

# High Strength Concrete in Structural System – Design Perspective

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# EVOLUTION OF STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

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Caves were last used as habitats around 8000 BC



African Hut at Bana, a small village of Cameroon



Kukulcan's Pyramid



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A Roman bridge crosses the Afrin River in northern Syria and is still in use today.

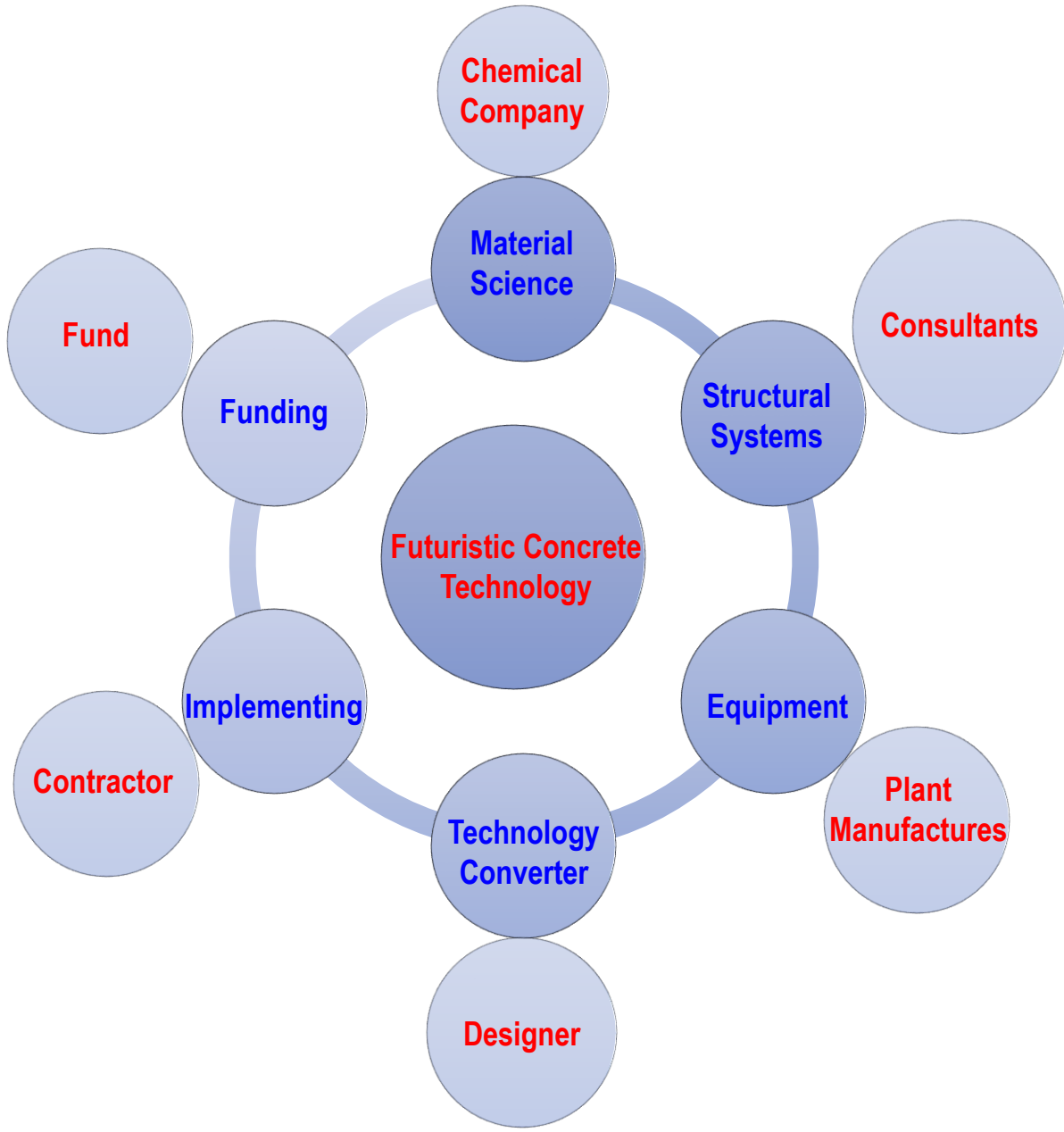


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The first arch bridge in the world to be made out of cast iron, a material which was previously far too expensive to use for large structures

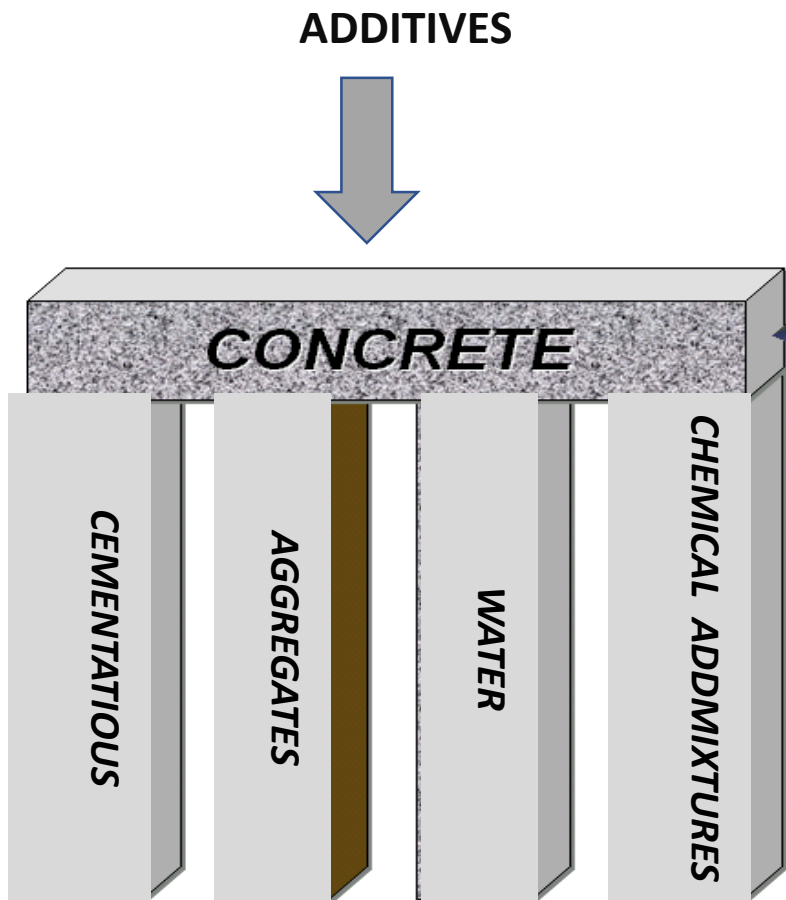


The Burj Khalifa (United Arab Emirates) is the tallest man-made structure ever built. It is supported by a reinforced concrete core using a special concrete mix.



# CONCRETE SCIENCE

# Concrete Composition



"Concrete is an **artificial stone** and is produced from a mixture of Cement, Mineral Admixture, Aggregates (Gravel and Sand) and water – usually also with chemical admixtures

# What we want from concrete ?

## Normally Desired Properties:

Workability	:	Pumpability, Transportability, Reaching Heights, Rheology, Concreting without Vibrator
Compressive strength	:	Moderate to High Compressive Strengths at a cheaper cost.
Flexural strength	:	Moderate Flexural Strengths
Durability	:	Low Shrinkage (No-Shrinkage) Low Creep

## Currently Accepted Status of Concrete

# Cementitious Materials (CM)

**Cement + GGBS + Alccofines + Micro Silica + Fly Ash + other  
Pozzolans**





# Pozzolanic materials can be divided into 2 groups

## Natural Pozzolans

- Clay and Shales
- Diatomaceous earth
- Opalinic cherts
- Volcanic tuffs and pumicites

## Artificial Pozzolans

- Fly ash
- Ground Granulated Blast furnace Slag (GGBS)
- Silica fume
- Rice husk ash
- Surkhi
- Metakaoline
- Alccofine

# Qualities of Concrete made with Cementitious Materials

- Lower the heat of hydration and thermal shrinkage
- Increase the water tightness
- Reduce the alkali-aggregate reaction
- Improve resistance to attack by sulphate soils and sea water
- Improve extensibility
- Improve workability
- Lower susceptibility to dissolution and leaching
- Lower costs

# Superiority of Concrete with Cementitious Materials

- Increases the later age strengths by **25 - 40%**
- Reduces the heat of hydration by **35%**
- Reduced pore volume in concrete by **60%**
- Increased water tightness in concrete by **34%**
- Resistance to Sulphate attack in concrete by **60%**
- Resistance to Chloride attack in concrete by **90%**
- Resistance to Alkali-Aggregate reaction in concrete by **86%**

## Using Cementitious Materials in Concrete will Enhance the following properties.

- Resistance to the Drying Shrinkage
- Reduction of Creep
- Increases the Flexural Strength
- Increases the Split-Tensile Strength
- Shrinkage reduction

**Based on applications and availability of Mineral admixtures following properties of concrete are tested and studied over a period of time**

Fresh Concrete	Strength of concrete	Elasticity ,Creep & Shrinkage	Durability of Concrete
Workability	W/C Ratio	Modulus of Elasticity	Permeability test
Segregation	Gel/Space Ratio	Dynamic Modulus of Elasticity	RCPT
Bleeding	Compressive Strength	Plastic Shrinkage	Carbonation Test
Batching	Flexural Strength	Drying Shrinkage	Alkali Aggregate Reactivity
Transporting	Split Tensile Strength	Moisture Movement	Acid attack test
Pumping & Placing	Bond Strength		

# Concrete developed with above minerals and Parameters are

- High Volume Fly-ash /GGBS concrete
- Light weight Concrete
- High-Density Concrete
- Sulphur-Infiltrated Concrete
- Fibre Reinforced concrete
- Polymer Concrete
- Roller compacted concrete
- Self Compacting Concrete
- Smart Dynamic Concrete
- Ultra High performance Concrete

# Challenges & Emerging Trends in Research Towards Futuristic Concrete

## RESOLVED SOLUTIONS

Cementateous  
Fine Aggregate  
Coarse Aggregate  
Water  
Mineral Admixtures  
Chemical  
Admixtures

High Strength Concrete  
High Volume GGBS Concrete  
Ultra High Performance Concrete  
Self Compacting Concrete  
Smart Dynamic Concrete  
Mass Concrete  
Roller Compacted Concrete  
Pervious Concrete

## CONTROL CONCRETE

## CHALLENGES

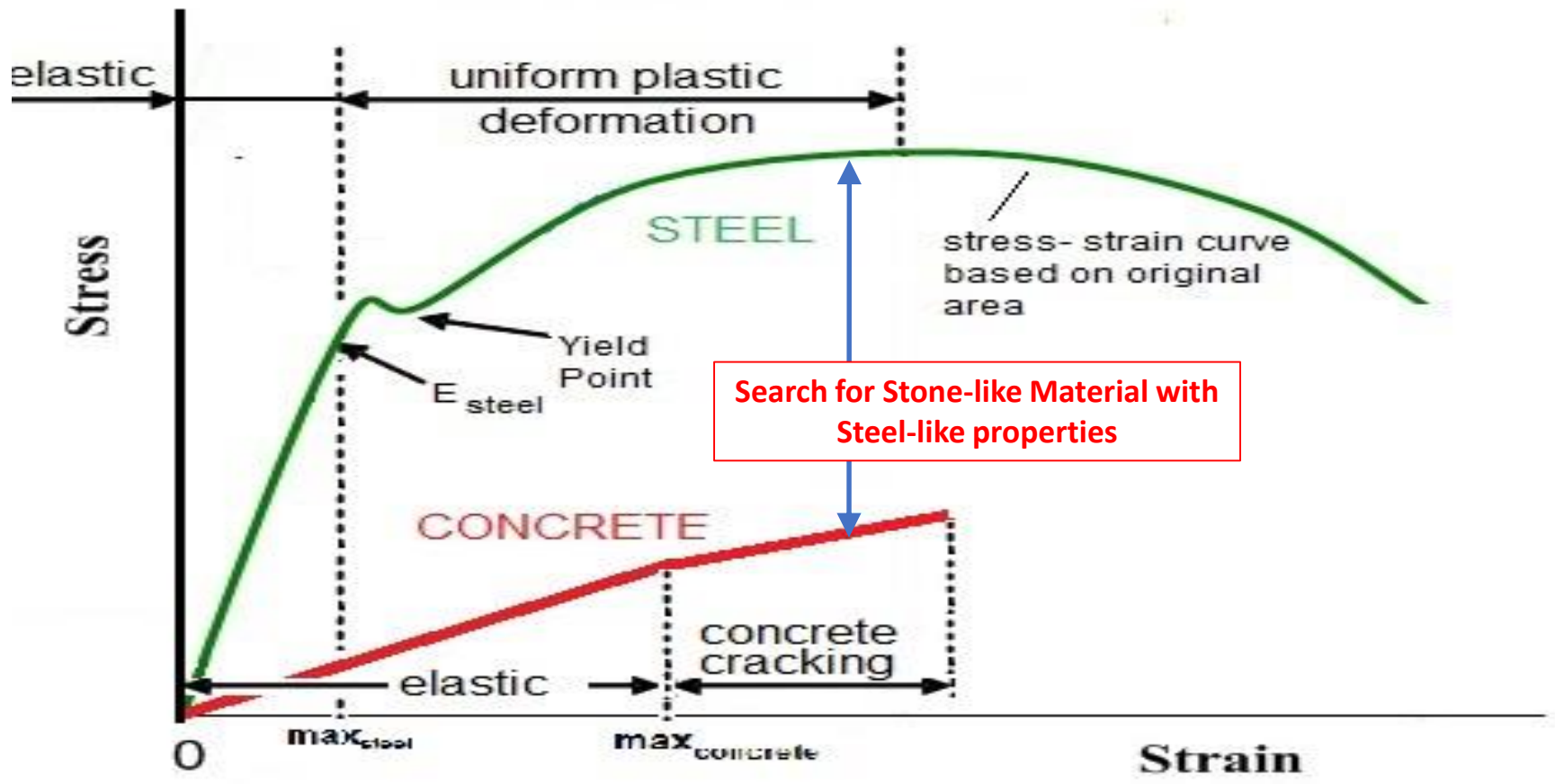
Rheology of Concrete  
Autogeneous shrinkage  
Internal Curing  
Self Curing  
Reduction of Creep  
Toughness Enhancement  
Molecular Bonding  
Ductility Enhancement  
Shrinkage Reduction  
Performance Independent of  
Chemistry, Bendable Concrete  
Mechanical Process  
Micro Structure Tailoring

## FUTURISTIC CONCRETE

**BARRIER**

# Challenges & Emerging Trends in Research Towards Durable Concrete

## Stress-strain diagram for steel and concrete





# INTEGRATION OF STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS & CONCRETE MATERIAL SCIENCE

**SYSTEM-1**

**SLAB BEAM SYSTEM**

**SYSTEM-2**

**MIVAN SYSTEM**

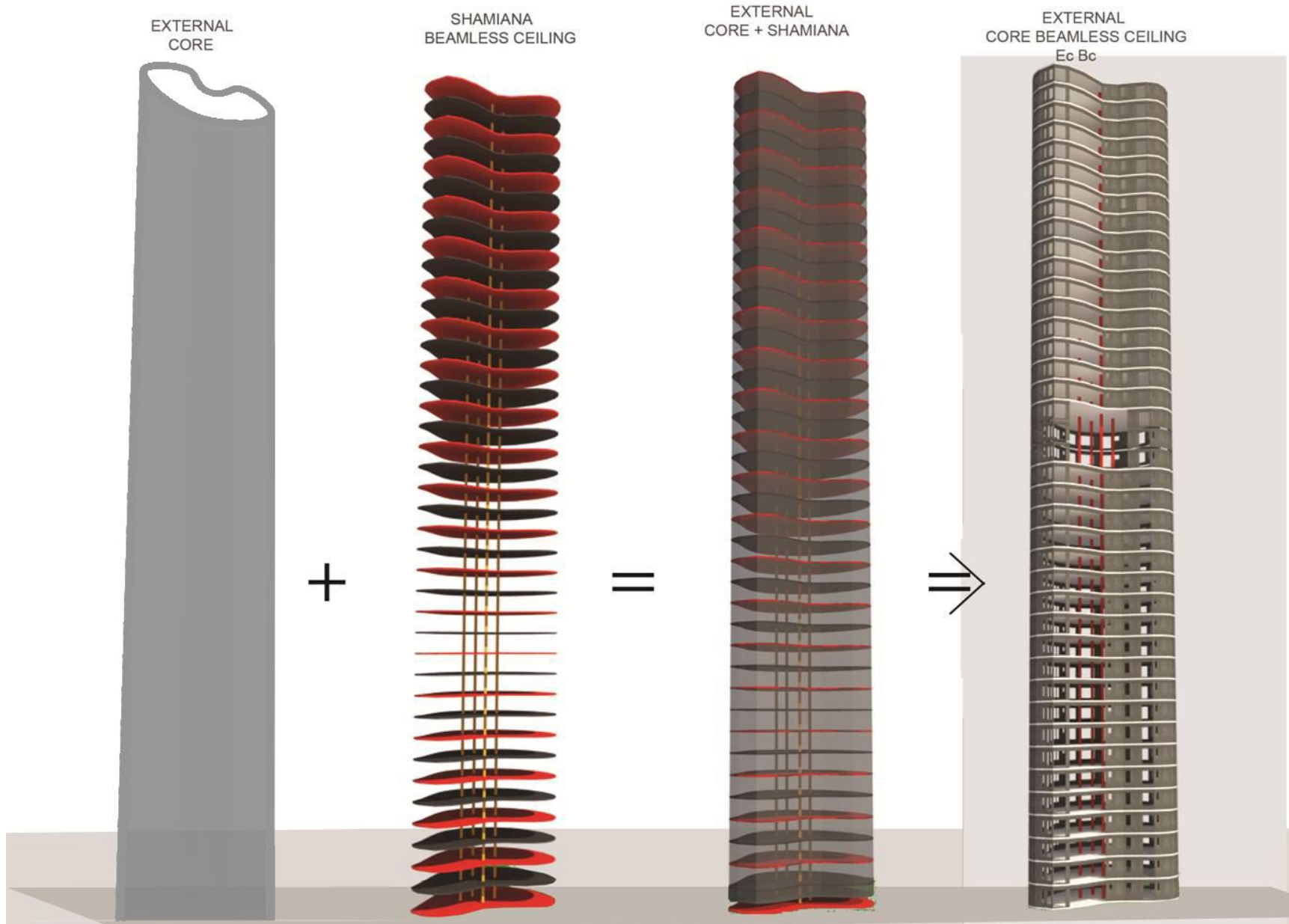
**SYSTEM-3**

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# Example Project: **The Presidential Tower, Bangalore**



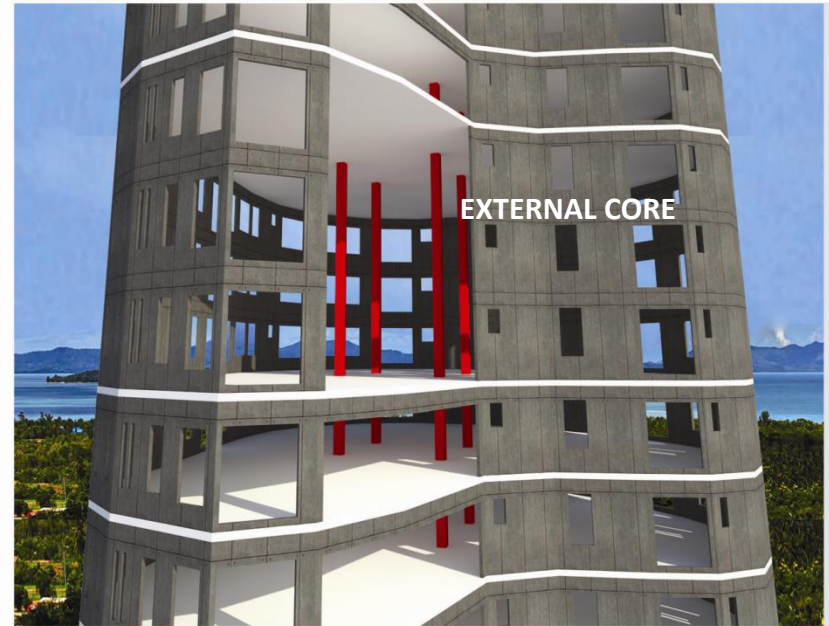
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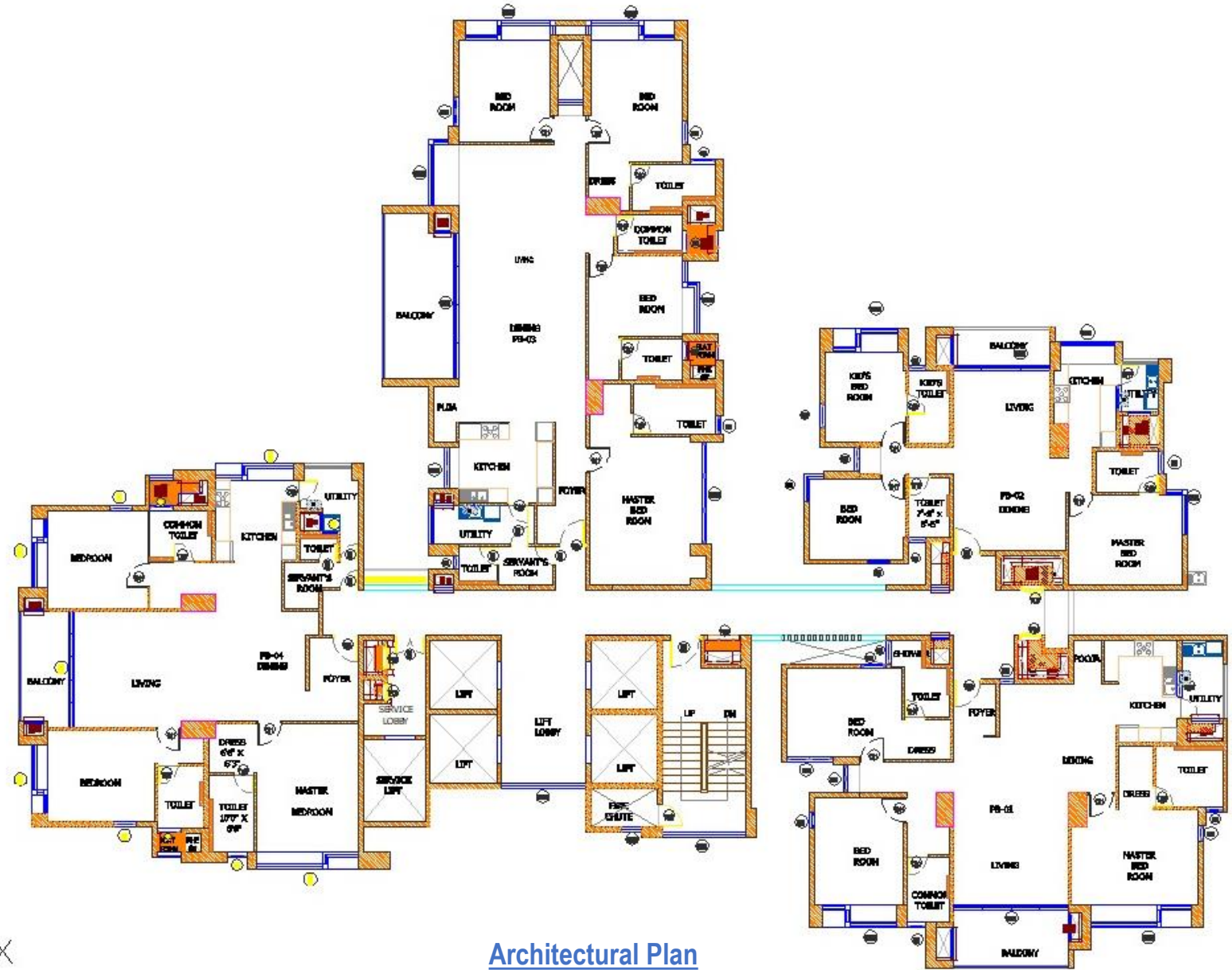


EXTERNAL CORE



BEAMLESS CEILING

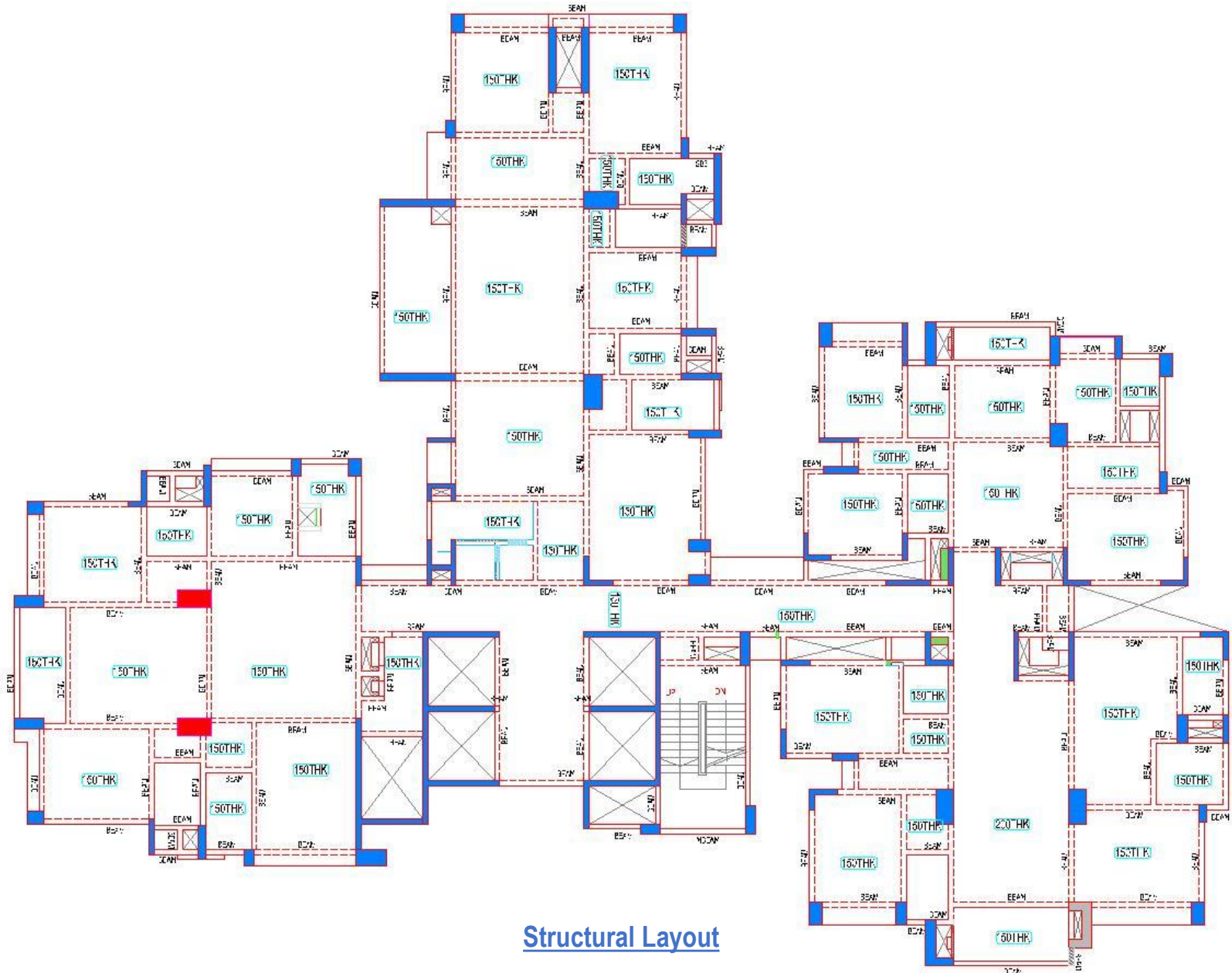
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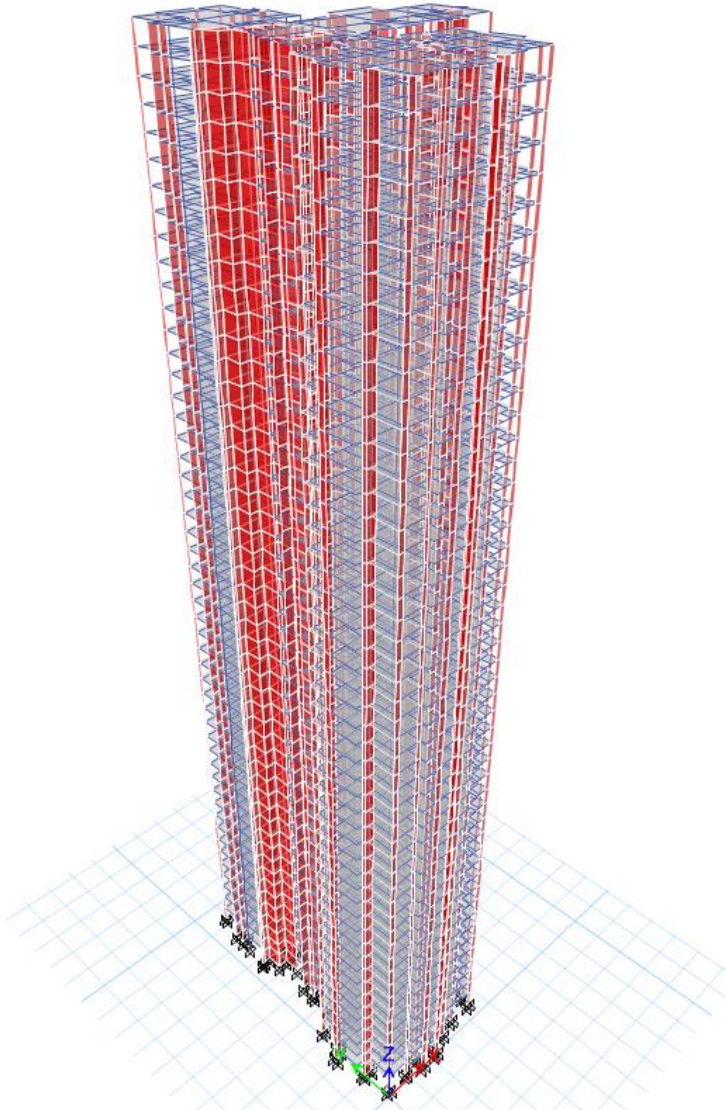
Architectural Plan

# CONVENTIONAL SLAB BEAM SYSTEM

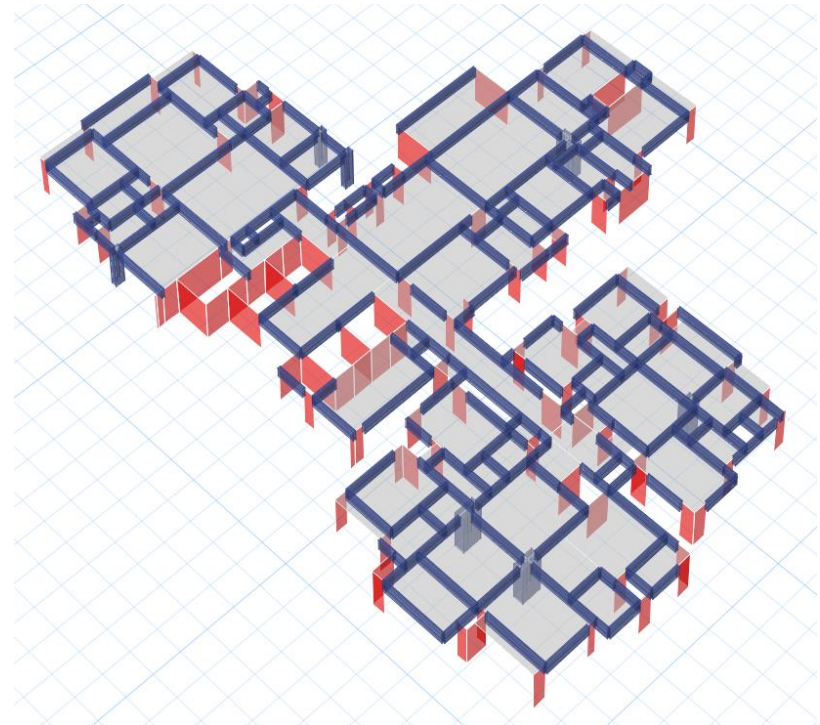


Structural Layout

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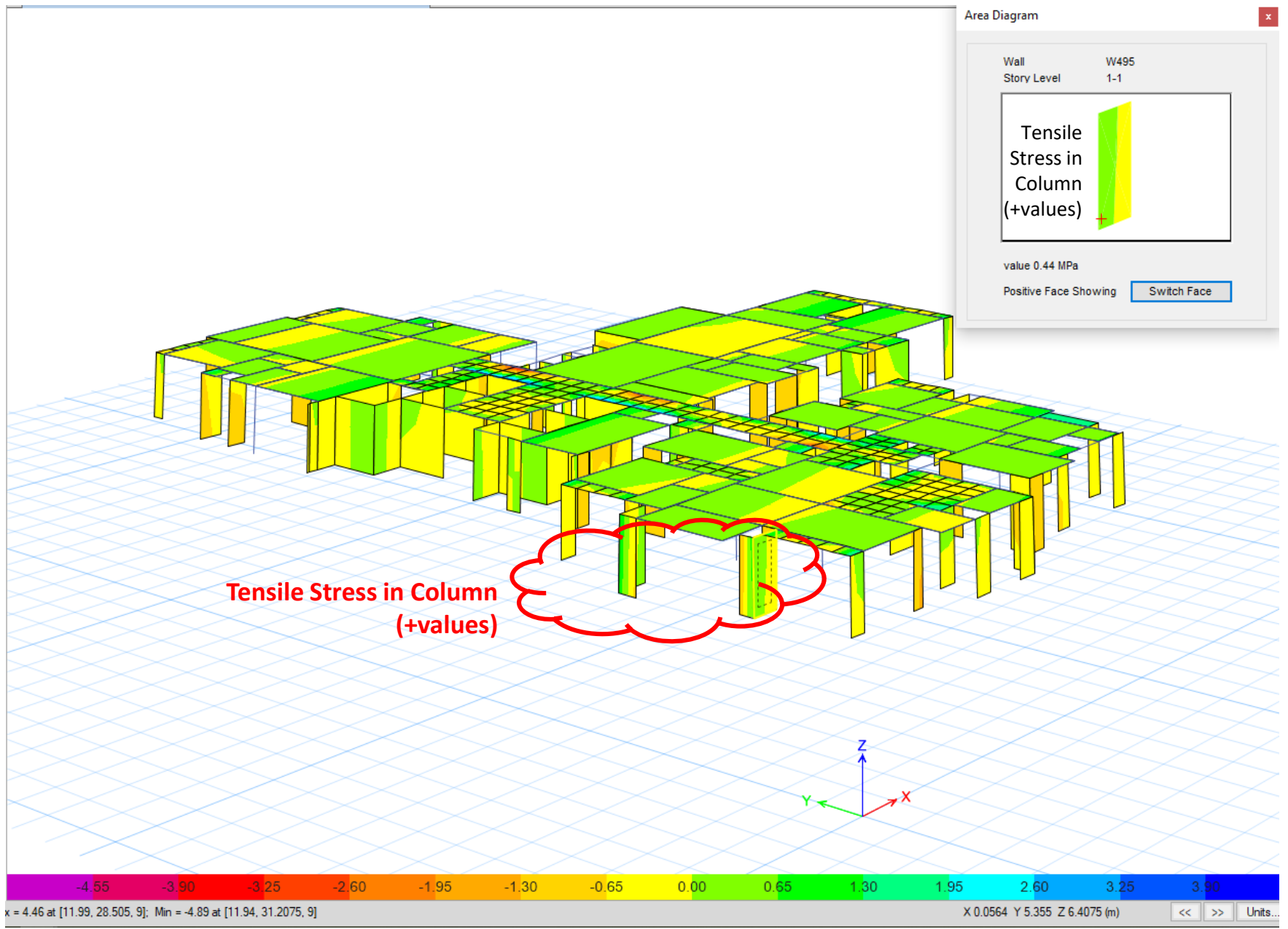


3D Structural Model



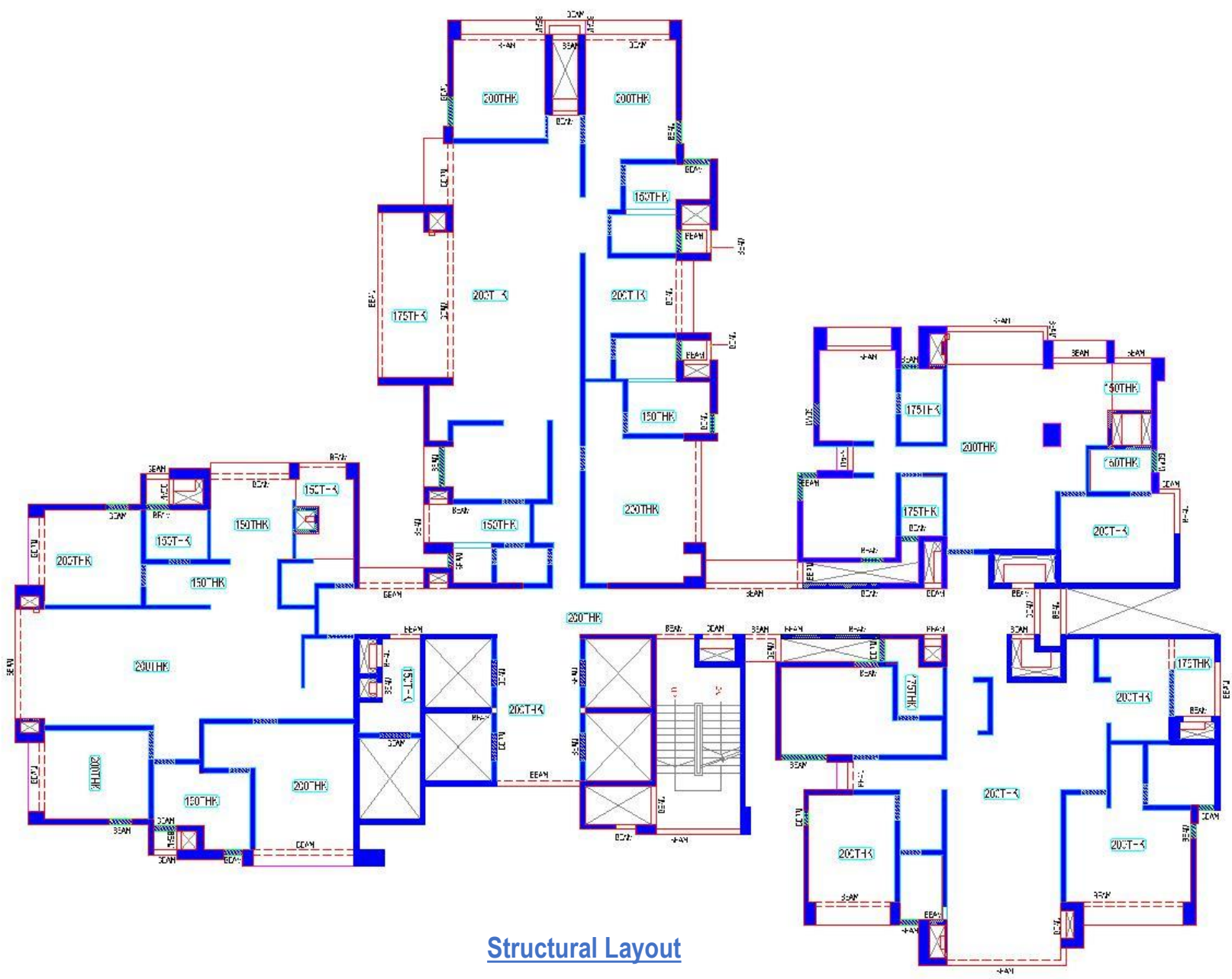
floor plan-beam slab system

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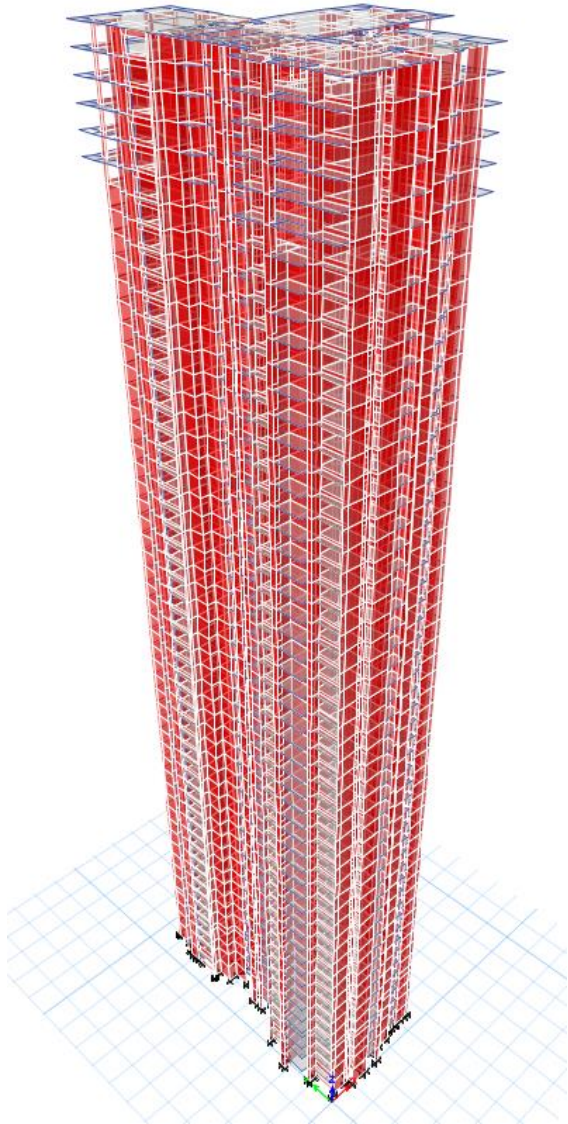


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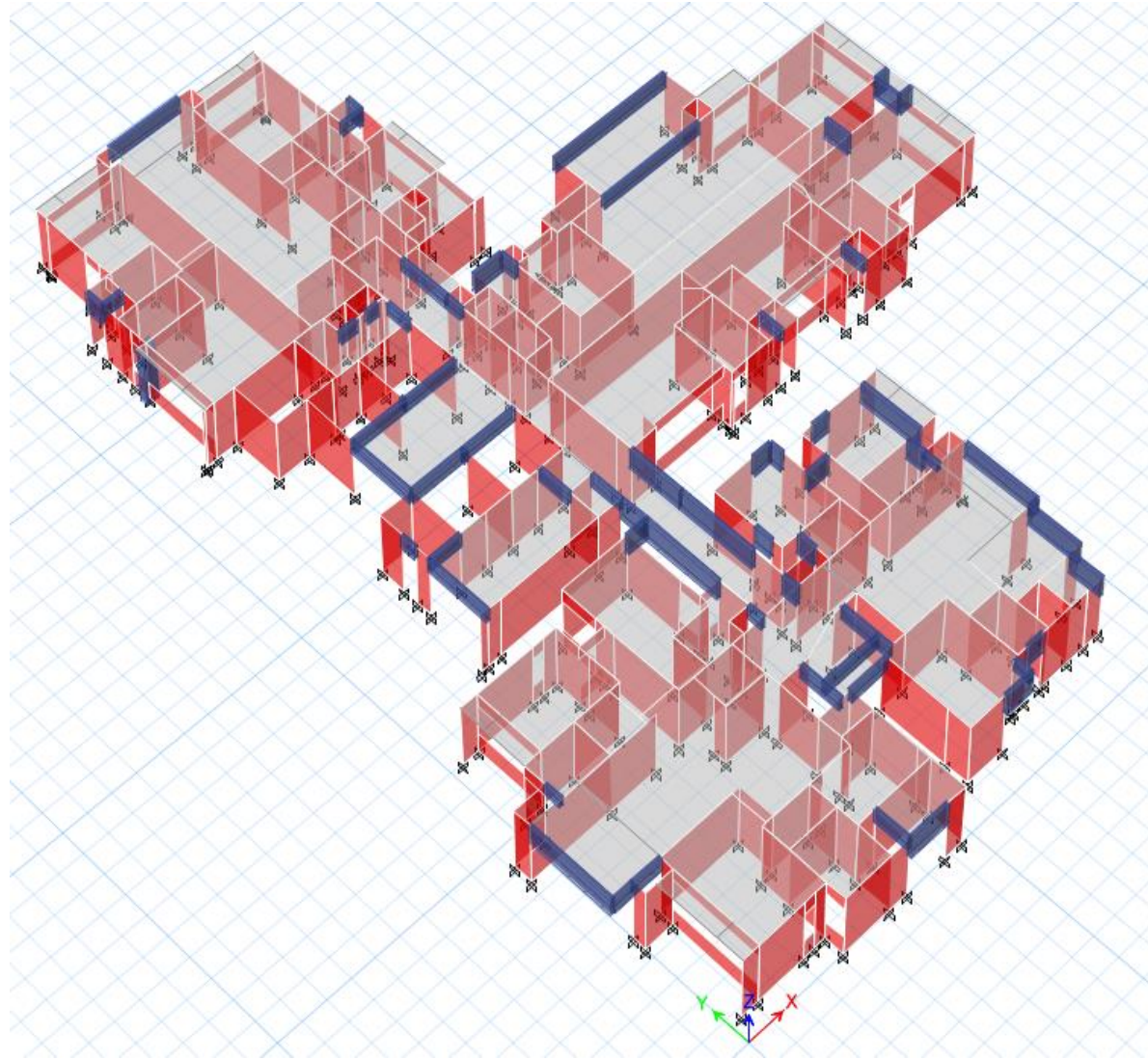


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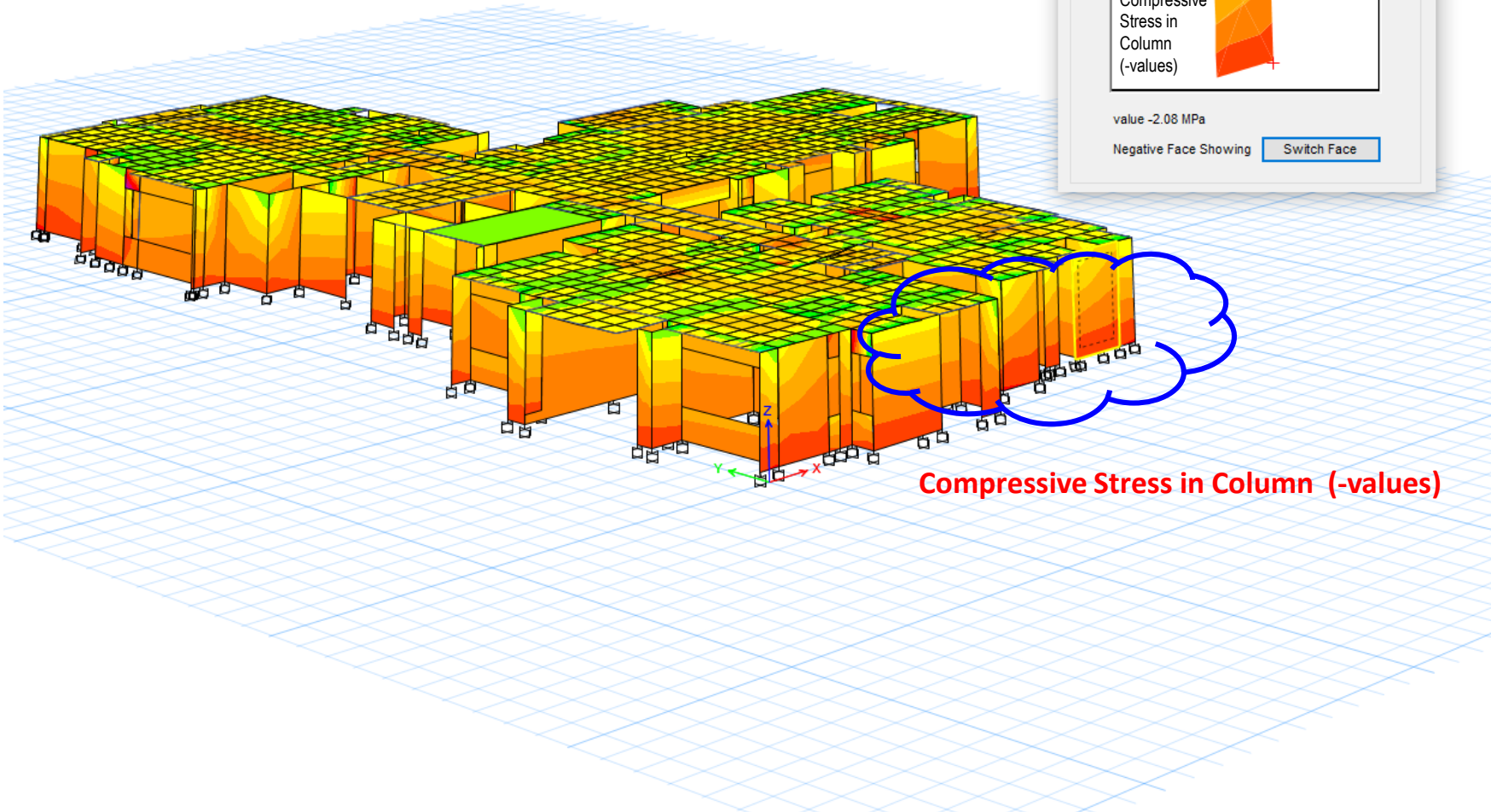


3D frame mivan system



Floor plan - Mivan System

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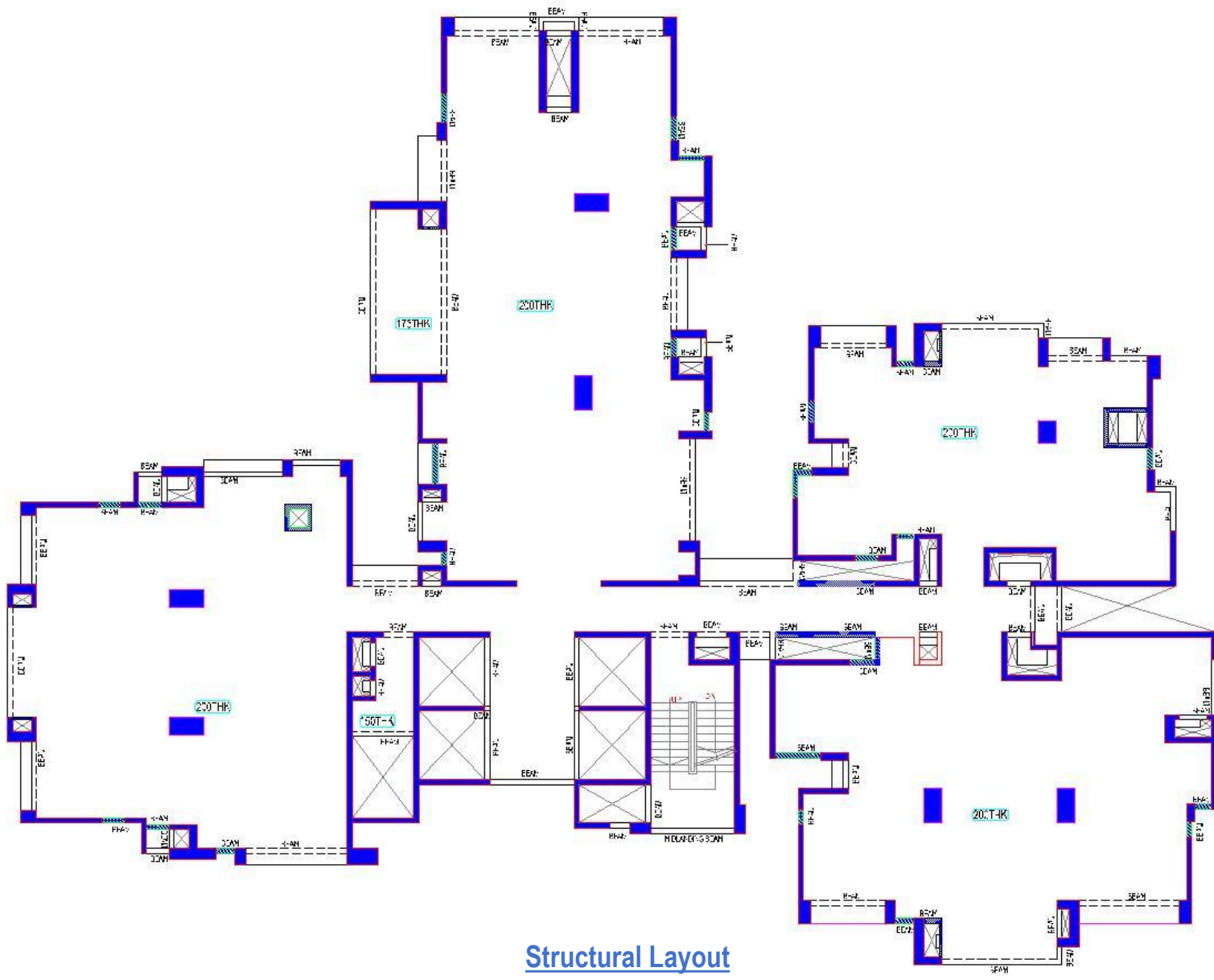


**Compressive Stress in Column (-values)**



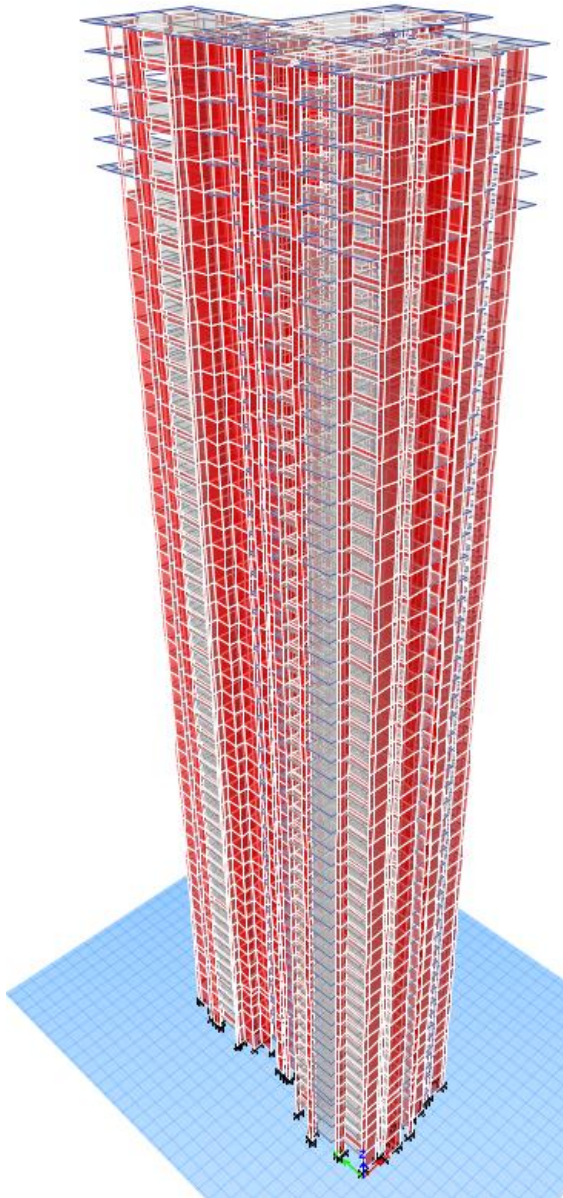
wall stress in mivan system

# Ec Bc Dc™ SYSTEM

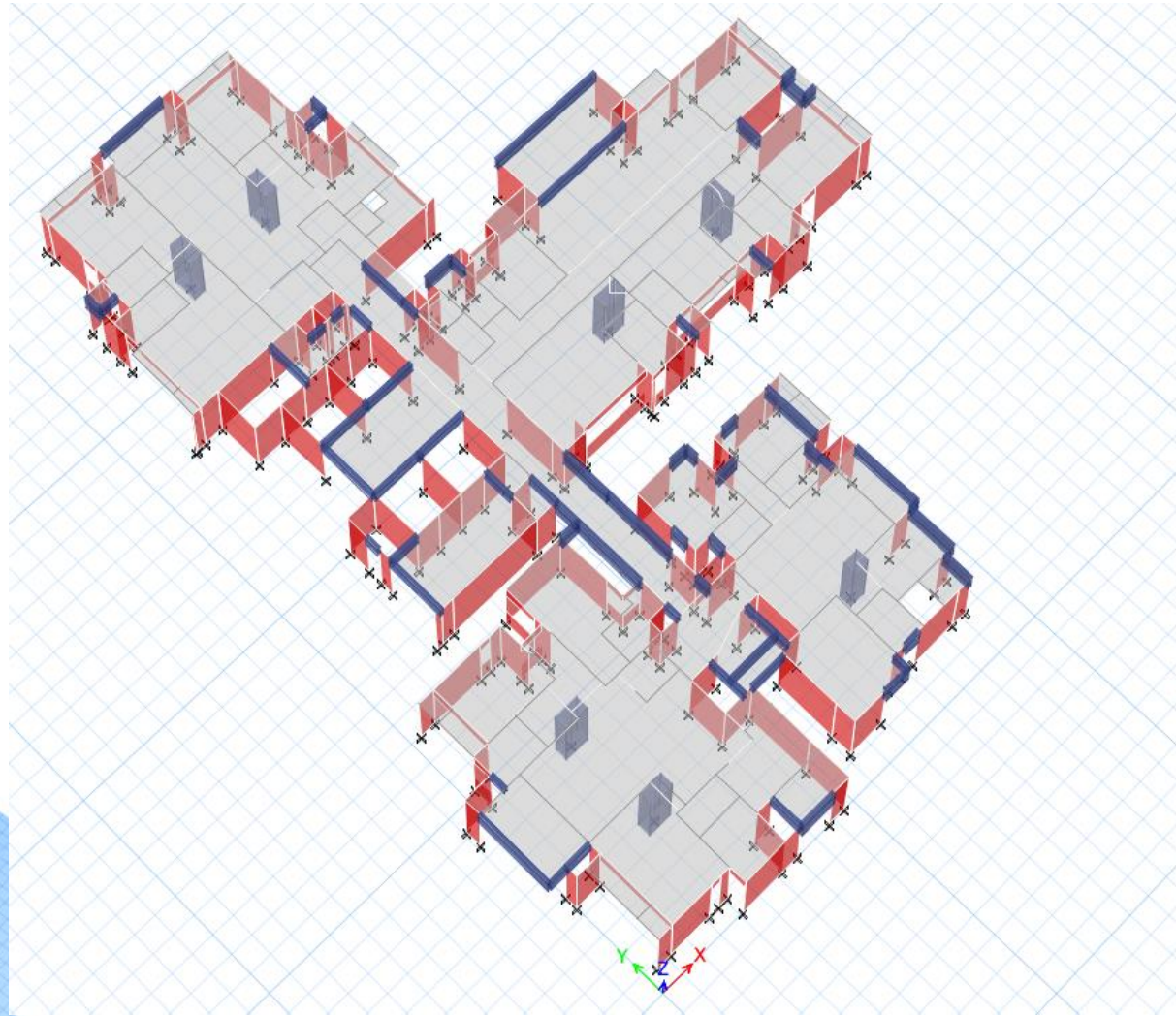


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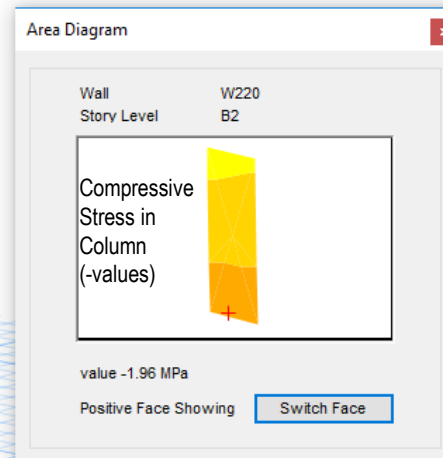
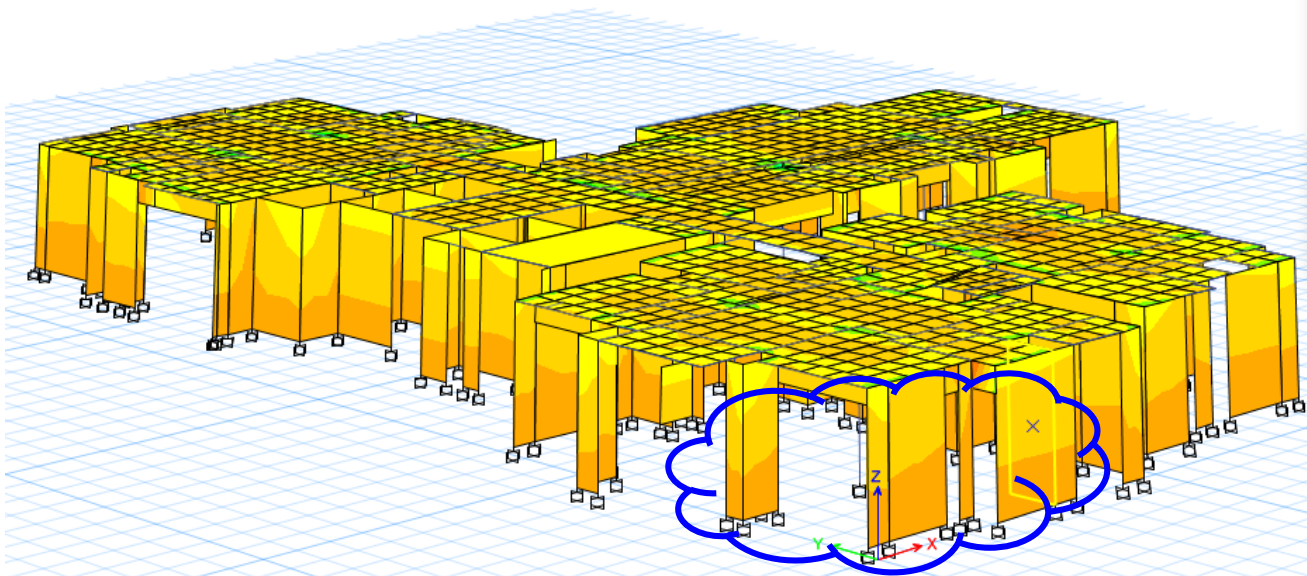


3d view EcBcDc system

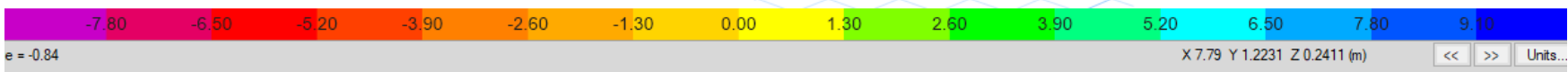


floor plan EcBcDc system

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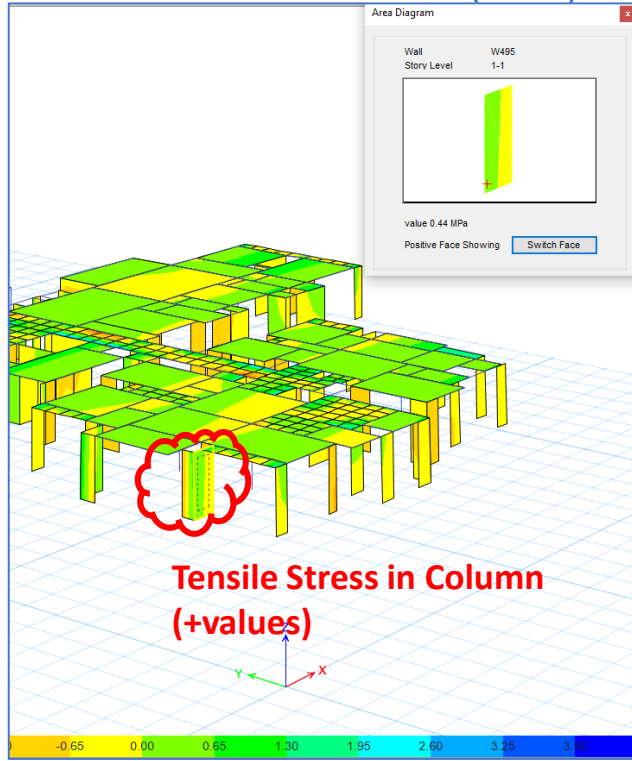
**Compressive Stress in Column (-values)**



**Wall stresses**

## Comparison of Performance

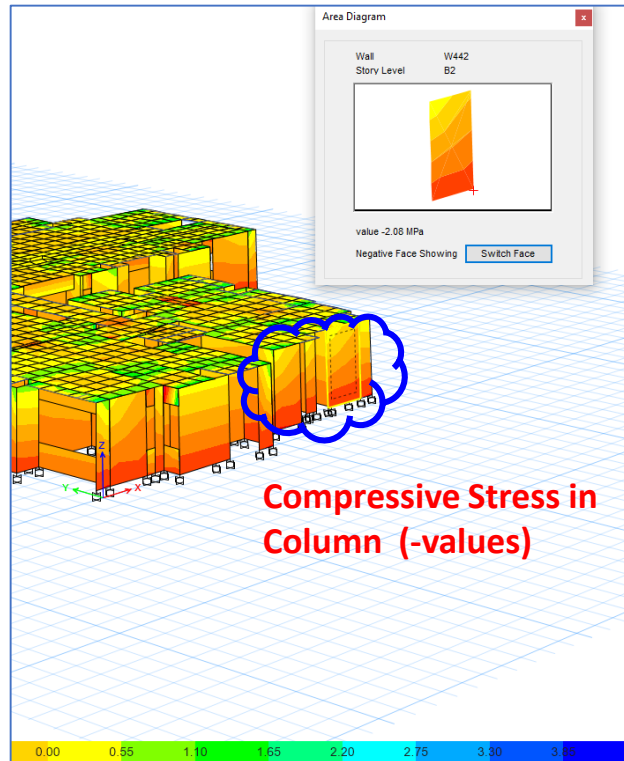
Tensile Stress in Column  
(+values)



SLAB BEAM SYSTEM

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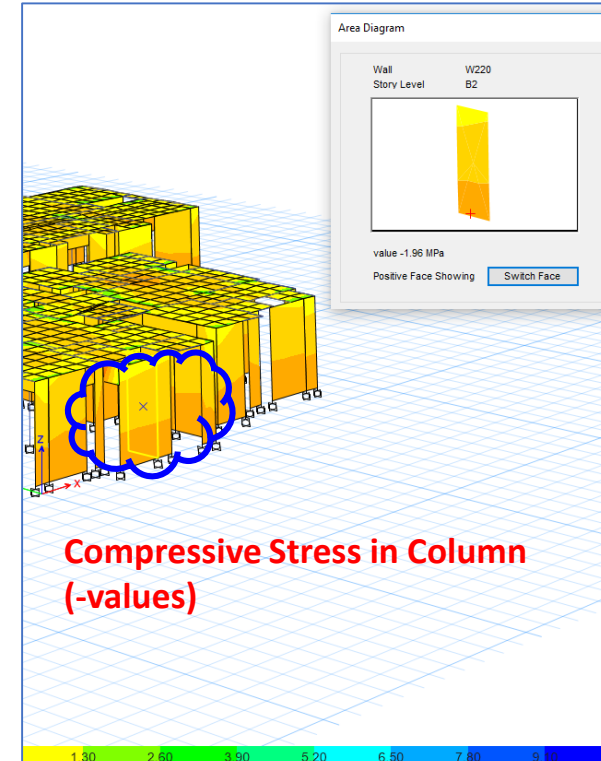
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MIVAN SYSTEM

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Ec Bc Dc™ System

Compressive Stress in Column  
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- Axial tension stress observed in vertical elements for beam slab system where as other two system shows axial compressive stresses.



## Conclusions:

- Axial tension stress observed in vertical elements for beam slab system whereas other two systems show axial compressive stresses.
- There is an impact of structural system for material science demand.
- Depending on structural system, material science can be varied.
- Due to compressive stress in wall system, the High strength concrete demand can be varied.
- High strength concrete will add advantages in high rise buildings structural systems.
- By choosing efficient structural systems, we can achieve good performance using moderate grade concretes.



*Thank you....*