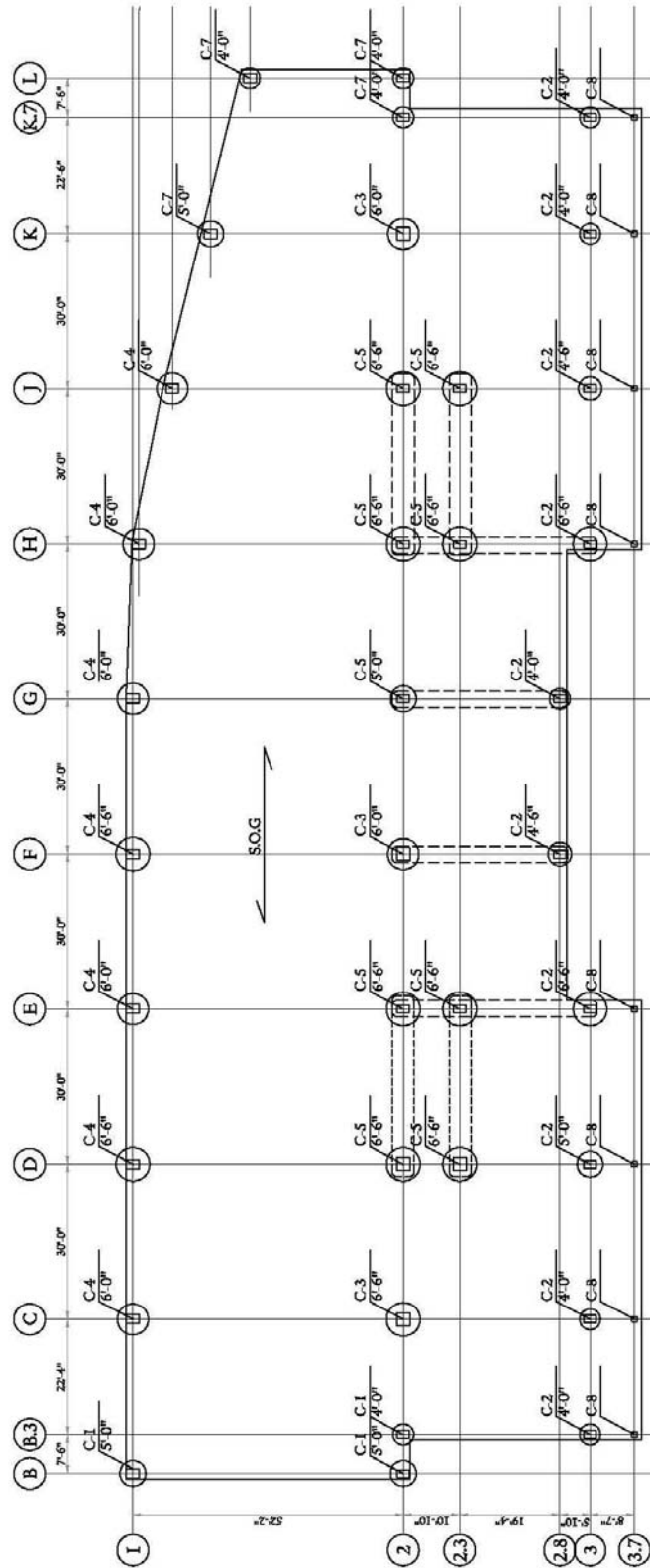


TYPICAL FLOOR FRAMING PLAN

1. DECK OVERHANG IS 16"
2. $\overline{S4}$ REFERS TO 3-1/4" NWT. CONC. ON 3" 20 GAGE COMPOSITE LOK-FLOOR DECK, UNSHORED.
3. $\overline{S5}$ REFERS TO 3-1/4" NWT. CONC. ON 3" 16 GAGE COMPOSITE LOK-FLOOR DECK, SHORED.

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C.3 Post-tensioned Concrete-Foundation

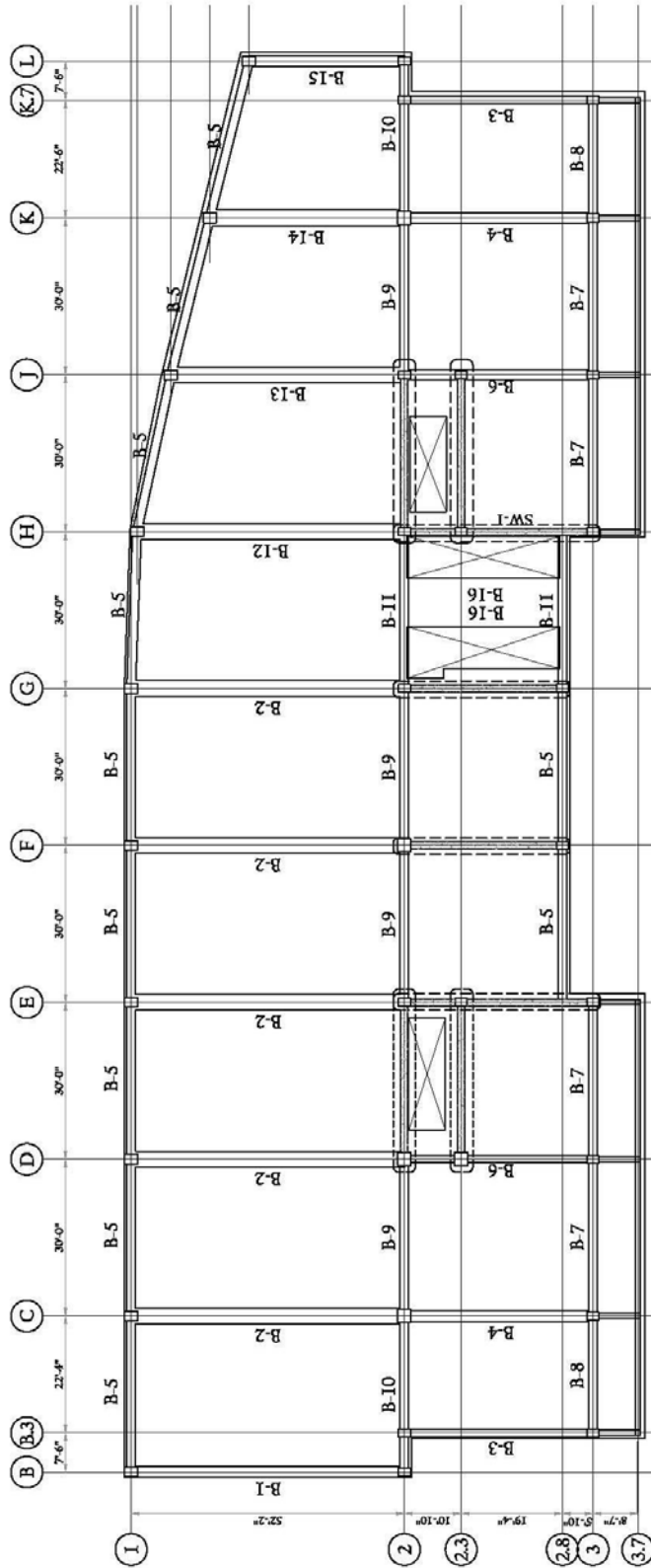


FOUNDATION PLAN

1. ← S.O.G → INDICATES 5" THK. SLAB ON GRADE ON STONE AND COMPACTED FILL.
2. REFER TO COLUMN SCHEDULE COLUMN SCHEDULE FOR COLUMN SIZES.
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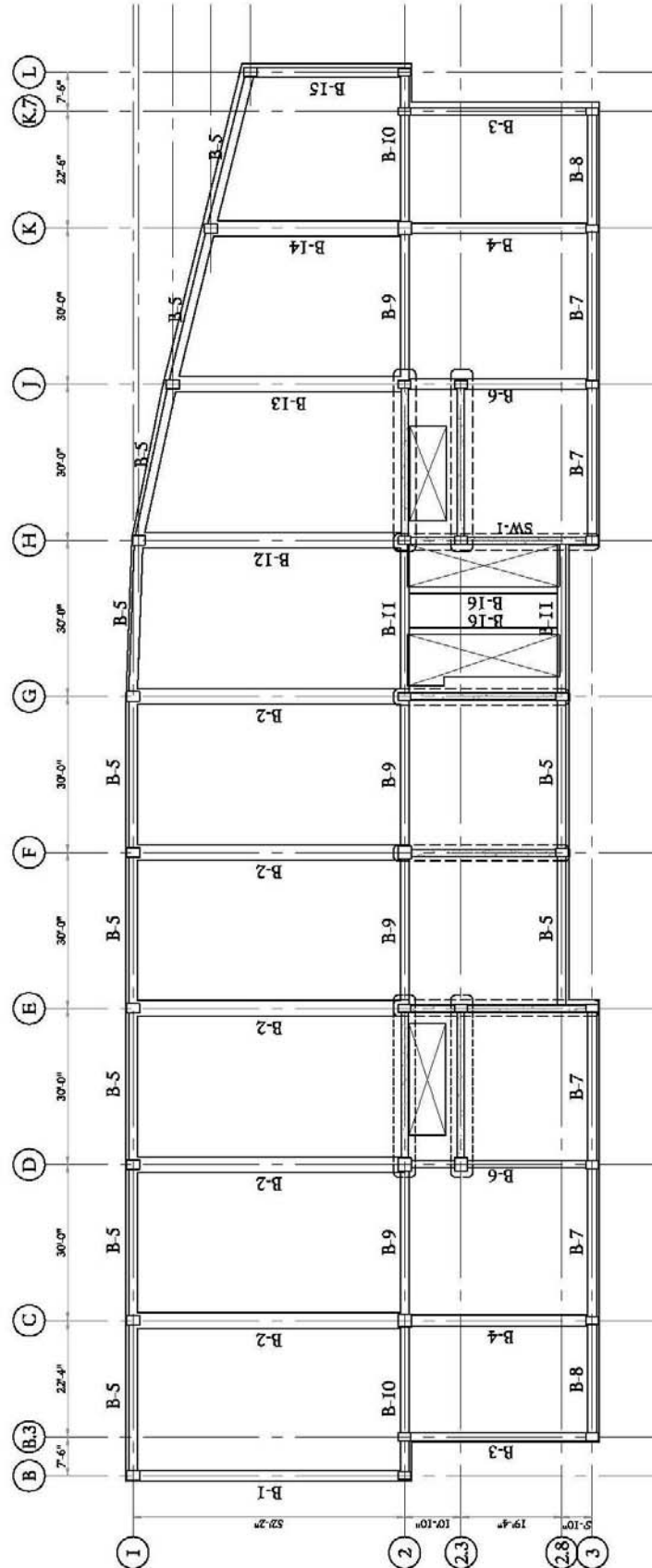
C.4 Post-tensioned Concrete-Floor Framing



FLOORS 2-5 FRAMING PLAN

1. INDICATES 8" THK. POST-TENSIONED CONCRETE SLAB. SEE POST-TENSIONED SLAB PLAN.
2. REFER TO BEAM SCHEDULE FOR BEAM SIZES AND REINFORCEMENT.

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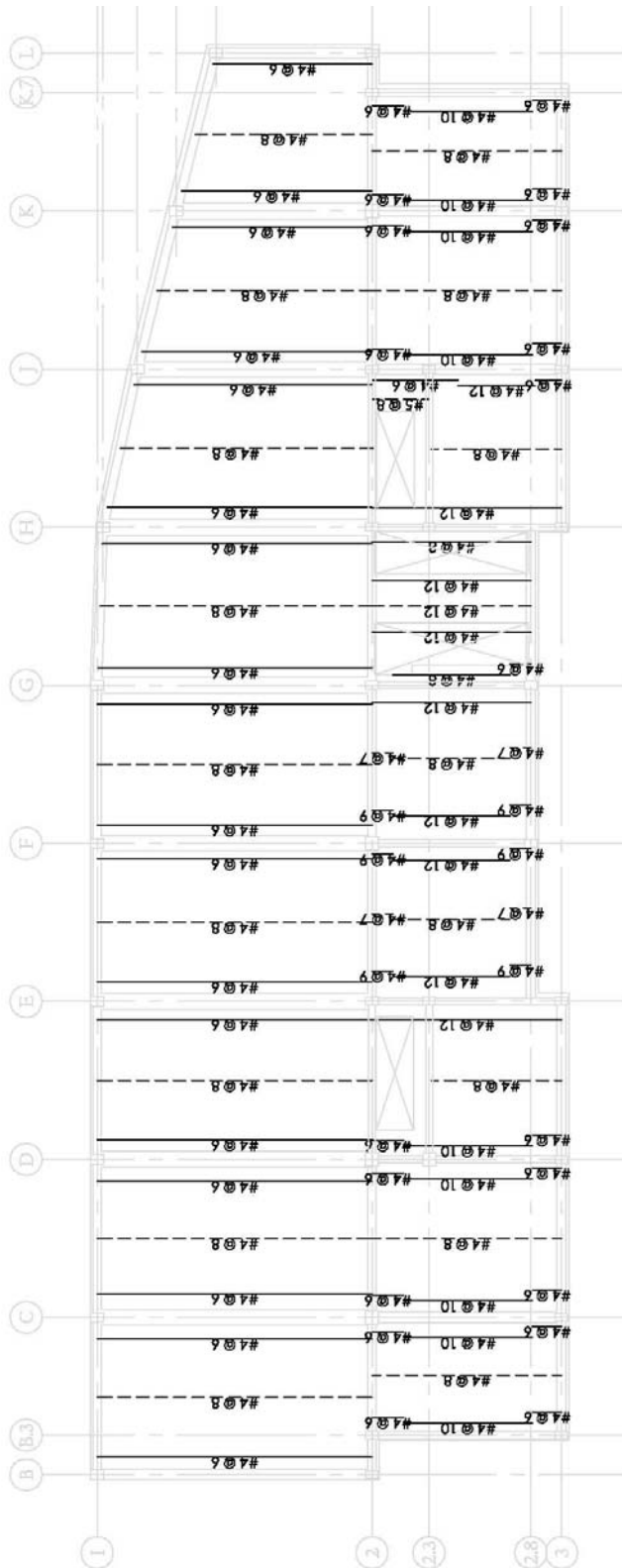


TYPICAL FRAMING PLAN

1. INDICATES 8" THK. POST-TENSIONED CONCRETE SLAB. SEE SLAB TENDON PLAN.
2. REFER TO BEAM SCHEDULE FOR BEAM SIZES AND REINFORCEMENT.

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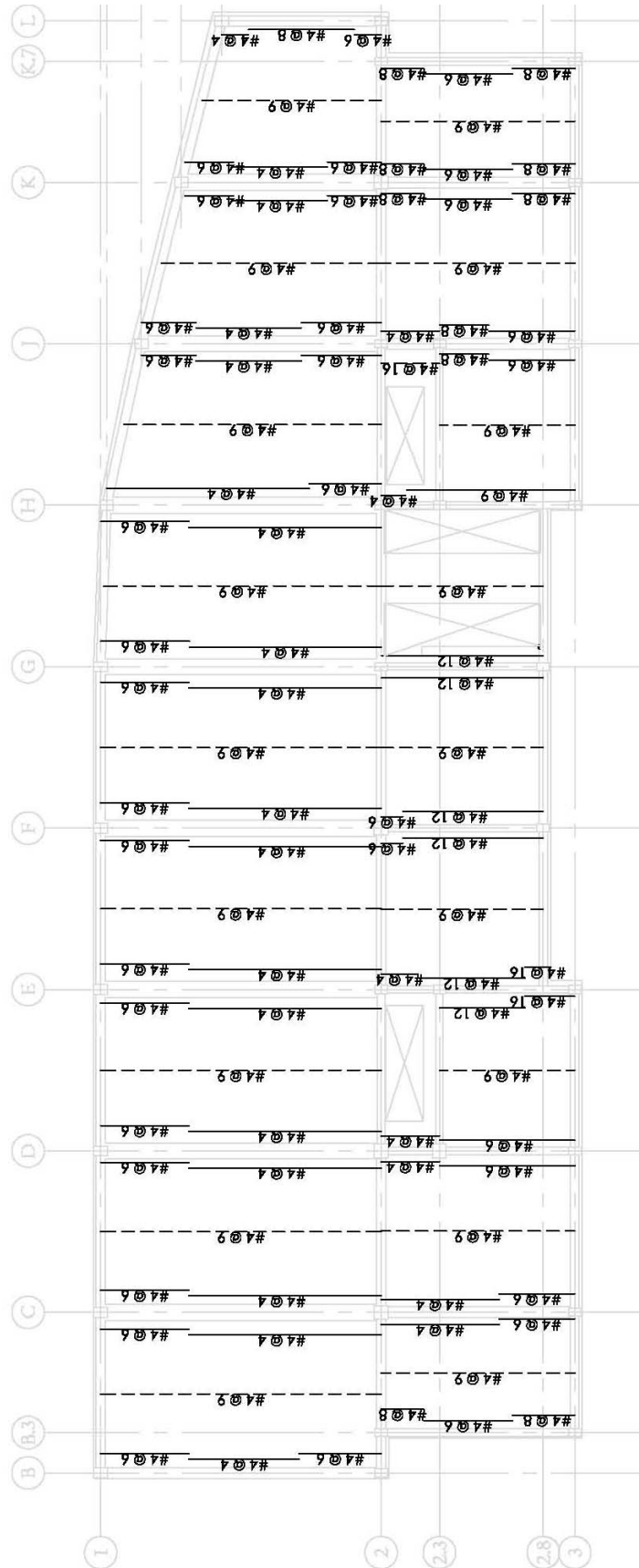
C.5 Post-tensioned Concrete-Reinforcement



LONGITUDE TOP REINFORCING PLAN

- 1. ——— INDICATES COLUMN STRIP REINFORCING.
- 2. - - - - - INDICATES MIDDLE STRIP REINFORCING.

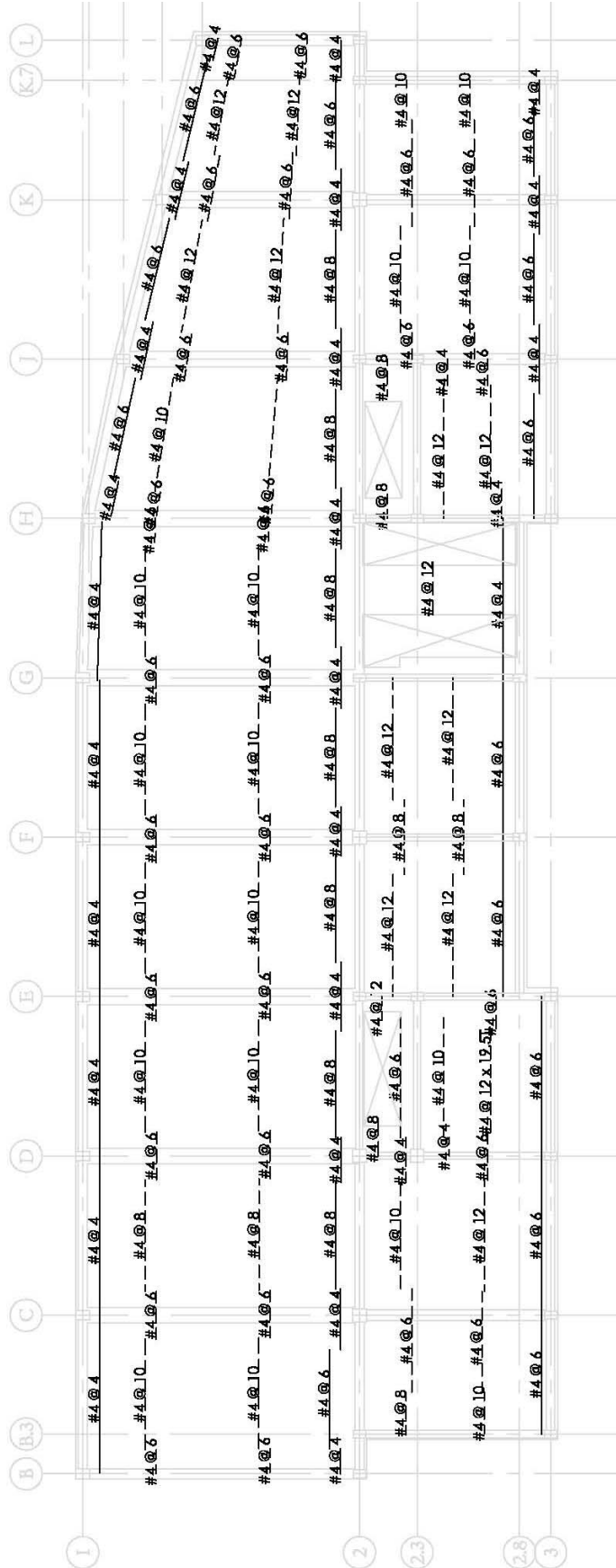
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LONGITUDE BOTTOM REINFORCING PLAN

- 1. ——— INDICATES COLUMN STRIP REINFORCING.
- 2. - - - - INDICATES MIDDLE STRIP REINFORCING.

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LATITUDE TOP REINFORCING PLAN

1. ——— INDICATES COLUMN STRIP REINFORCING.
2. - - - - INDICATES MIDDLE STRIP REINFORCING.

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APPENDIX D: BREADTH STUDIES

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D.I Mechanical Studies

ASHRAE Standard 62-Ventilation for Indoor Air Quality

Office	A _z (ft ²)	R _p	P _z	R _a	A _z (ft ²)	V _{bz} (cfm)	V _{oz} (cfm)	V _{pz} (cfm)	Z _p (cfm)	V _{ou} (cfm)	# diffusers	cfm/duct
1	2911	5	30	0.06	2911	325	325	3782	0.0859	325	6	630
2	3738	5	38	0.06	3738	415	415	4857	0.0855	415	9	540
3	3513	5	36	0.06	3513	391	391	4564	0.0857	391	6	761
4	2137	5	22	0.06	2137	239	239	2776	0.0861	239	4	694
5	2600	5	26	0.06	2600	286	286	3378	0.0847	286	5	676
6	2592	5	26	0.06	2592	286	286	3368	0.0849	286	5	674
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D.2 Construction Studies

D.2.1 Material Takeoffs

Post-tensioned Concrete					
Beams and Slabs: Takeoffs from RAM Concept		Beam Formwork			
<i>Volume</i>	687 CY	<i>Type</i>	<i>#</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>Contact Area</i>
<i>Perimeter</i>	719'	<i>B-1</i>	1.5	228 SF	341 SFCA
<i>Floor Area</i>	24000 SF	<i>B-2</i>	7.5	298 SF	2231 SFCA
<i>Slab thickness</i>	8 in	<i>B-3</i>	2	150 SF	300 SFCA
<i>Prestressing</i>	26350 lb	<i>B-4</i>	4	168 SF	672 SFCA
<i>Reinforcing</i>	46.18 tons	<i>B-5</i>	25	140 SF	3500 SFCA
<i>Slab Formwork</i>	21910 sf			Total	7045 SFCA
<i>Slab Edge Forms</i>	479 SFCA	Shearwalls			
Columns		<i>#</i>	<i>length</i>	<i>height</i>	<i>Area</i>
<i>Volume/column</i>	2 CY	6	30'	14'	2430 SF
<i># columns/floor</i>	36	2	36'	14'	972 SF
Volume/floor	72			Total	3402 SF

Composite Steel			
Structural Steel: Takeoffs from RAM Beam			
<i>Steel</i>	107 tons	<i>Slab Thickness</i>	4 in
<i># shear studs</i>	27352	<i>Frames</i>	50 tons
Fireproofing			
<i>Beam</i>	<i>#</i>	<i>A</i>	<i>Totals</i>
W24x55	28	295	8260
W24x55	20	202	4040
W24x76	27	185	4995
<i>Column</i>			
W14x120	36	97.4	3506.4

Caissons						
		Amount	Material	Labor	Equipment	Cost
A1020-310	4'-0" dia. x 100'	20 Ea	4358	70459		\$1,496,329
	5'-0" dia. x 100'	6 Ea	8064	144990		\$918,324
	6'-0" dia. x 100'	10 Ea	11730	172277		\$1,840,069
					TOTAL	\$4,254,722
Concrete Filled, Drilled Piers						
A1020-130	End Bearing Steel Piles					Cost
2380	4 pile cluster	5	5625	3325		\$44,750
2460	6 pile cluster	8	8425	5025		\$107,600
2480	7 pile cluster	7	9825	5850		\$109,725
2500	8 pile cluster	5	12600	7525		\$100,625
2560	12 pile cluster	9	15400	9200		\$221,400
03310-240	Pile caps, incl. forms and reinf.	612	108	49	0.31	\$96,309
					TOTAL	\$680,409

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D.2.2 Estimates

Estimate of Post-tensioned Concrete Design for One Typical Floor						
Slabs System		Amount	Material	Labor	Equipment	Cost
03110-405	Beam formwork	7044 SFCA	0.91	4.05		\$63,466
03110-420	slab edge forms	479 SFCA	0.48	4.6		\$2,432
	slab formwork	21910 sf	1.3	2.86		\$216,471
03210-600	Slab Reinforcing	46.18 tons	800	380		\$72,041
032230-600	UngROUTed Post-tensioned strand	26350 lb	0.47	0.87	0.02	\$58,761
03300-220	6000 psi Concrete	687 CY	109			\$74,883
03310-700	Placing	687 CY	11.5	4.7		\$11,129
	Total					\$499,183
Columns						
03310-240	24"x24" average reinforcing including 4 use forms, concrete, placement, reinforcing	72 CY	370	400	41	\$58,392
	Total					\$58,392
Shearwalls						
B2010-101	12" thick, plain finish, 4000 psi wall including 4 use forms, reinforcing, concrete, placement	3402 sf	6.6	15.35	21.95	\$97,127
	Total					\$97,127
					Total	\$654,702
					Cost/sf	\$28

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Estimate of Composite Steel Design for One Typical Floor						
Slabs System		Amount	Material	Labor	Equipment	Total Cost
05310-300	20 ga. 3-1/4" Metal Deck	23403 SF	1.88	0.34	0.02	\$60,380
03210-200	6x6 W1.4xW1.4	234 CSF	19.35	17.35		\$12,649
03300-220	6000 psi concrete	253 CY	81			\$20,478
03310-700	Placing concrete	253 CY		13.1	5.35	\$4,664
05120-260	Curb Edging	718 LF	14	4.95	0.33	\$17,397
	Total					\$98,171
Structural Steel						
05120-680	Offices over 15-stories	107 TON	1900	345	109	\$251,878
05090-840	3/4" dia Shear Studs	27352	0.49	0.67	0.28	\$57,713
	Total					\$309,591
Frames						
05120-680	Columns, Beams, and Braces	50 TON	1900	345	109	\$117,700
Fireproofing						
07800-600	Decking	22000 SF	0.62	0.54	0.09	\$51,260
	Beams	17295 SF	0.41	0.45	0.07	\$31,650
	Columns	3506 SF	0.47	0.62	0.1	\$8,521
	Total					\$91,430
					TOTAL	\$616,892
					Cost/sf	\$26

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