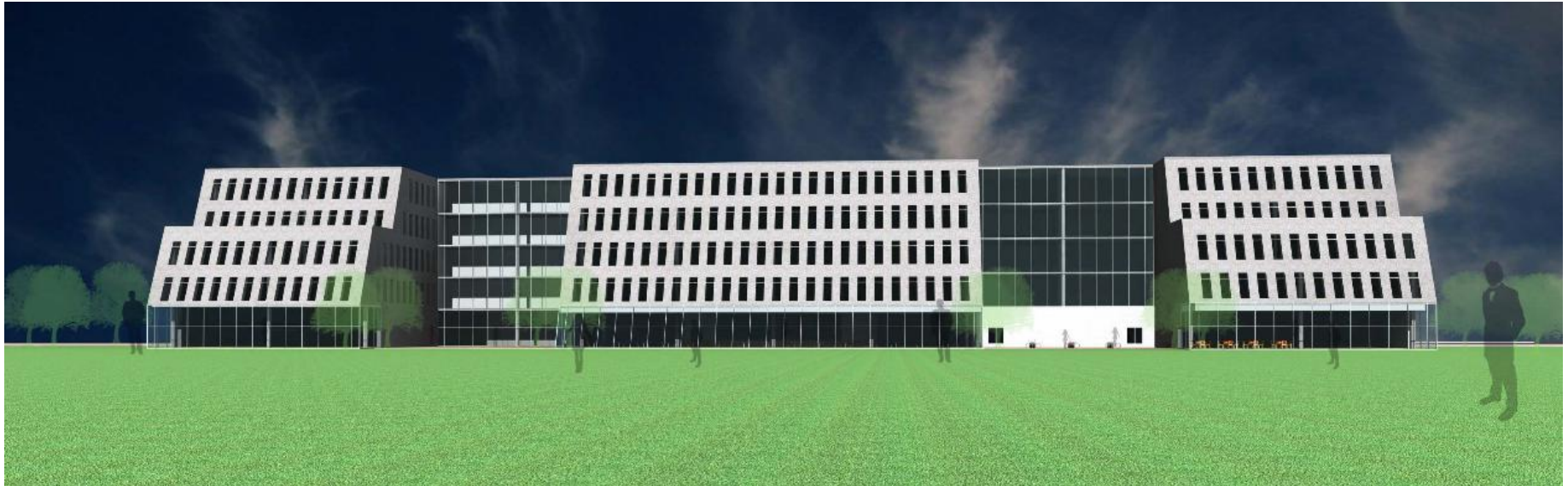


# IPRO 335 Green Building Design Concepts and Integration



# Problem Statement

Why is there a need for a green building?

How can green building design be achieved in a cold climate city like Chicago?

How can the occupants benefit from a well designed building?

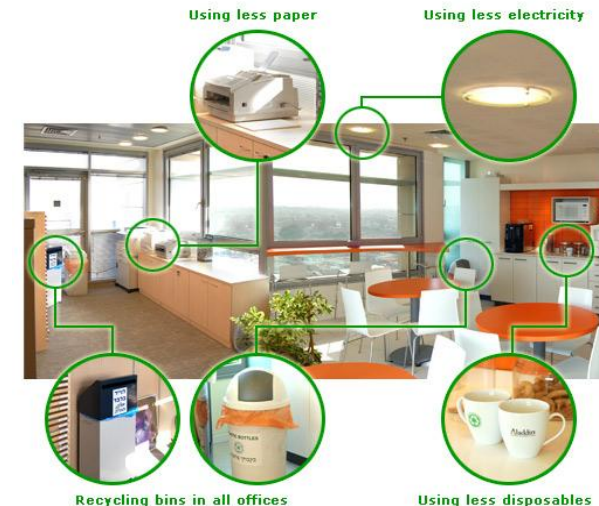


# What it means to Build Green

Reduce resource consumption of buildings

Reduce environmental impact

Create better living and working spaces



# Agenda

- Integrate alternative sources of energy
- Design a better working space
- Reduce overall energy consumption
- Make building financially attractive through savings.
- Achieve LEED Platinum certification

# Team Values

- Clear communication between disciplines
- Team cooperation
- Create an efficient and innovative design
- Gain experience in “Green” design concepts

# Organization

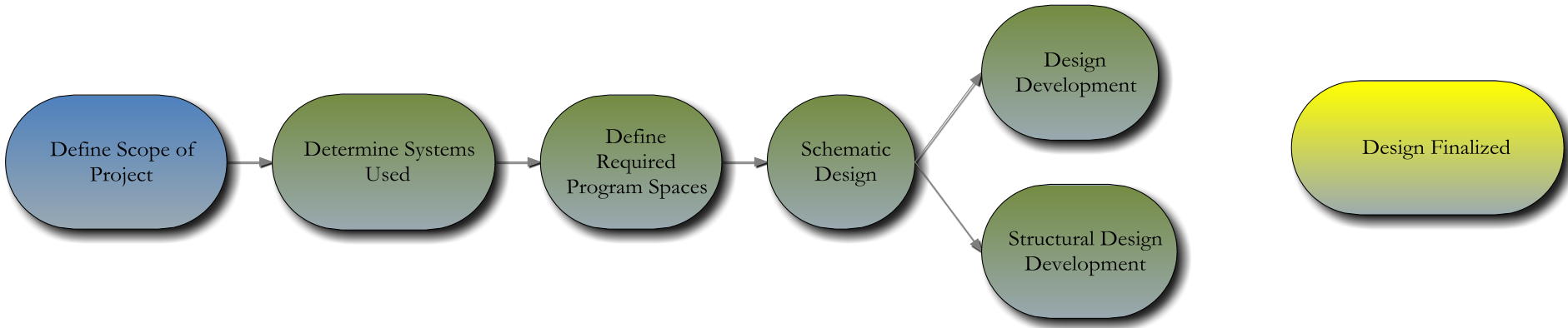


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Justine Banda	Ali Razeq
Kibum Kim	Joshua Bergerson
Hye Um	
Jeffrey Burke	
Robert Christo	

# Architectural Design



# The Design Process



Concept- Design that is Based on the Needs of the Green Systems to be implemented

Site Selection- Vacant Lot At North and Grand

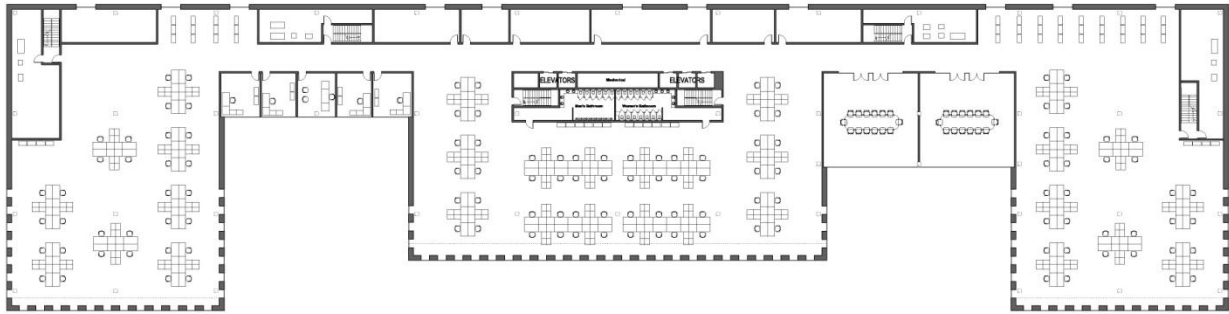
Structure Type- Precast Concrete System

Program- Office Space 2<sup>nd</sup>- 5<sup>th</sup> and Retail on 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
Open Floor Plan For Flexibility

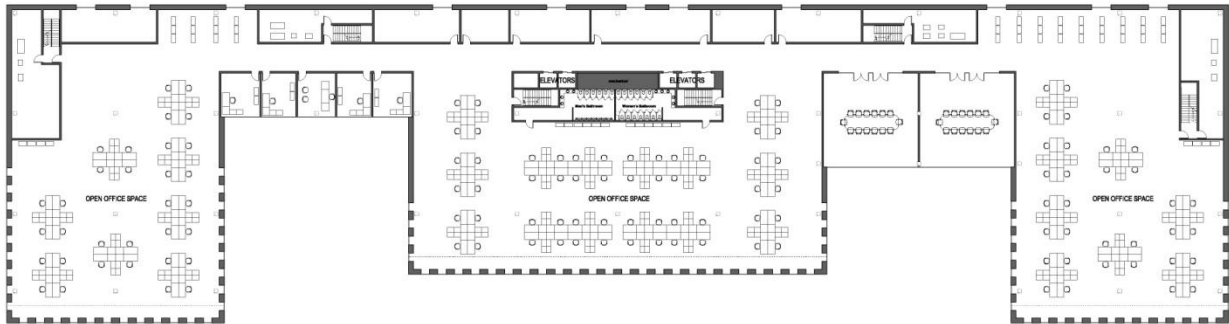




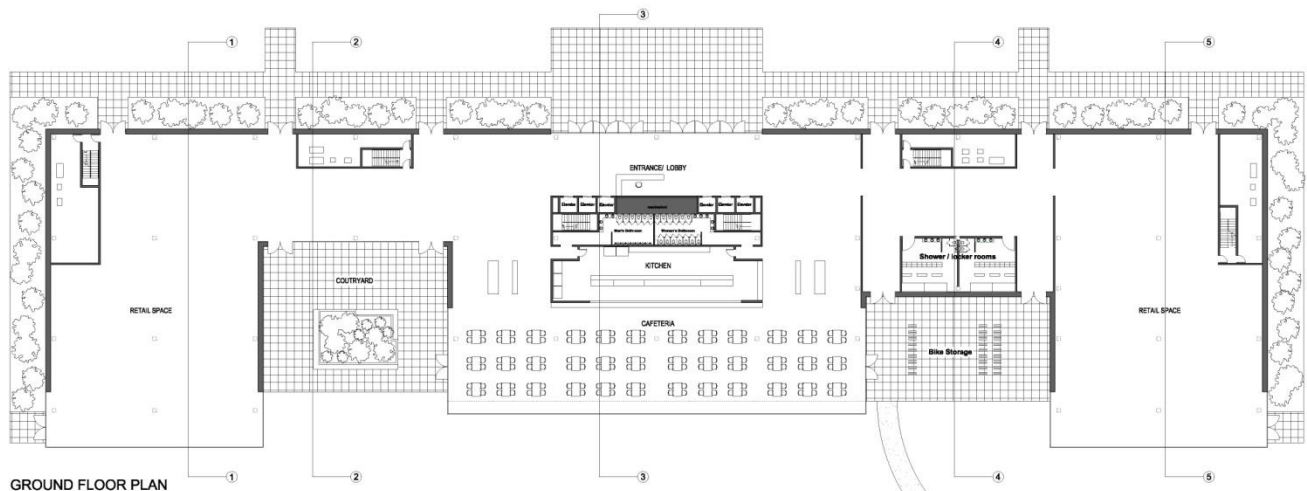




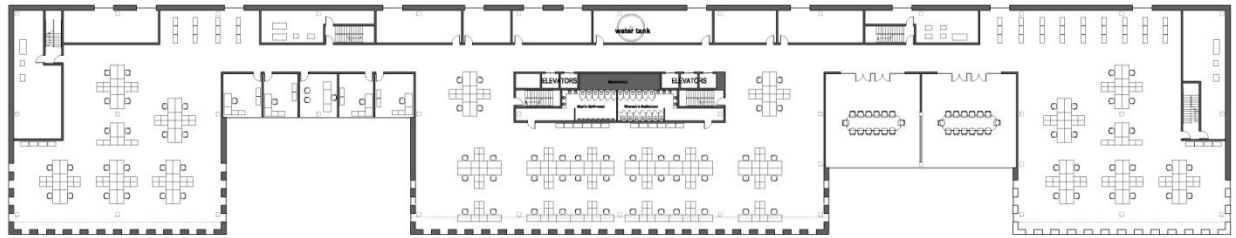
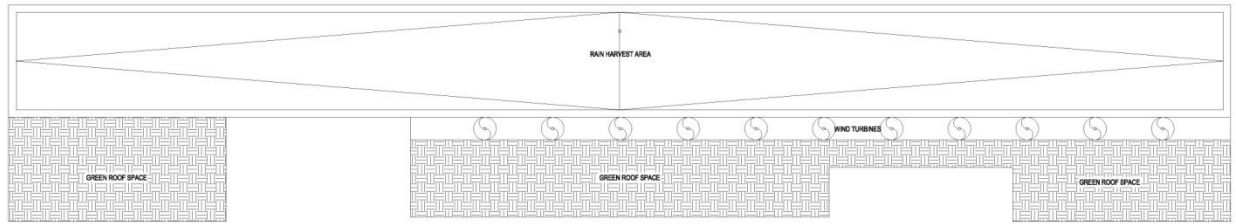
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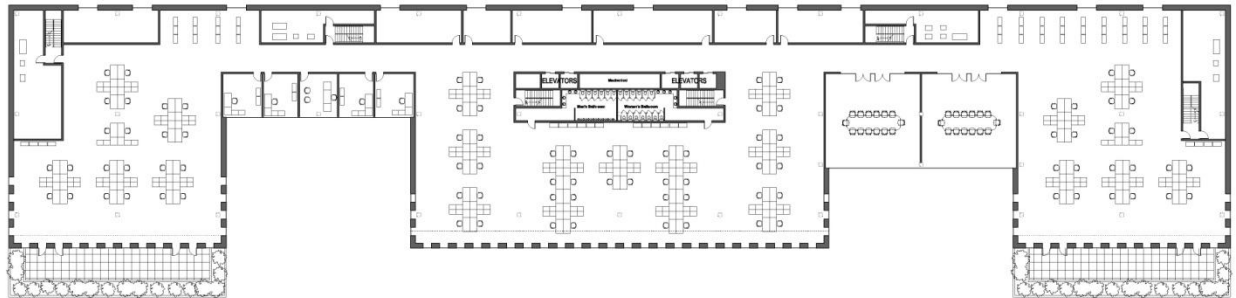
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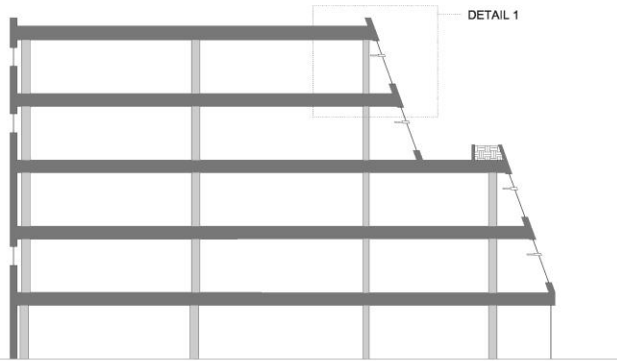
GROUND FLOOR PLAN



**FIFTH FLOOR PLAN**



**FOURTH FLOOR PLAN**



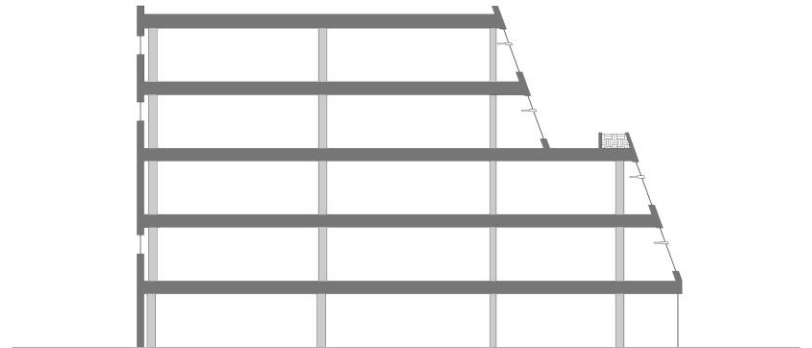
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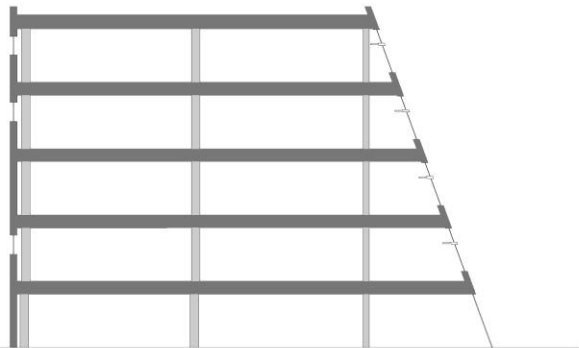
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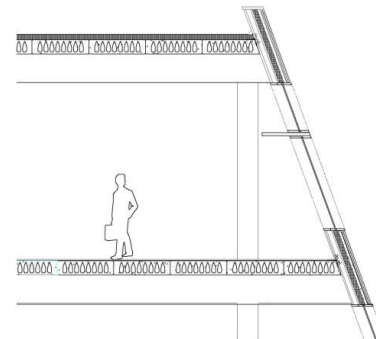
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CROSS SECTION 1



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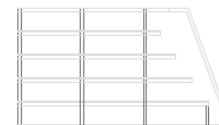
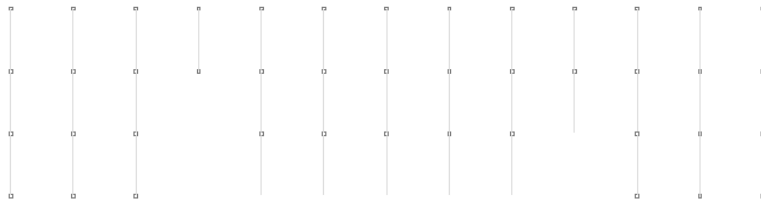


WALL SECTION DETAIL

# Structural Design

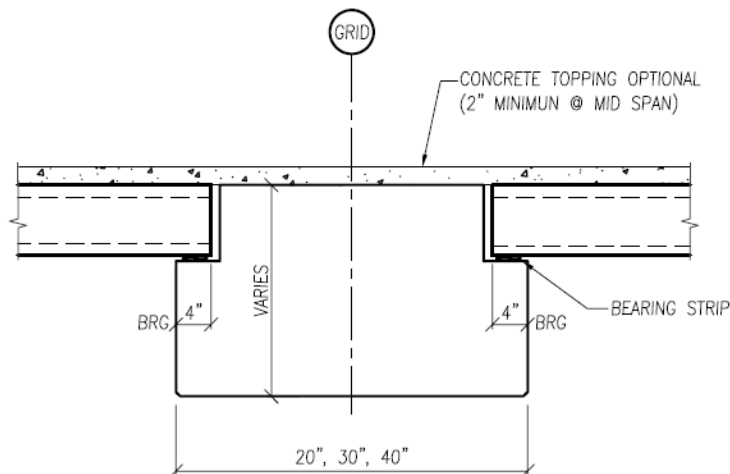
# Structural Overview

- All members precast by Spancrete
- Frame: 40' bays w/ Beams in N/S Direction
- 1-Way Floor System



# Structural Members

- Columns: 2' x 2' Reinforced
- Beams: Inverted Double Tees
- Floor Slabs: 12" Hollowcore
- Load-Bearing Walls on E/W edges





# Why Precast???

Shorter Construction Time

Easier Construction

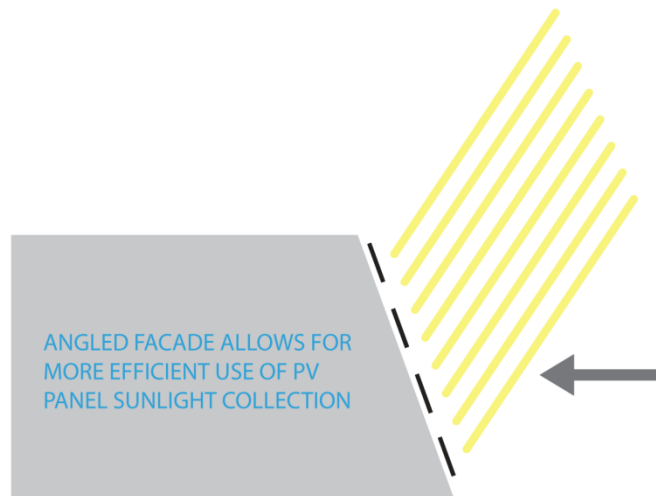
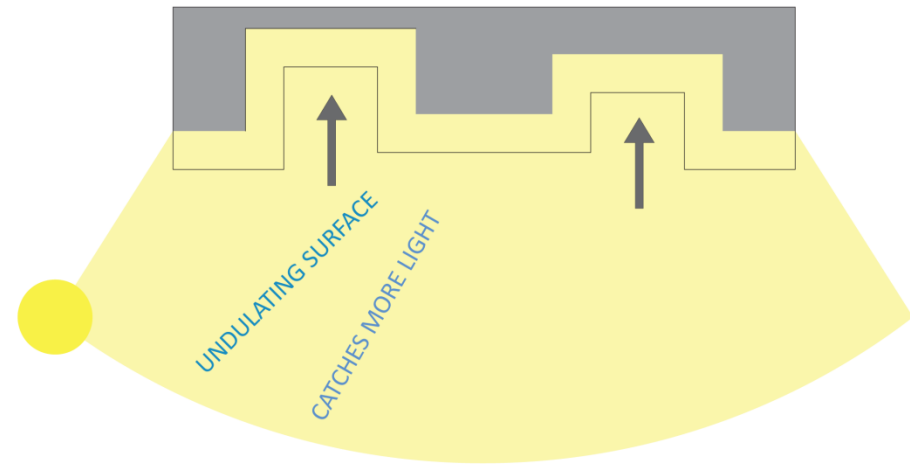
Simplified, Flexible Design

More Efficient Use of Materials

Total Cost of Structure: \$5,091,000

Day Lighting  
&  
Photovoltaic Panel Design

# Passive Day Lighting and Photovoltaic Panel Design



The passive solar strategies implemented in the building include an exterior envelope which maximizes the area of sunlight received, and an angled south façade which positions the photovoltaic panels which cover it at a more efficient angle to capture sunlight.

# Natural Daylighting

LEED day lighting factor criteria:

Minimum daylight factor is 2% for 75% of normally occupied spaces.

To determine required area of aperture for windows

(ex. West open office section on third floor):

$A = (DF \text{ target})(\text{Floor Area}) / \text{Aperture}$

Effectiveness factor

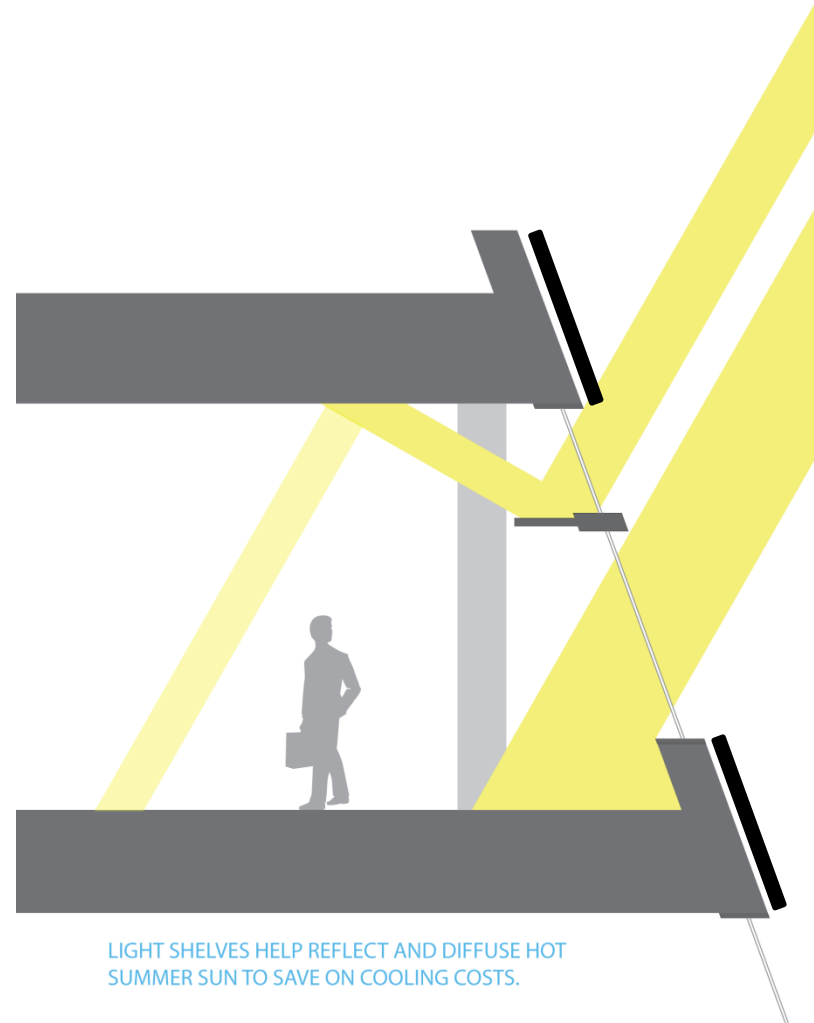
$A = (.025)(7707 \text{ sq. ft}) / .2$

$A = 966.4 \text{ sq. ft.}$

Our windows are 40" wide by 10'-10" tall. There are 31 in this area of the building.

$3.33' \times 10.83' \times 31 = \mathbf{1117.9 \text{ sq. ft} > 966.4 \text{ sq. ft.}}$

**Natural light exceeds the requirements by the LEED day lighting guidelines.**



# Photovoltaic Panels

## SolarWorld SW 230, 230 Watt Monocrystalline Solar Panel

20,265 SF of Solar panel area on the south facade

230 Wp per panel at STC

Each panel is 18 SF

$20,265 / 18 = 1125$  panels

4.5 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>/day from PV solar radiation graph

Insolation Percent: 18.75%

$\text{kWh/panel} = (230\text{Wp} \times .1875 \times 87600\text{h}) / 1000 = 377.78 \text{ kWh/panel}$

$1125 \text{ panels} \times 377.78 \text{ kWh/panel} = 425,000 \text{ kWh}$

\$793 per panel

\$892,125 total

**Provides 18% of the entire building's energy.**



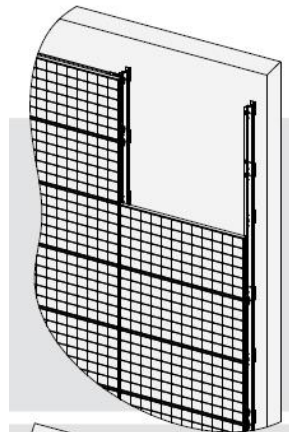
**Sunmodule**  
SW 220/230 mono

Performance under standard test conditions

		SW 220	SW 230
Maximum power	$P_{max}$	220 Wp	230 Wp
Open circuit voltage	$V_{oc}$	36.6 V	36.9 V
Maximum power point voltage	$V_{mp}$	29.3 V	29.6 V
Short circuit current	$I_{sc}$	8.18 A	8.42 A
Maximum power point current	$I_{mp}$	7.51 A	7.76 A

Performance at 800 W/m<sup>2</sup>, NOCT, AM 1.5

		SW 220	SW 230
Maximum power	$P_{max}$	157 Wp	164 Wp
Open circuit voltage	$V_{oc}$	33.1 V	33.4 V
Maximum power point voltage	$V_{mp}$	26.3 V	26.6 V
Short circuit current	$I_{sc}$	6.76 A	6.96 A
Maximum power point current	$I_{mp}$	5.98 A	6.18 A

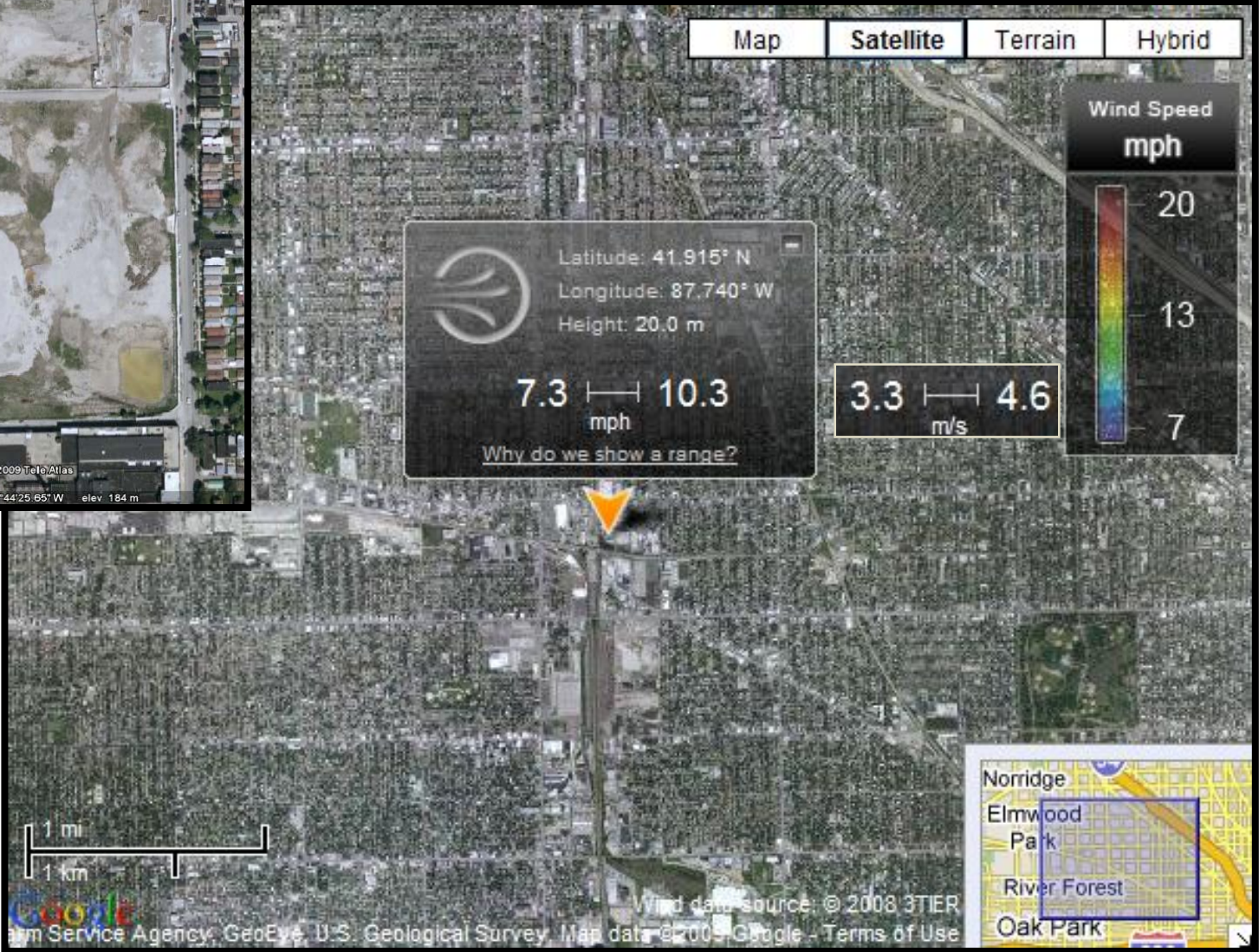


Used as a rain screen cladding on South facade.

# Wind Turbine Design



# Average Wind Speed



Data from: <http://firstlook.3tier.com/>



# Annual Wind Energy Production

- Assuming 34000 sq ft of 1<sup>st</sup> floor retail space
- Based on 12900 BTU/sq ft=3.78 kWh/sq ft for energy efficient lighting.
- Energy demand for lighting 1st floor retail space=128520 kWh/year
- Goal is to provide **1/3** of energy demand for lighting retail space.
- This amount would also be approximately 1% of the total energy use (LEED points).
- Required production to meet goal = **42840 kWh**

# Turbine Used

- Urban Green Energy 4Kw  
2<sup>nd</sup> Gen
  - Cost: \$21920 ea
  - Average Annual Energy Production:  
4000kWh/turbine
  - Specs: 9' x 11',  
770 lbs
  - Need: 11
  - Break even point: 18  
years.
  - 44,000 kWh annually



# Geothermal System

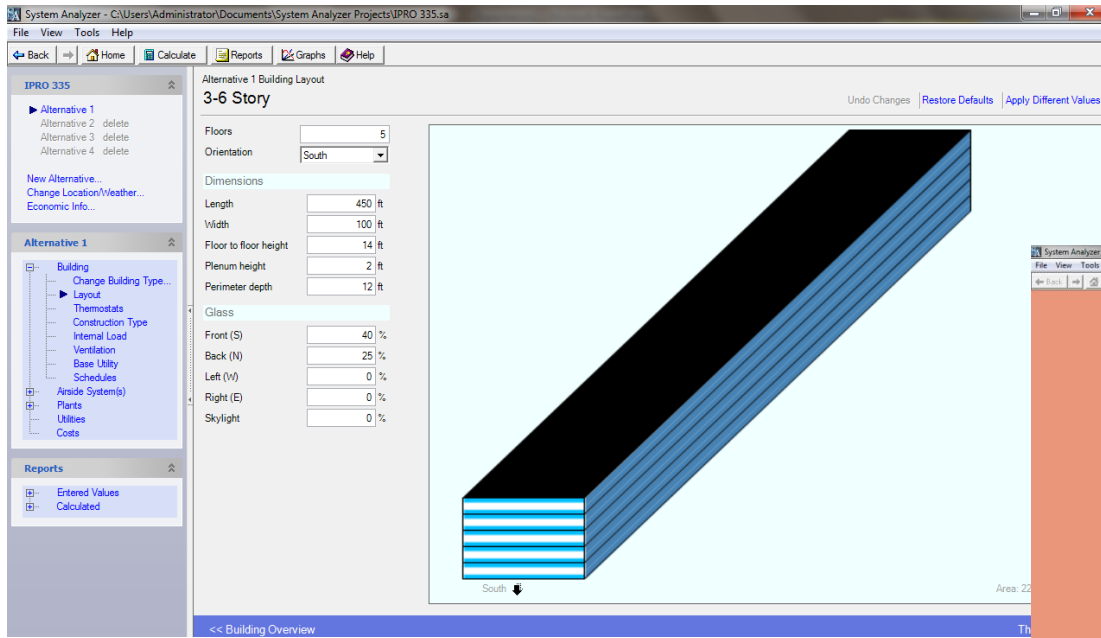
# Background Information

## ❑ Location: Chicago

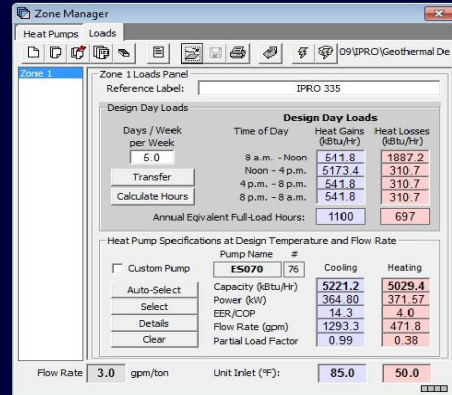
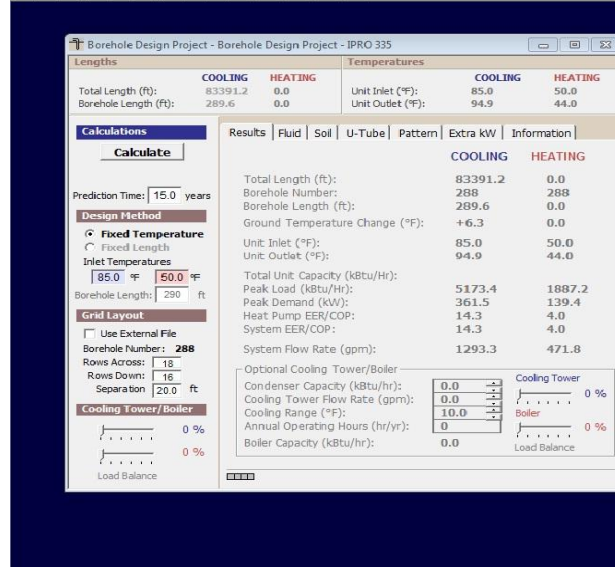
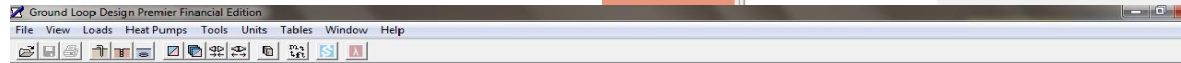
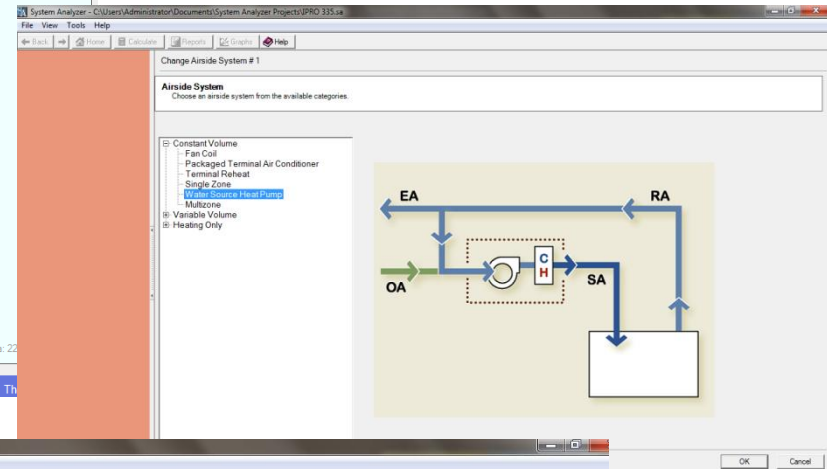
- Average High Temperature: 83.7°F in July\*
- Average Low Temperature: 12.9°F in January\*
- Annual Heating Degree Days: 6536\*
- Annual Cooling Degree days: 752\*
- Average Ground Temperature: 51.1°F (Average Depth of 250-300 ft.)

## ❑ System

- Vertical Closed Loop
- Decentralized
- Liquid to Air
  - Duct system with multiple heat pumps throughout



# Trane System Analyzer



# Ground Loop Design 2009

# Heating – Cooling Loads Gains & Losses

Time of Day	Heat Gains [kbtu/hr]	Heat Losses [kbtu/hr]
8 A.M. – Noon	541.8	1887.2
Noon – 4 P.M.	5173.4	310.7
4 P.M. – 8 P.M	541.8	310.7
8 P.M. – 8 A.M.	541.8	310.7

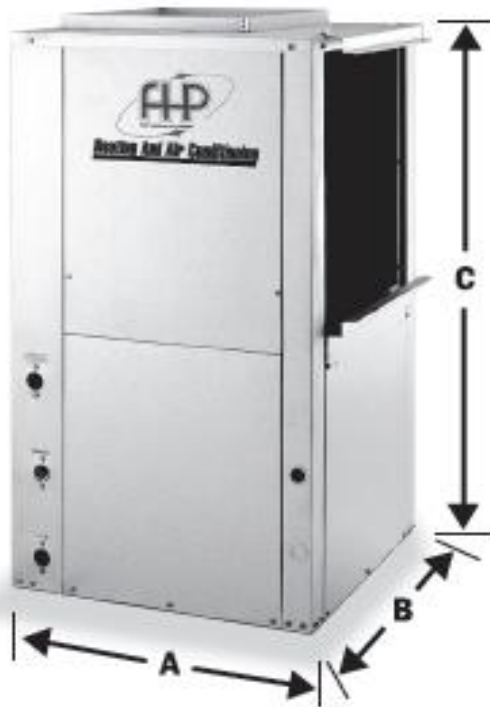
- ❑ Days Occupied Per Week: 5
- ❑ Annual Equivalent Full Load Hours
  - Heating: 697
  - Cooling: 1100

# Heat Pump

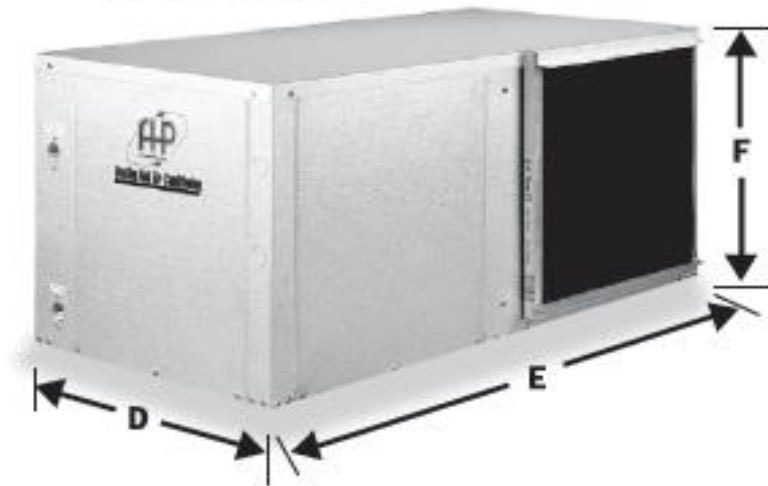
- ❑ Pump Manufacturer: Florida Heat Pump
- ❑ Pump Series: ES Series R-410 A
- ❑ Pump Type: Water to Air
- ❑ Pump Name: ES 070
- ❑ Capacity:
  - Cooling: 5221.2 kBtu/hr
  - Heating: 5029.4 kBtu/hr
- ❑ Power:
  - Cooling: 364.80 kW
  - Heating: 371.57 kW
- ❑ Number of Units: 76
  - Horizontal, Vertical, Ceiling Mounted



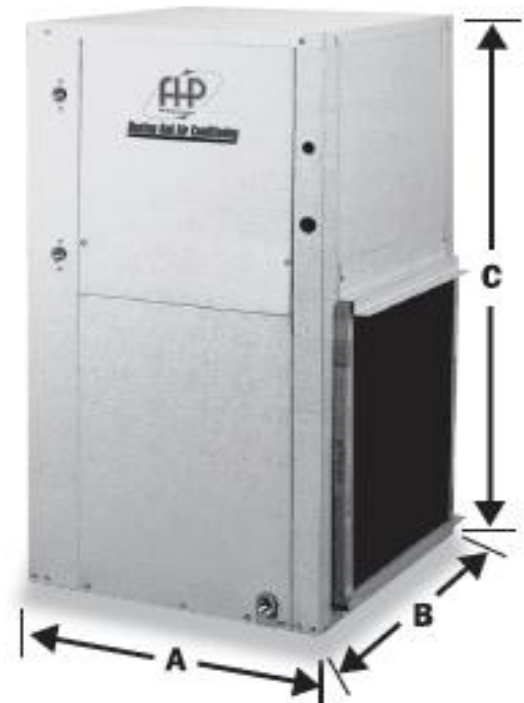
**VERTICAL**



**HORIZONTAL**



**COUNTERFLOW**



**DIMENSIONS**

MODEL	VERTICAL/C. FLOW			HORIZONTAL		
	WIDTH	DEPTH	HEIGHT	WIDTH	LENGTH	HEIGHT
	A	B	C	D	E	F
ES018	21.50	21.50	40.25	25.50	43.00	21.75
ES024	21.50	21.50	40.25	25.50	43.00	21.75
ES030	21.50	26.00	47.25	26.00	54.50	21.75
ES036	21.50	26.00	47.25	26.00	54.50	21.75
ES042	24.00	32.75	47.25	30.00	68.00	21.75
ES048	24.00	32.75	47.25	30.00	68.00	21.75
ES060	26.00	33.25	51.25	30.00	68.00	21.75
ES070	26.00	33.25	58.25	30.00	78.00	21.75

All ratings & specifications are subject to change without notice.

# Ground Loops

- Cooling Mode Dominant
  - Total Length: 83,391.2 Feet
  - Borehole Number: 288
    - 289.6 Feet per Borehole
    - 18 X 16 Grid Arrangement
    - 20 Foot Separation
    - 1.25 Inch Polyethylene Piping
    - Parallel Circuits with one borehole per circuit
  - Approximately 430 Ton Capacity (1516 kW)

# Long Term Financial Analysis

*NPV Lifecycle Costs (\$) - 15 years*

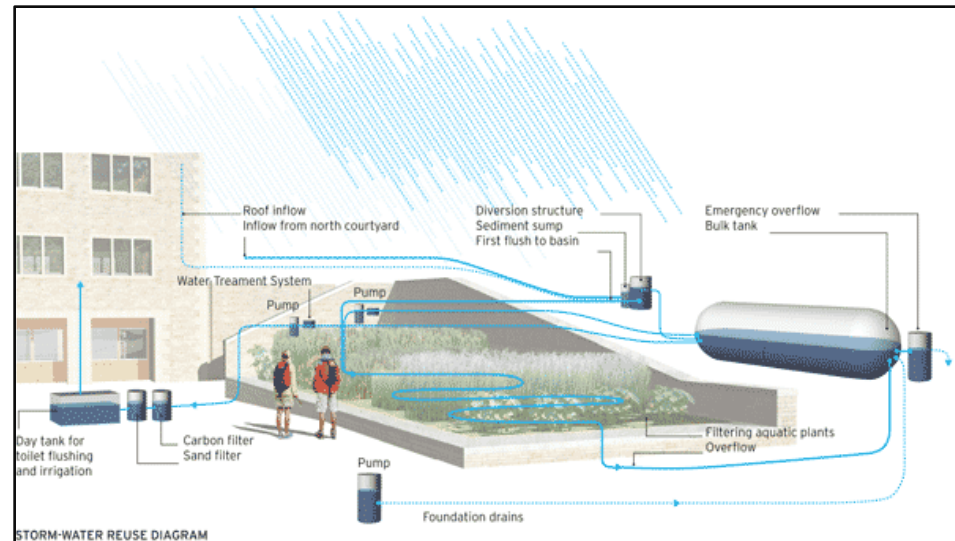
	<b>Geothermal</b>	<b>Air-cooled Chiller / Boiler</b>	<b>Savings</b>
<b>Total Power:</b>	630,454.70	967,354.56	336,899.86
<b>CO2 Emissions:</b>	74,111.17	89,038.31	14,927.14
<b>CO2 (tons):</b>	<u>4,453.1</u>	<u>5,350.0</u>	<u>896.9</u>
<b>Water:</b>	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Water (Gallons):</b>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>0.0</u>
<b>Maintenance:</b>	269,677.08	2,022,578.07	1,752,900.99
<b>Mechanical Room Lease:</b>	12,734.75	8,989.24	-3,745.51
<b>Installation:</b>	1,373,500.00	1,221,000.00	(152,500.00)
<b>Tax Incentives:</b>	(137,350.00)	0.00	137,350.00
<b>Salvage:</b>	(6,496.59)	(20,789.10)	(14,292.51)
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>2,216,631.11</b>	<b>4,288,171.07</b>	<b>2,071,539.96</b>

Simple Payback is approximately 1 year.

# Rainwater Harvesting System

# Rainwater Harvesting System

**-Rainwater harvesting** in urban areas and cities can have diverse benefits. Providing supplemental water for the city's requirements, increasing soil moisture levels for urban greenery, increasing the ground water table through artificial recharge, mitigating urban flooding and improving the quality of groundwater are a few of the many benefits. Our idea is to reuse the collected rainwater for flushing toilets throughout the building. By adopting the rainwater harvesting system our building saves **430800 gallons of rainwater every year** which is saving **11.82% of flushing water**.



# Rainwater Harvesting System

## -Size Calculations

	Light duty ferrocement
<b>Tank volume</b>	3000.00 gallons
<b>Height</b>	6.00 feet
<b>Wall thickness (av)</b>	1.00 inches
<b>Roof thickness</b>	1.00 inches
<b>Floor thickness</b>	3.00 inches
<b>Roof rise/tank diameter</b>	0.10 ratio
<b>Floor beyond walls</b>	1.00 inches
<b>Density of material</b>	100.00 lbs/ft3
<b>Hoop spacing</b>	6.00 inches
<b>Major reinforcing diameter</b>	0.13 inches
Diameter	9.23 feet
<b>Diameter/ height</b>	<b>1.54 ratio</b>
Volume	401.02 Cubic feet
Volume under roof	31.24 Cubic feet
Volume under roof	233.72 Gallons
<b>Total volume</b>	<b>432.26 Cubic feet</b>
Radius	4.61 Feet
Roof rise	0.92
Circumference	28.98 Feet
Roof area	66.84 Square feet
Wall area	173.87 Square feet
Total stucco area	240.70 Square feet
Floor area	69.27 Square feet
<b>Total area</b>	<b>309.98</b>

## -Cost Calculations

	Material	Unit cost	3000 gal	
	3/8" rebar (20' pieces)	\$3.11	30	\$93.30
	1/2" rebar (20' pieces)	\$4.98		\$0.00
	Lath (27"x8' pieces)	\$5.36	27	\$144.72
	6x6x10x10 Welded Wire Mesh (7'x200' rolls)	\$138.00	1	\$138.00
	1/2" Hardware cloth (4'x100' rolls)	\$39.94	1	\$39.94
	Tie wire (big looped bundles)	\$2.60	2	\$5.20
	Cement (94 lb bags)	\$5.65	18	\$101.70
	Plaster sand (yd3)	\$29.50	4	\$118.00
	Water (gal)	\$0.01	500	\$5.00
	Thoroseal/Bonsal Sure Coat (50 lb bags)	\$19.20	7	\$134.40
	Color (lbs)	\$2.88	5	\$14.40
	Hog rings (25 lb boxes)37	\$38.40		\$0.00
	Hog ring staples (boxes of 10,000)	\$10.00	1	\$10.00
	Dobies	\$0.50	30	\$15.00
	Poles	\$16.50	6	\$99.00
	Concrete (yd3)	\$91.50	2	\$183.00
	<b>Approx. cost (\$)</b>			<b>1,102</b>

# Rainwater Harvesting System

## - Energy Performance

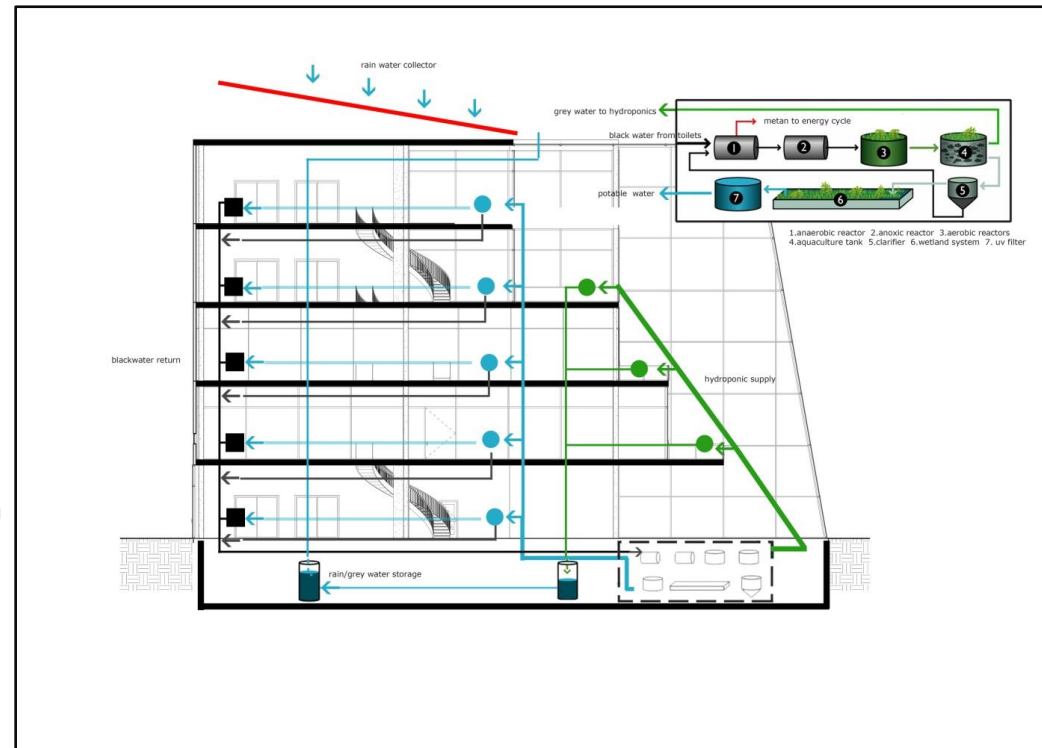
- Total building area: **221000 sf**
- Roof area: **37000 sf**
- Rain water harvesting area: **18700 sf**

Chicago average precipitation: **38.01 in/year**  
: (3.2 in/month)

Rainwater calculator  $A = (\text{catchment area of building})$   
 $R = (\text{inches of rain})$   
 $G = (\text{total amount of collected rainwater})$   
 $(A) \times (R) \times (600 \text{ gallons}) / 1000 = (G)$

Total amount of collected rainwater: **35900 gal/month**  
Saving 430800 gallons of rainwater every year

Total occupation of the building: **2750 people**  
Average person uses **4.2 gal for flushing a day**  
Total use of flushing water: **10150/day**  
Saving 11.82% of flushing water

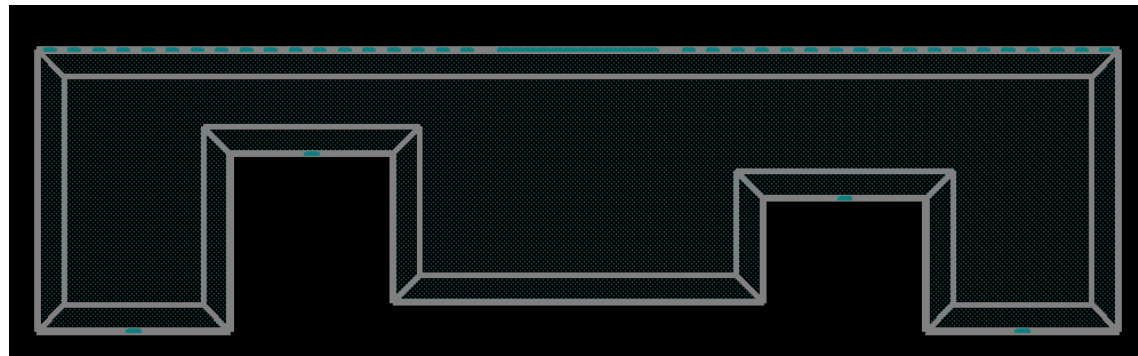


*Applied system diagram*

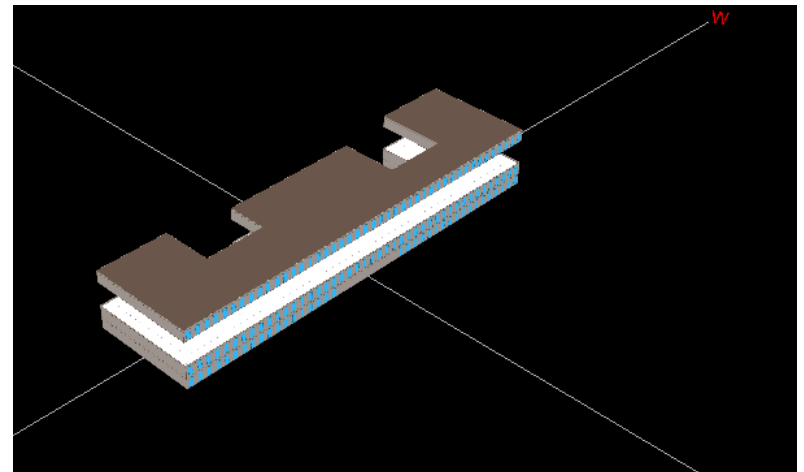
# Energy Model



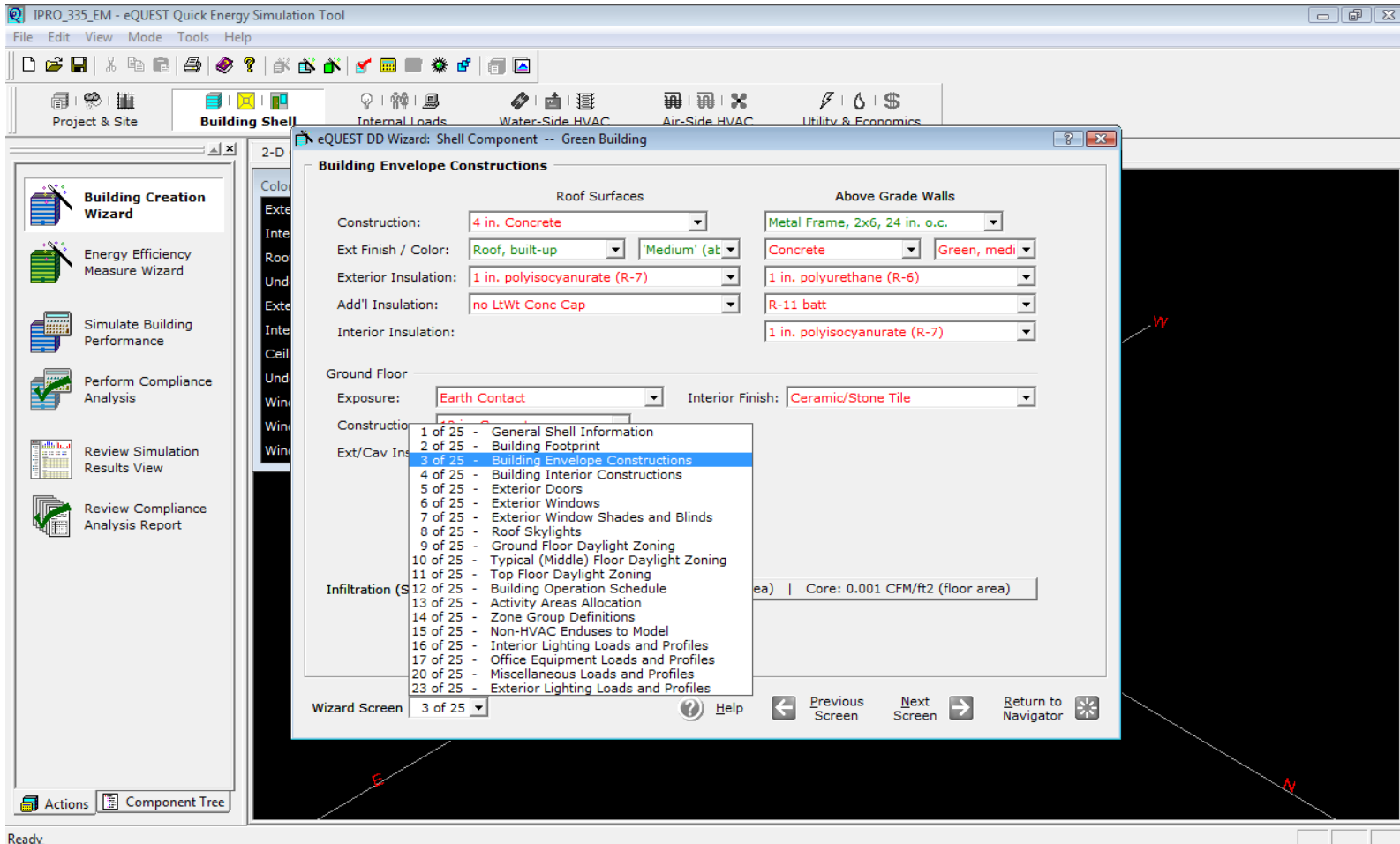
- eQuest v.3.63 used
- Imported footprint for more accurate model



- Useful visualization tool
- Comparison charts



# eQuest



- ComCheck used to ensure ASHRAE 90.1 baseline standards were met in order to gain LEED points.

IPRO.cck - COMcheck 3.6.1 Code: 90.1 (2007) Standard

File Edit View Options Code Help

**Project** Envelope Interior Lighting Exterior Lighting Mechanical

Location  
 State: Illinois  
 City: Chicago Heights

Project Type  
 New Construction  Addition  Alterations  
 Semiheated Building (all areas are semiheated with no cooling)

Project Details (optional)  
 Edit Project Details... This information will appear on the compliance certificate.

Title/Site/Permit  
 Green Building Design  
 Grand Ave & Kostner Ave  
 Chicago, IL 60616

Owner/Agent  
 IPRO  
 Illinois Institute of Technology

Designer/Contractor  
 Aris Avanesian

Notes

Building Use  
 Whole Building  Area Category (Space-By-Space)

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2	Retail:Sales Area	49100	1.7

Total Area 224200

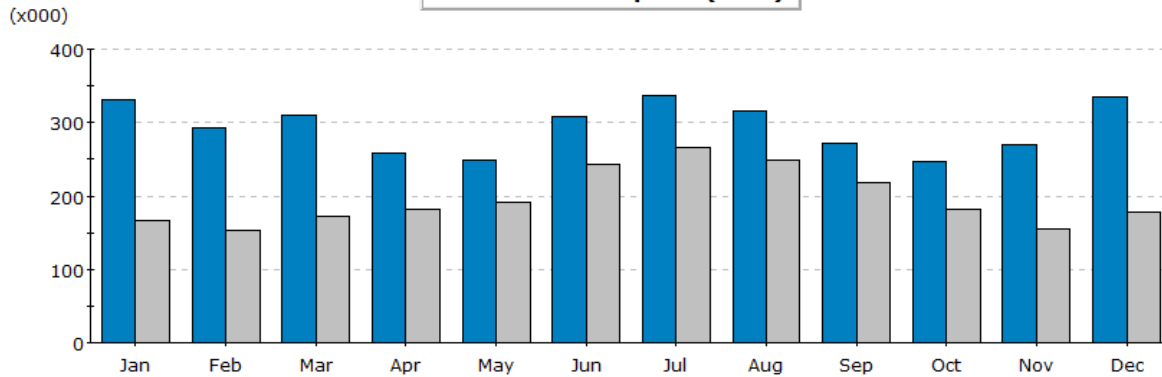
Exterior Lighting Areas  
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	Exterior Lighting Area	Quantity	Units	W/Unit	Tradable
1	Click to select area type.				

Envelope +1% Interior Lighting +99% Exterior Lighting TBD

Use the 'View' menu to display mandatory requirements.

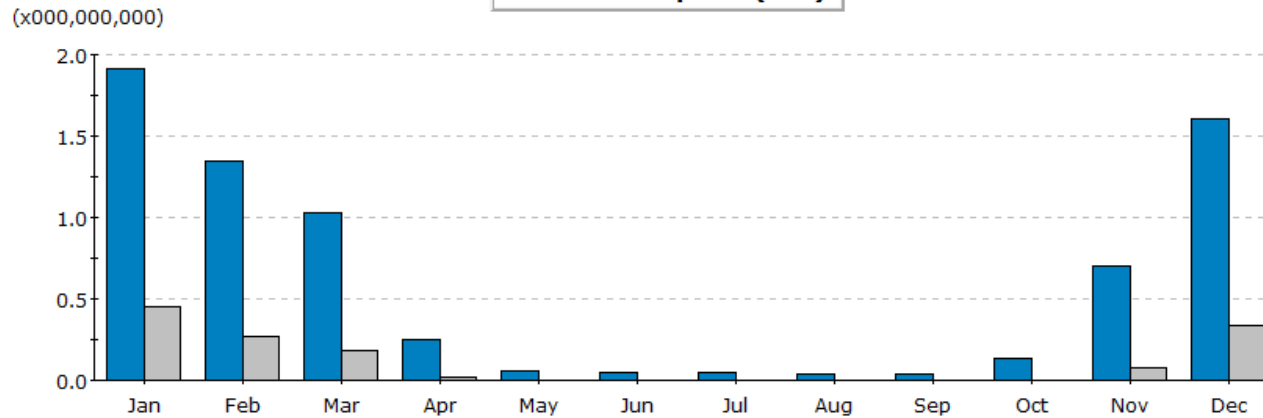
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Run 2.	165.9	152.4	172.3	181.0	191.8	242.9	266.5	249.5	218.4	182.7	154.8	177.7	2,355.8
Run 3.													
Run 4.													
Run 5.													

- 1. IPRO\_335\_Standard - Standard (11/23/09 @ 19:02)
- 2. IPRO\_335\_EM - Energy Efficient (11/23/09 @ 18:24)

### Gas Consumption (Btu)



	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Run 1.	1.92	1.34	1.03	0.25	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.13	0.70	1.60	7.20
Run 2.	0.46	0.27	0.19	0.02	-	-	-	-	-	0.00	0.08	0.34	1.35

# Total Annual Energy consumption

Annual Energy USE (kWh)		Ambient Lights	Task Lights	Misc Equip	Space Heating	Space Cooling	Heat Reject	Pumps & Aux	Vent Fans	Total
0	Base Design	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1	0+Standard	1,064,919	39,645	1,193,629	0	561,606	47,928	401,289	216,727	3,525,743

Annual Energy USE (kWh)		Ambient Lights	Task Lights	Misc Equip	Space Heating	Space Cooling	Heat Reject	Pumps & Aux	Vent Fans	Total
0	Base Design	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1	0+Energy Efficient	827,970	16,996	925,324	45,820	369,712	39,307	85,626	45,089	2,355,839

**33%** Energy saved not including energy produced from PV panels and Wind Turbines

# LEED Certification

Yes	?	No		
21			SUSTAINABLE SITES	26 Points
6			WATER EFFICIENCY	10 Points
32			ENERGY & ATMOSPHERE	35 Points
5			MATERIALS & RESOURCES	14 Points
15			INDOOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	15 Points
1			INNOVATION IN DESIGN	6 Points
			REGIONAL PRIORITY	4 Points

82			<b>PROJECT TOTALS (Certification Estimates)</b>	<b>110 Points</b>
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Certified: 40-49 points Silver: 50-59 points Gold: 60-79 points Platinum: 80+ points

- Achieved LEED Platinum through smart design and energy reductions



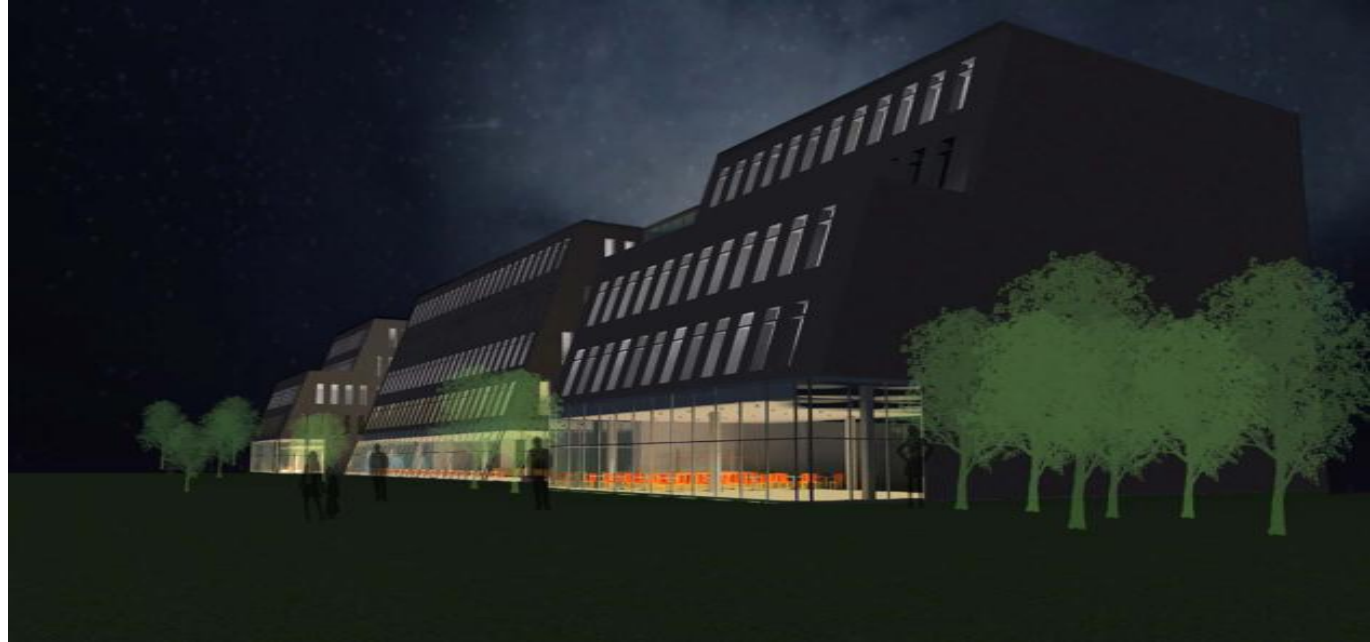
# Conclusion

- 424,997 kWh produced from PV
- 44,000 kWh produced from Wind Turbines
- Minimal natural gas consumption due to heat pumps
- Saving 11.82% of flushing water
- Construction utilizes local resources
- Increases day lighting while maintaining a well insulated envelope

Total power used reduced from 3,525,743 to 1,886,842 kWh annually

Total energy saved becomes 47%!





Questions?

