

The Spirit of a Biophilic Shopping Mall

Biophilic Design in Post-war Shopping Mall while enhancing the value and the spirit of place



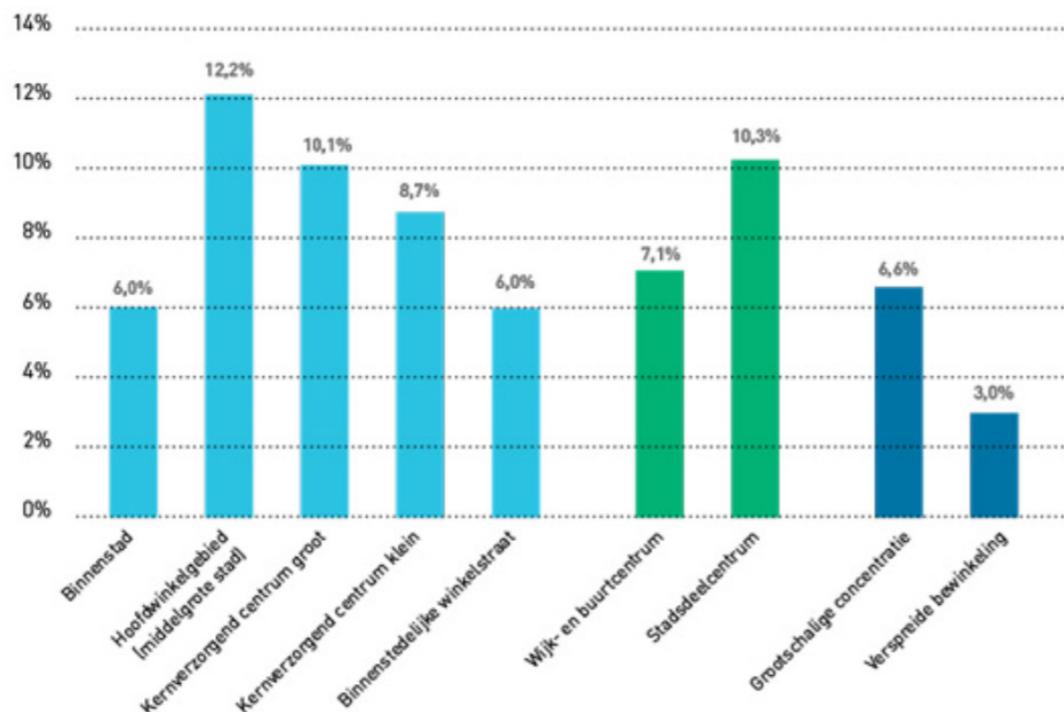
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Vacancy Shopping malls

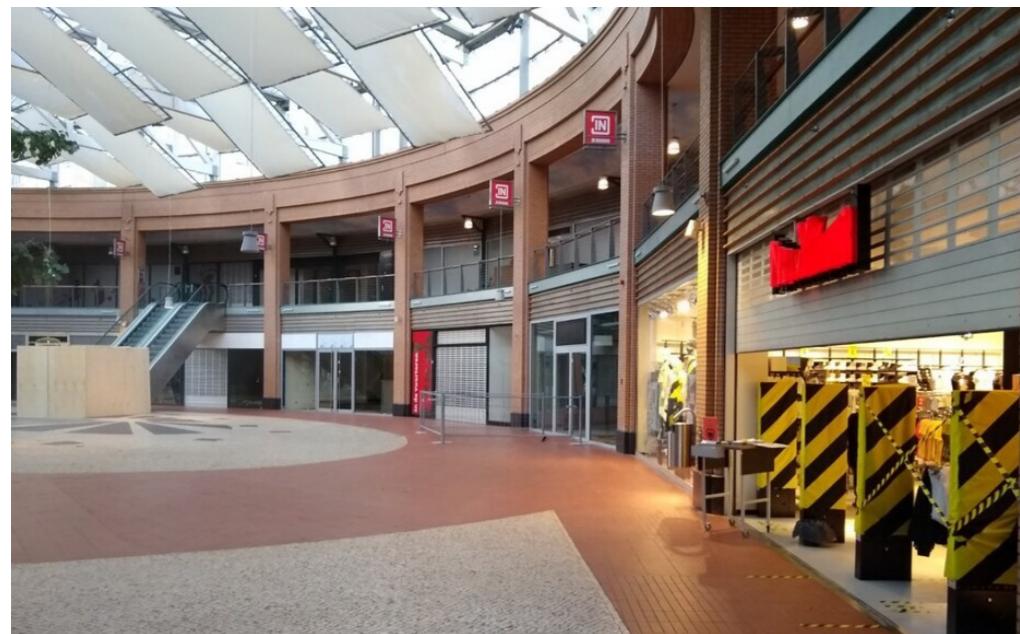


- Vergelijkend winkelen/
funshopping
- Dagelijkse boodschappen
- Doelgericht winkelen



Medium sized cities and residential shopping malls highest vacancy

Retail expert Fred Rutgers(2022): 'City centers will turn into deprived areas if vacancy rates continue to increase'



Bogaard, Rijswijk
(rtlnieuws, 2021)



Schalkwijk, Haarlem
(noordhollanddagblad, 2021)



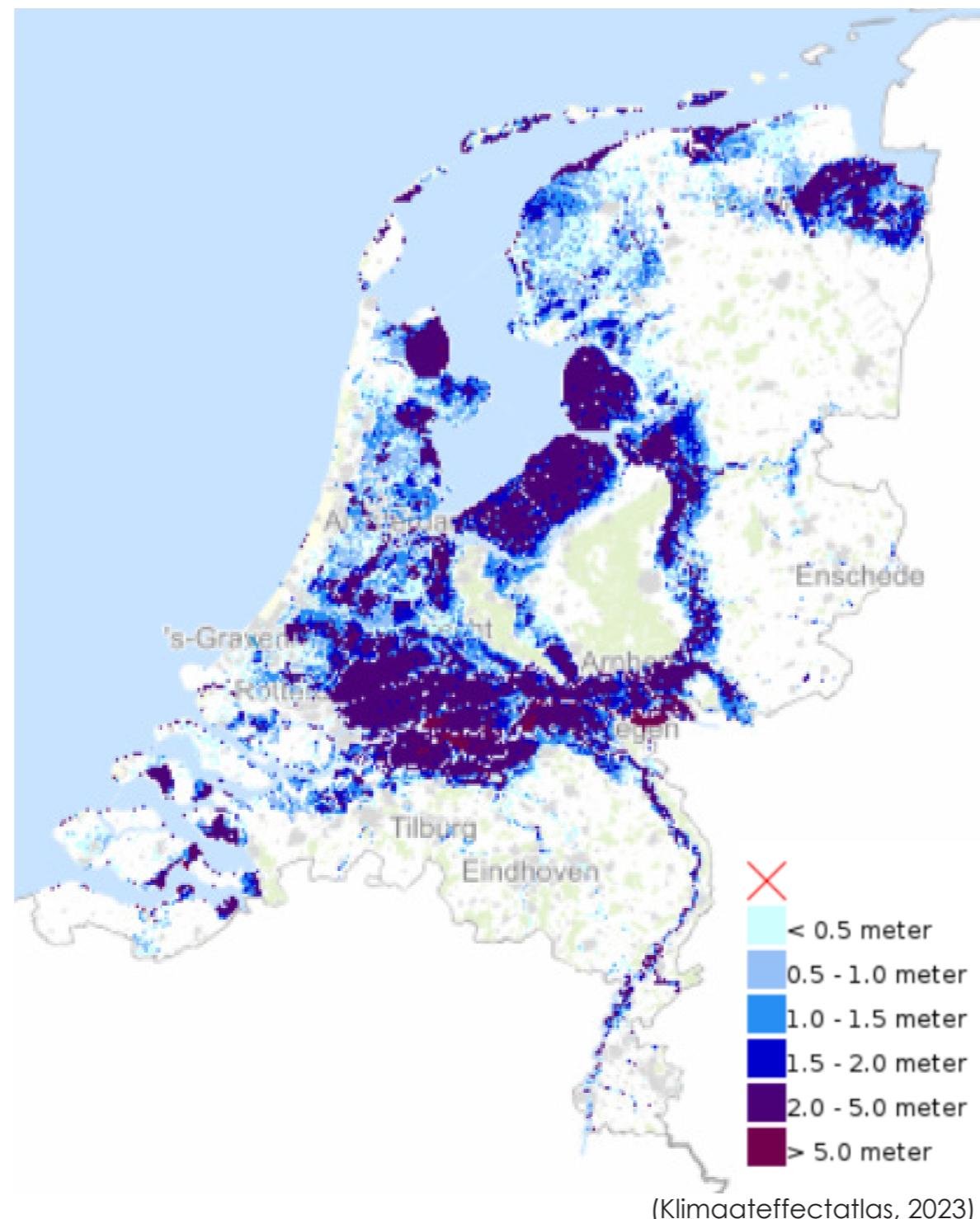
Leyweg, Den Haag
(Bolleboom, 2022)

Climate Change

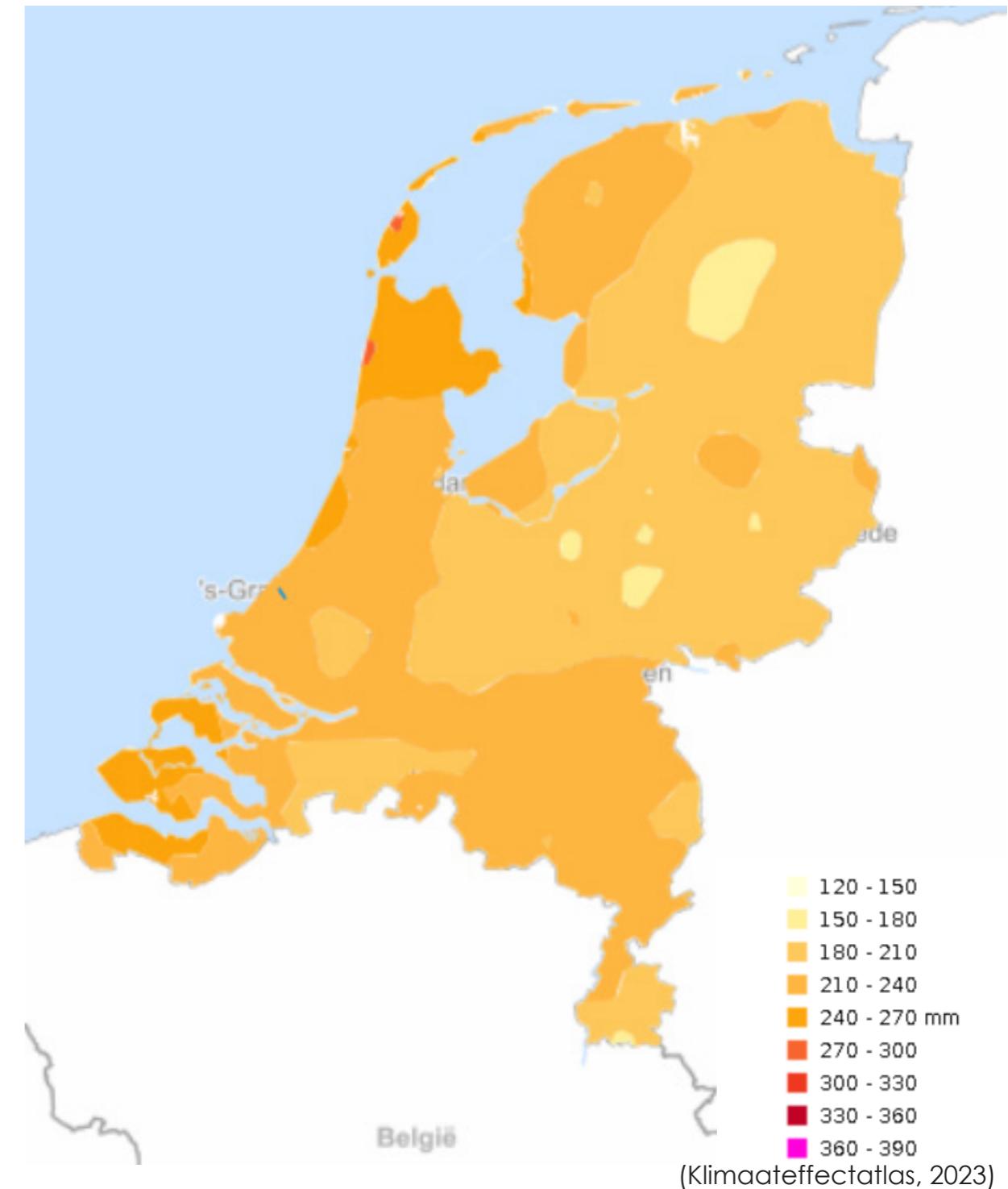
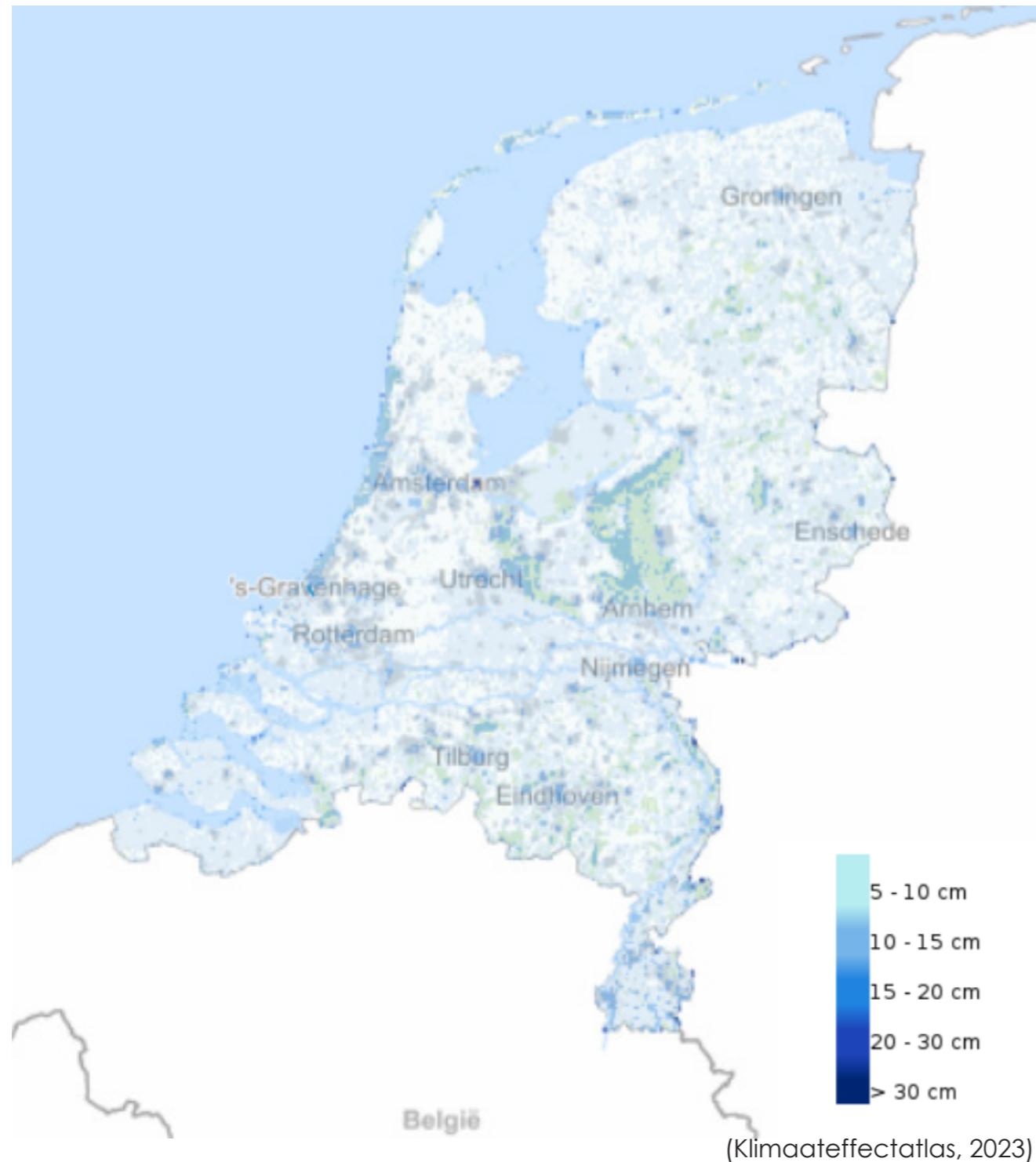


(ConcaveAgri, 2019)

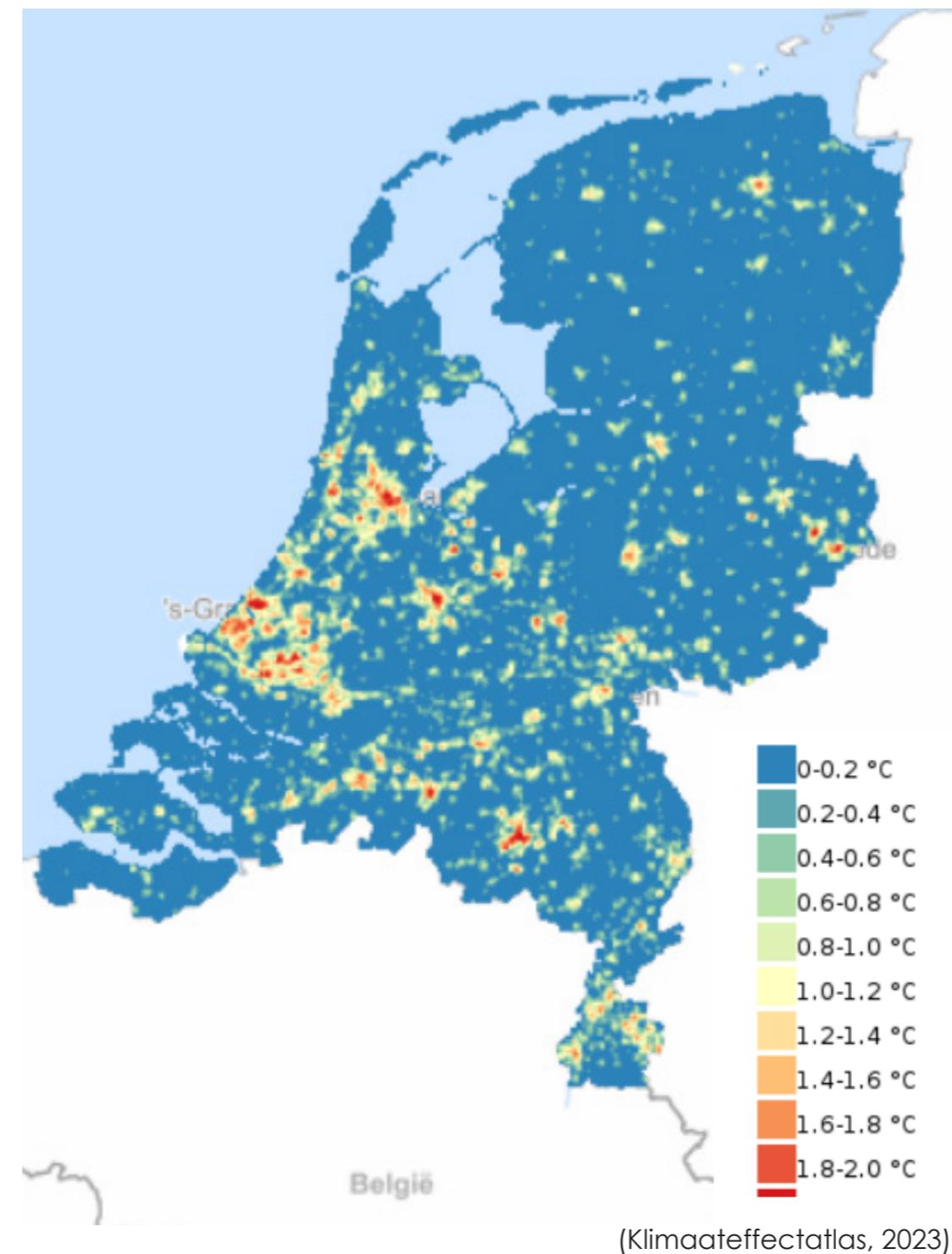
Flood areas 2050



Water in street during extreme rainfall vs Milimeter water shortage 2050



Heat island effect 2050



(Klimaatatlas, 2023)

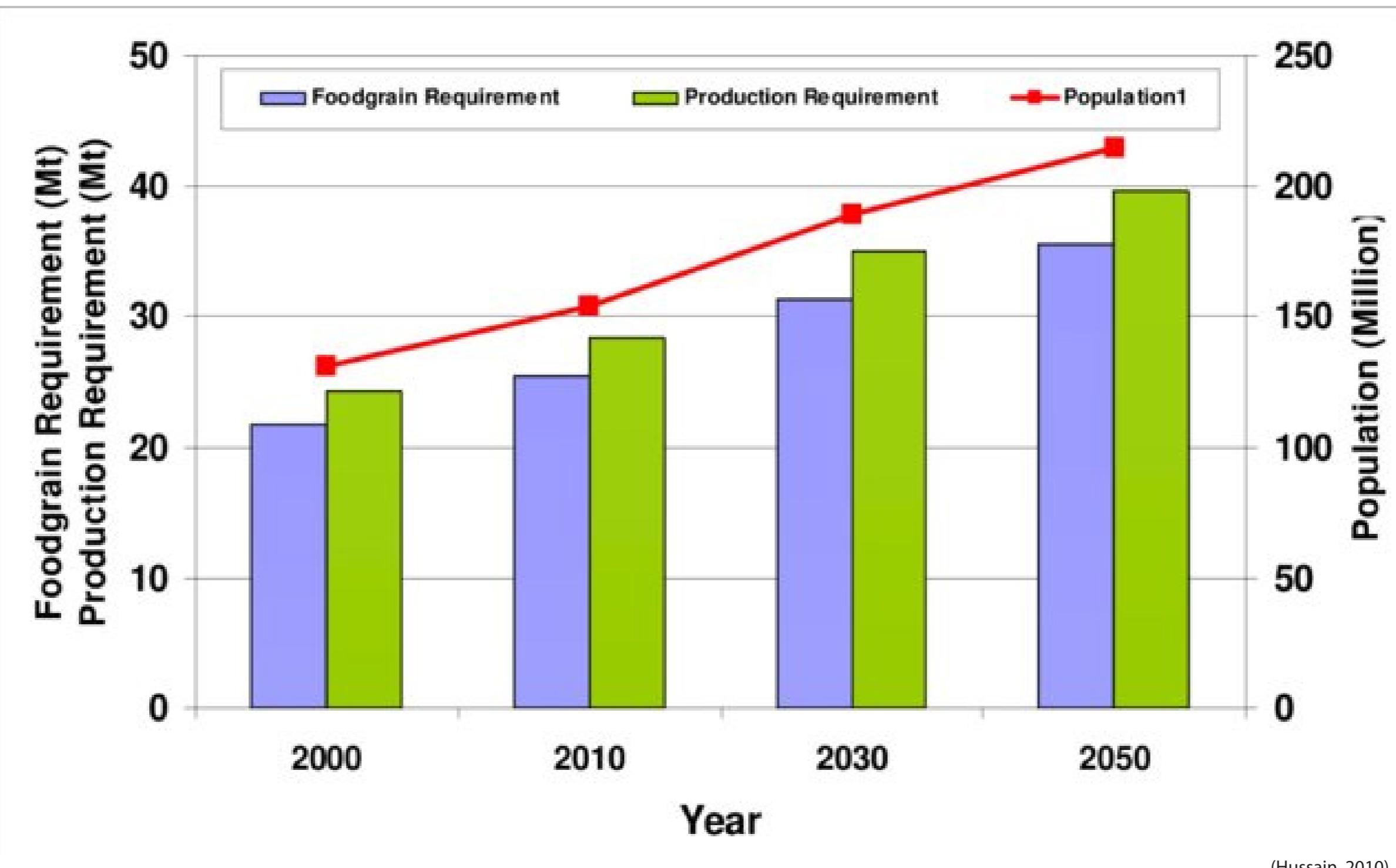
Use of space Netherlands



Bron: CBS, Kadaster

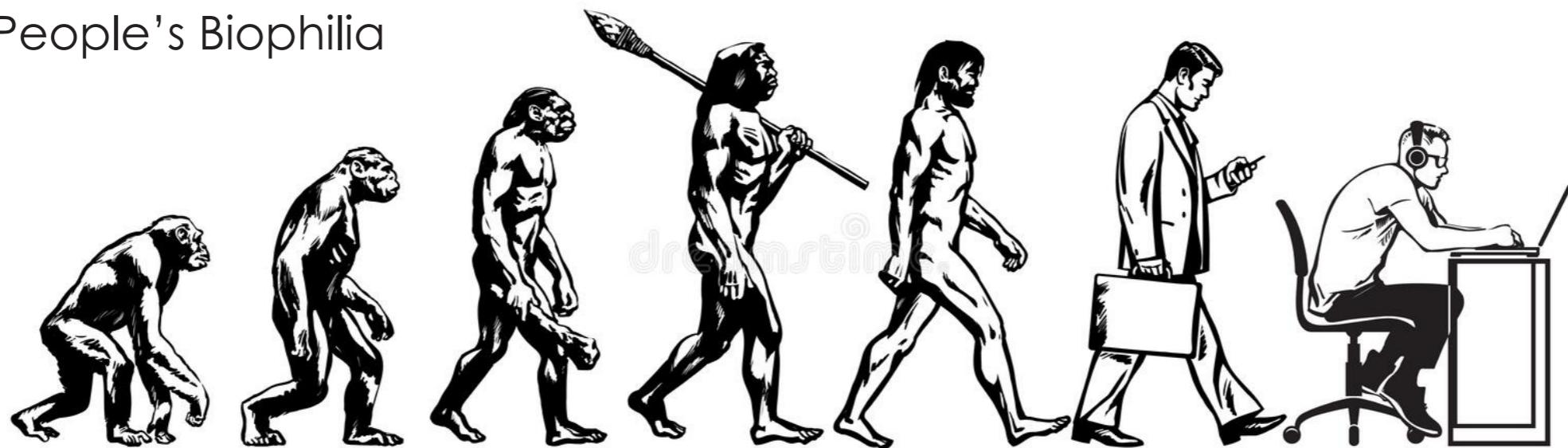
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Food vs Population 2050



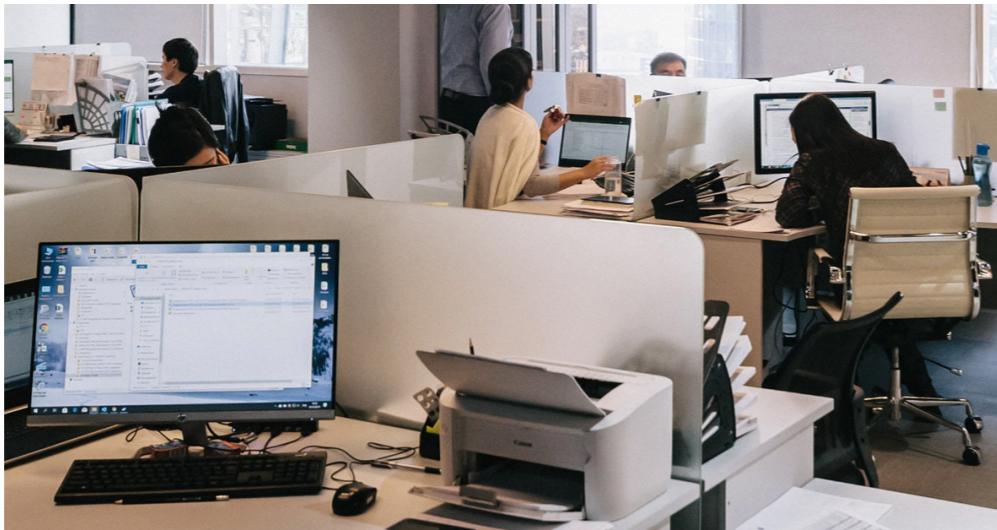
Biophilic Design

People's Biophilia



Damaged: stressed, tired, etc.

Voluntary attention



Involuntary attention



Recover: rested, relaxed, etc.

Biophilic Shopping Malls

Green retail areas



Non-green retail areas



(Rosenbaum, 2018)



Bogota Colombia (Rosenbaum, 2016)

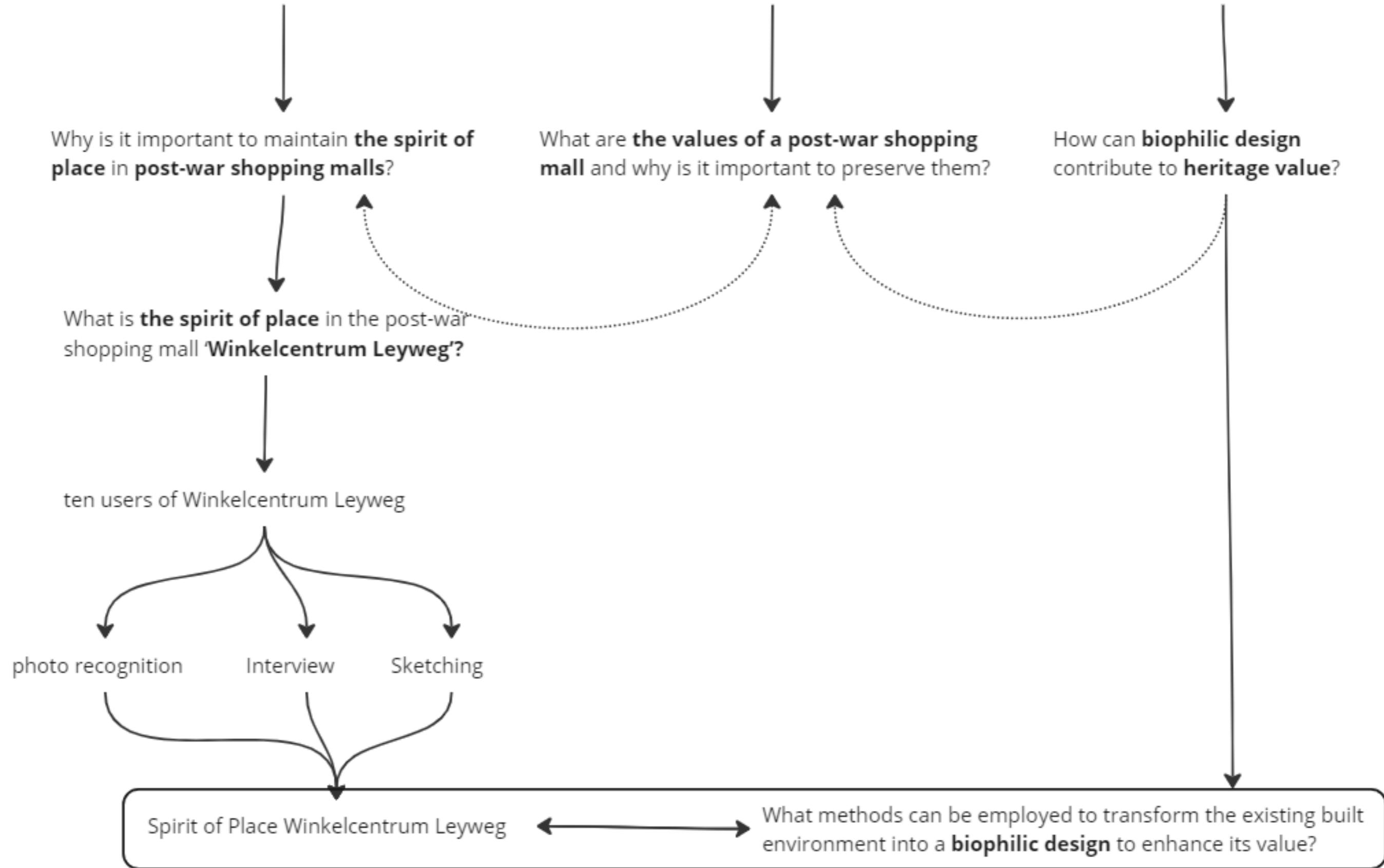
Values of the Post-War Shopping Malls



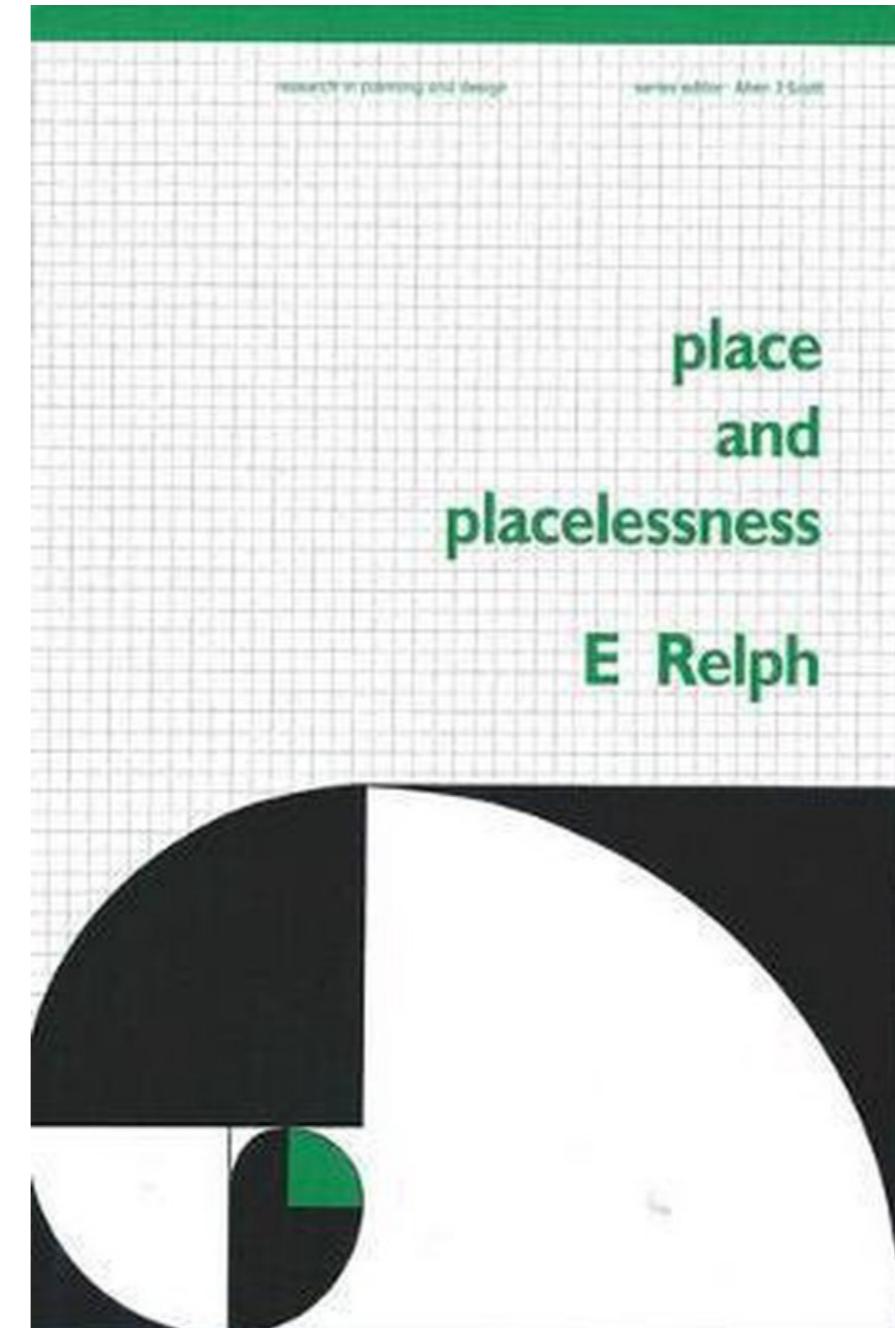
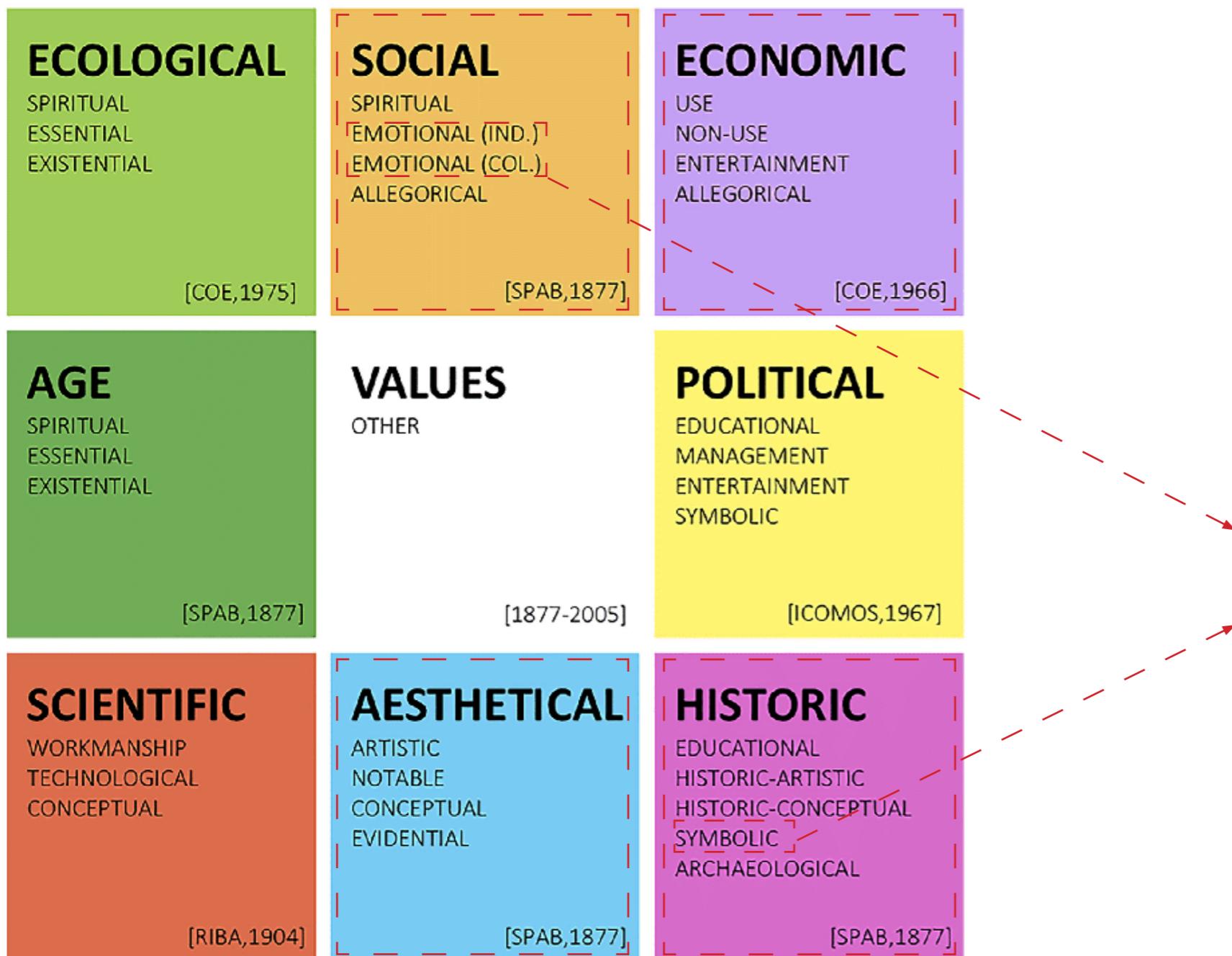
(Indebuurt, 2020)

Research Question

How can **biophilic design** enhance the **value** and **spirit of place** in a **post-war shopping mall**?



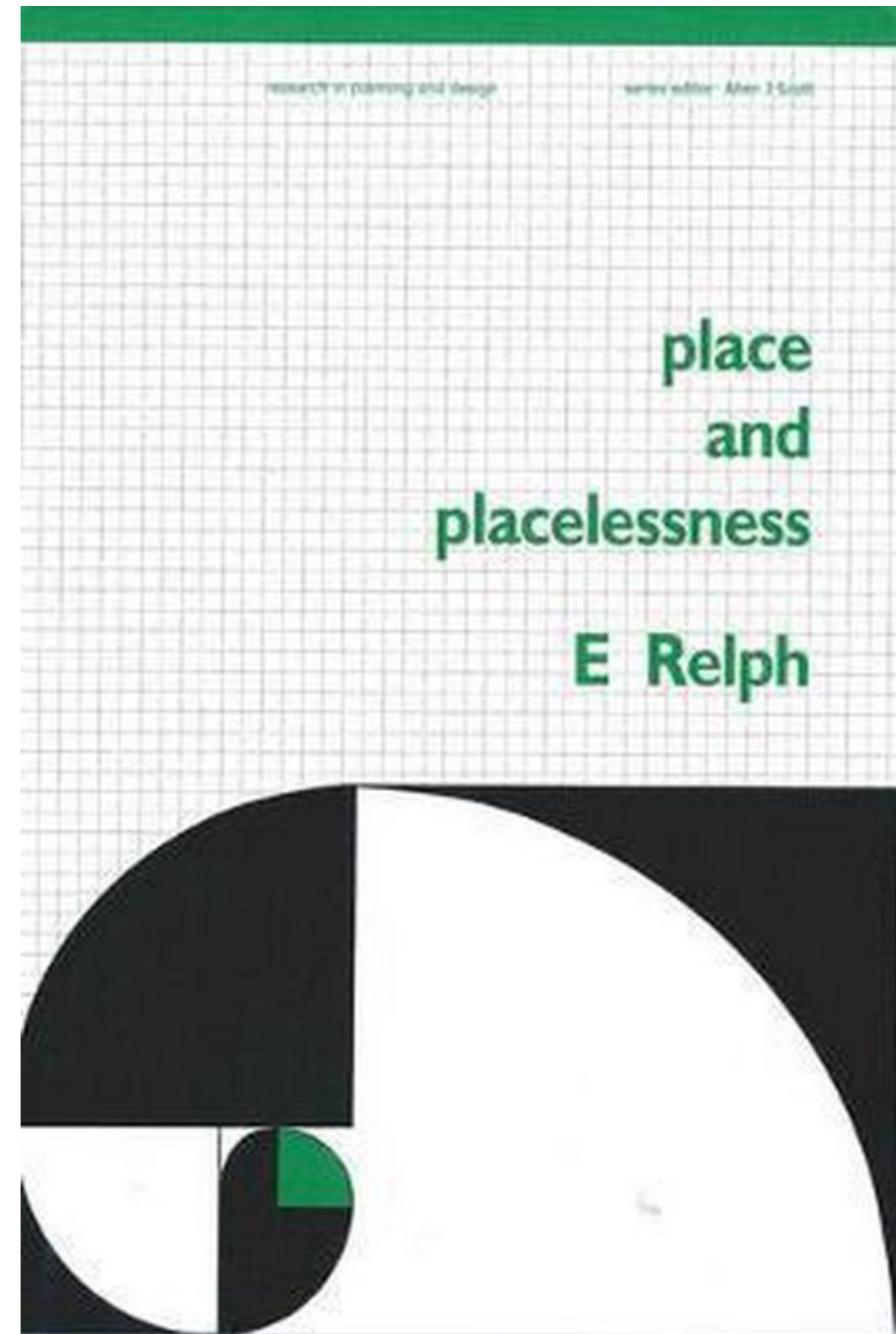
Value of Post-War Shopping Mall



Spirit of Place in a Post-War Shopping Mall

Book 'Place and Placelessness', E. Relph (1976):

'Meaningful connections between people and their built environment are important with regard to fostering a sense of identity and community' (Relph 1976)



Biophilic Transformations

REGIONAL LEVEL

- Green Regions and Compact Cities,
- Parks, Trees, and Urban Forests
- A River Runs Through It

Plan Riverfront Greenway



CITY LEVEL

- Reimagining the Interstices of the City
- Biophilic Streets and Infrastructure
- Limiting Cars, Expanding Nature

Water Square, Tåsingeh Plads



BUILDING LEVEL

- Food and Agriculture in the City
- Biophilic and Healthy Buildings

Ford Foundation Building



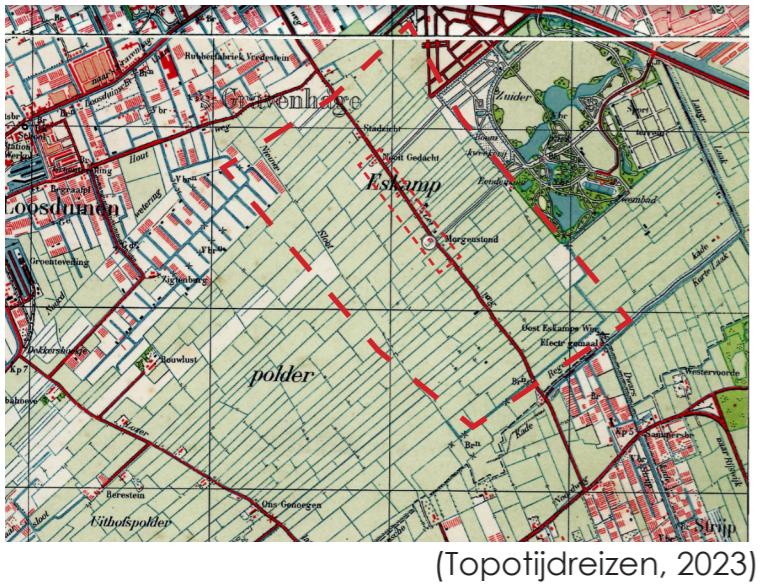
Biophilic Design Enhancing the Value of Heritage



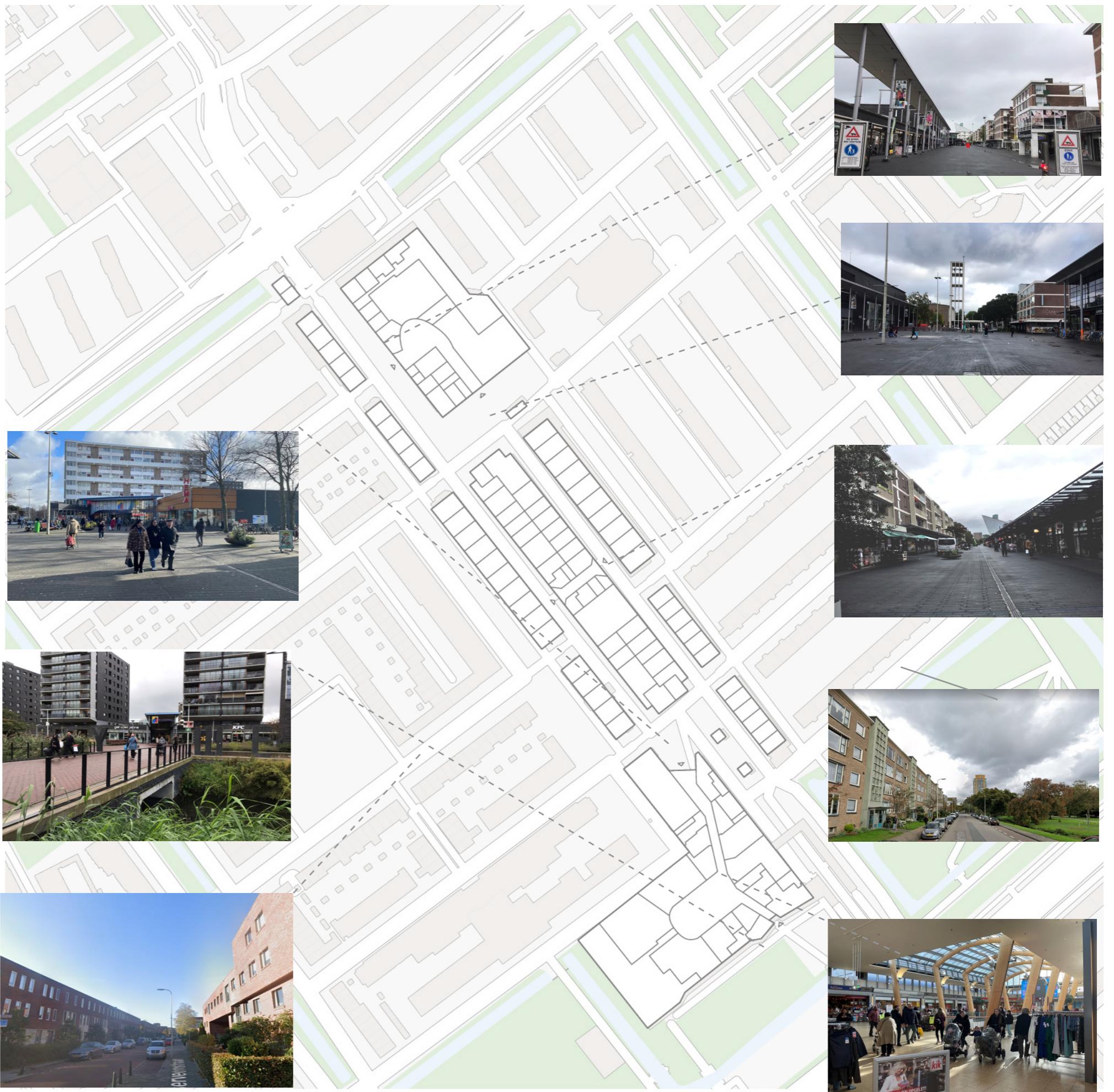
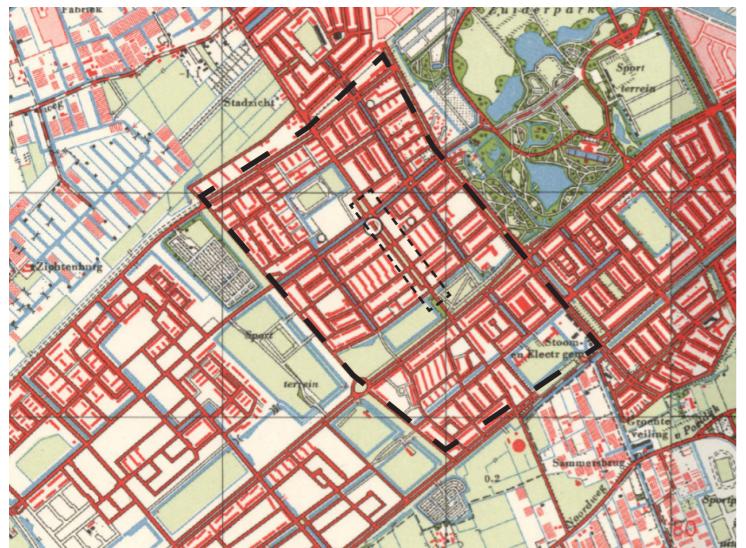
Winkelcentrum Leyweg, Den Haag

- Located in the hague
- Neighbourhood Morgenstond
- 20,251 residents
- 48,000 m²
- 110 shops.
- Designed in 1960

Morgenstond 1950



Morgenstond 1960



Winkelcentrum Leyweg(Bolleboom, 2023)

Spirit of place Leyweg



Spirit of place and Biophilic Transformations

STRENGTHS

OPPERTUNITIES

- Biophilic design can add historical and social value to the nodes South and North square
- Biophilic design can add ecological value to distinctive heritage buildings 'Hema', 'Church', 'Passage' and 'the V&D'.

WEAKNESSES

THREATS

- Not able to add ecological value to the heritage buildings 'Hema', 'Church', 'Passage' and 'the V&D' because user don't want them to be changed.

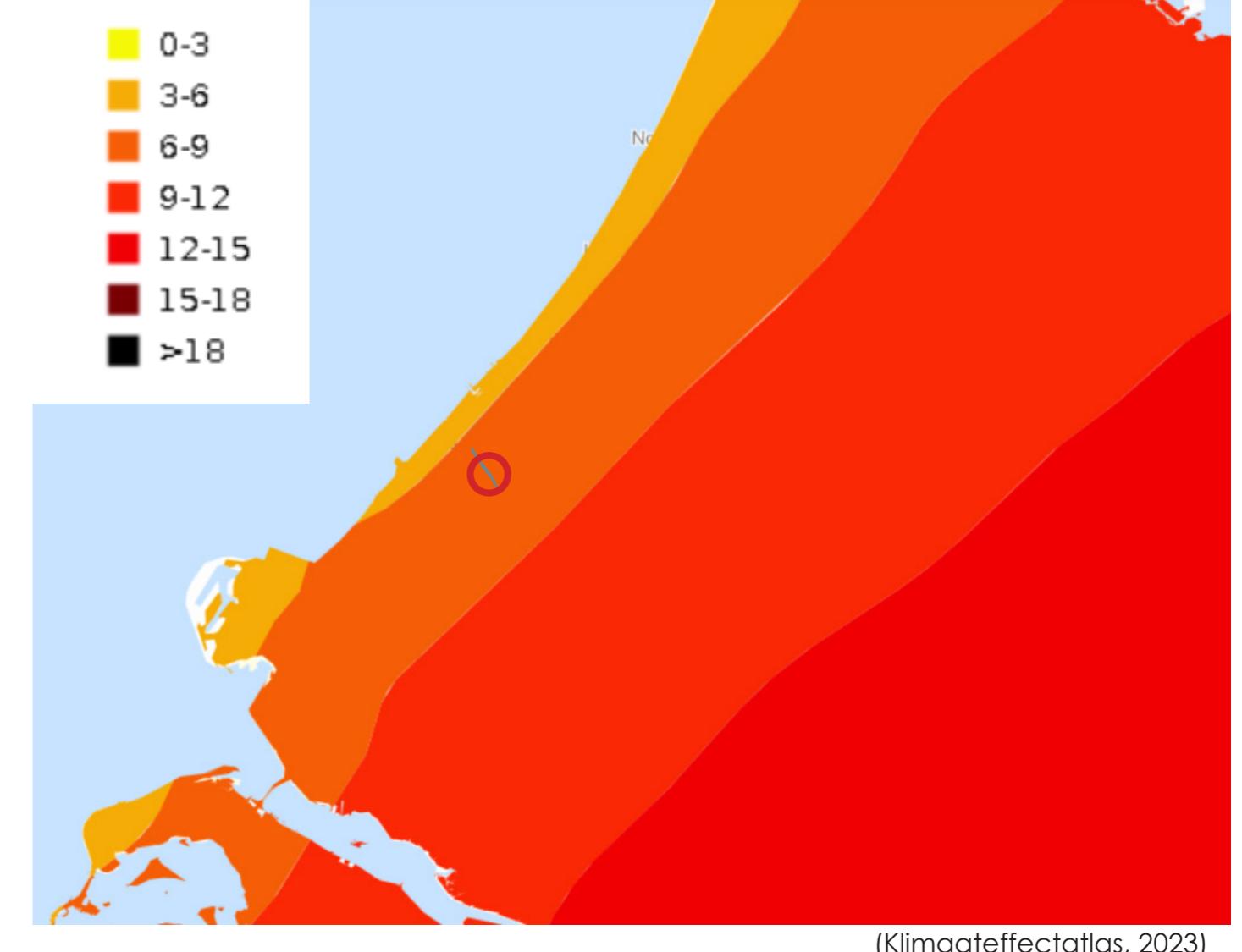
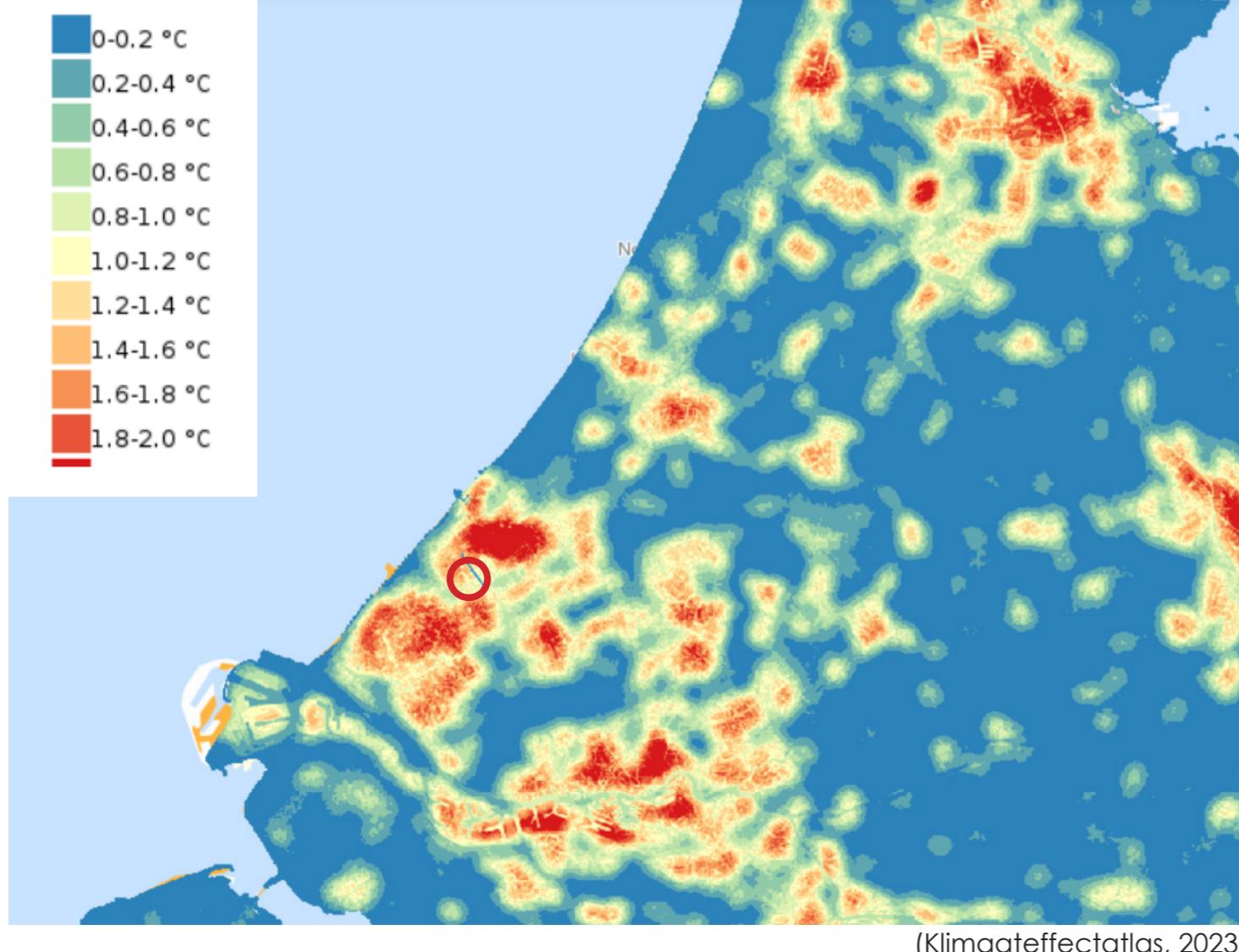
- Biophilic design can help create emotional connection with the site that is now 'not recognized'
- Biophilic design can increase viability of the 'empty' shopping mall
- Biophilic design can add ecological value to houses that 'need to be replaced'.

- Biophilic design won't have the emotional bonding effect due to 'Failure to recognize the site'.

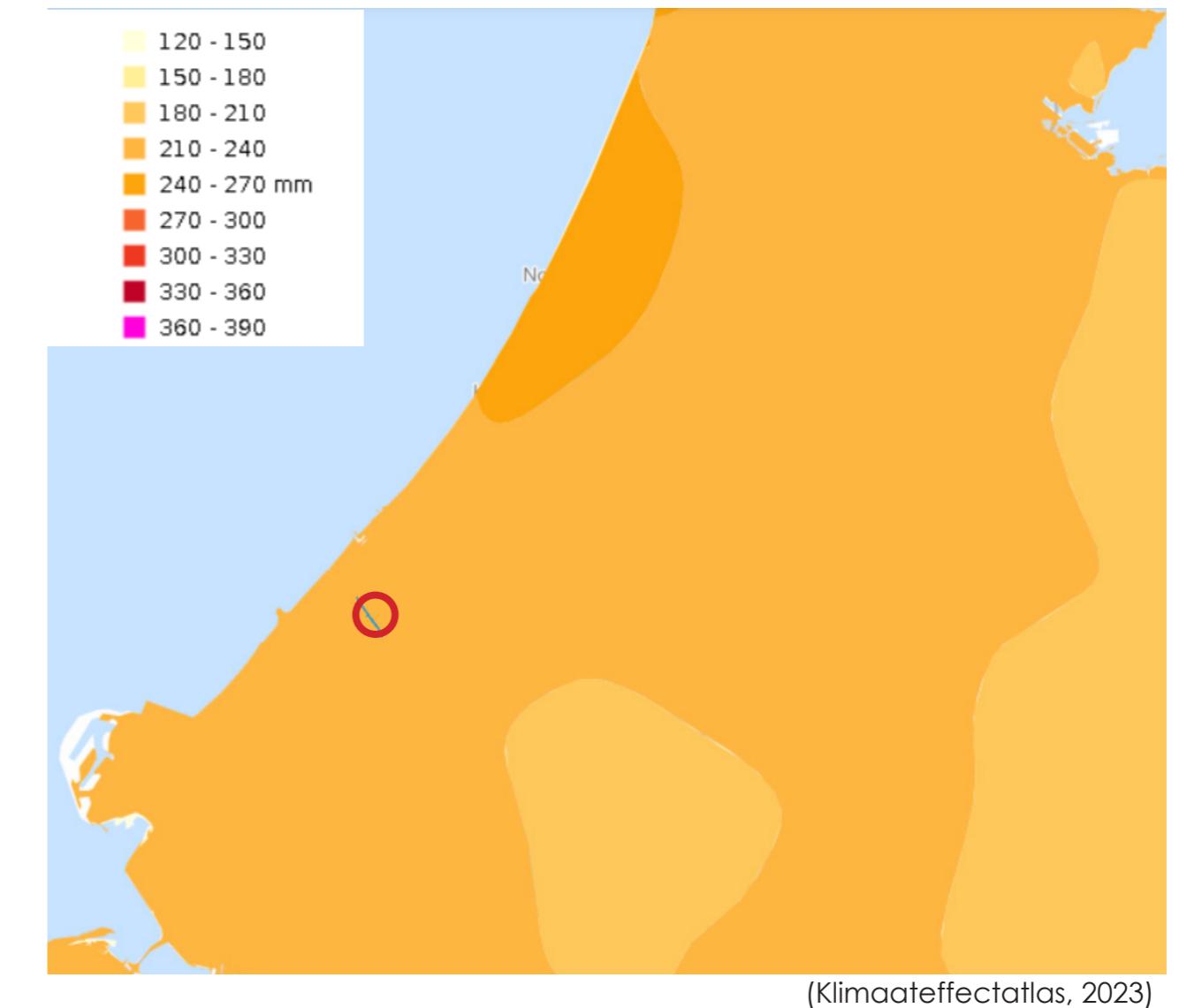
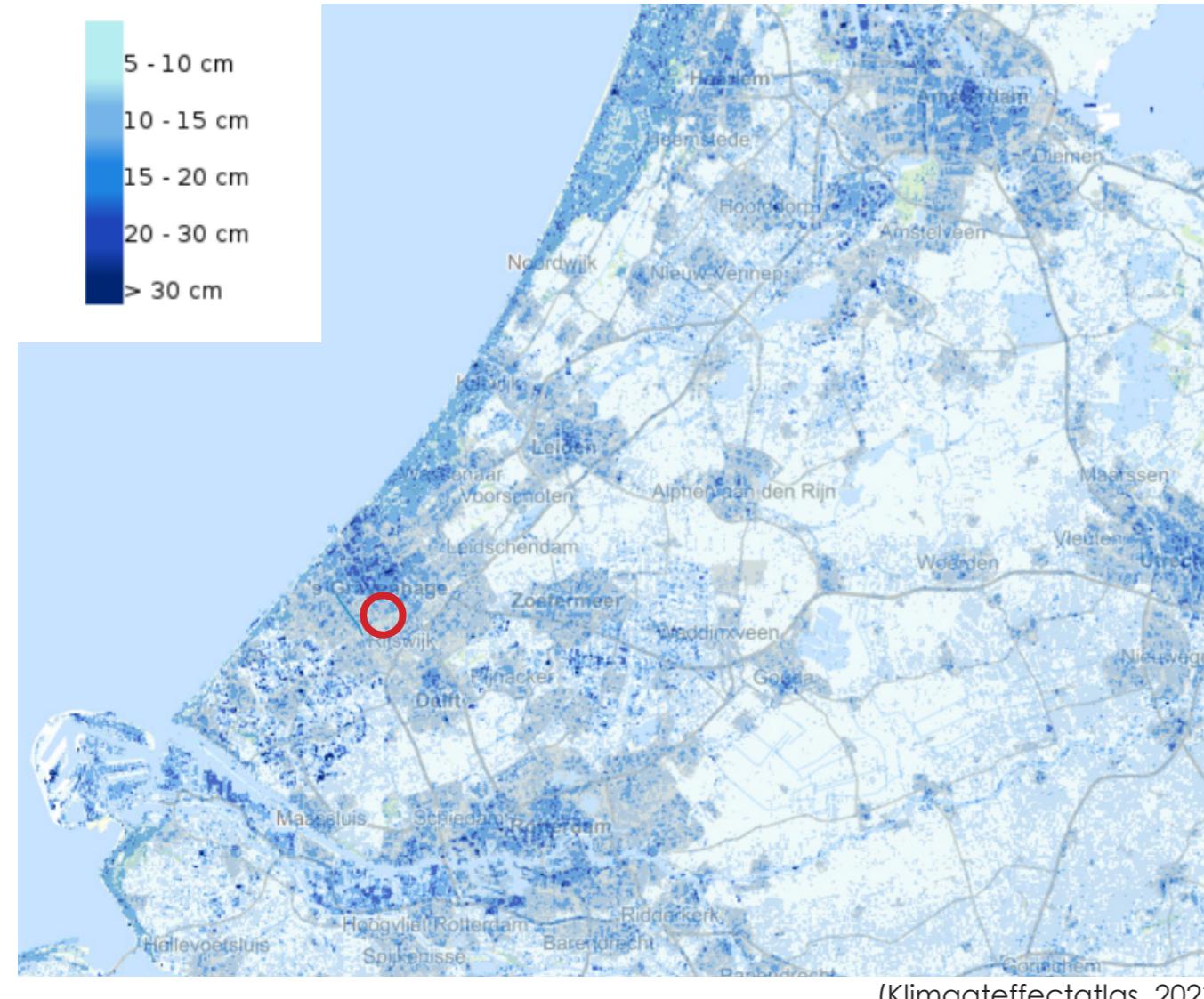
The Design of Winkelcentrum Leyweg



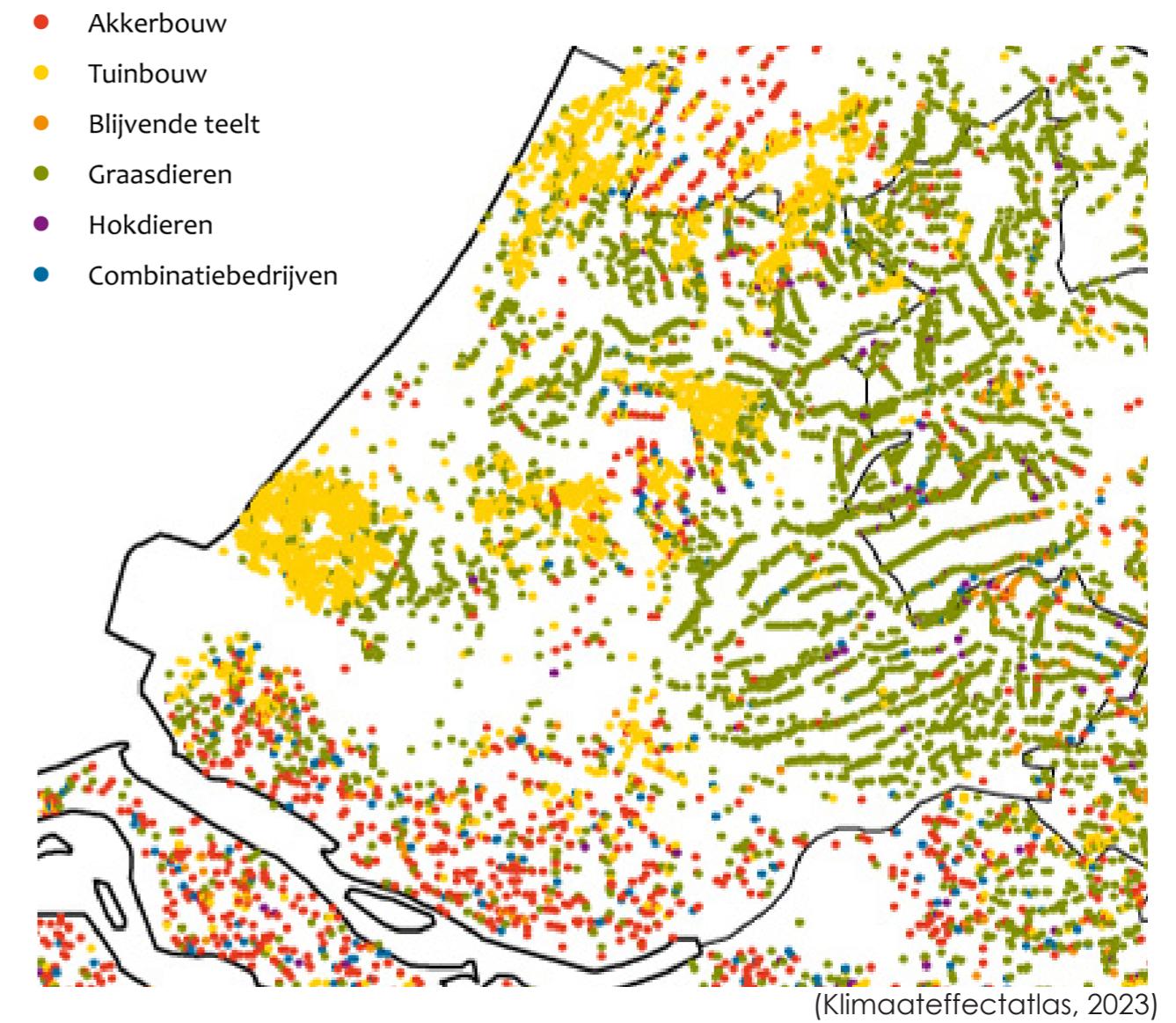
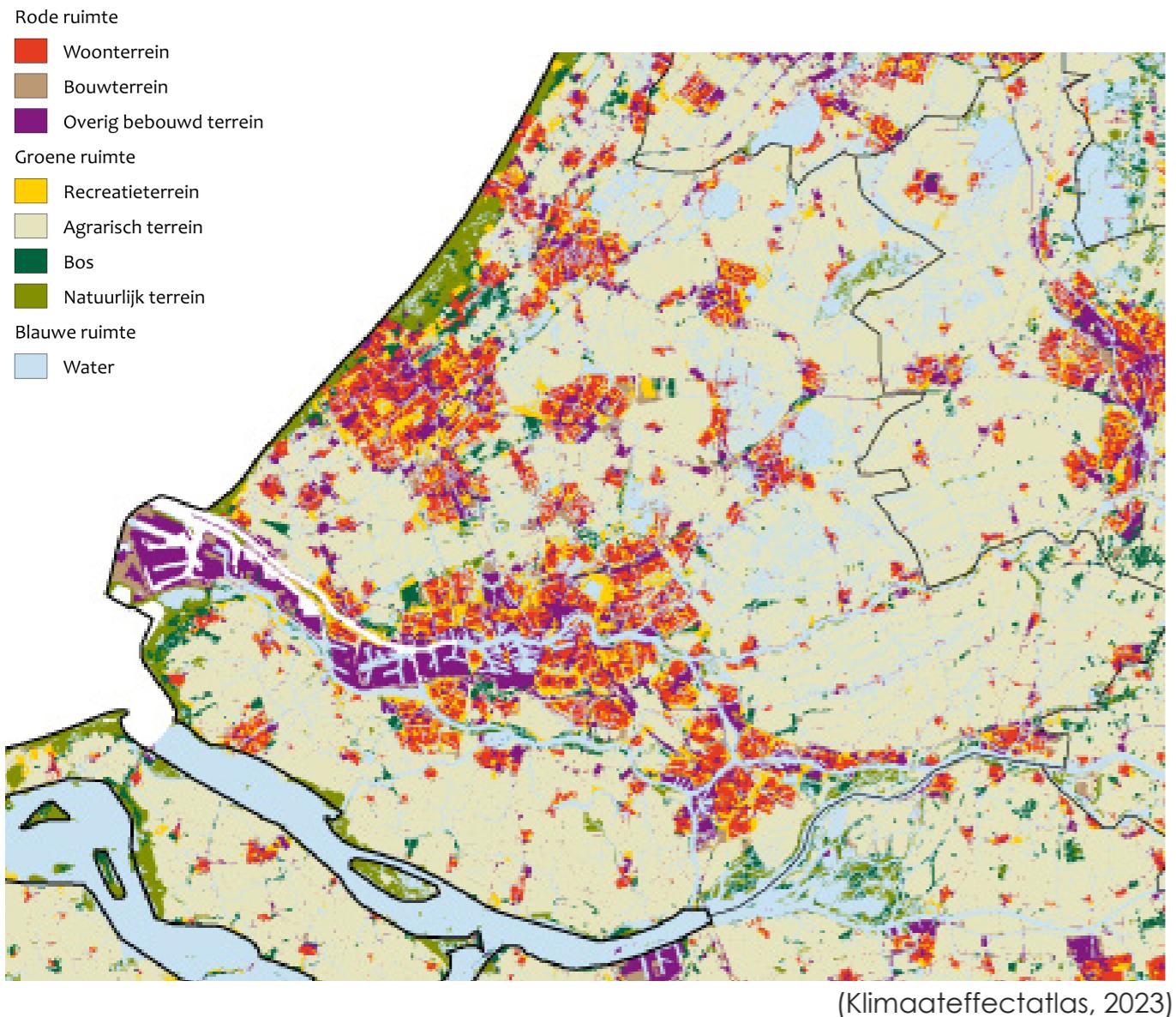
Heat island effect vs Days of heat above 30 degrees 2050



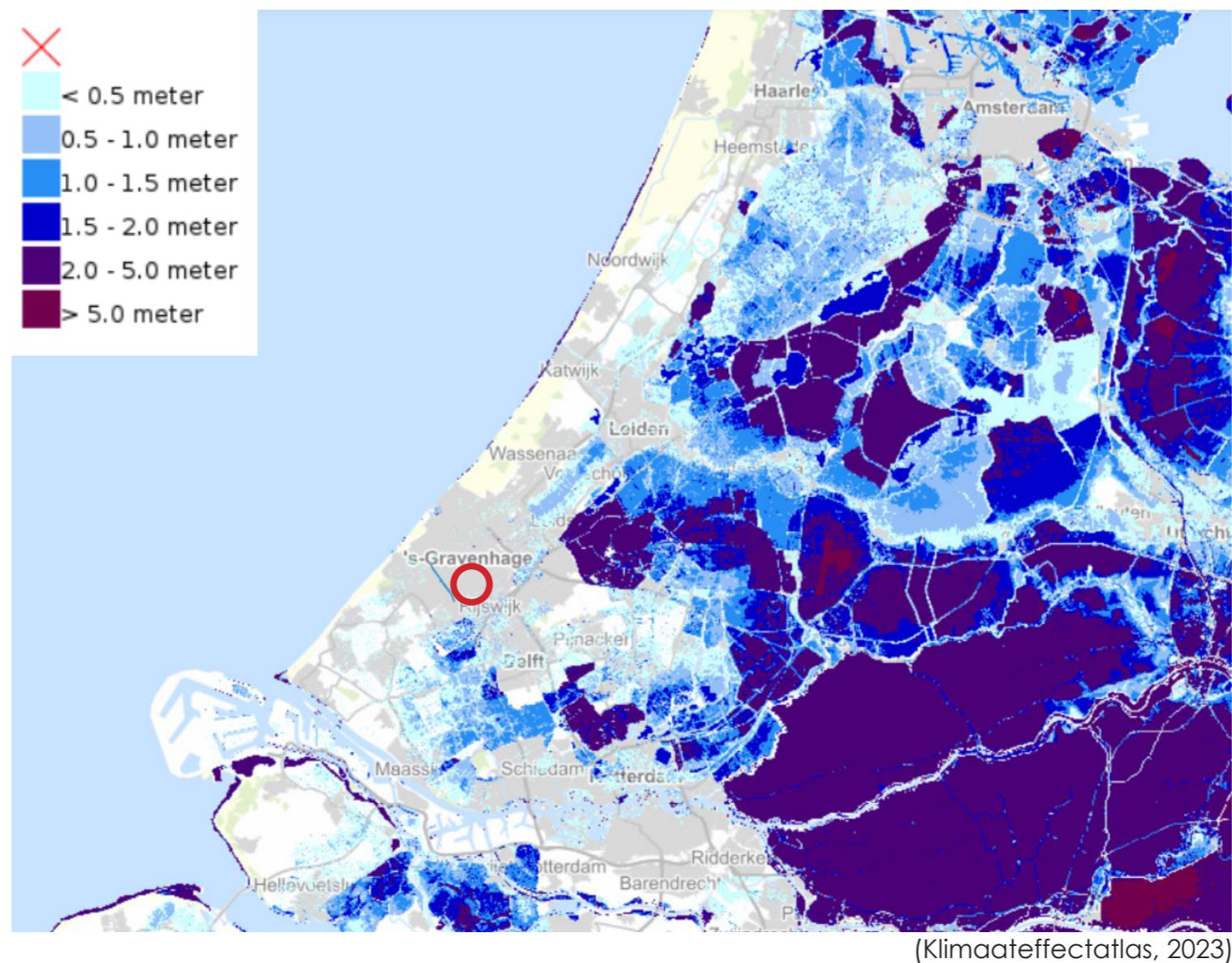
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Use of space Netherlands & Type of Agriculture



Flood areas 2050



Current Problems

Oak Processionary Caterpillar



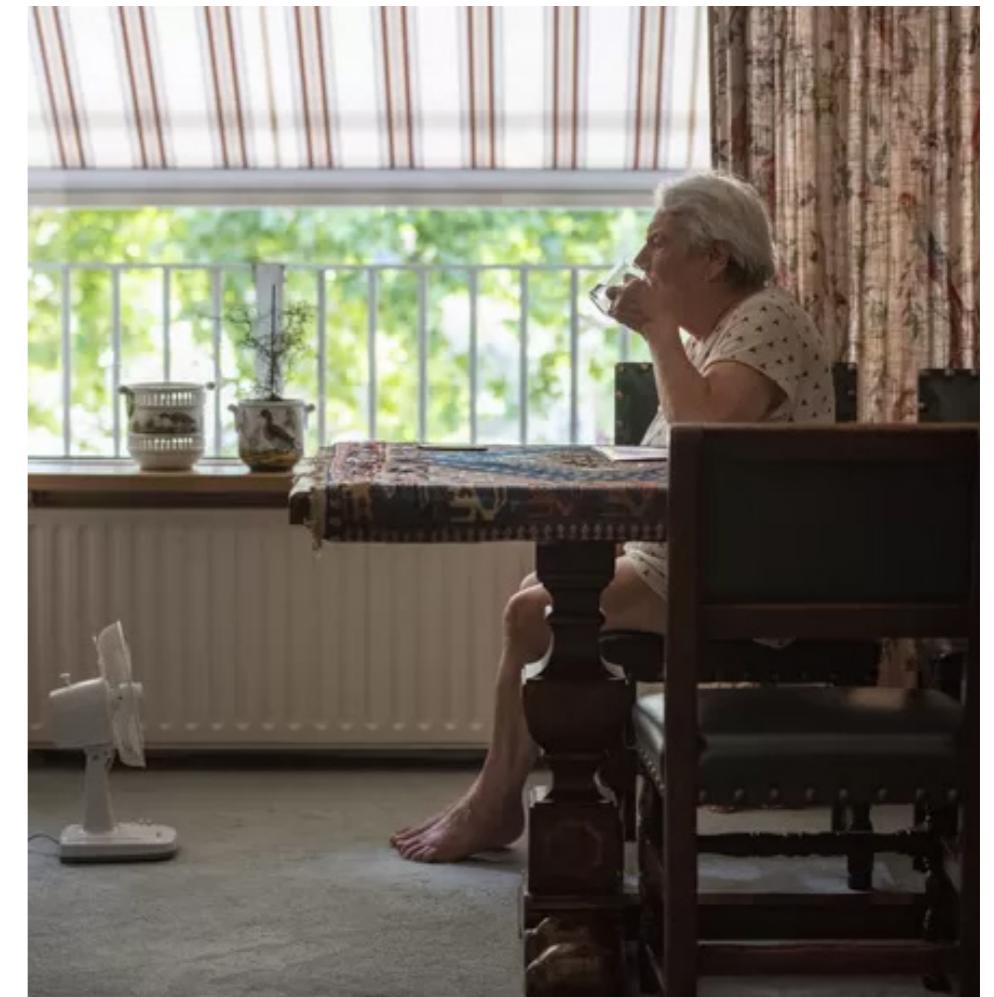
(AD, 2019)

Flooded Basements



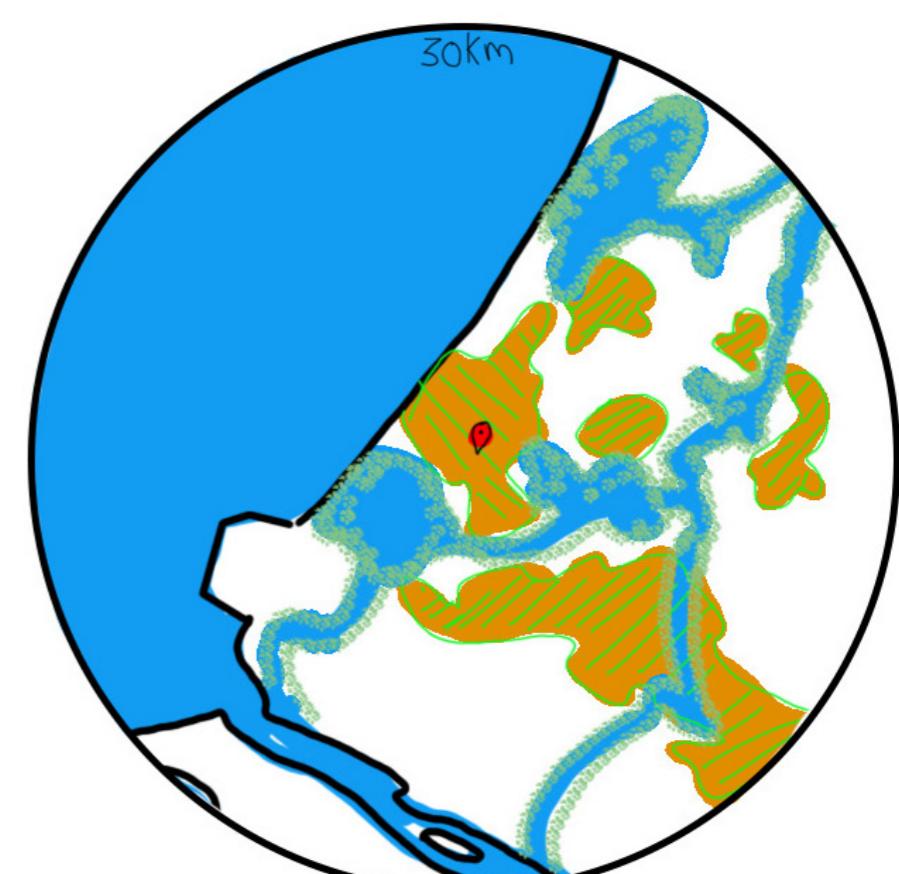
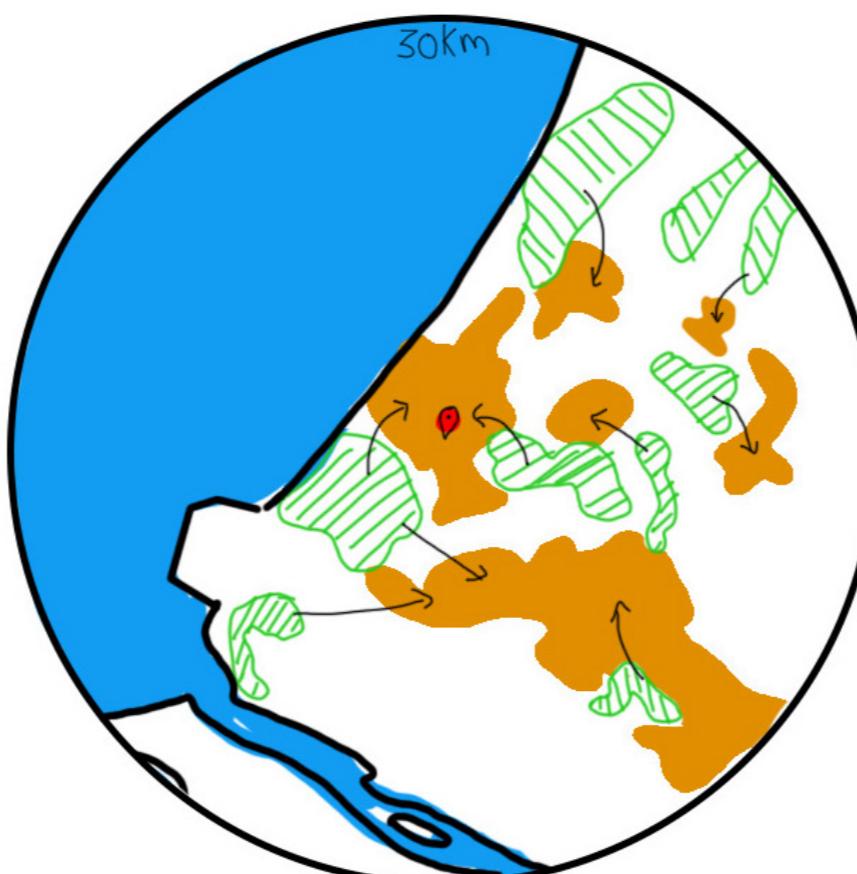
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Dangerous Heat Elderly People

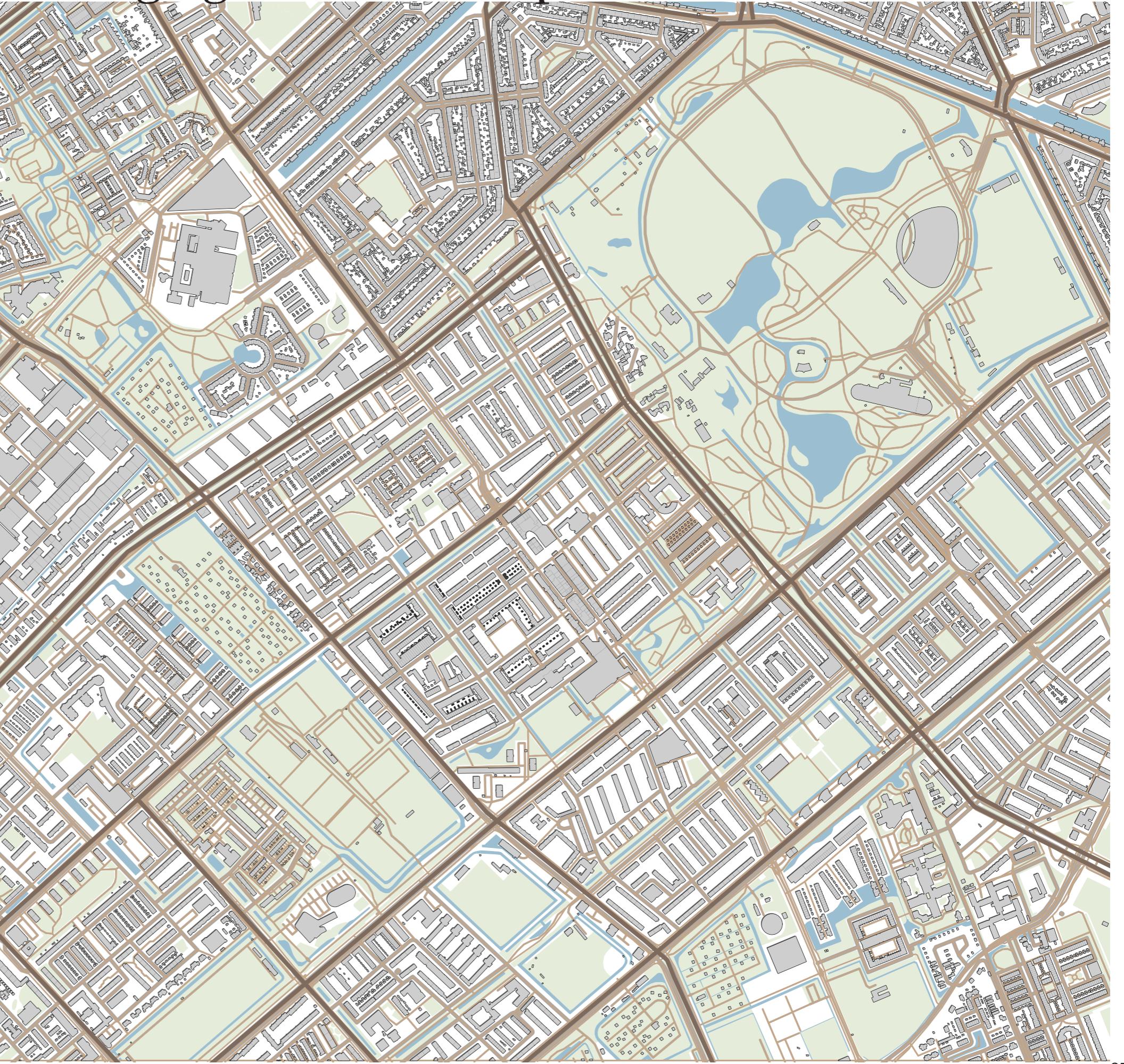
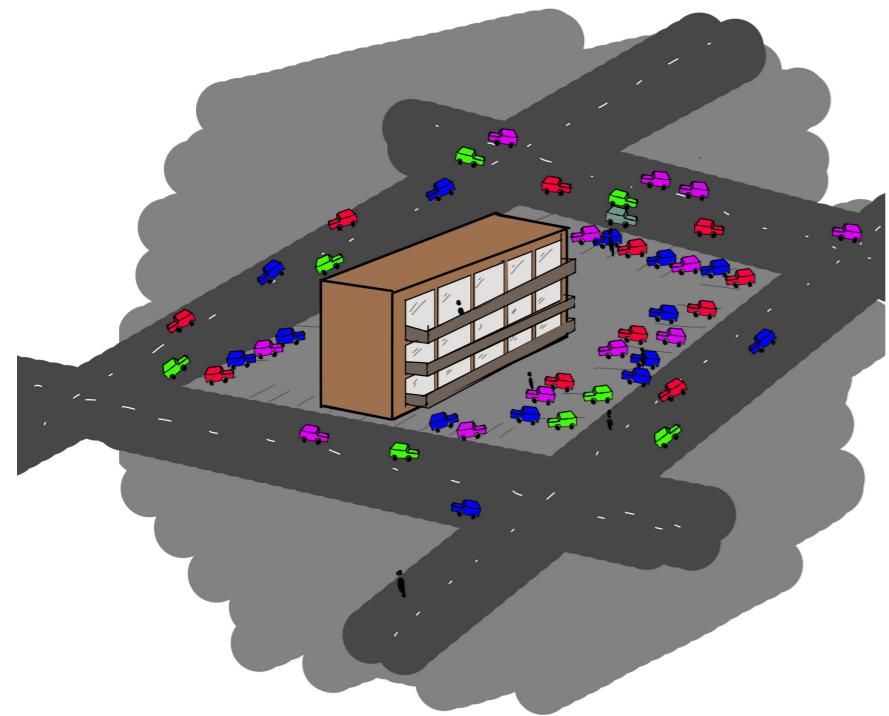


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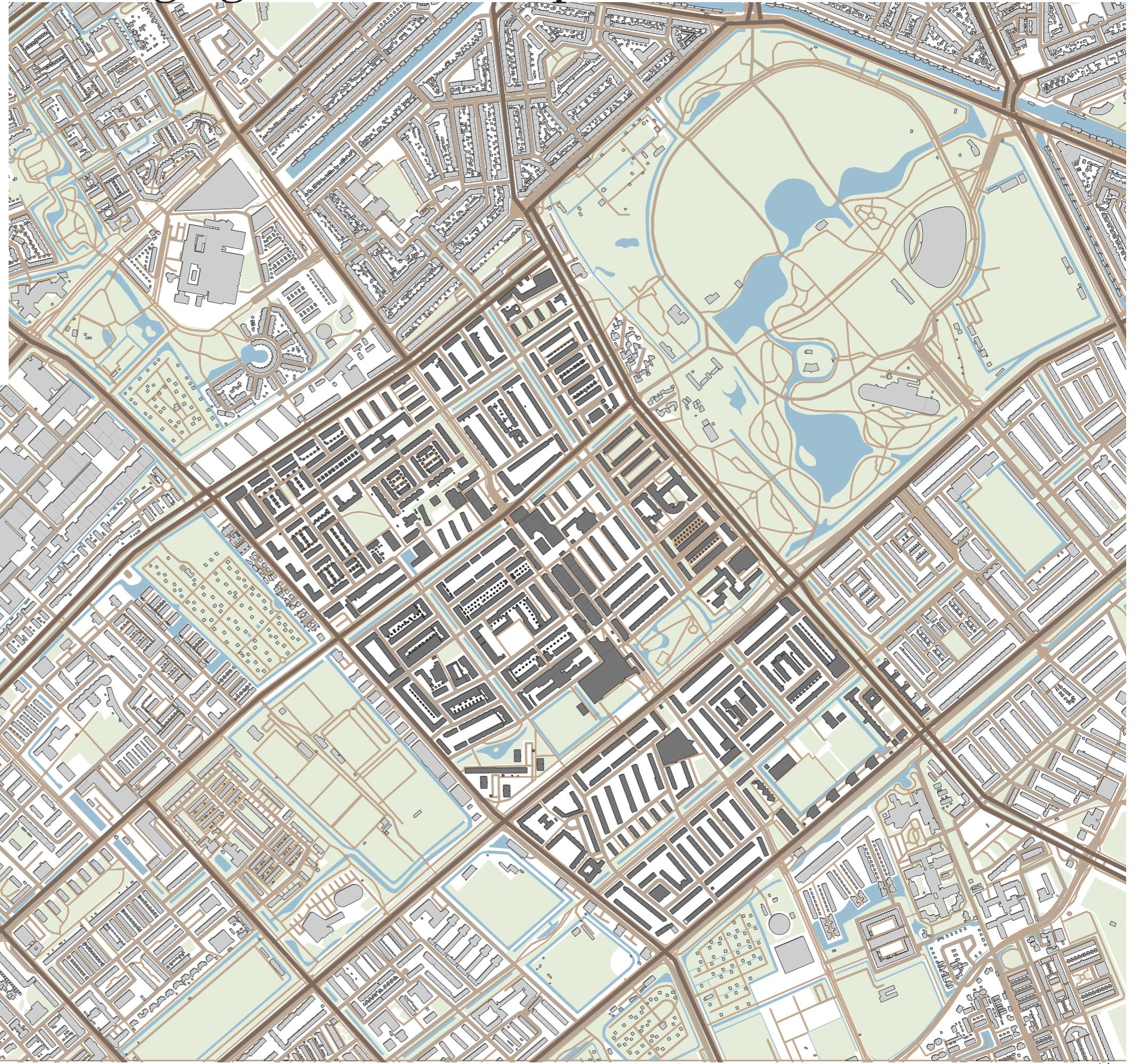
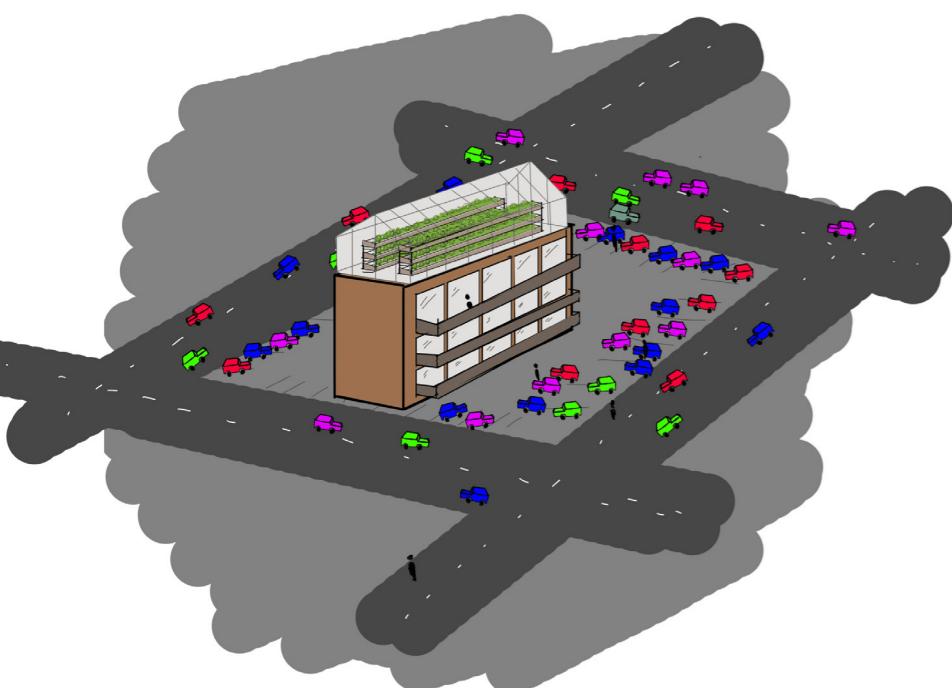
Moving agriculture to the cities



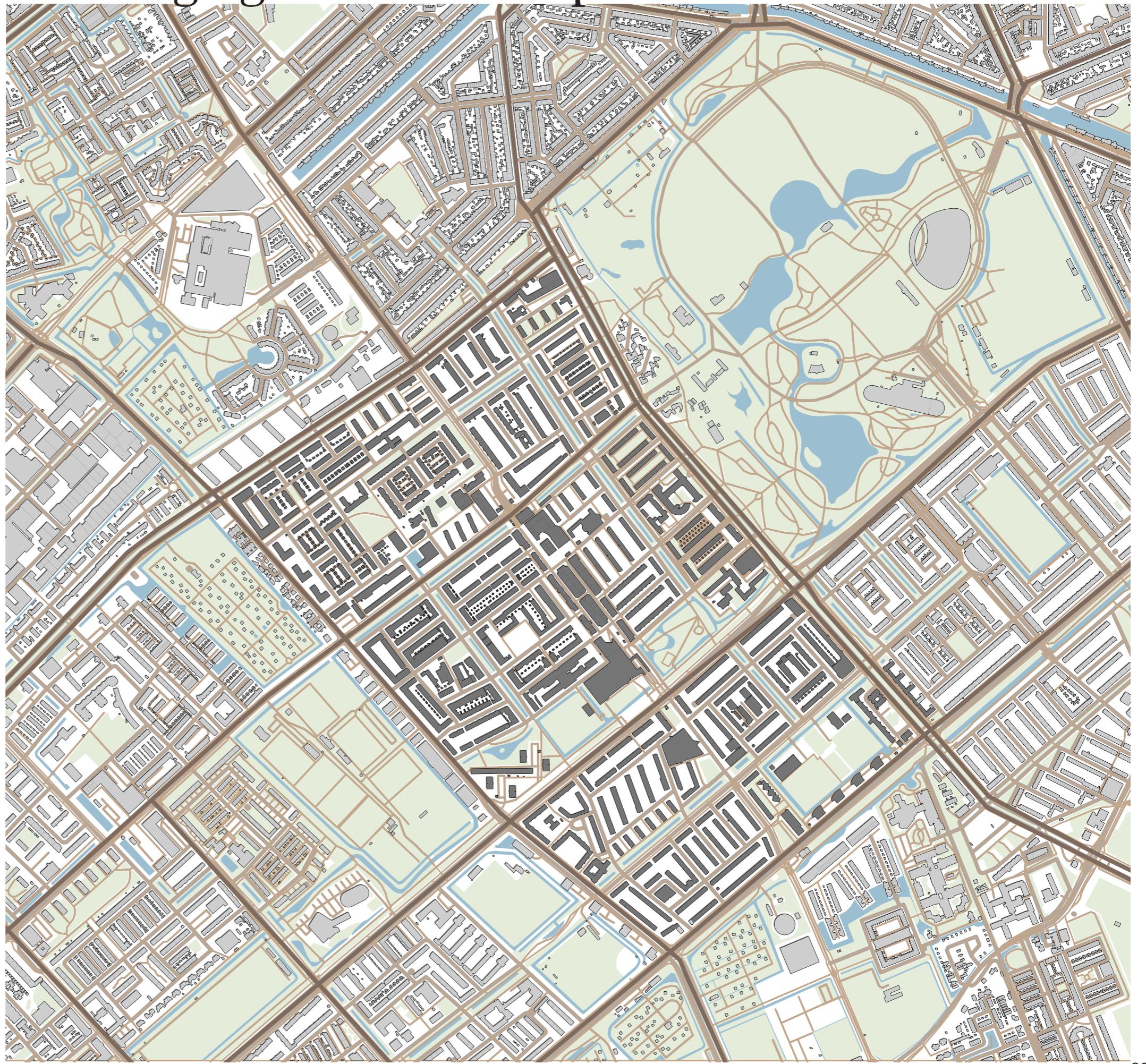
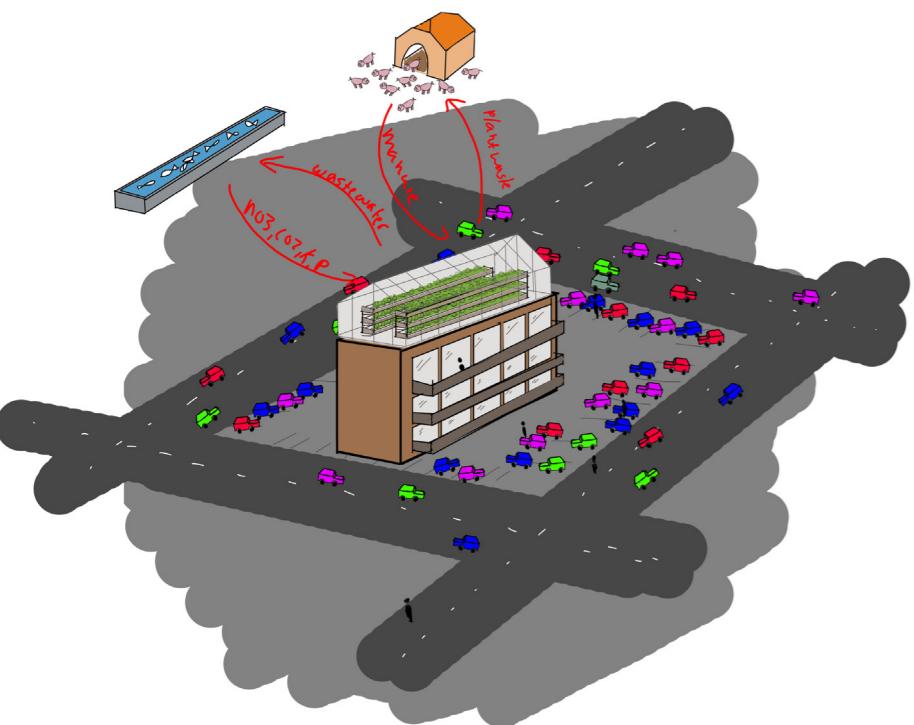
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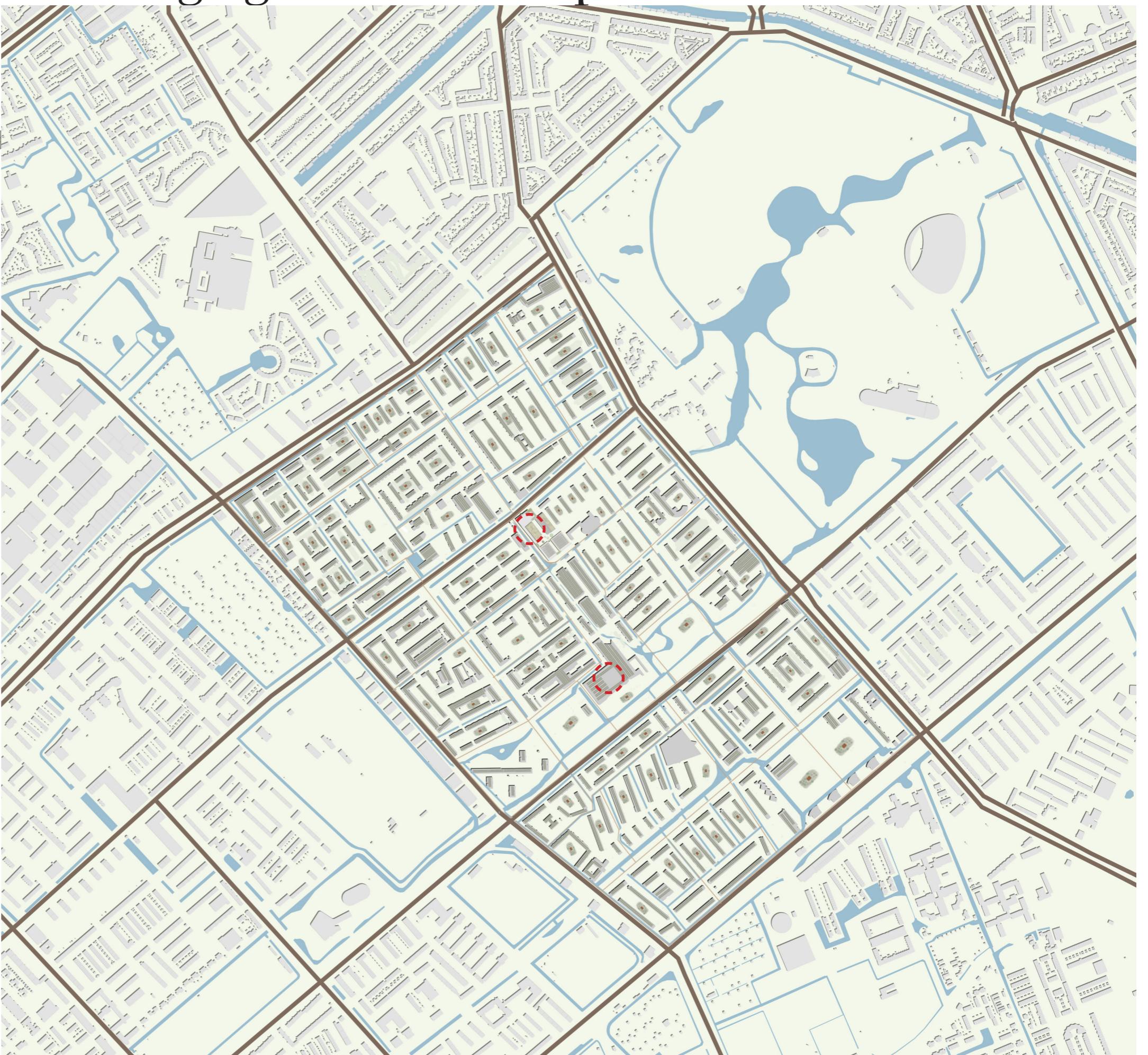
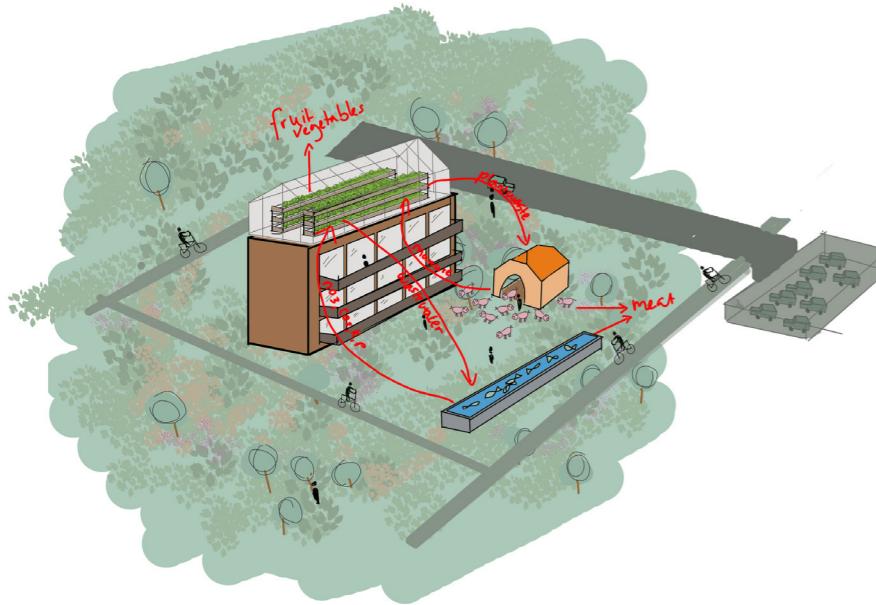
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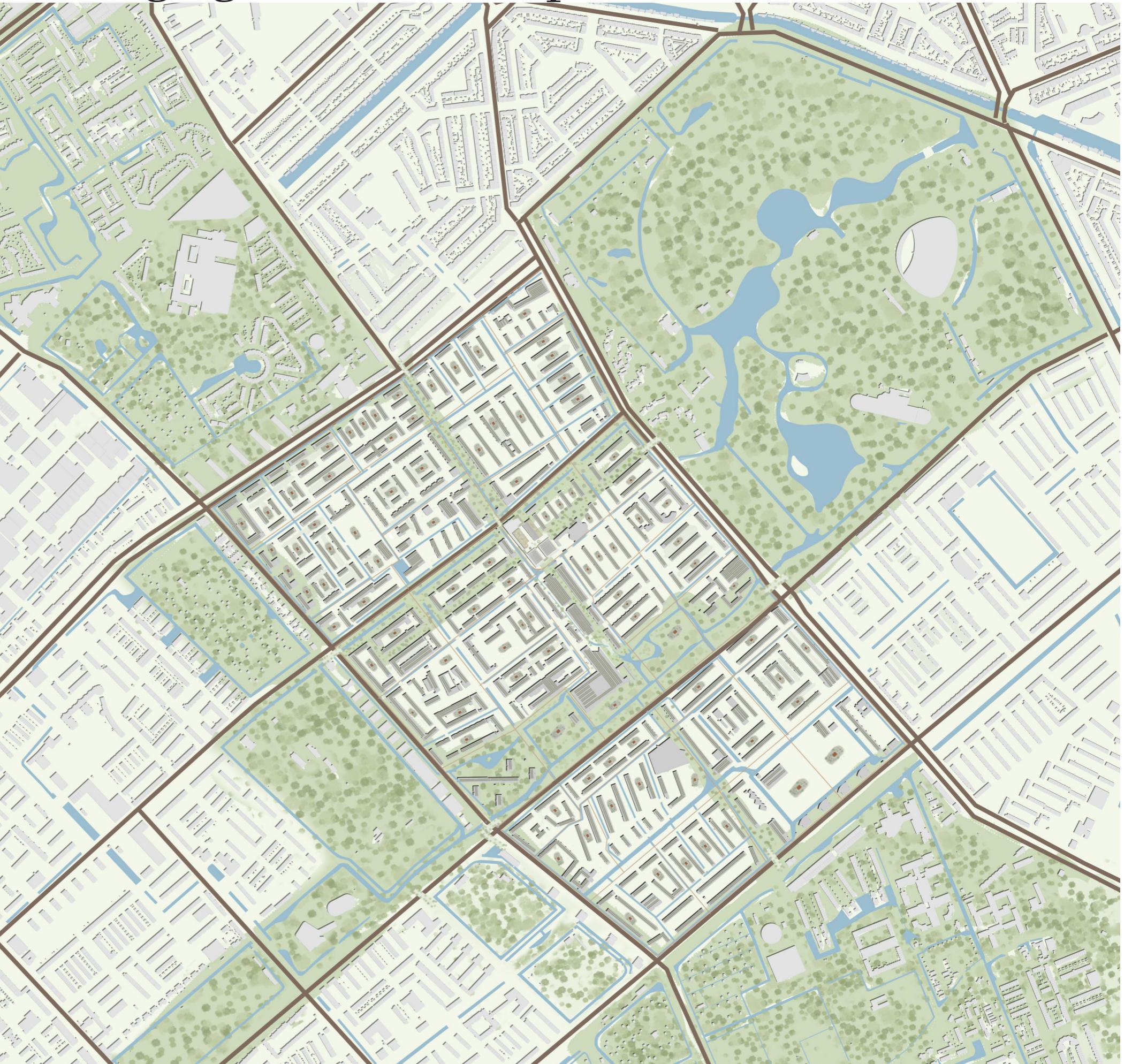
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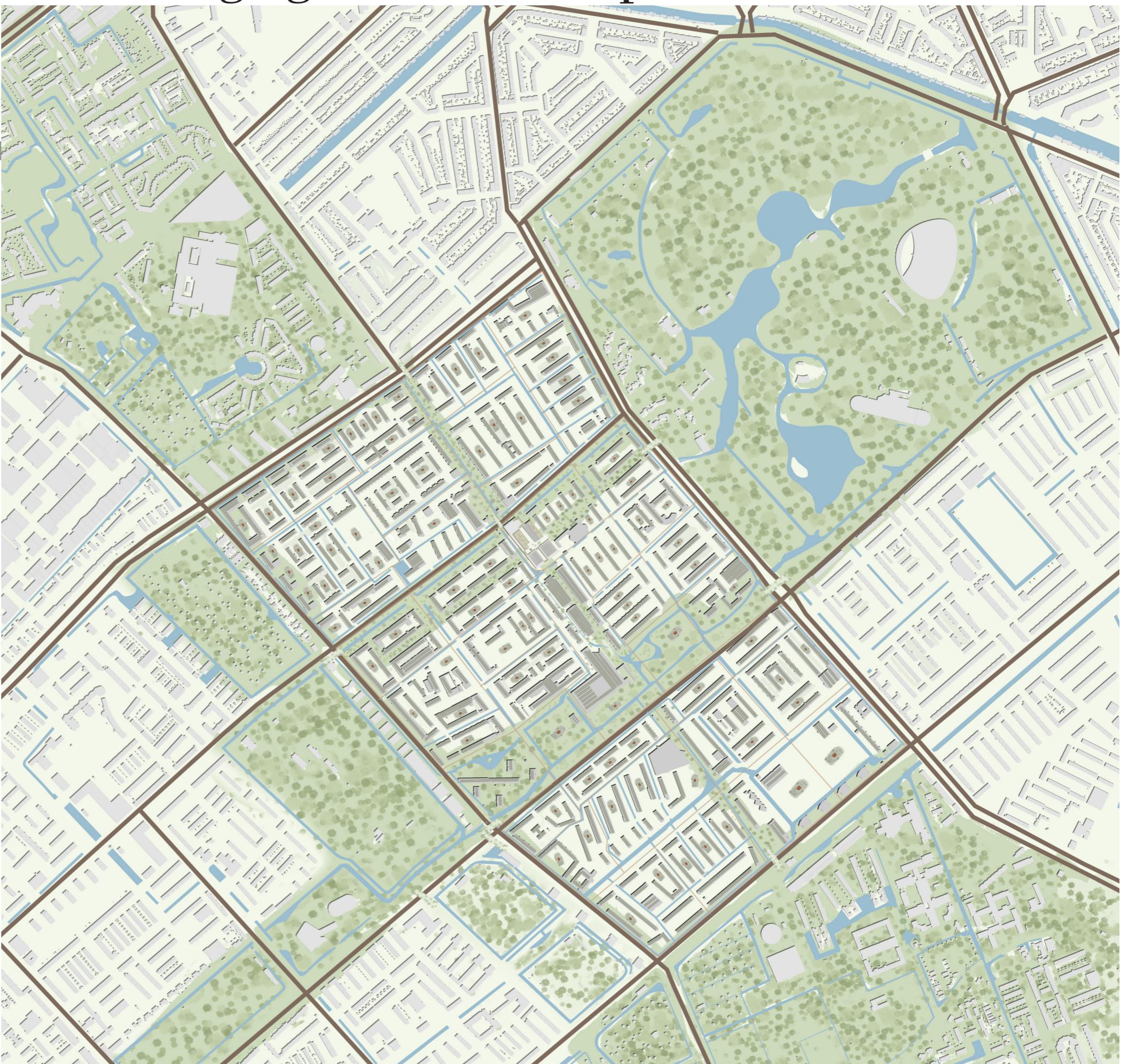
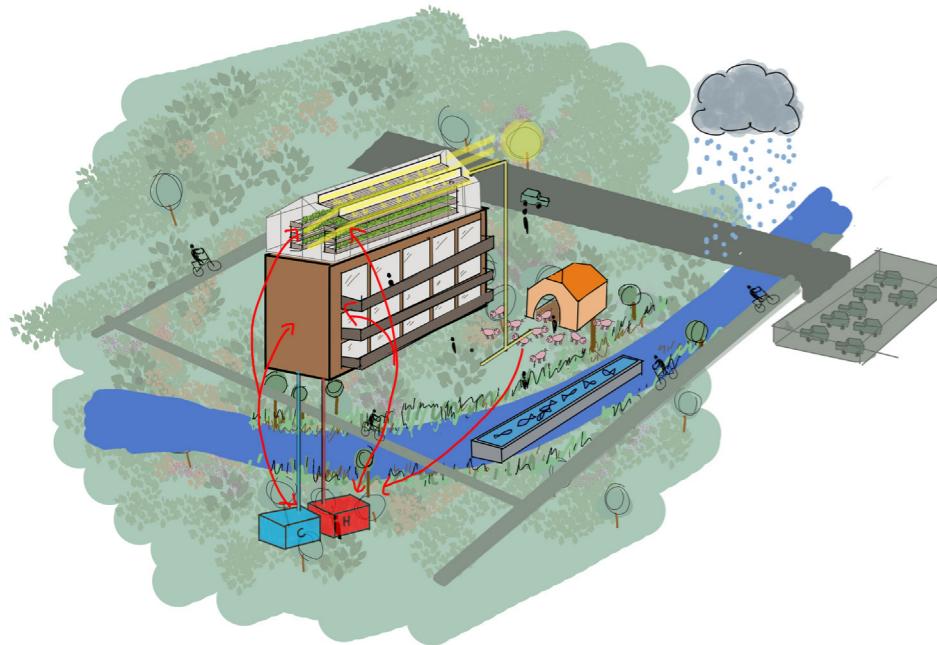
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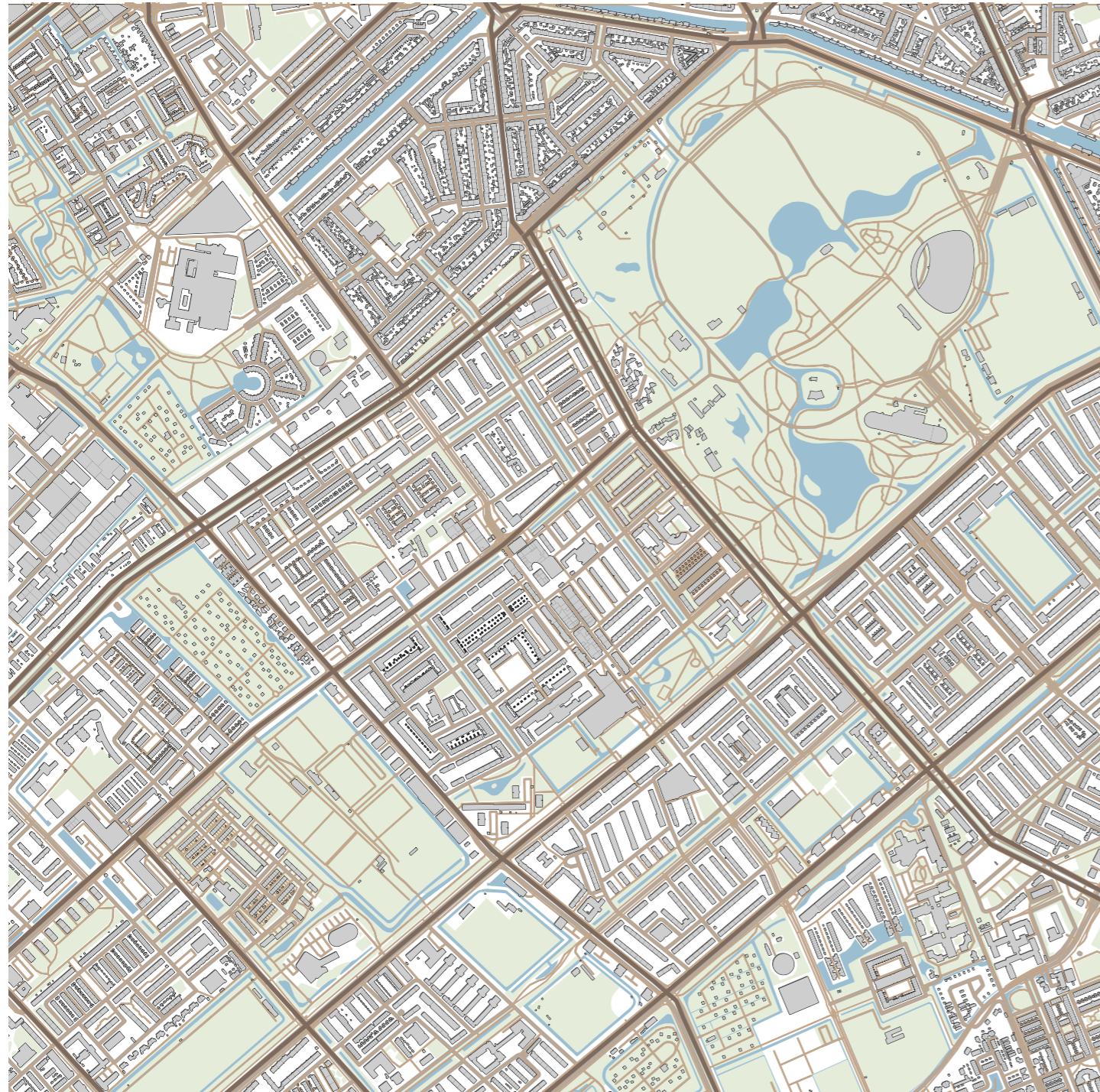
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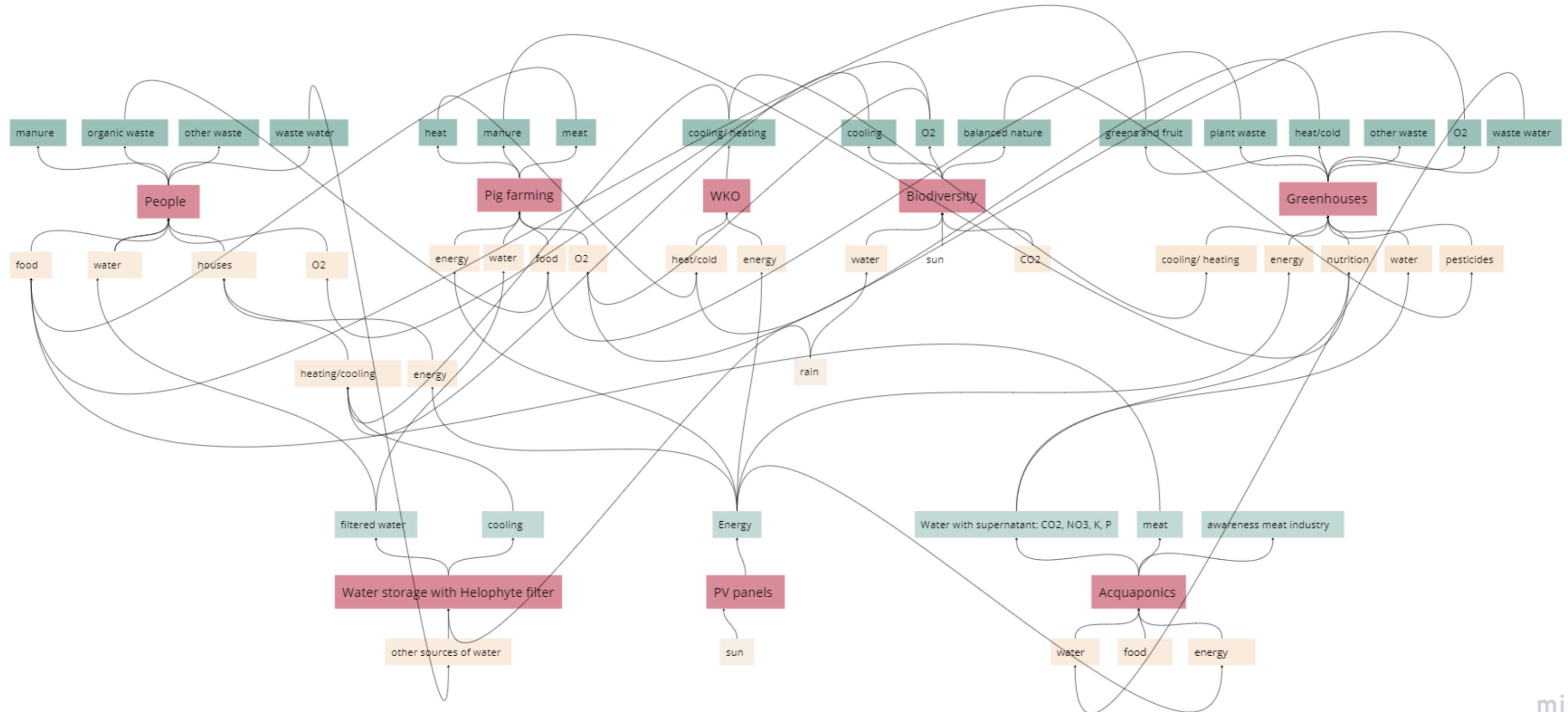
Changing the Cities: Step 7



Old vs New Context Morgenstond



Closed Urban Farming Cycle Morgenstond

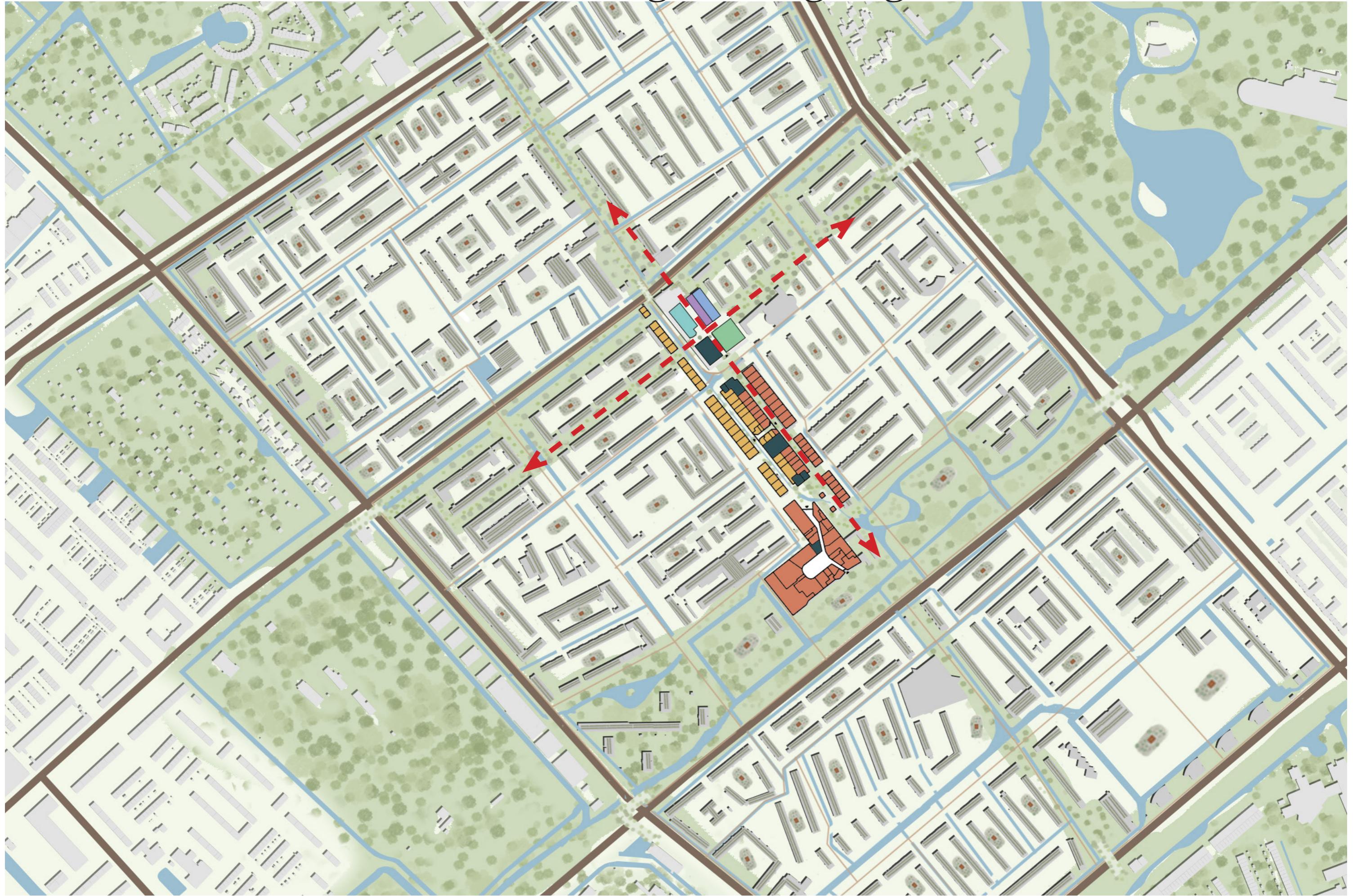


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Winkelcentrum Leyweg Program



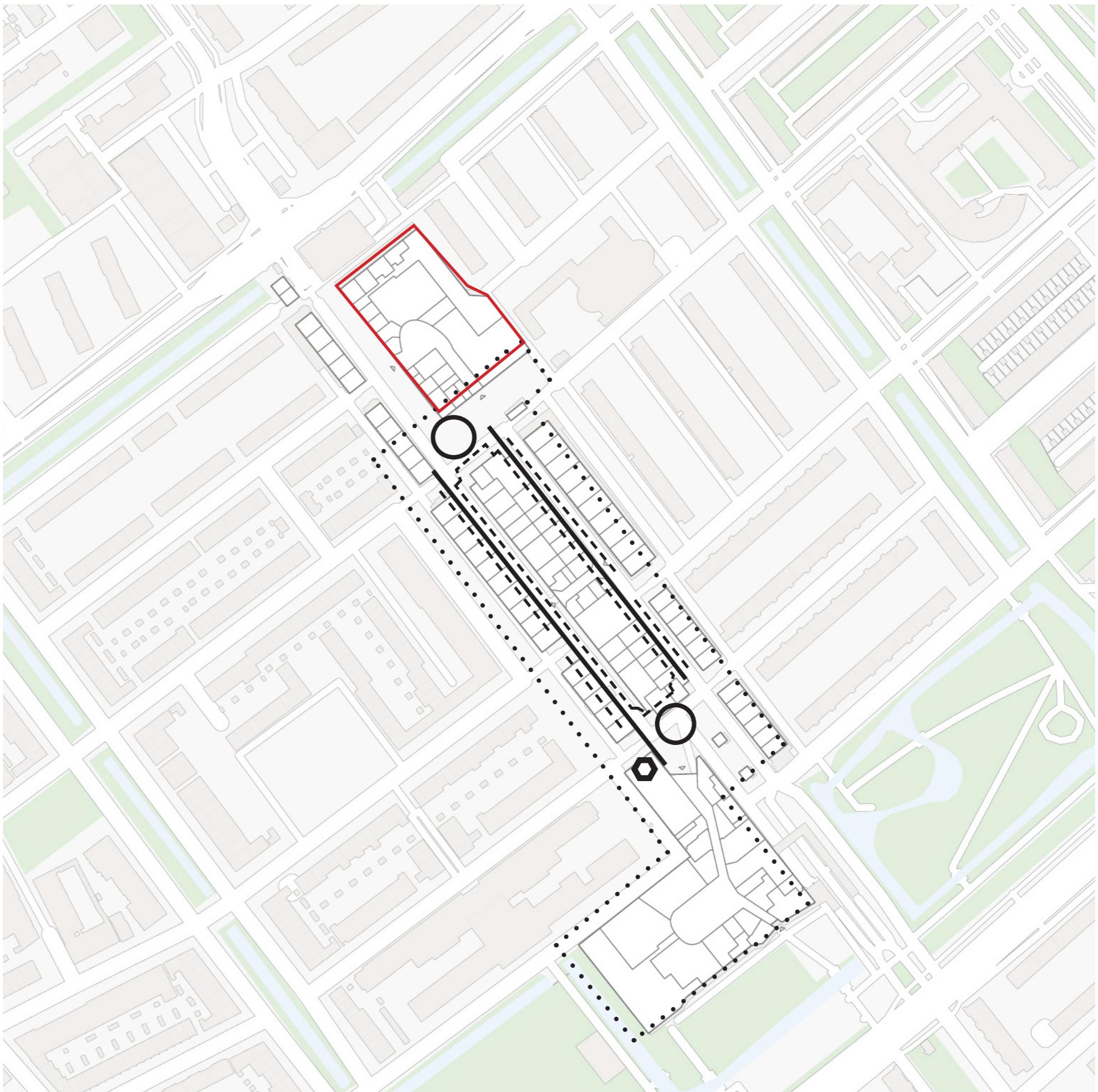
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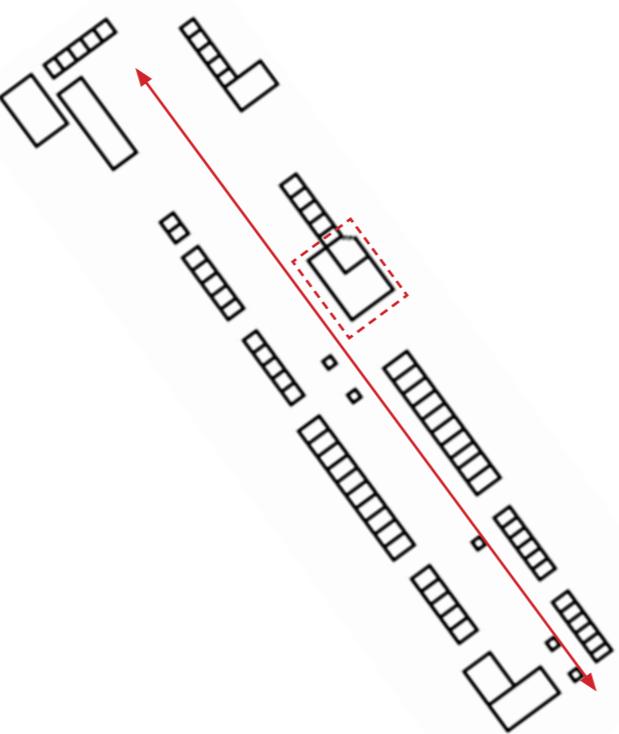
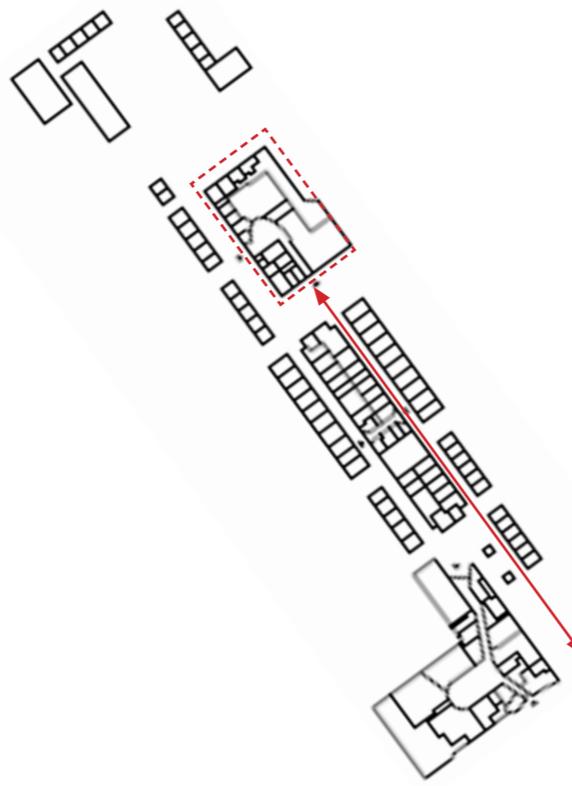
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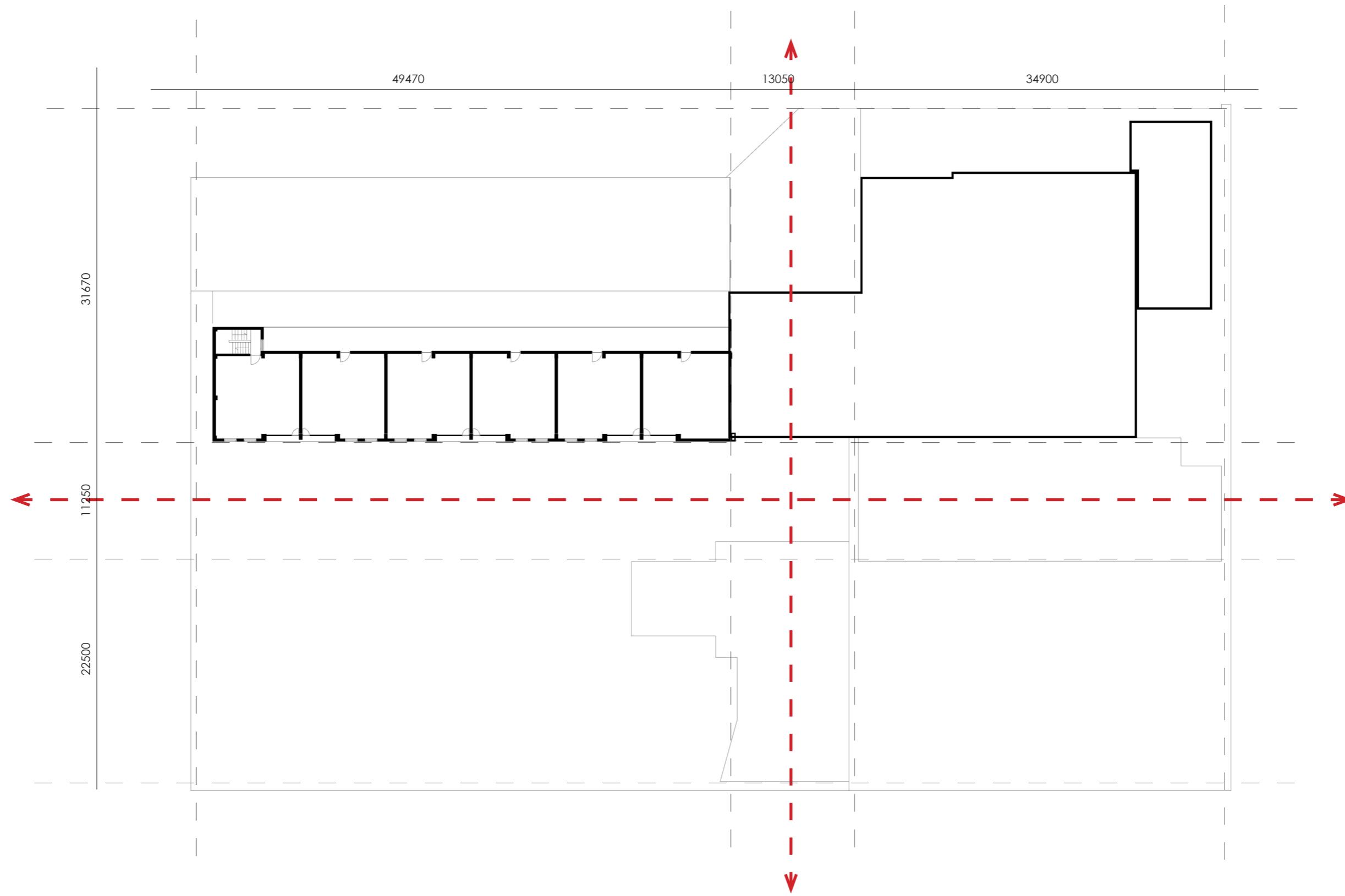
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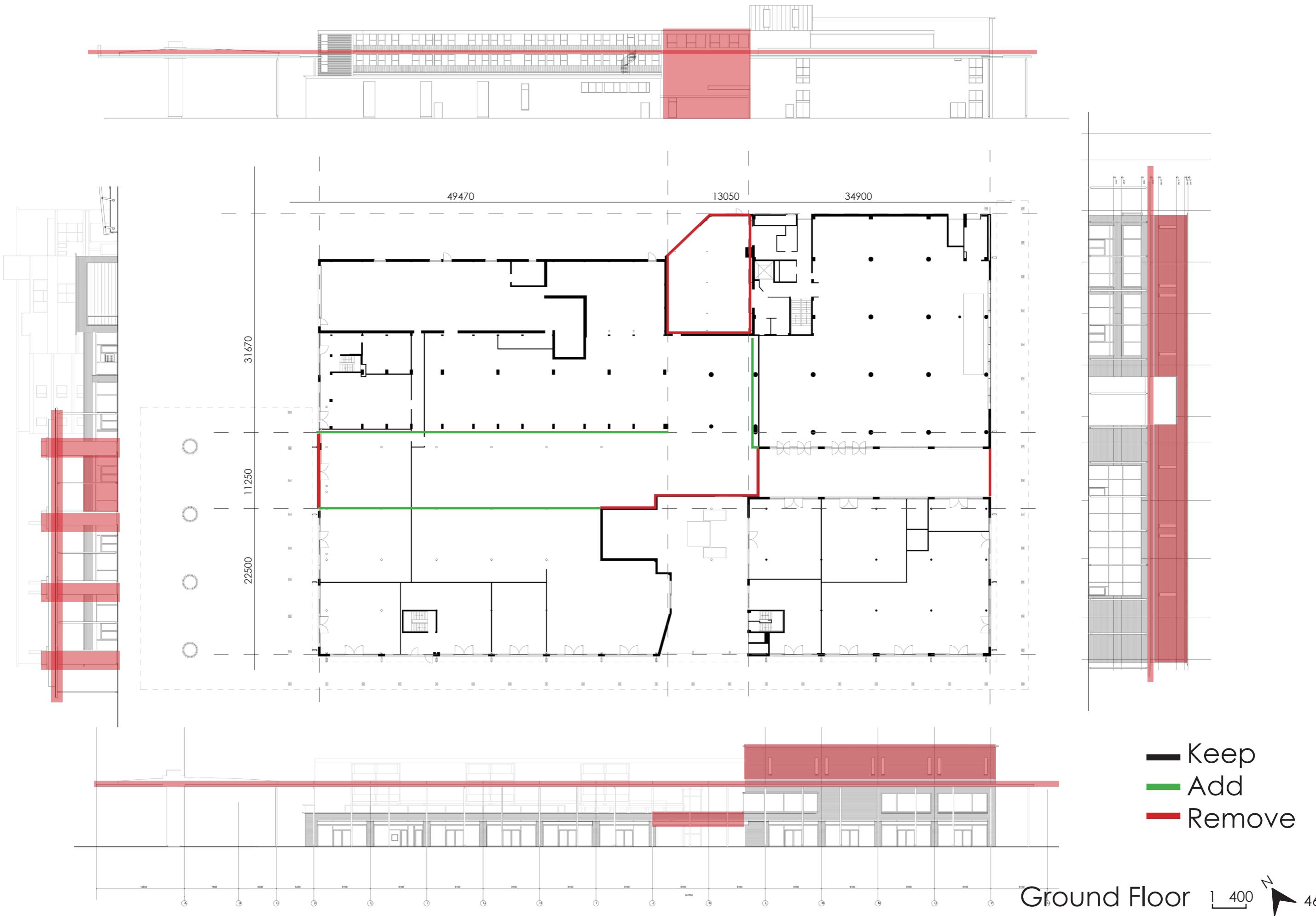
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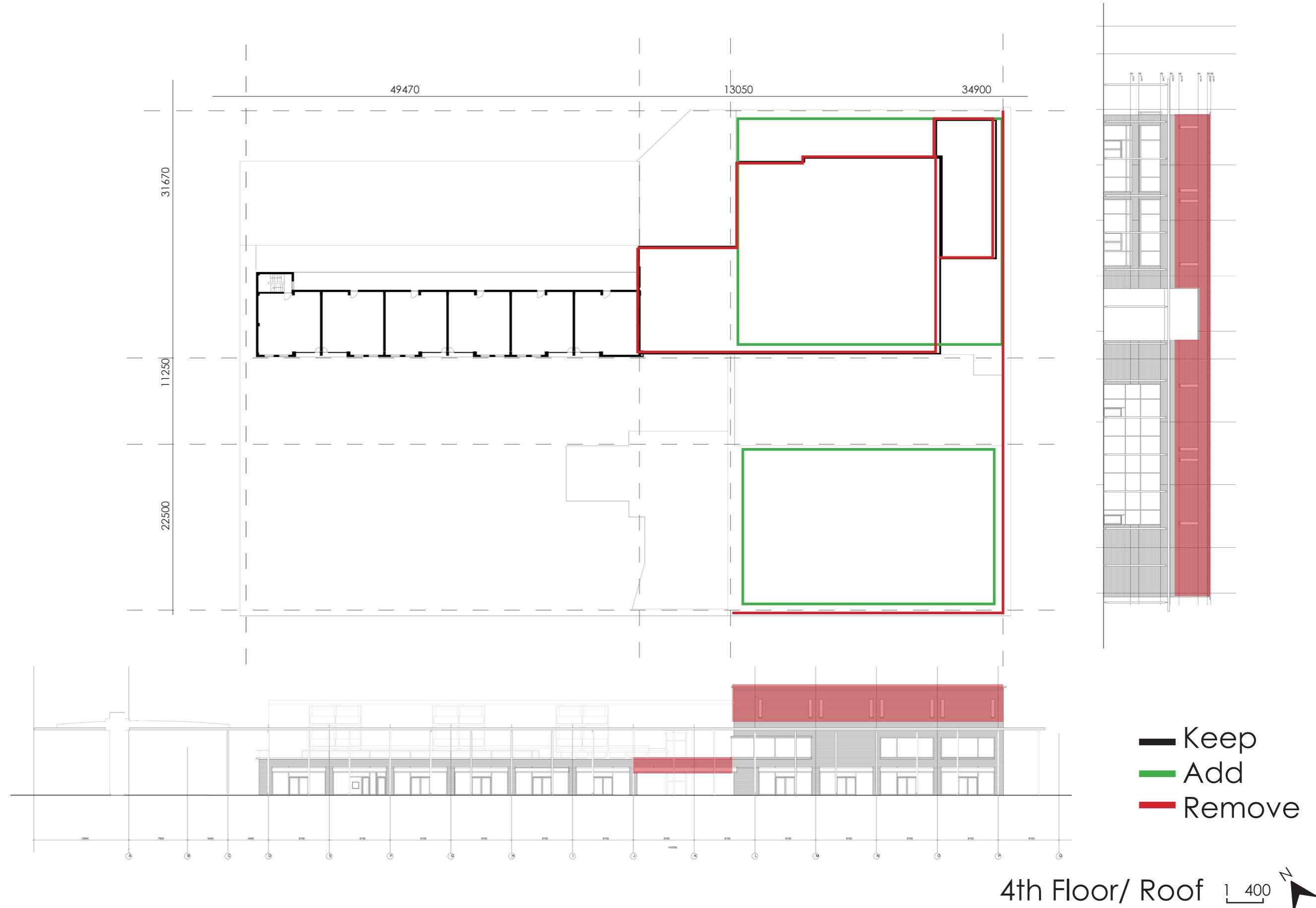
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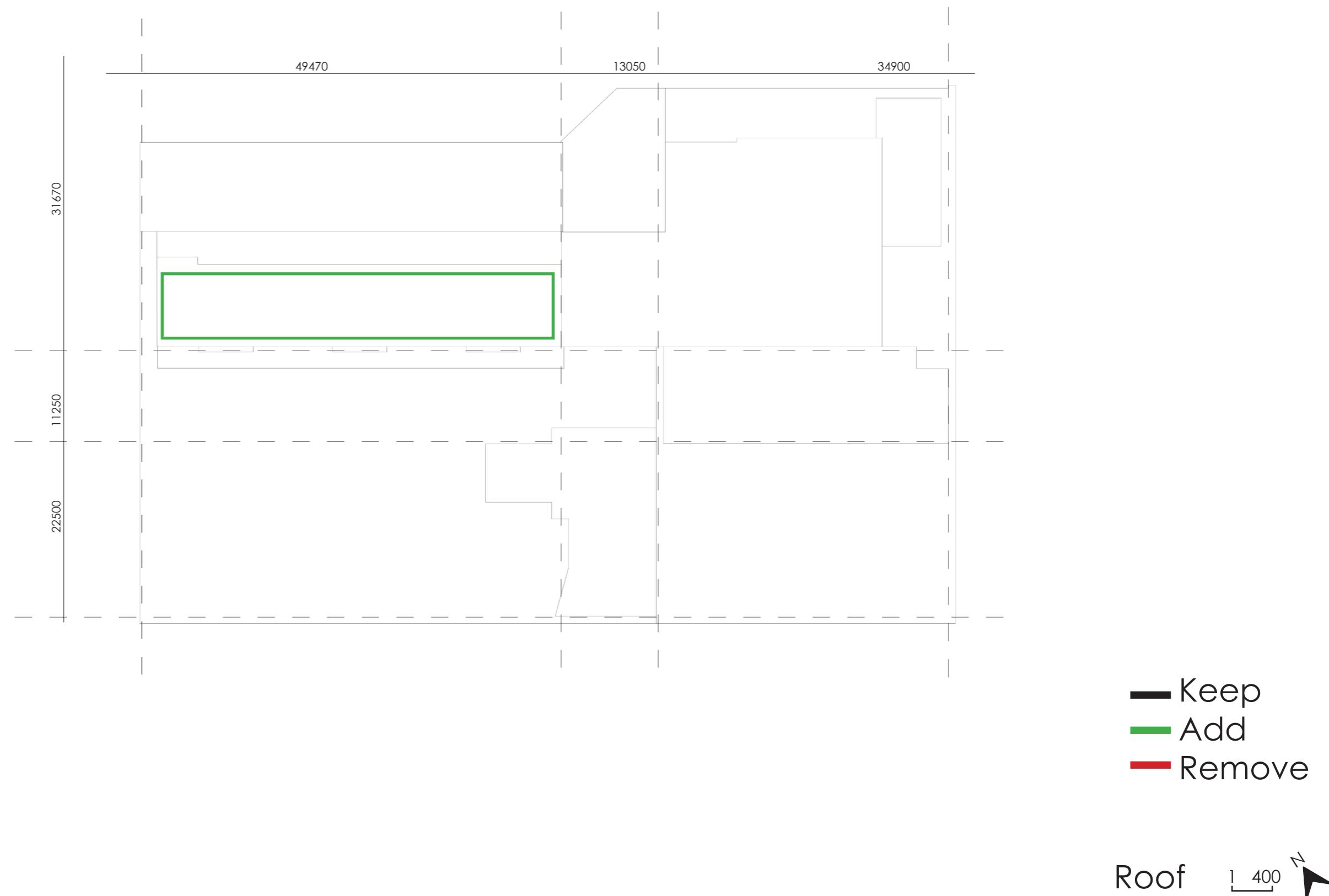
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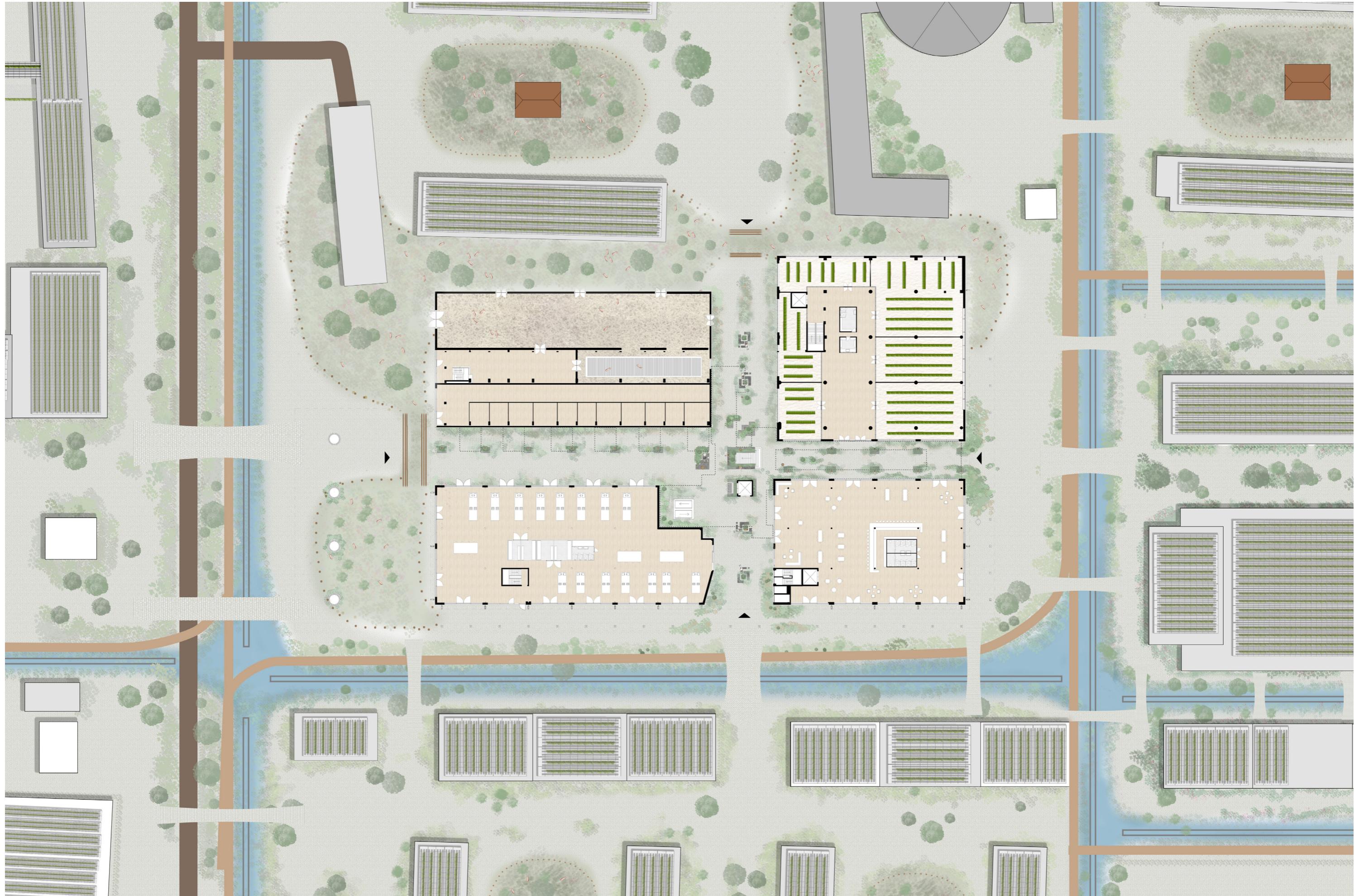
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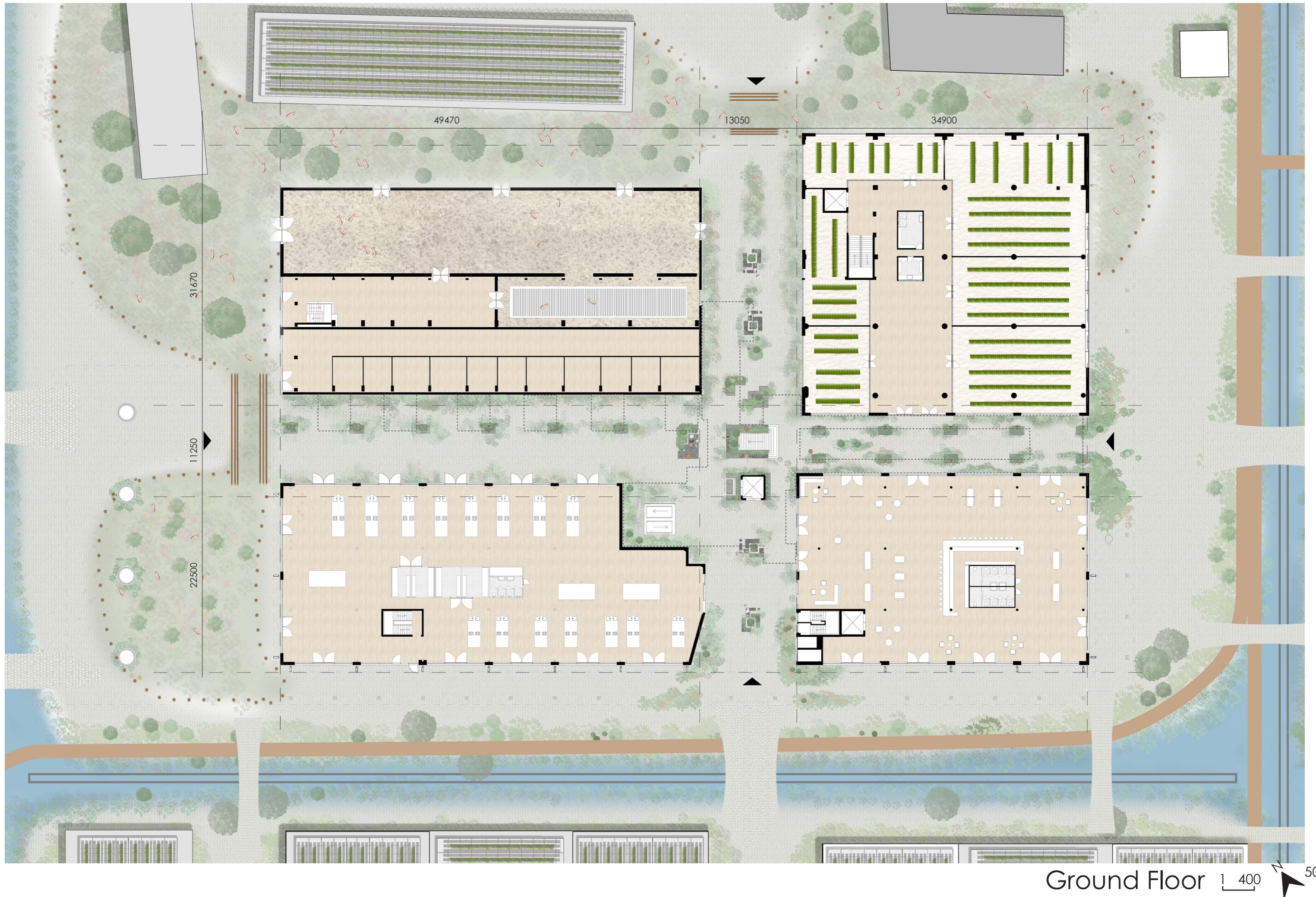
Context V&D



Ground Floor



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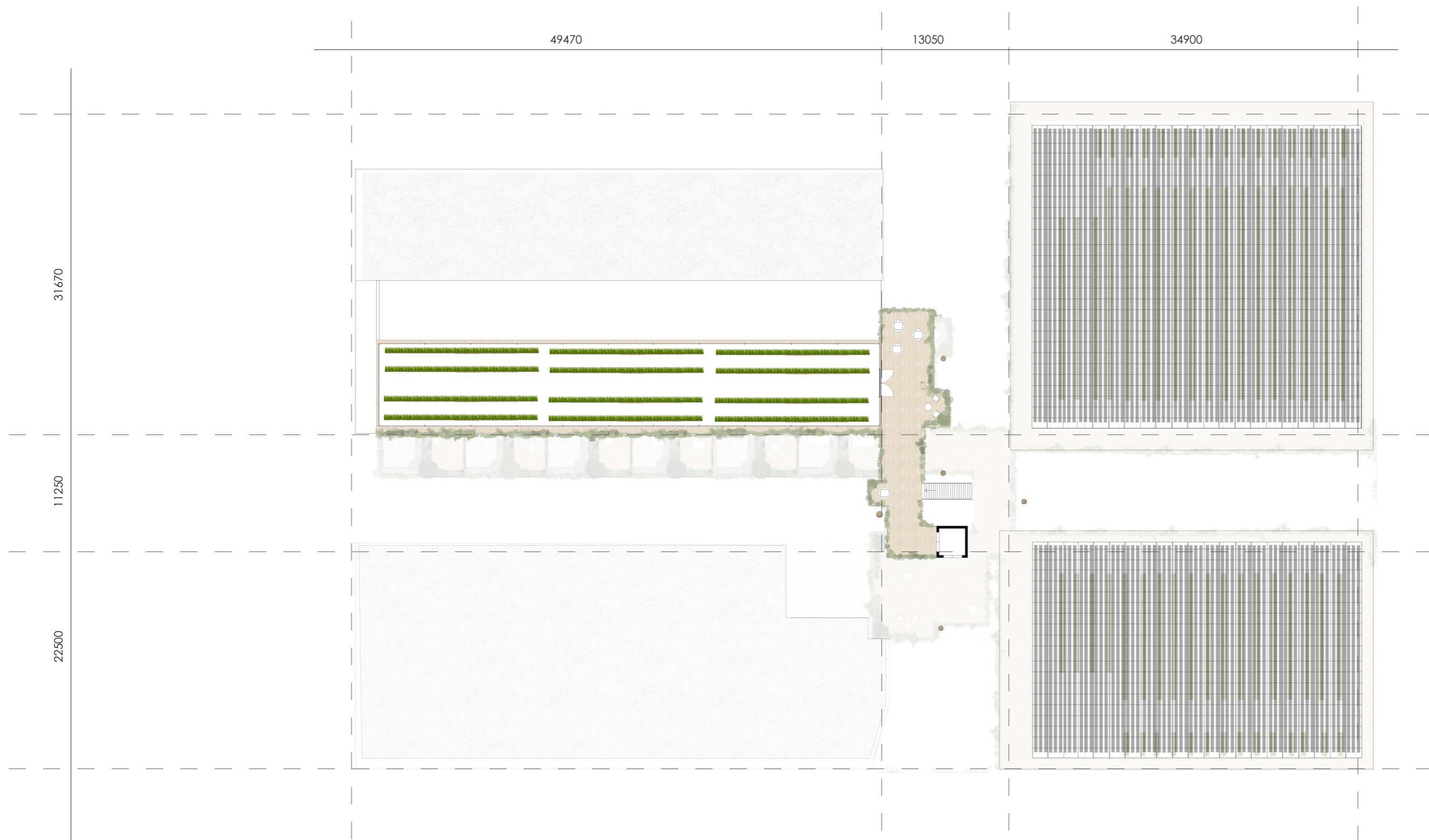
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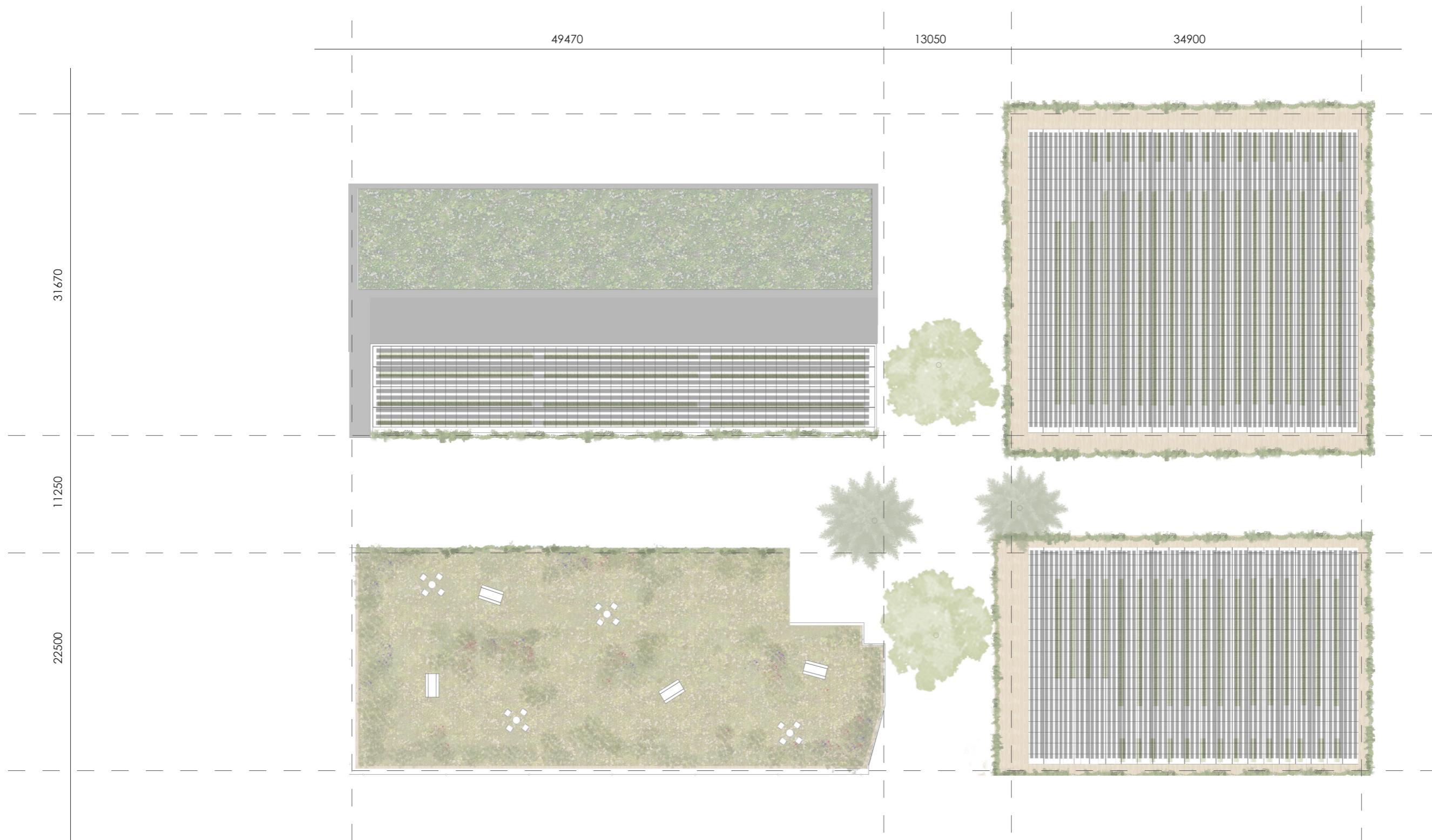
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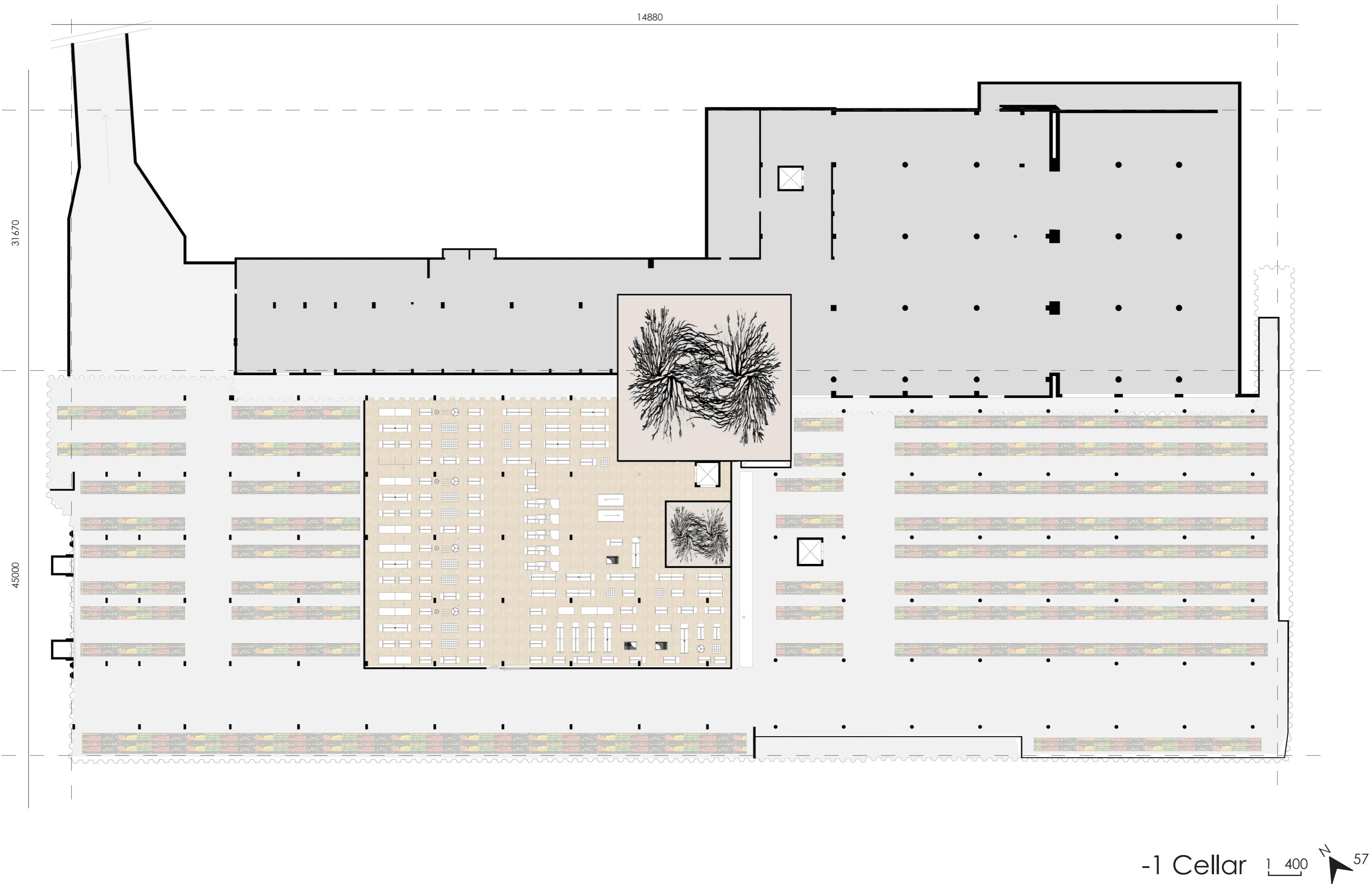
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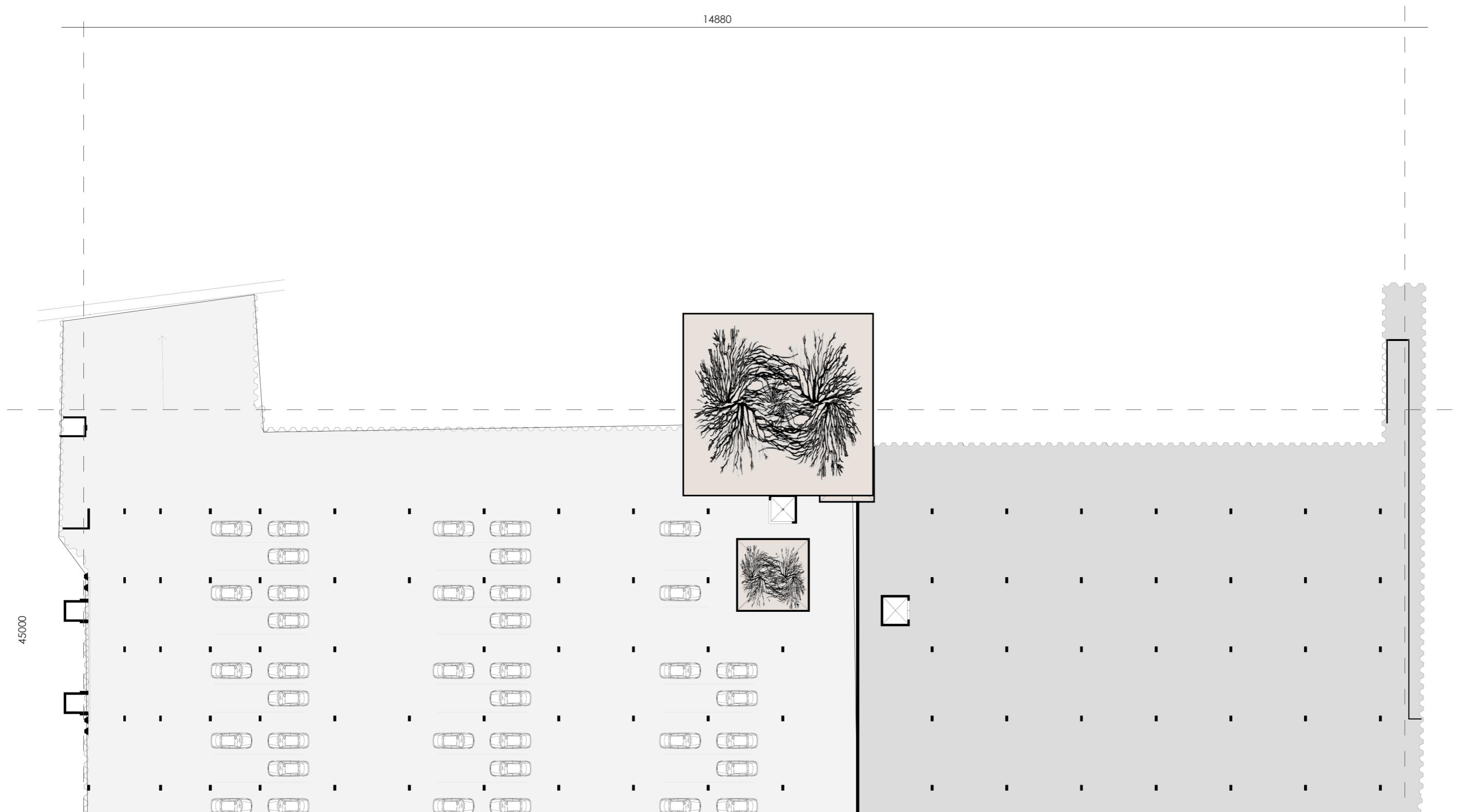
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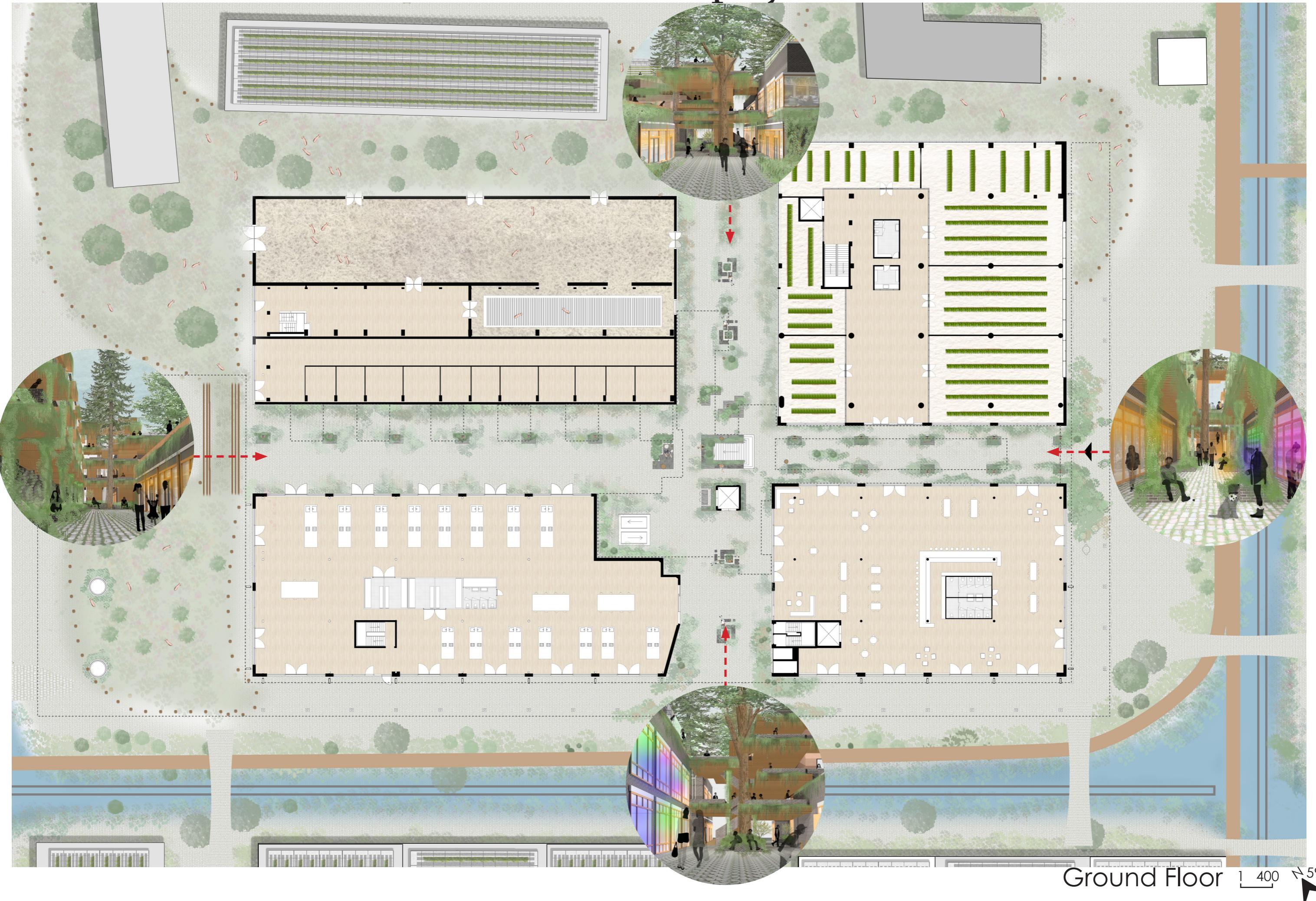
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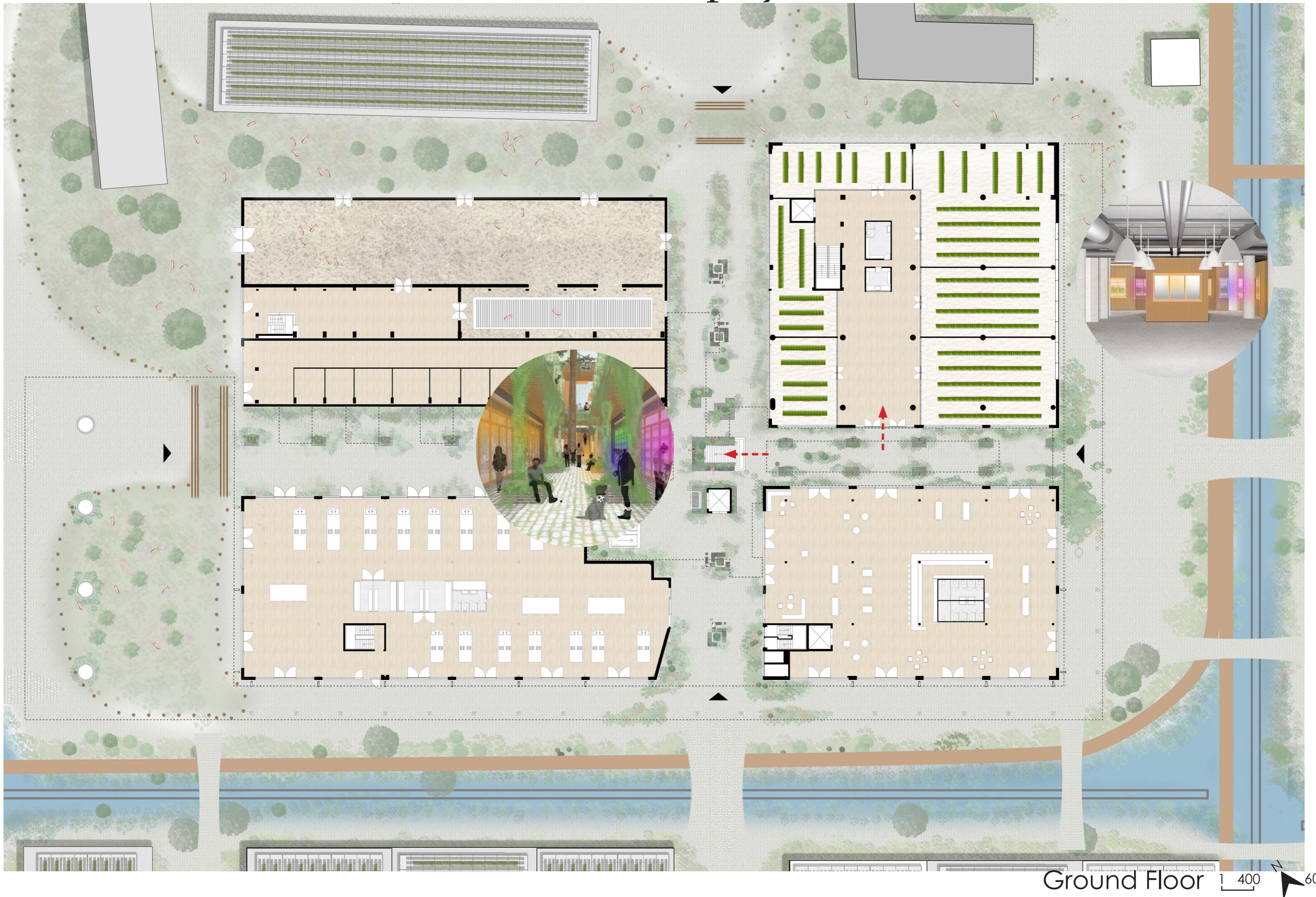
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Use of V&D: Employee



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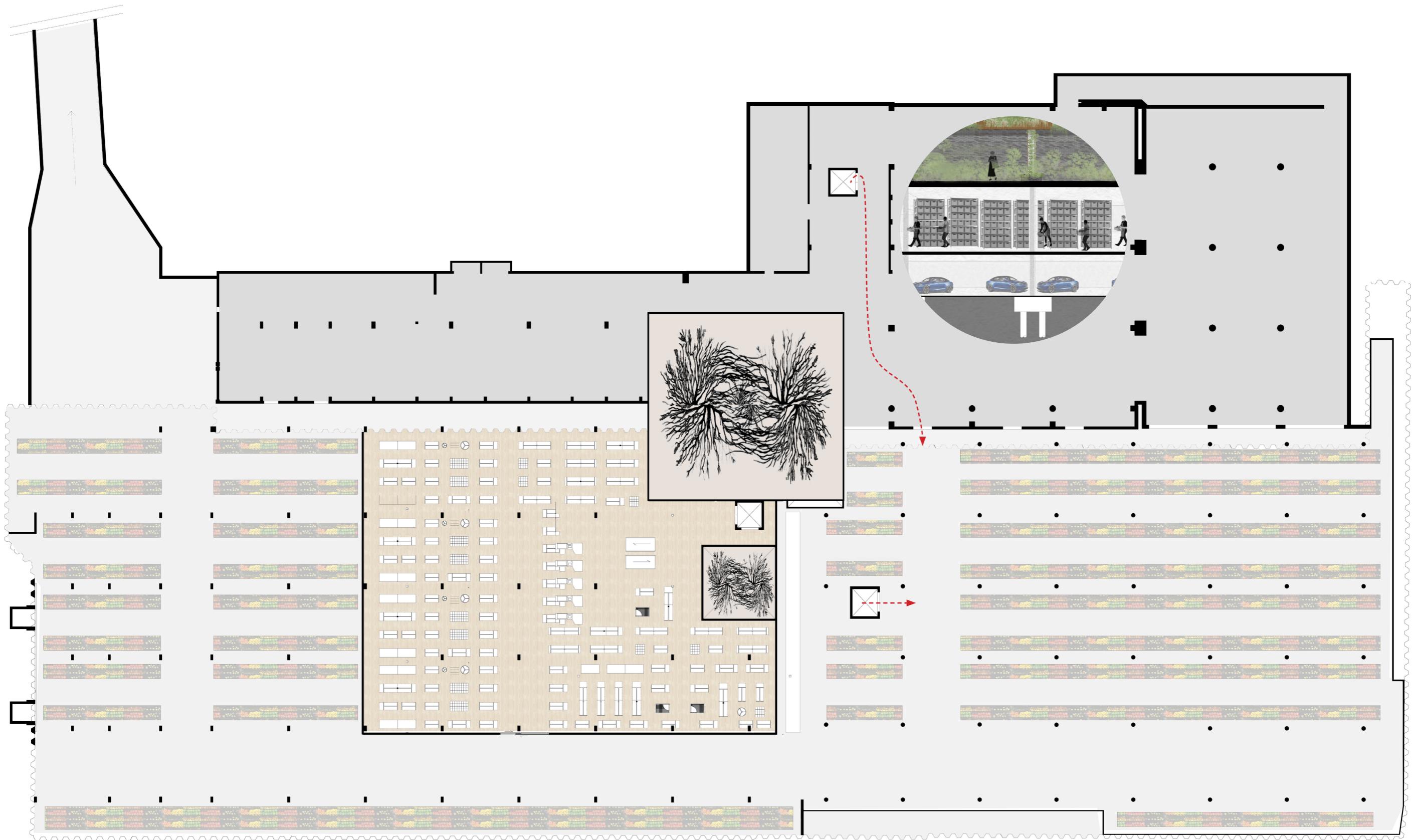
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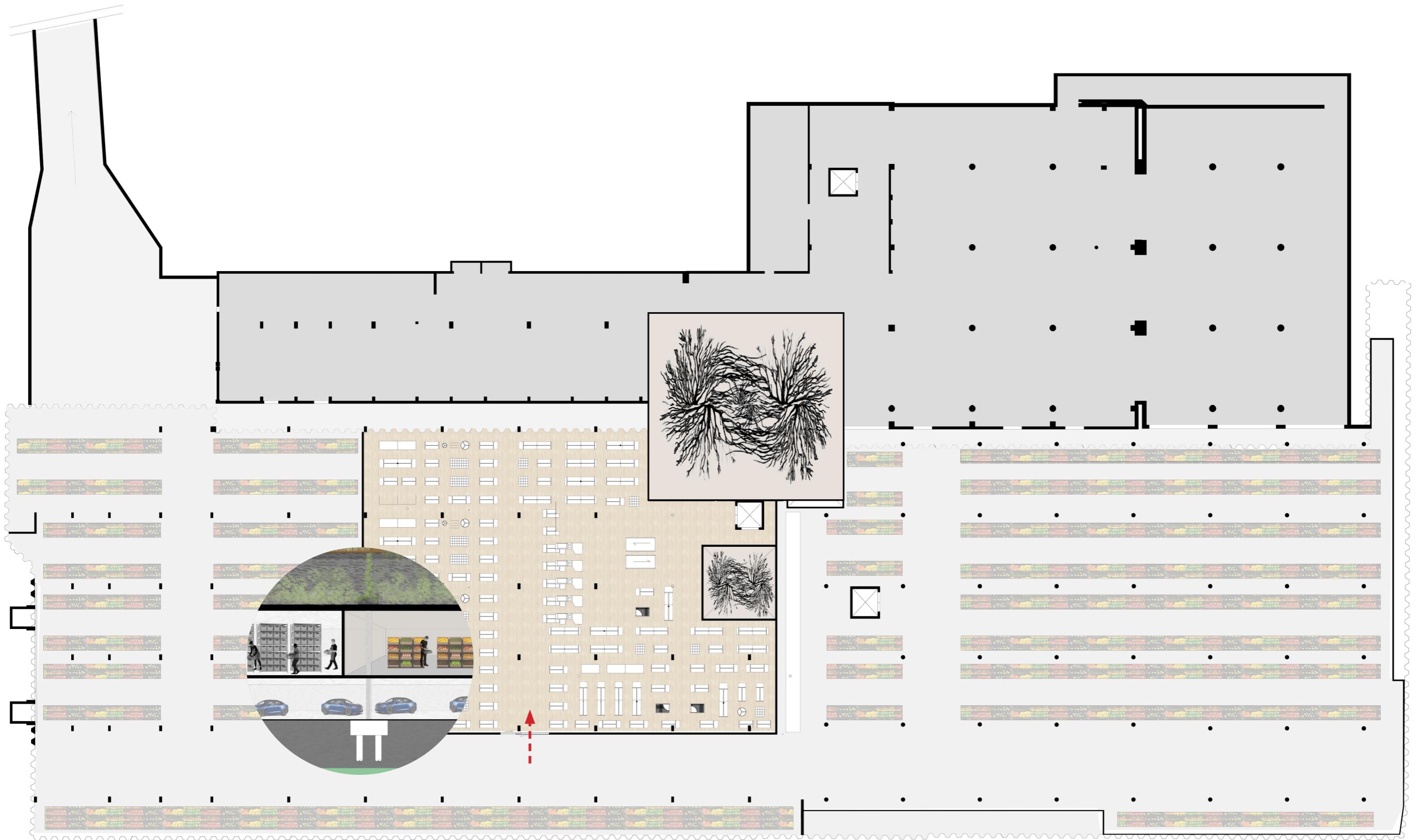
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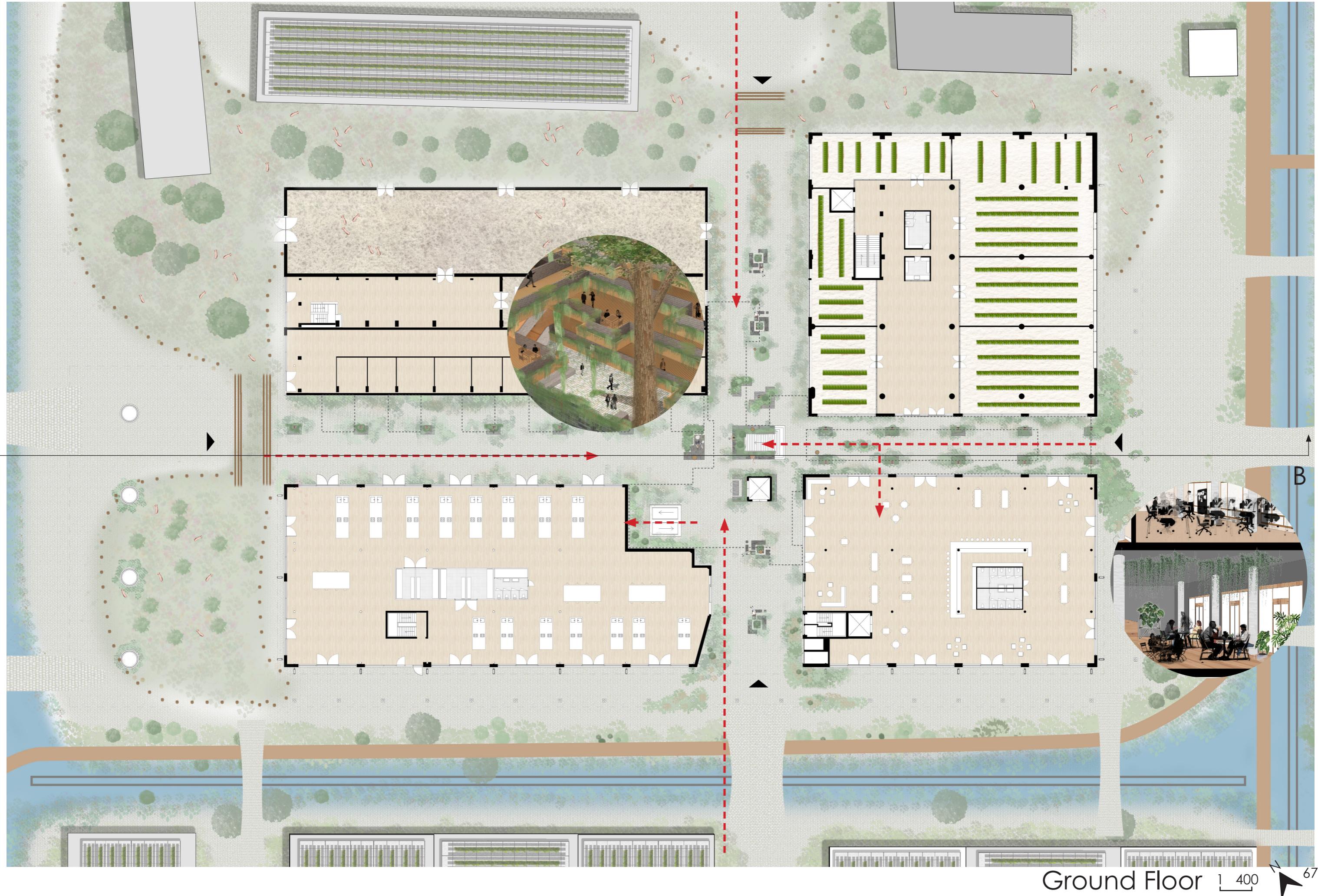
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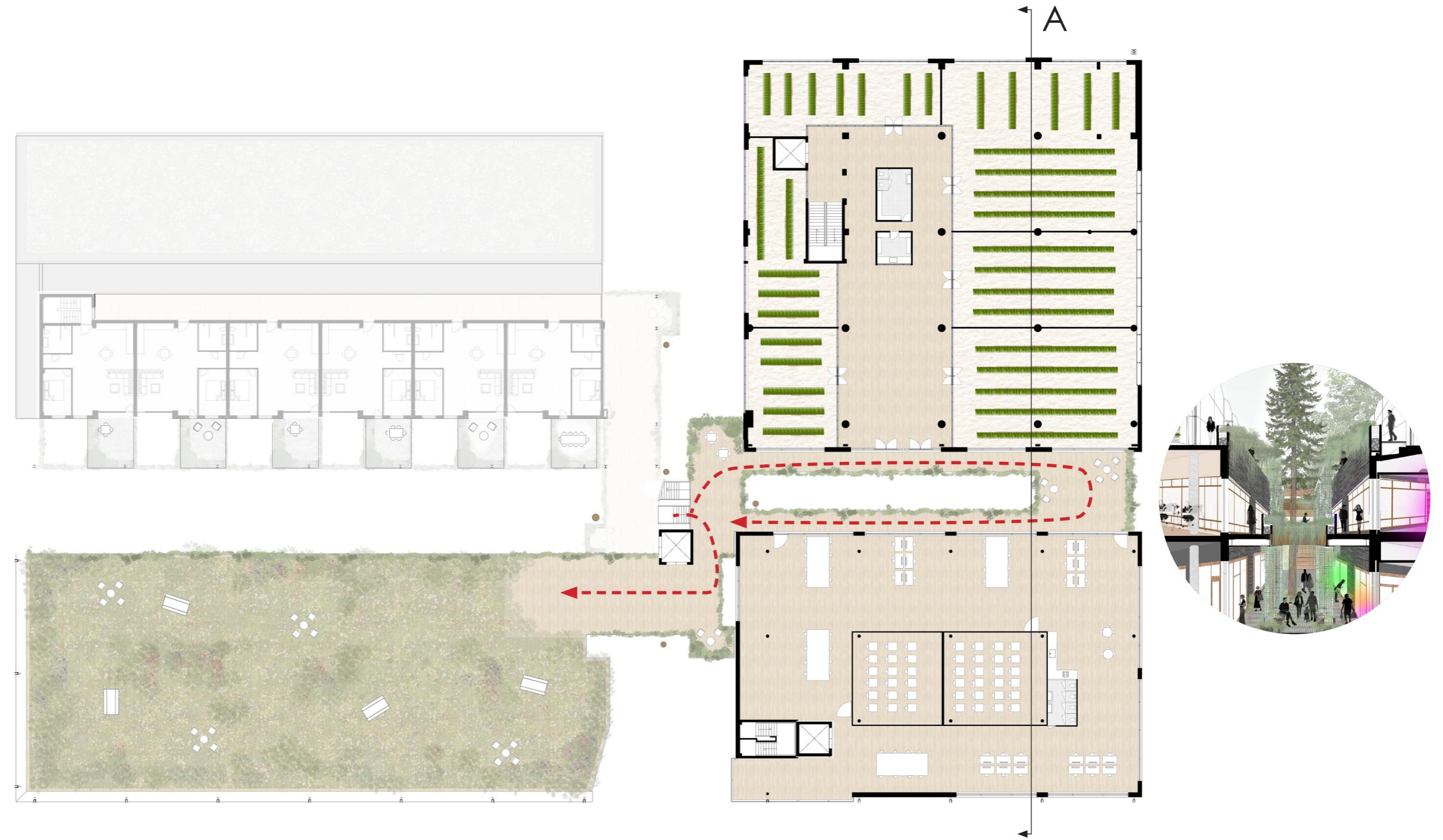
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Old vs New Facades V&D



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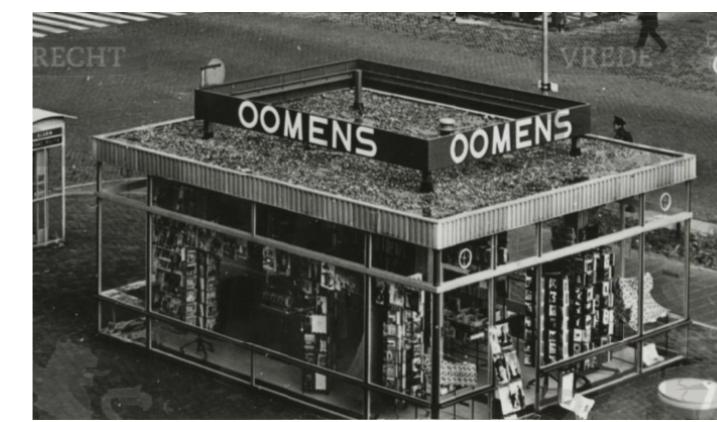
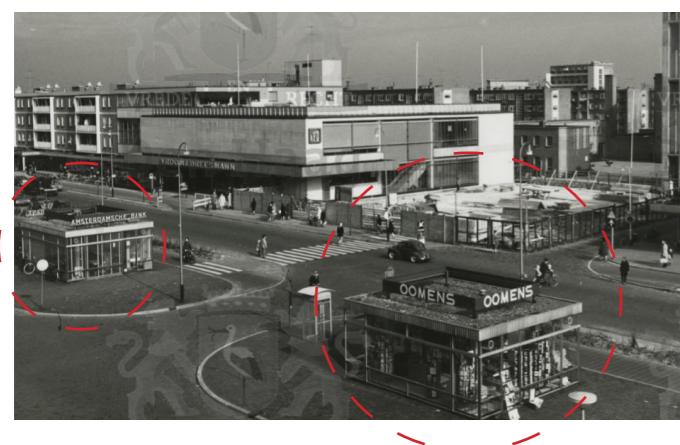
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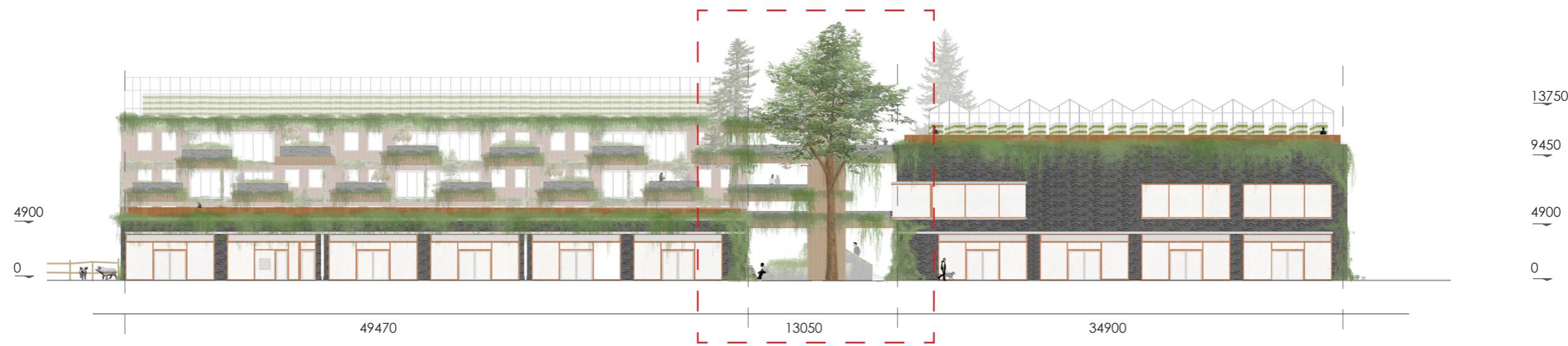
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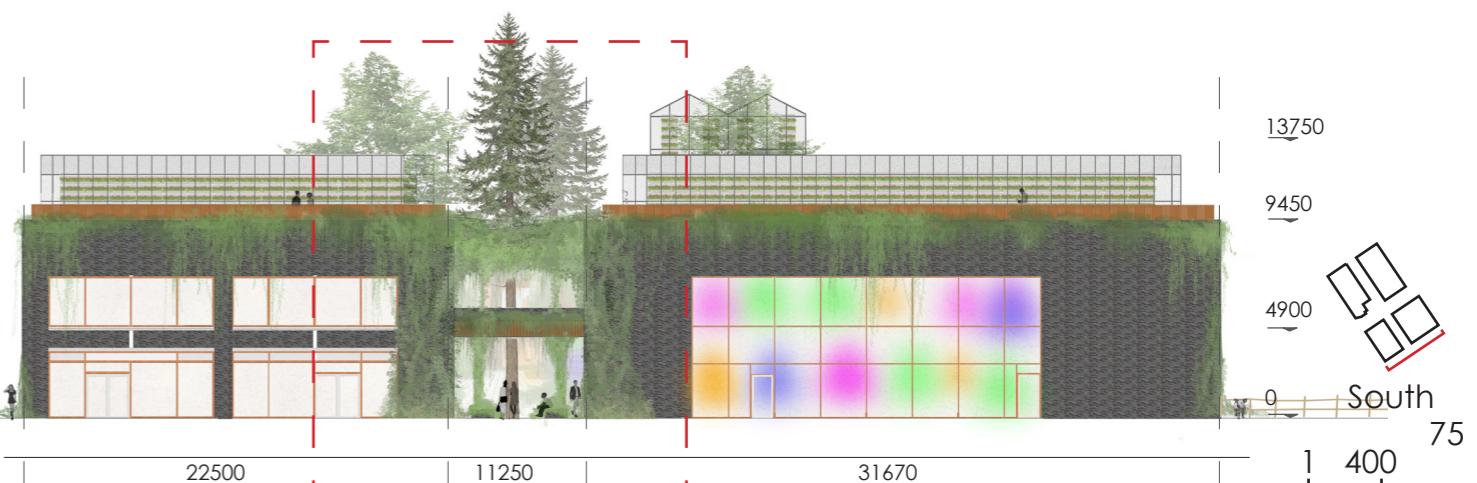
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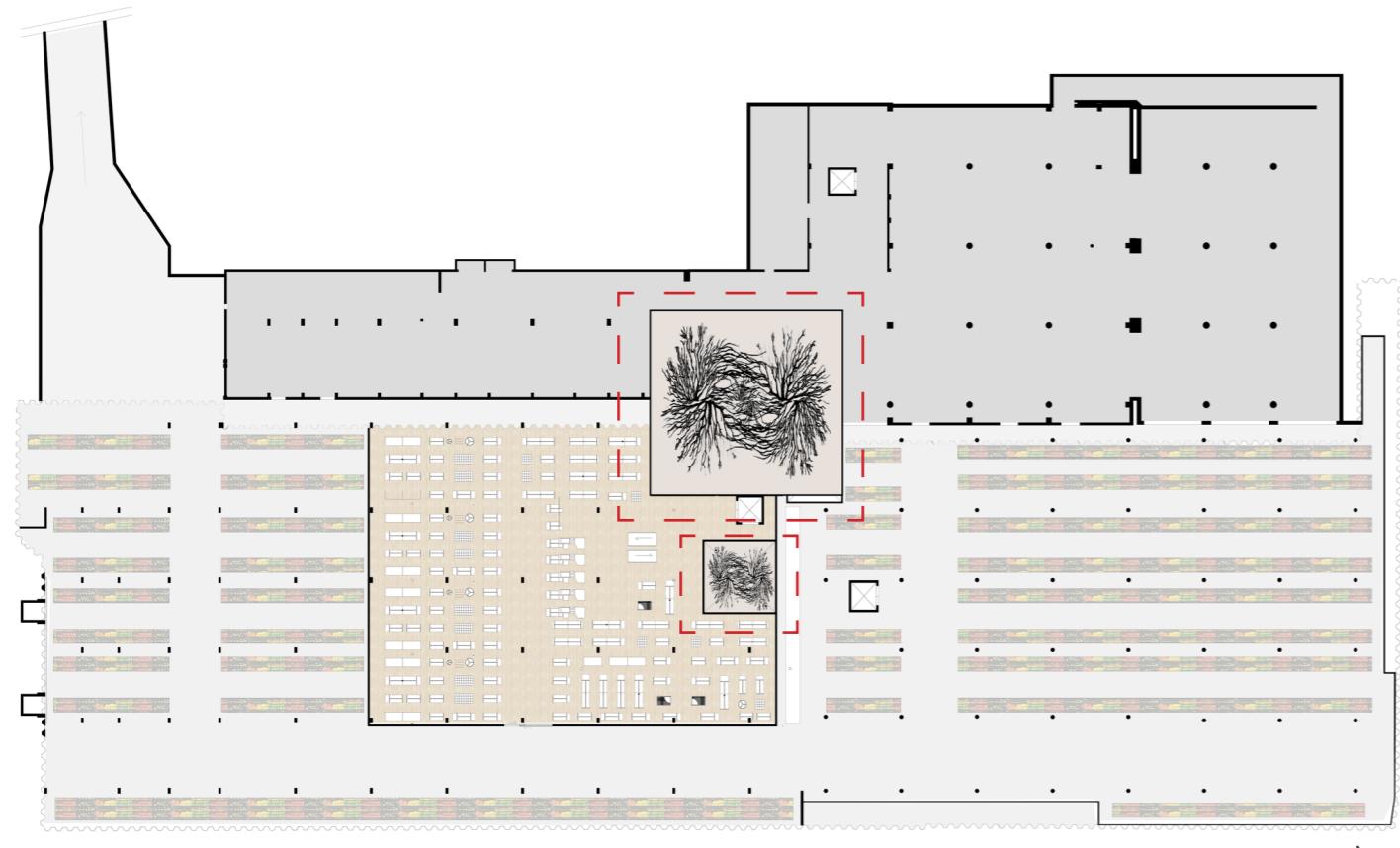
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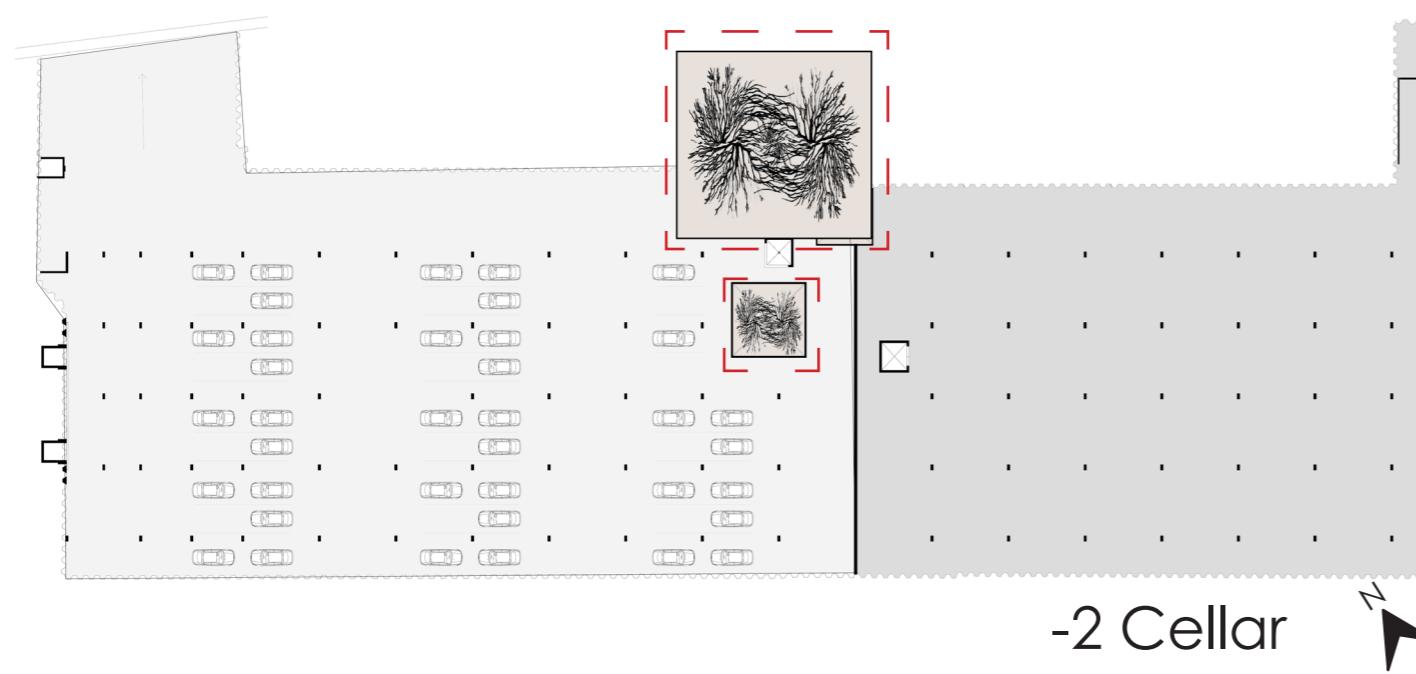


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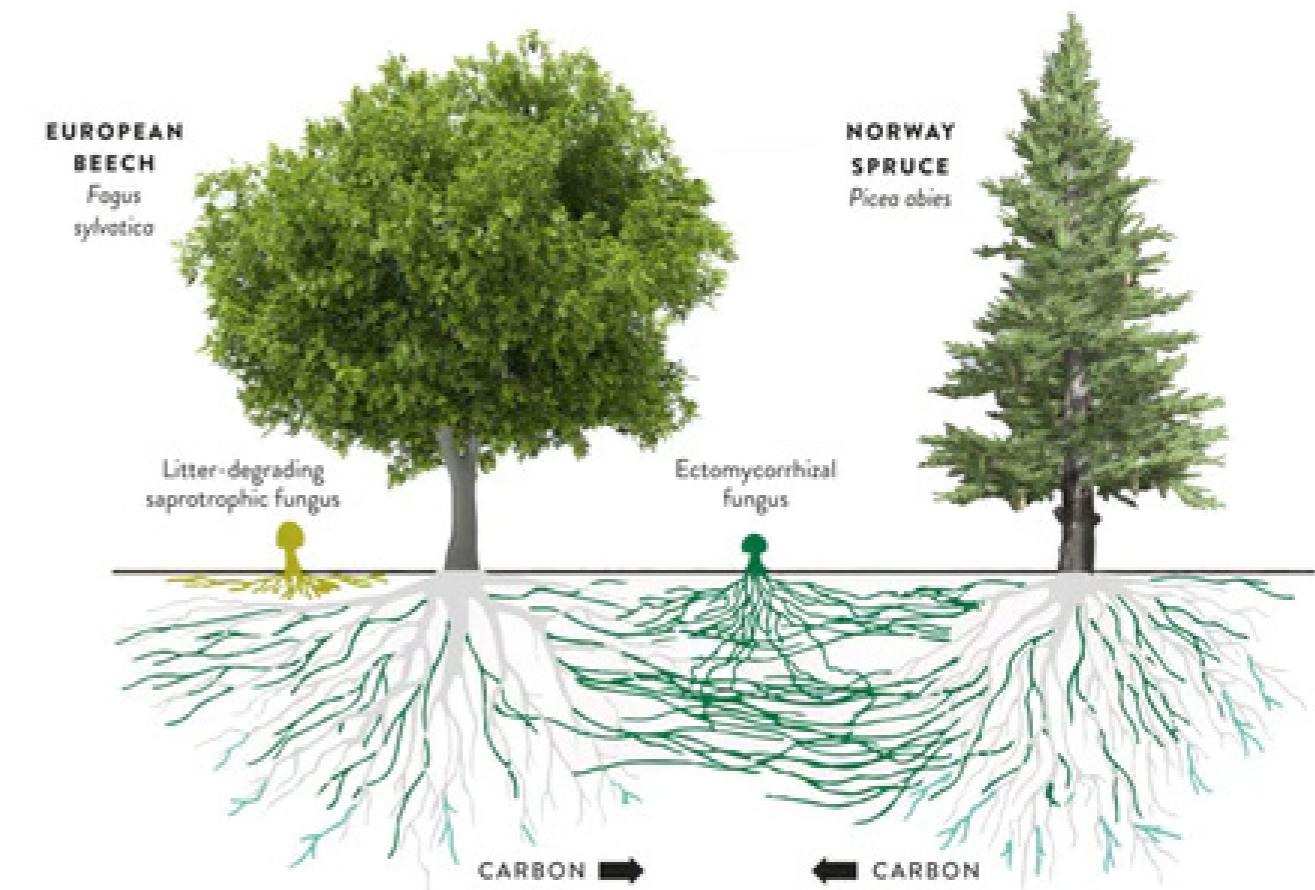


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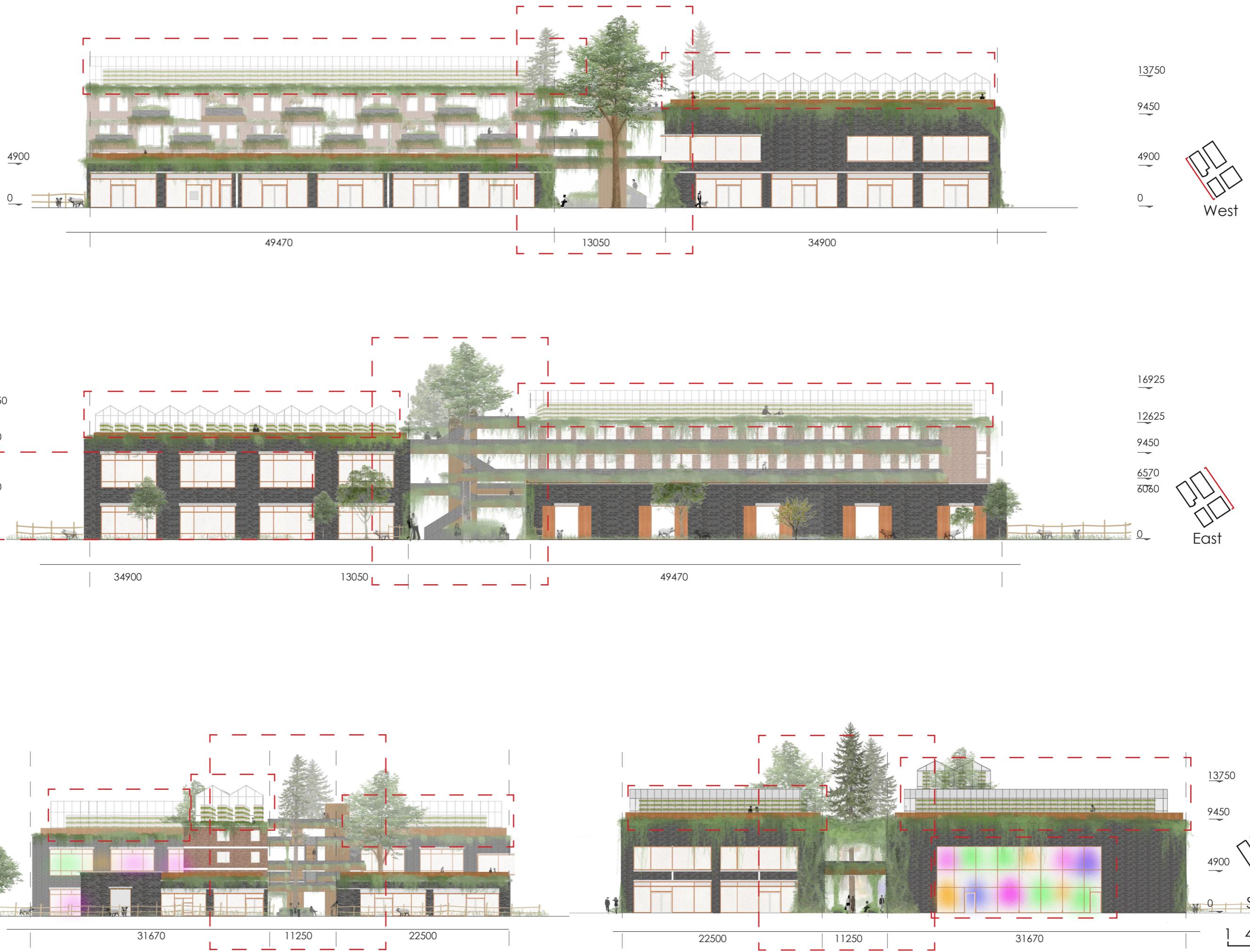
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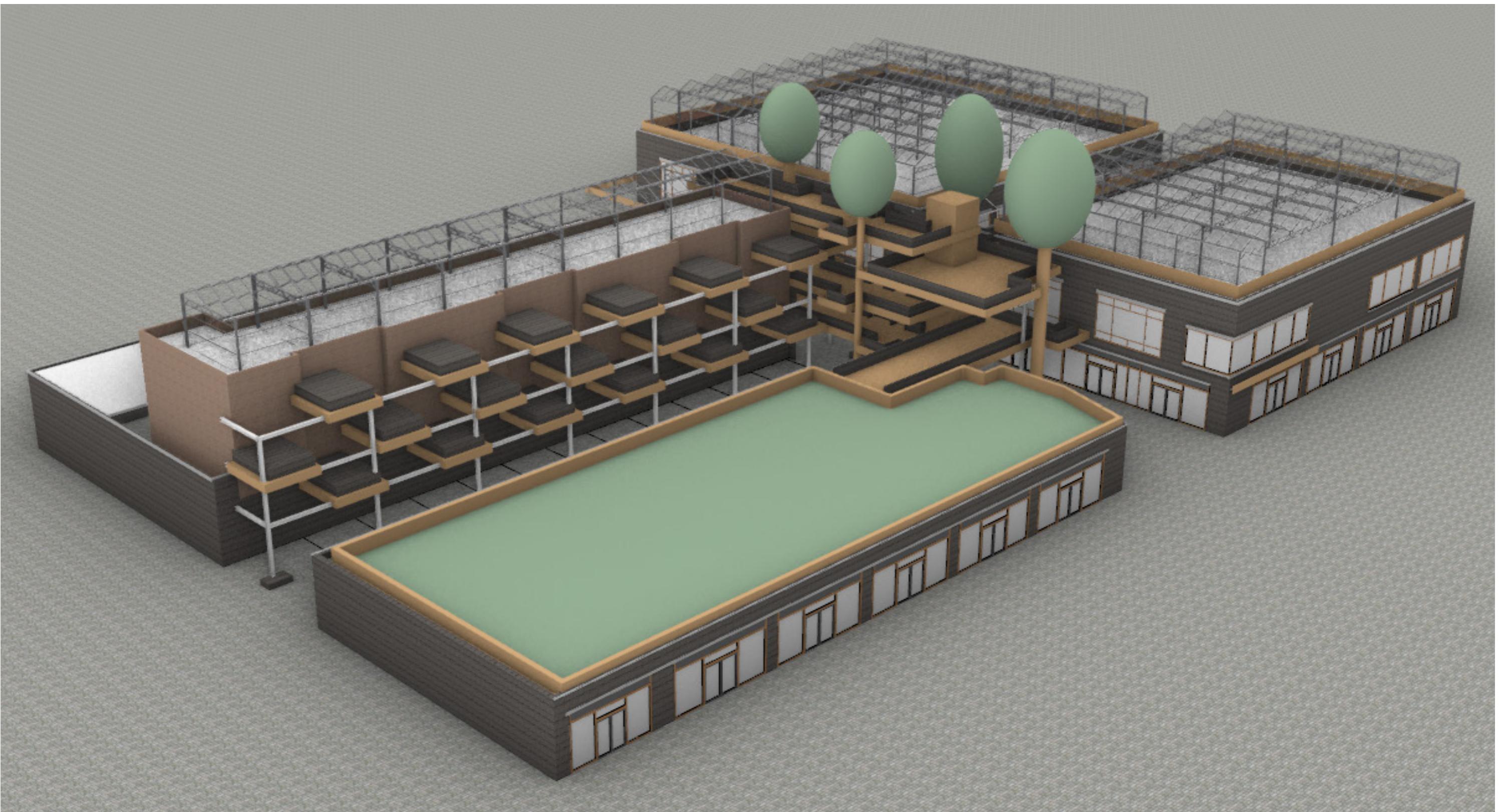


(National Geographic 2020)

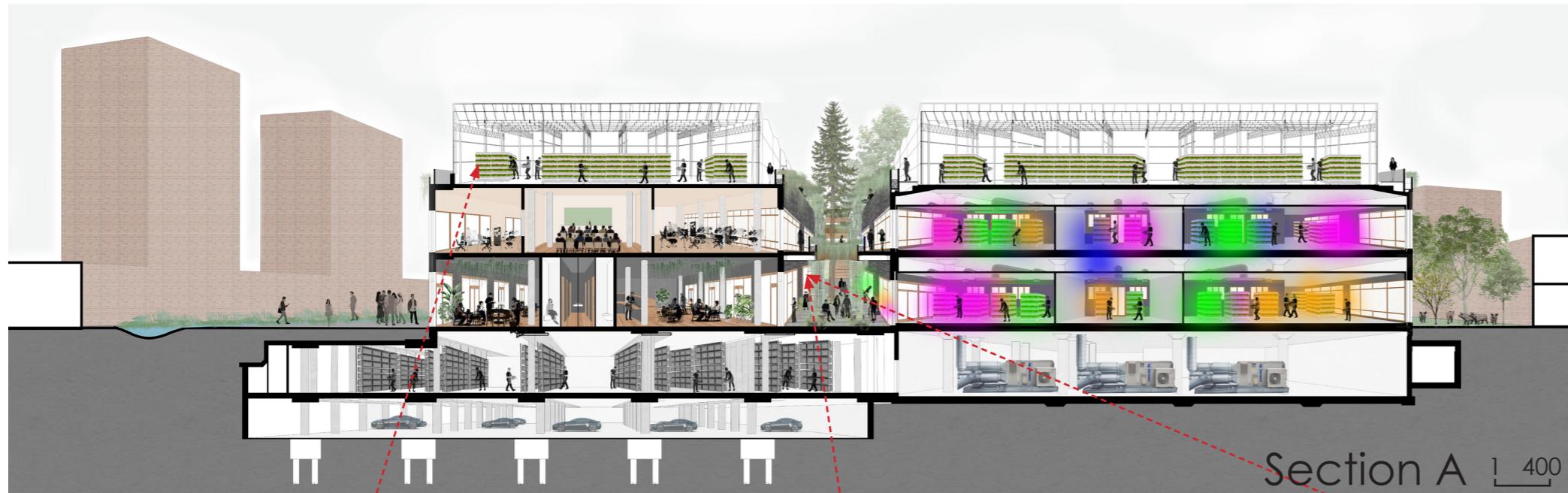
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Inside The V&D



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Reused Venlo Green House



Reused Brick



Section A 1:400

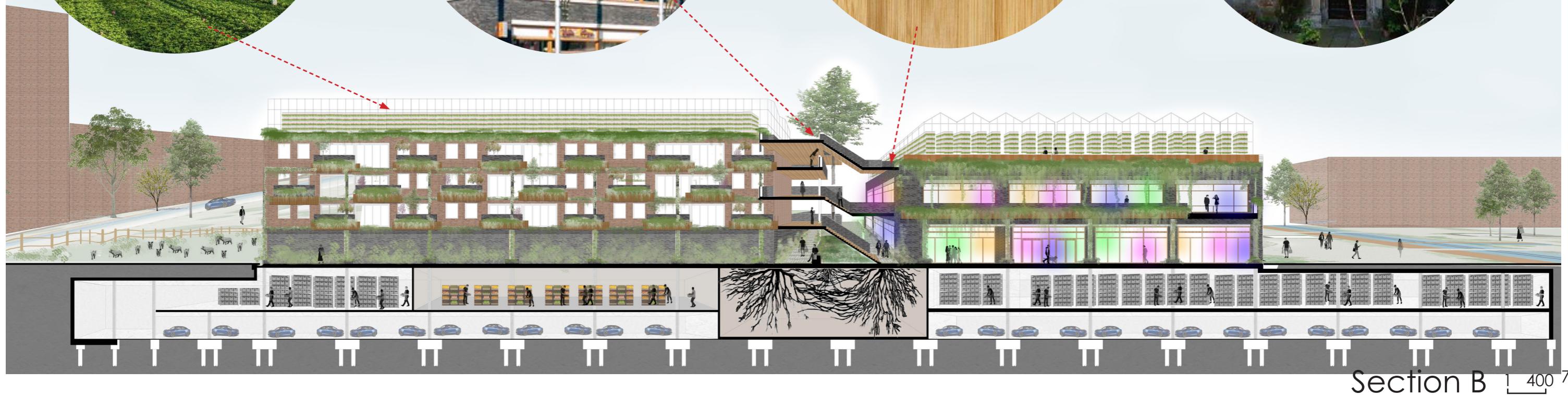
Hanging Plants



Bamboo

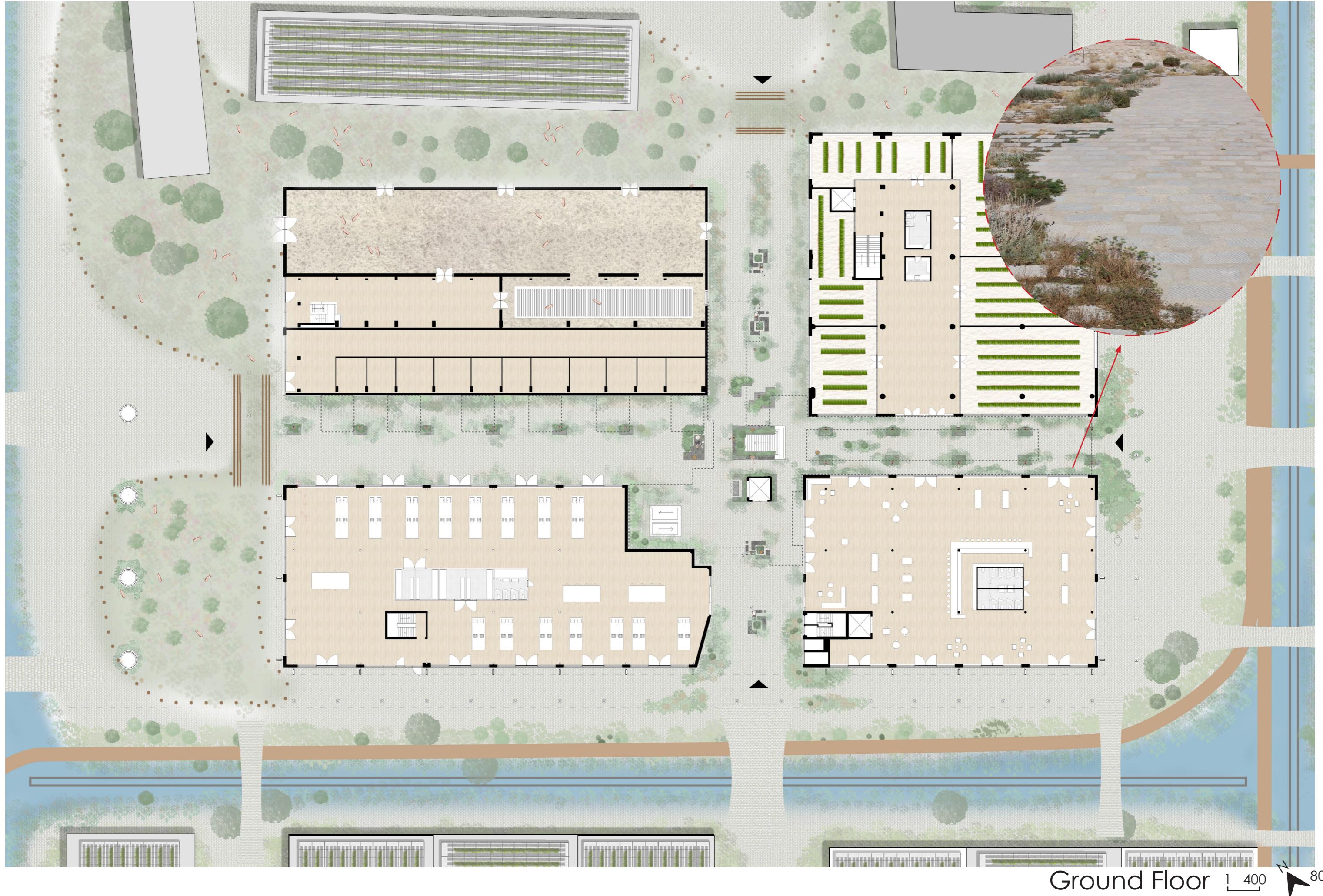


Self Bonder plants



Section B 1:400 79

Inside the V&D



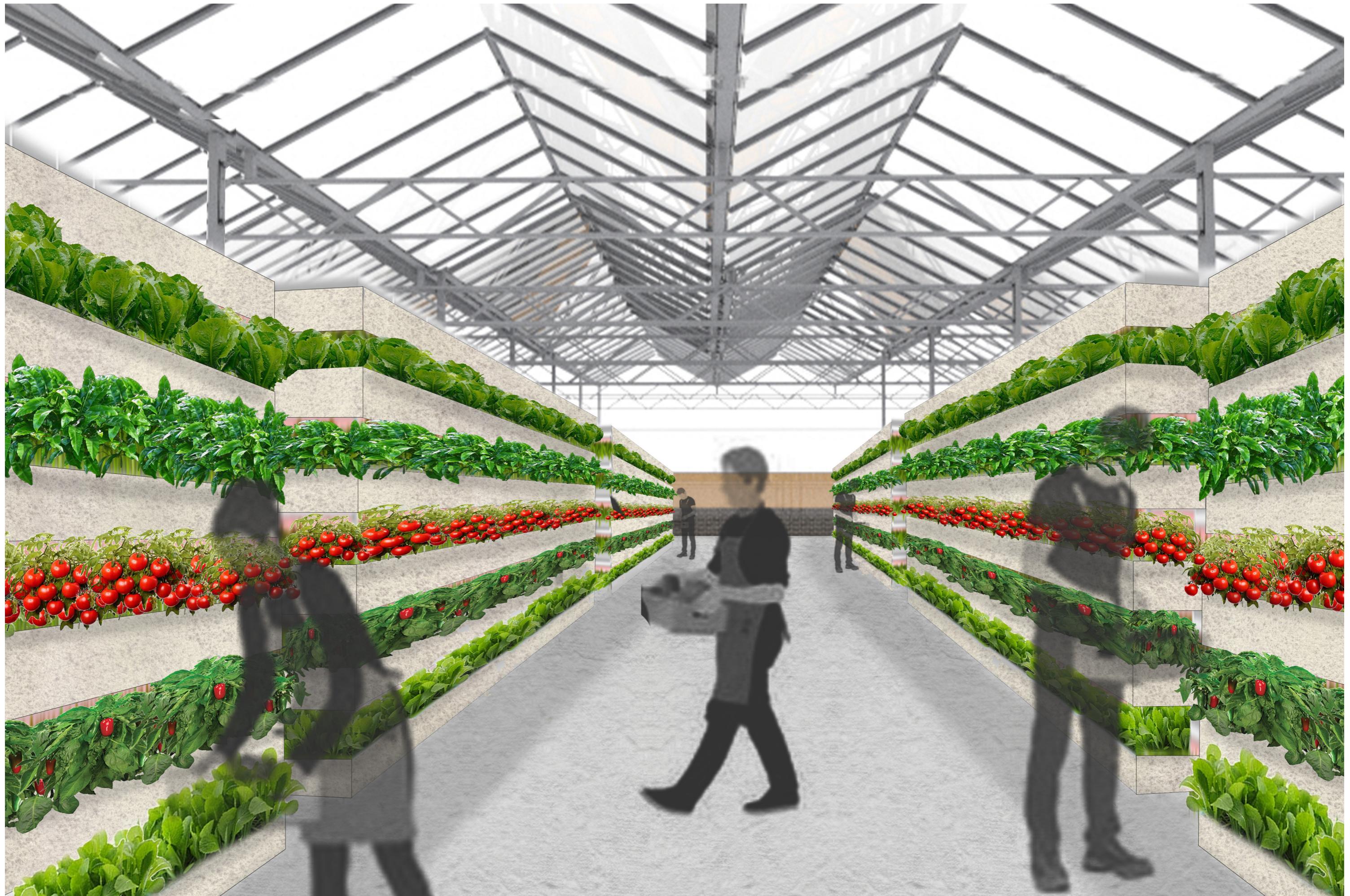
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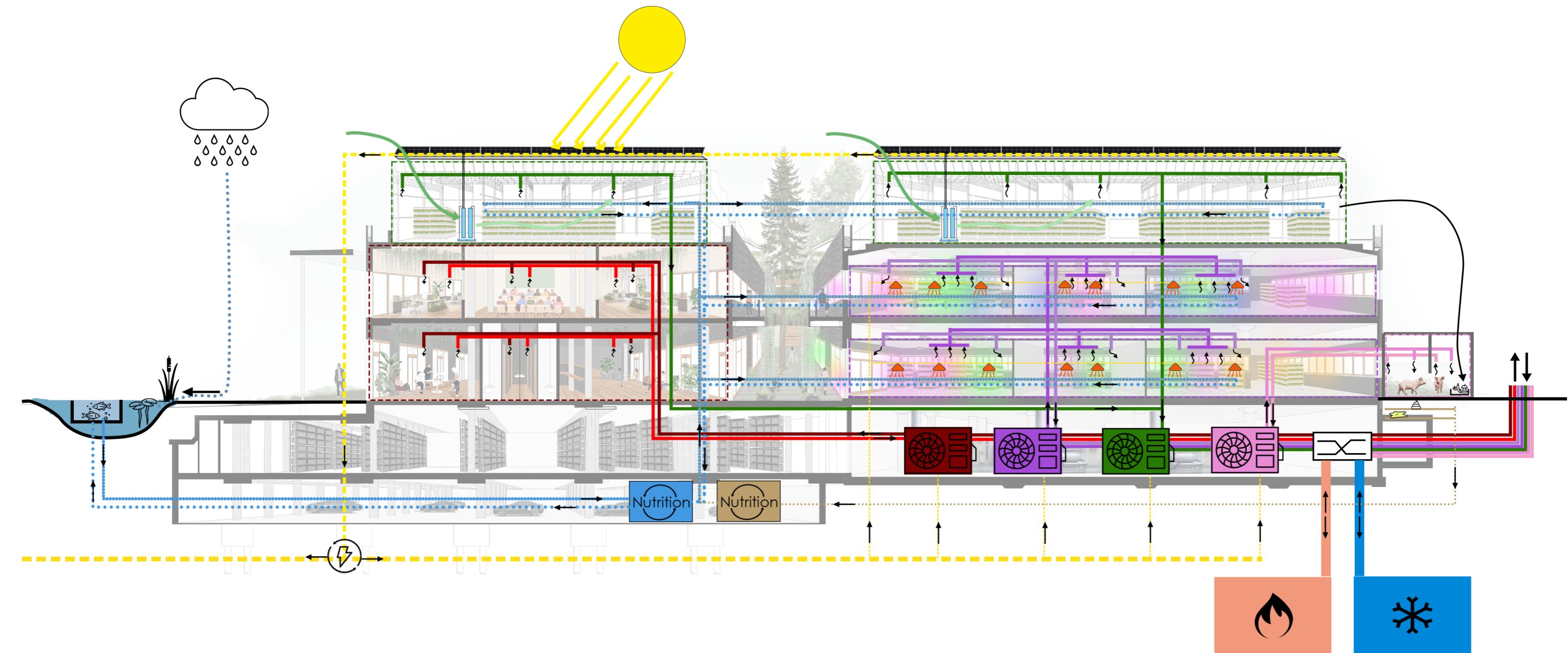
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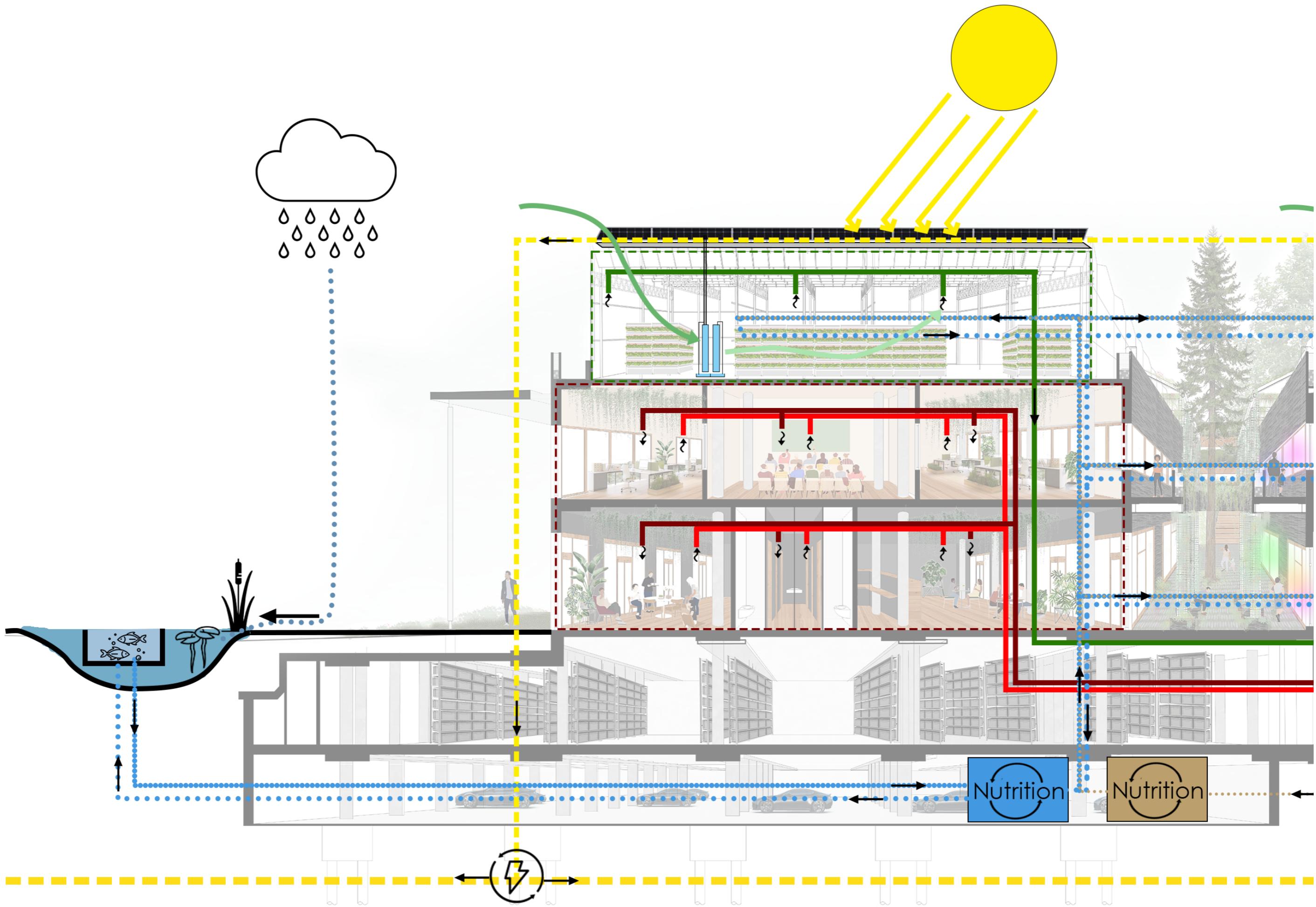
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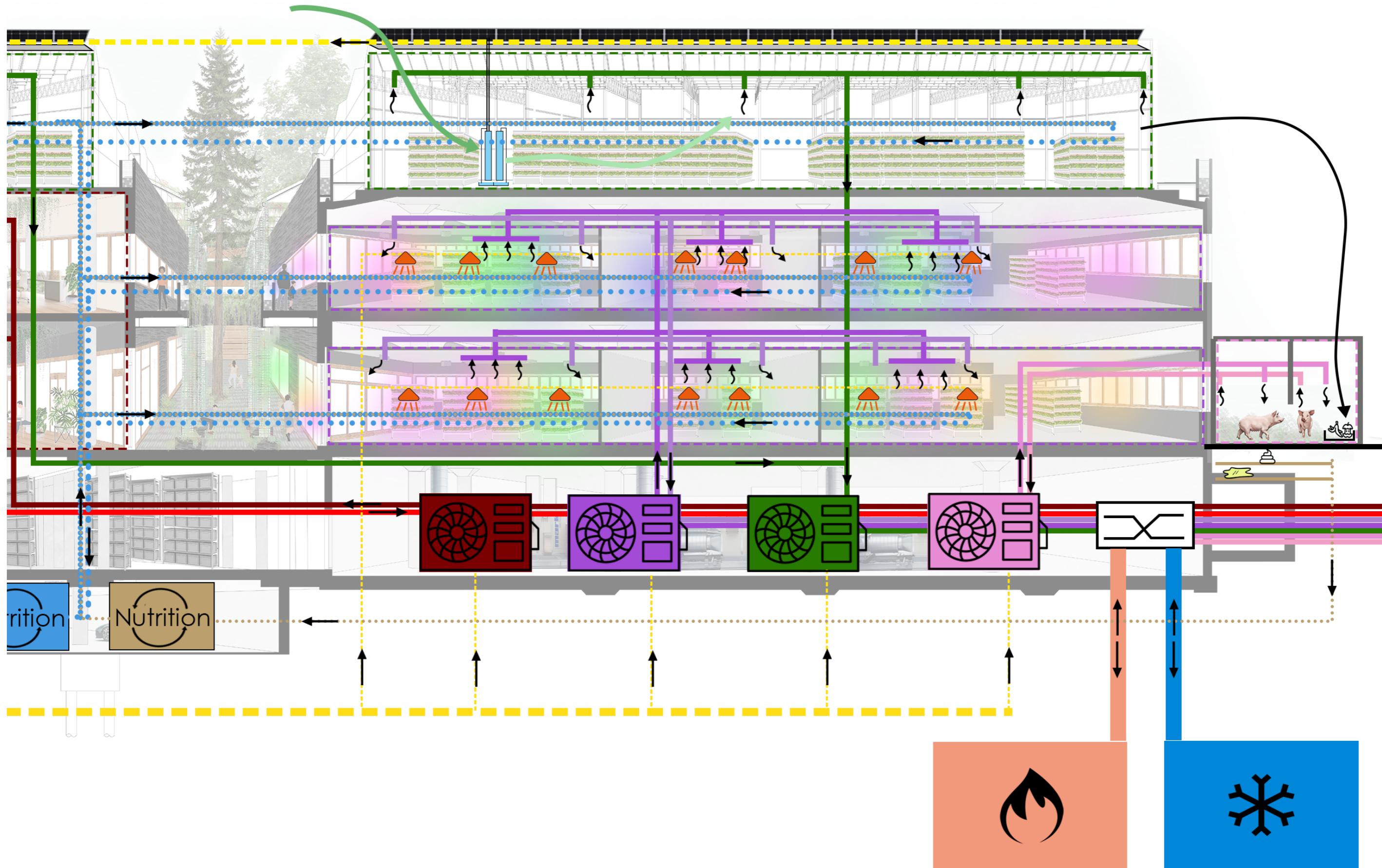
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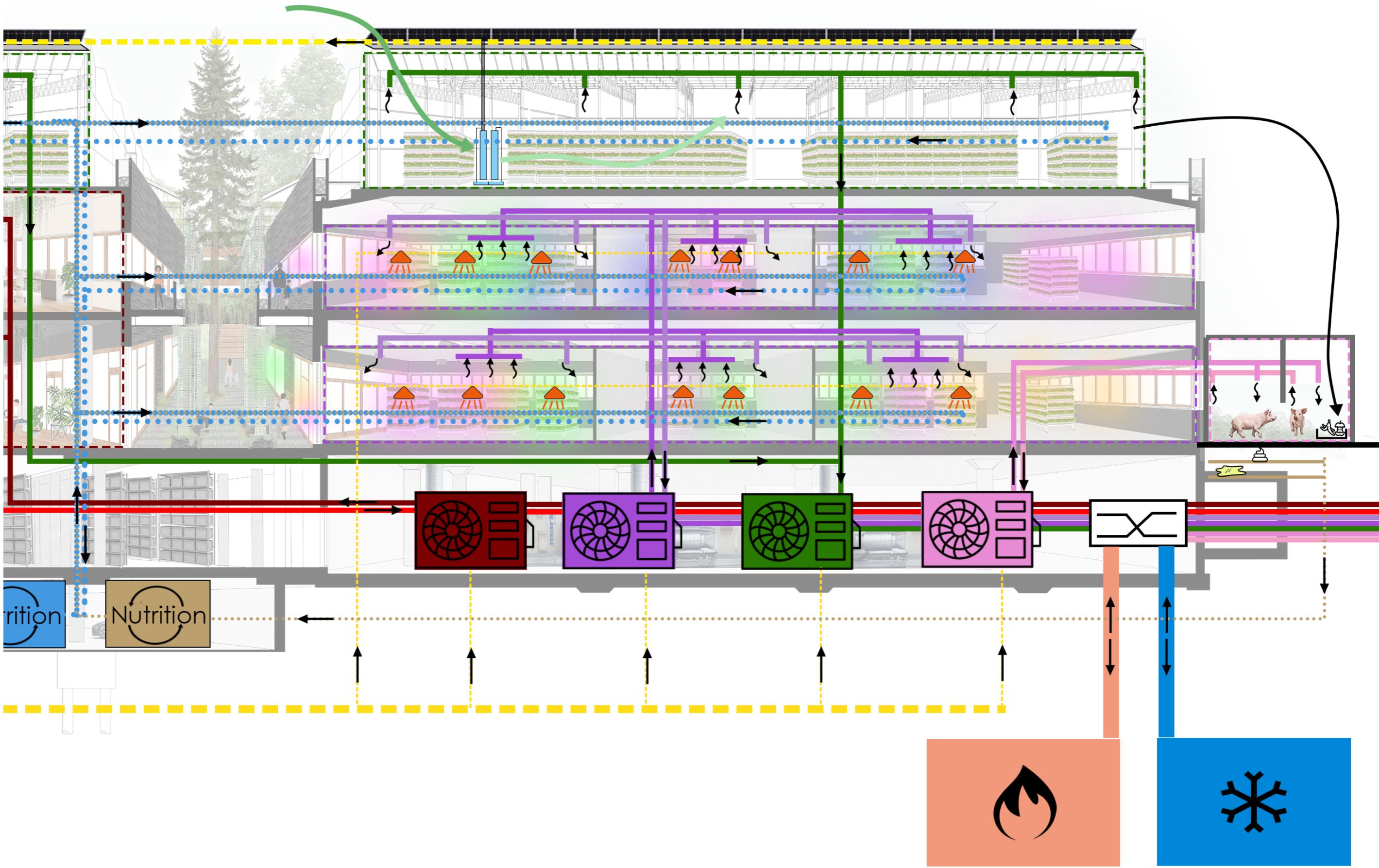
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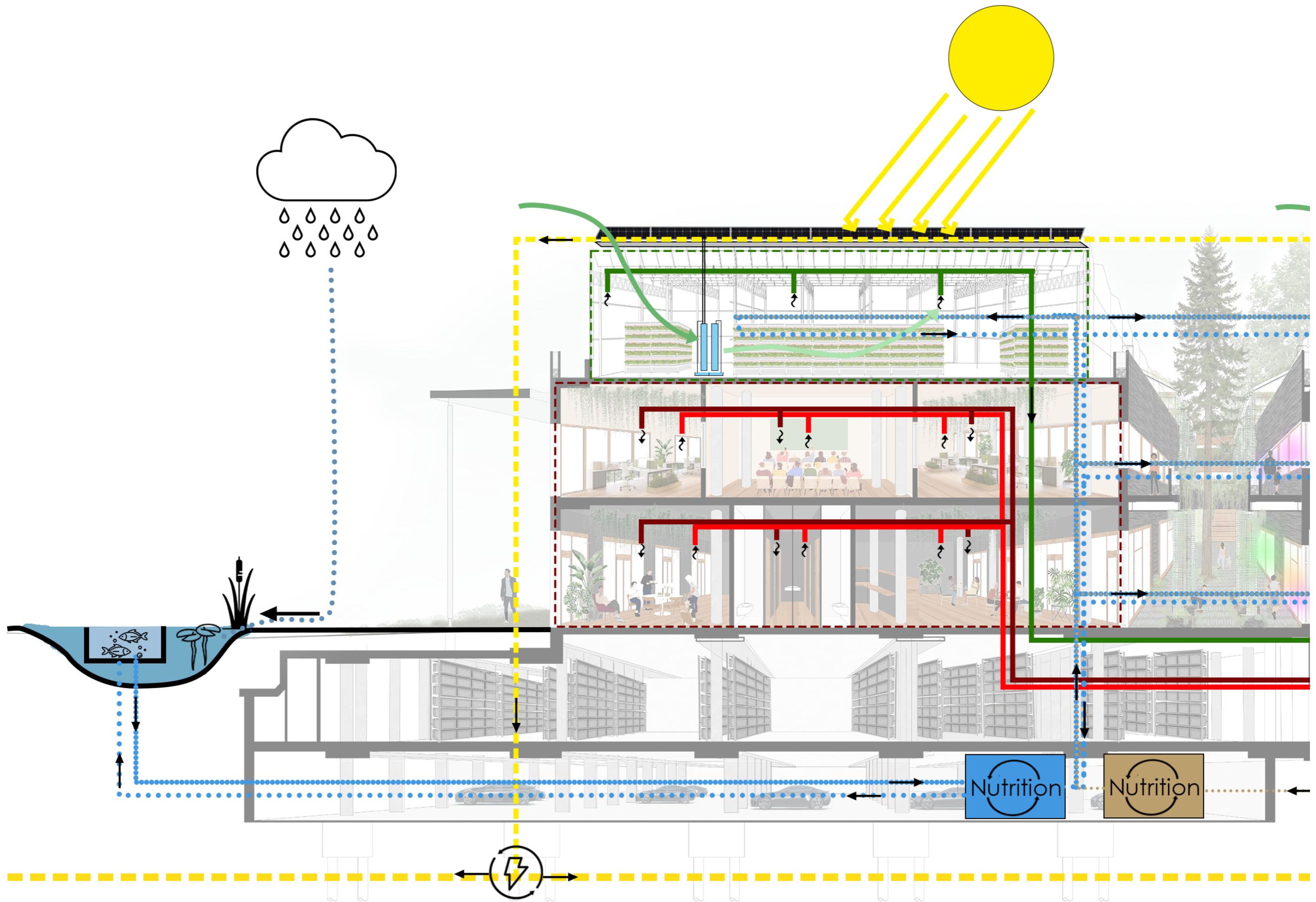
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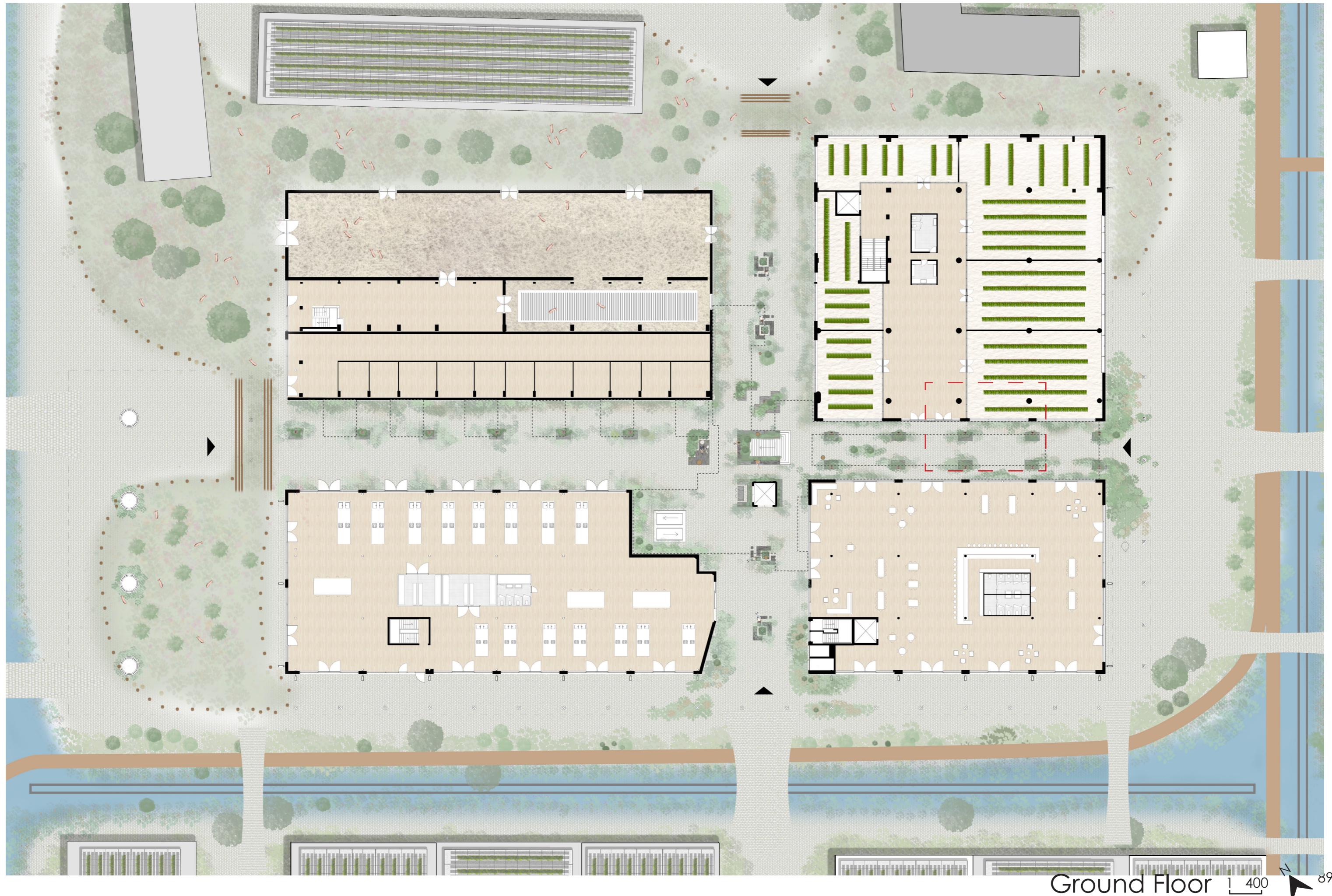
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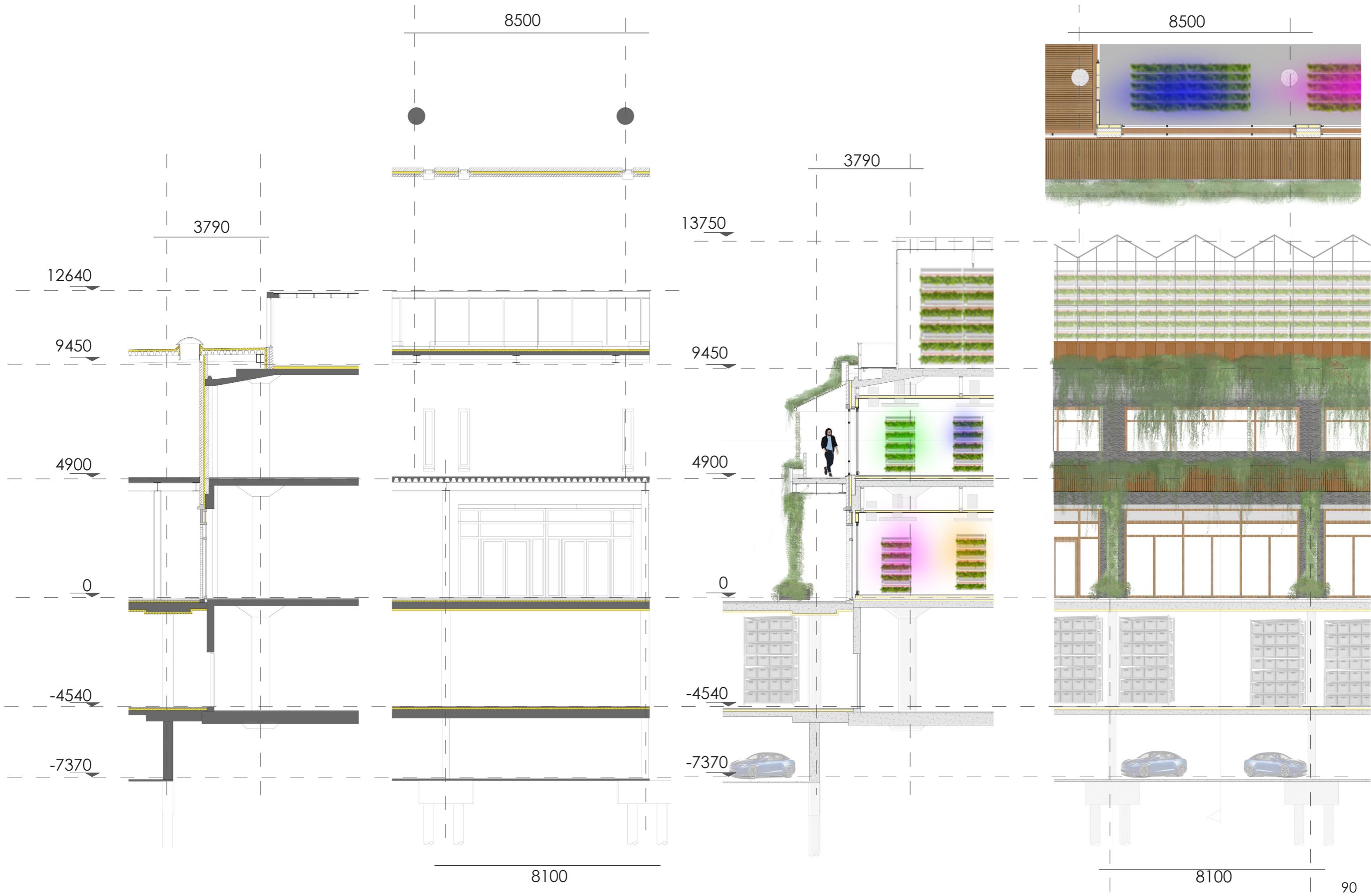
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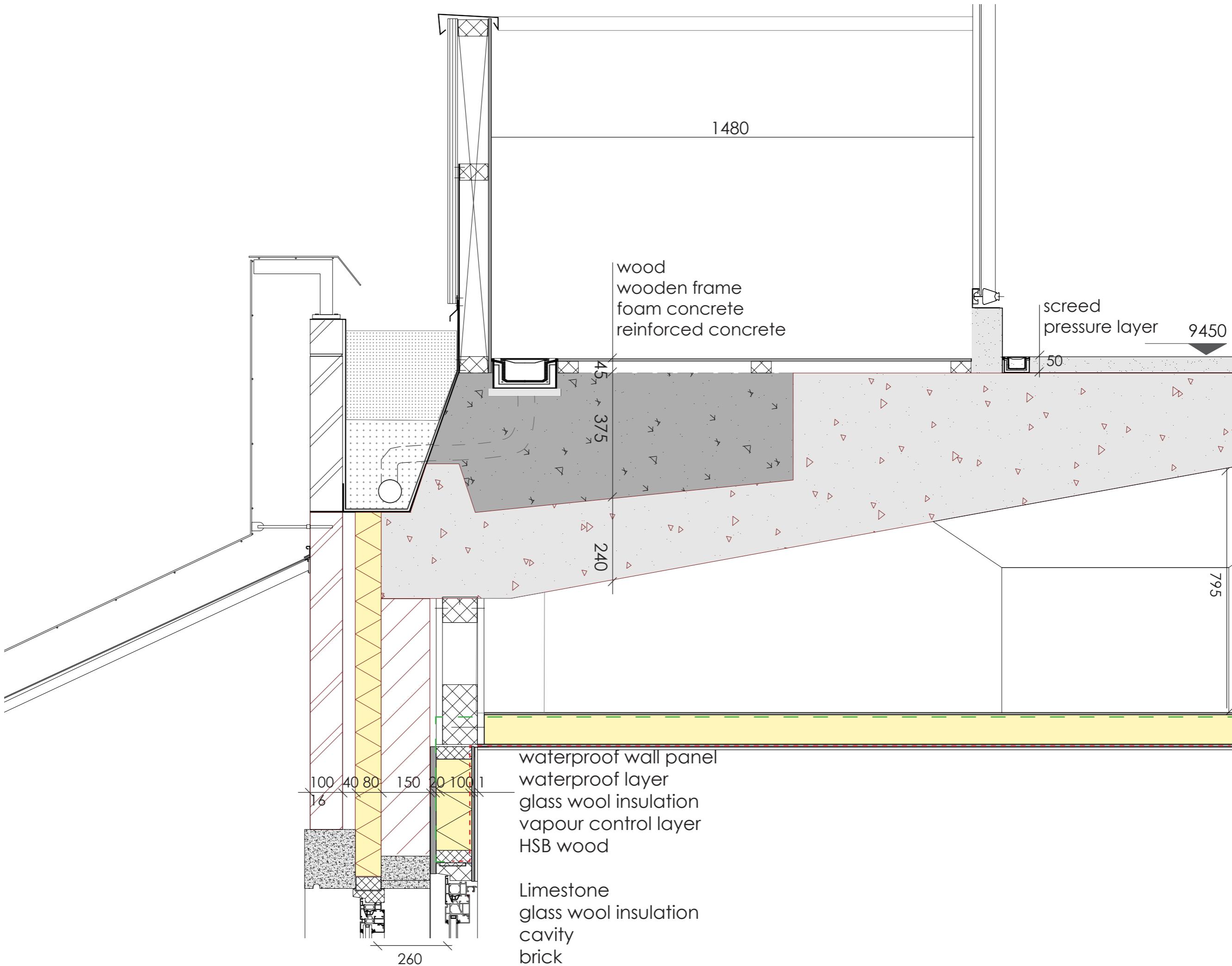
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1 : 5 Detail V&D - Scaled to 1:10



Calculation construction Green house on V&D

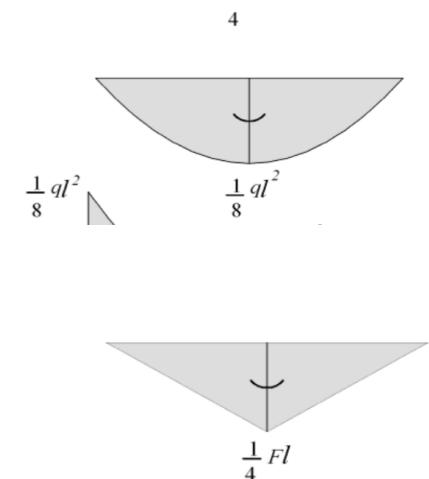
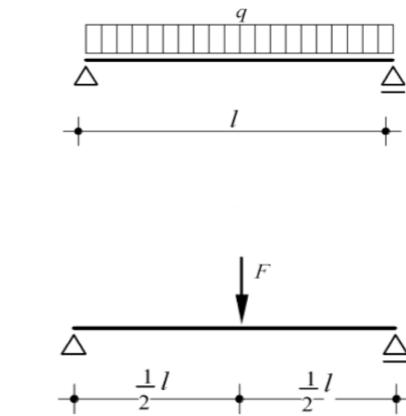
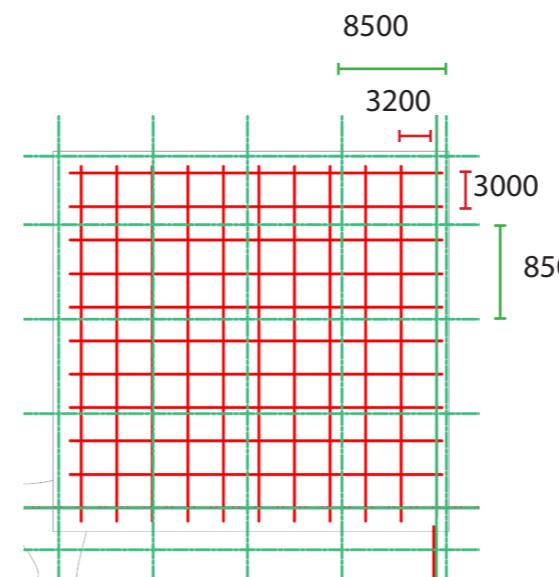
Building had office function which means it had a weight (opgelegde belasting) of 3,0 kN/m²

The new weight on the same construction is the green house as a point load and the vegetation.

By comparing the momentums of old and new, it will become clear if the green house can be placed in the construction.

M old:

The momentum with the office function was 3,0 kN/m²
so, $M_{\text{old}} = (q l^2)/8 = (3,0 \times 8,5^2)/8 = 27,1 \text{ kN/m}$



Mnew:

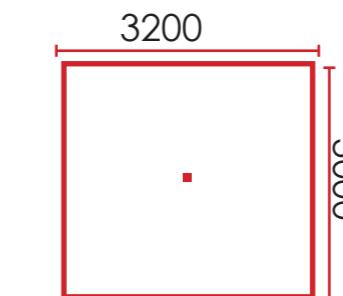
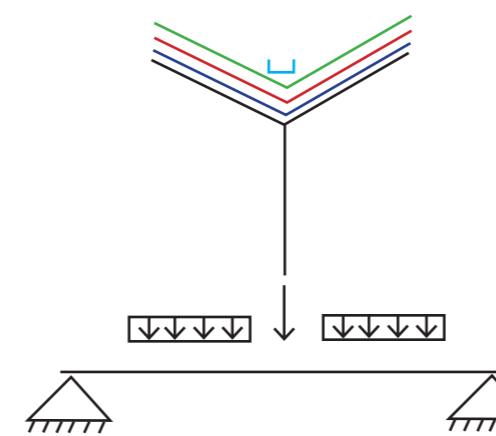
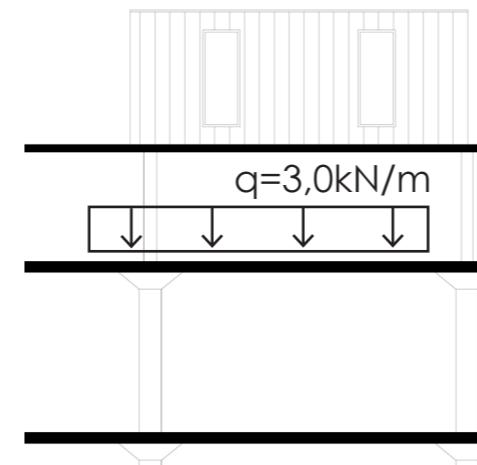
$$M_{\text{vegetation}} = (q l^2)/8 = (0,15 \times 8,5^2)/8 = 1,4 \text{ kN/m}$$

$$M_{\text{point load}} = M = FL/4 = (5,3 \times 8,5)/4 = 11,3 \text{ kN/m}$$

$$M_{\text{new}} = 1,4 + 11,3 = 12,7 \text{ kN/m}$$

Conclusion:

The old momentum of 27,1 kN/m is bigger than the new momentum of 12,7 kN/m, so green house can be placed in top of the roof



Gutter=	70 N/m
Snow =	250 N/m ²
Services=	70 N/m ²
Own weight =	615 N/m

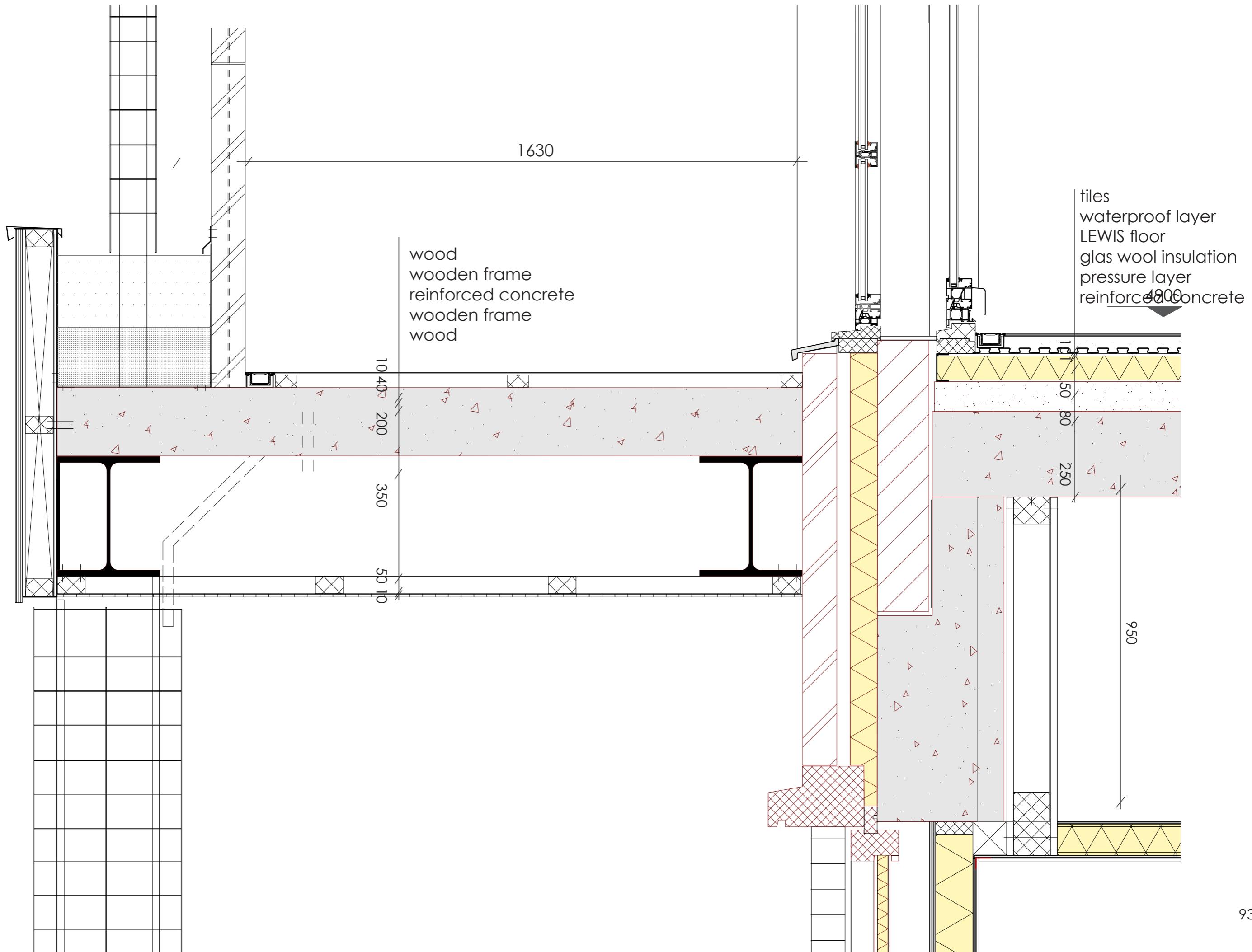
Gutter=	70 N/m x 3 =	210 N
Snow =	250 N/m ² x 3 x 3,2 =	2400 N
Services=	70 N/m ² x 3,2 x 3 =	672 N
Own weight =	615 N/m x 3,2 =	1968 N

Total 5,3 kN

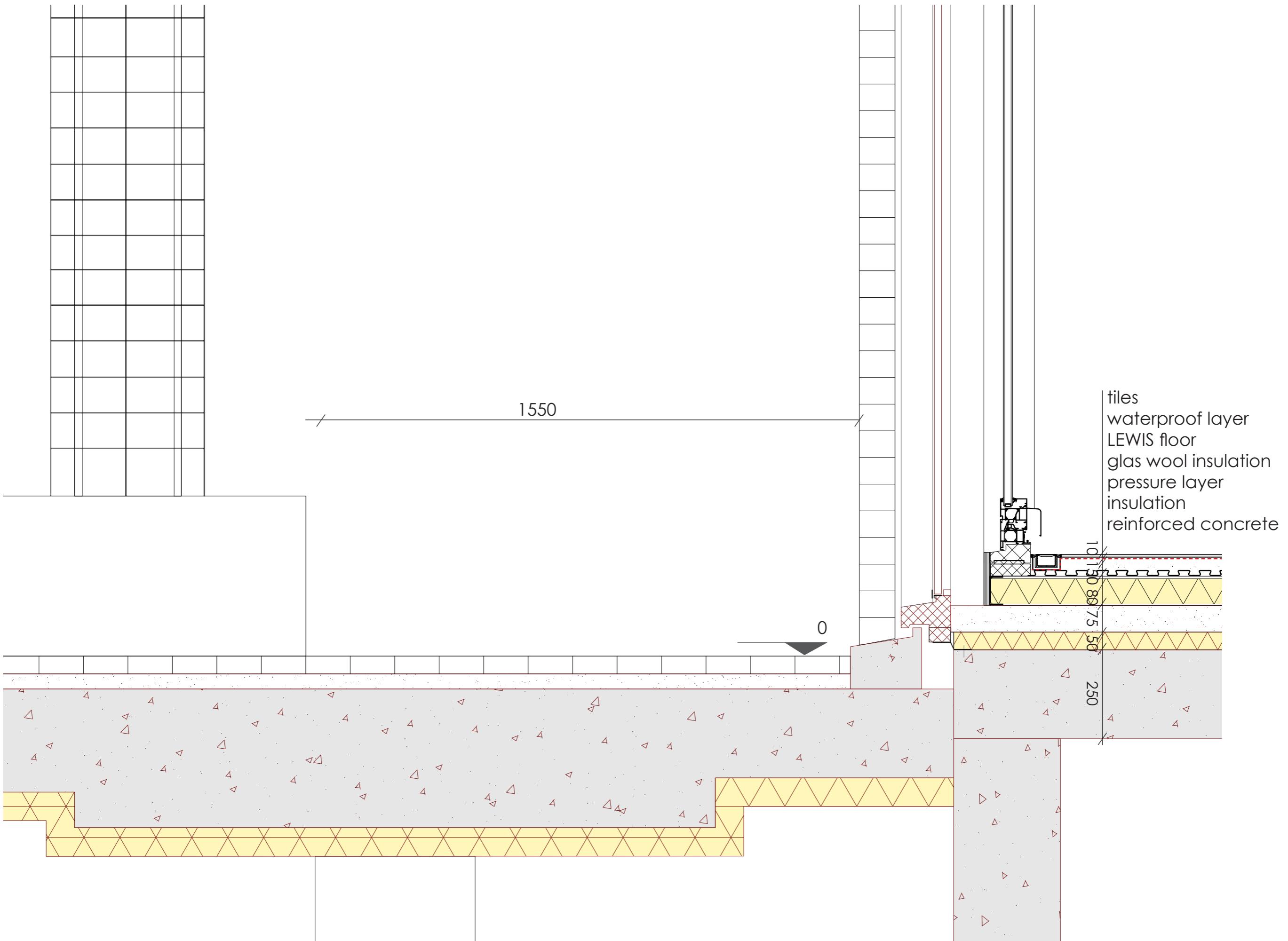
Vegetation= 150 N/m²

Vegetation= 150 N/m² = 0,15 kN/m

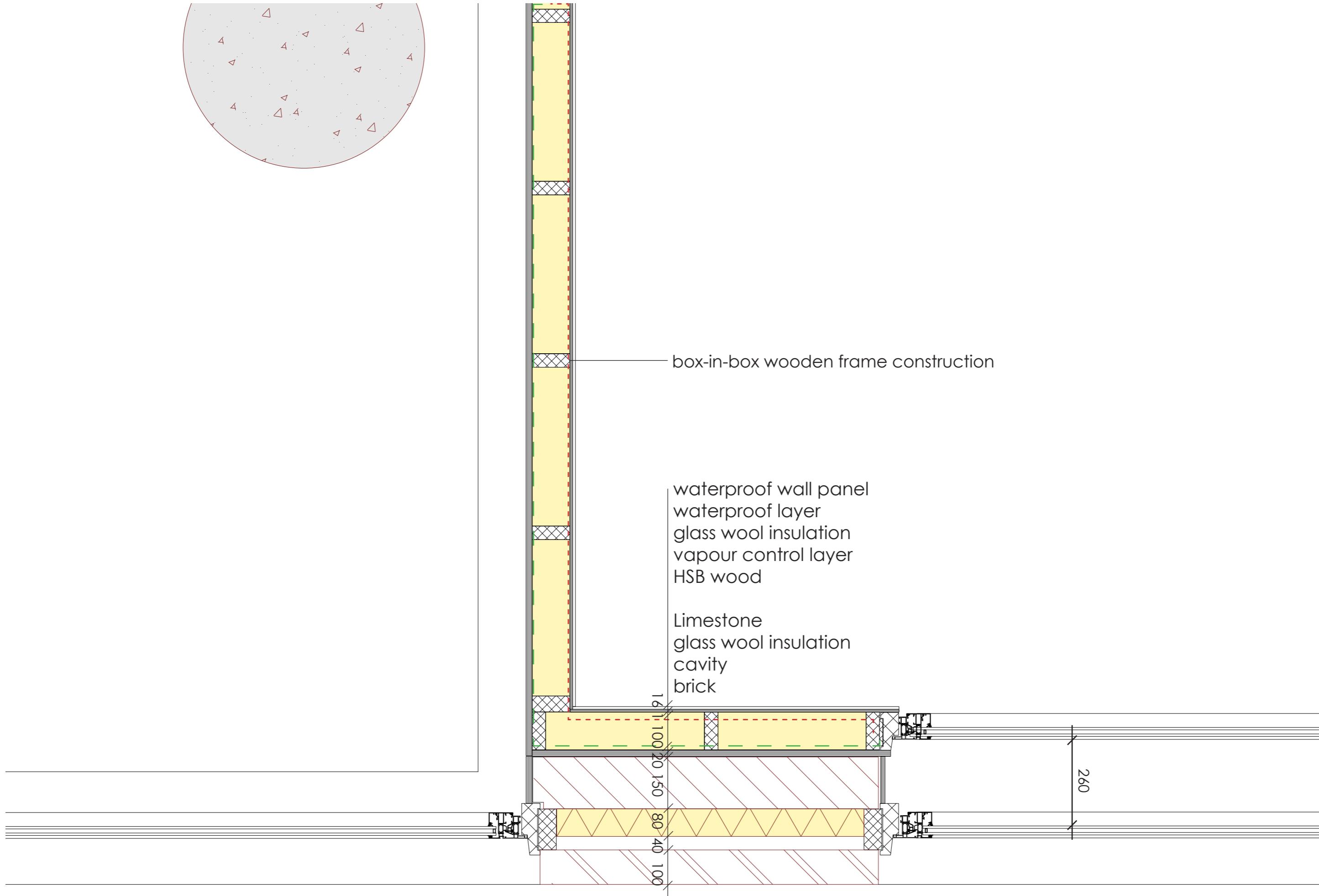
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