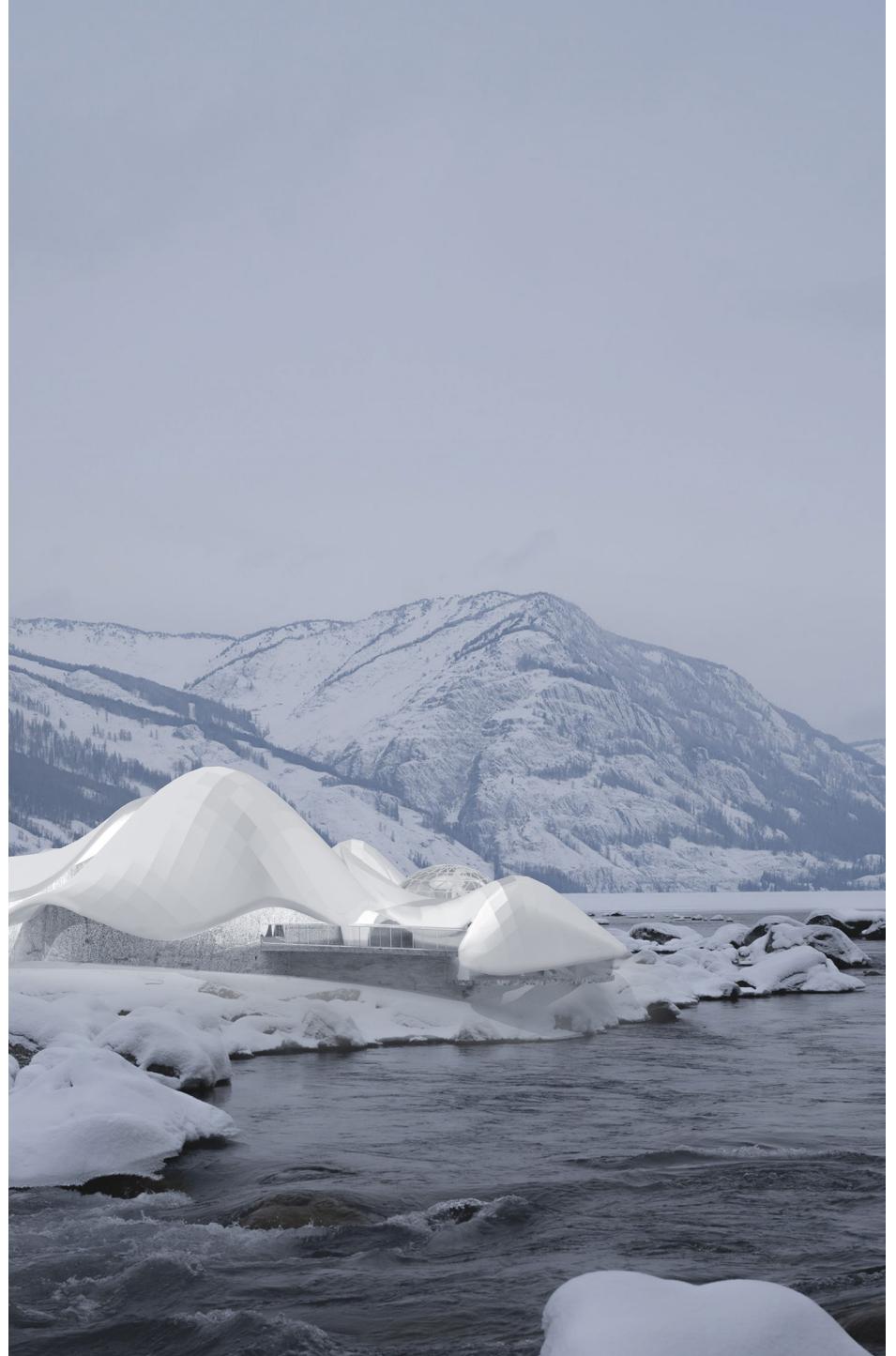


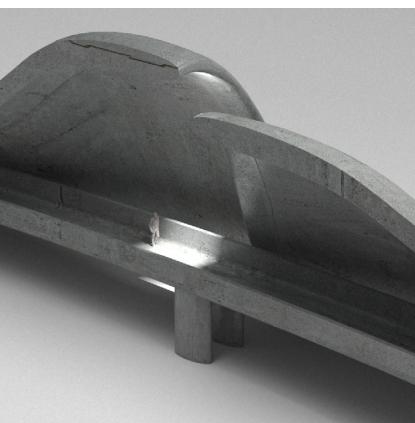
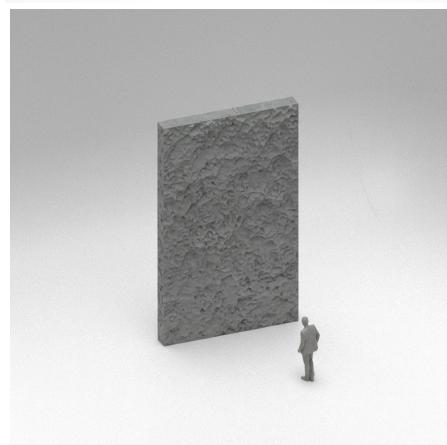
Spiraling Cosmos

The Astronomical Museum in Yabuli

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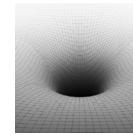




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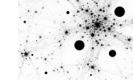
The universe began from an

The Solar System illustrates the dynamic relationship between a star and its planets, expanding our understanding of the cosmos.



Spacetime and Gravity

Matter curves spacetime, and curved spacetime guides matter's motion, forming the foundation of our understanding of gravity.



Large-Scale Structure of the Universe

Galaxies form a filamentary network that shapes the large-scale structure of the universe.



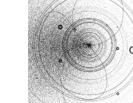
Stellar Birth and Death

Stars are born from molecular clouds and die in explosions that forge new elements.



Element Formation

From hydrogen and helium to heavy elements, all matter in the universe is produced inside stars.



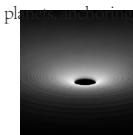
Formation of Planets and Planetary Systems

Planets condense from disks of gas and dust around stars, creating diverse planetary systems.



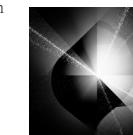
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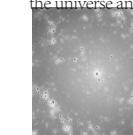
Black Holes and the Event Horizon

Extremely dense objects warp spacetime so strongly that not even light



Dark Matter and Dark Energy

Invisible yet dominant, dark matter and dark energy make up most of the universe and remain profound mysteries.



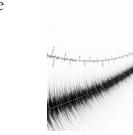
Cosmic Microwave Background and Observational Cosmology

The cosmic microwave background is the relic radiation of the early universe, providing evidence of its origin.



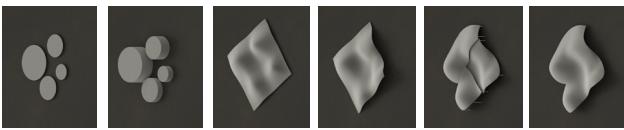
Exoplanets and the Search for Life

The discovery of planets beyond our Solar System expands the search for possible



Scale and Time

Grasping the immense scales and times of the universe helps us

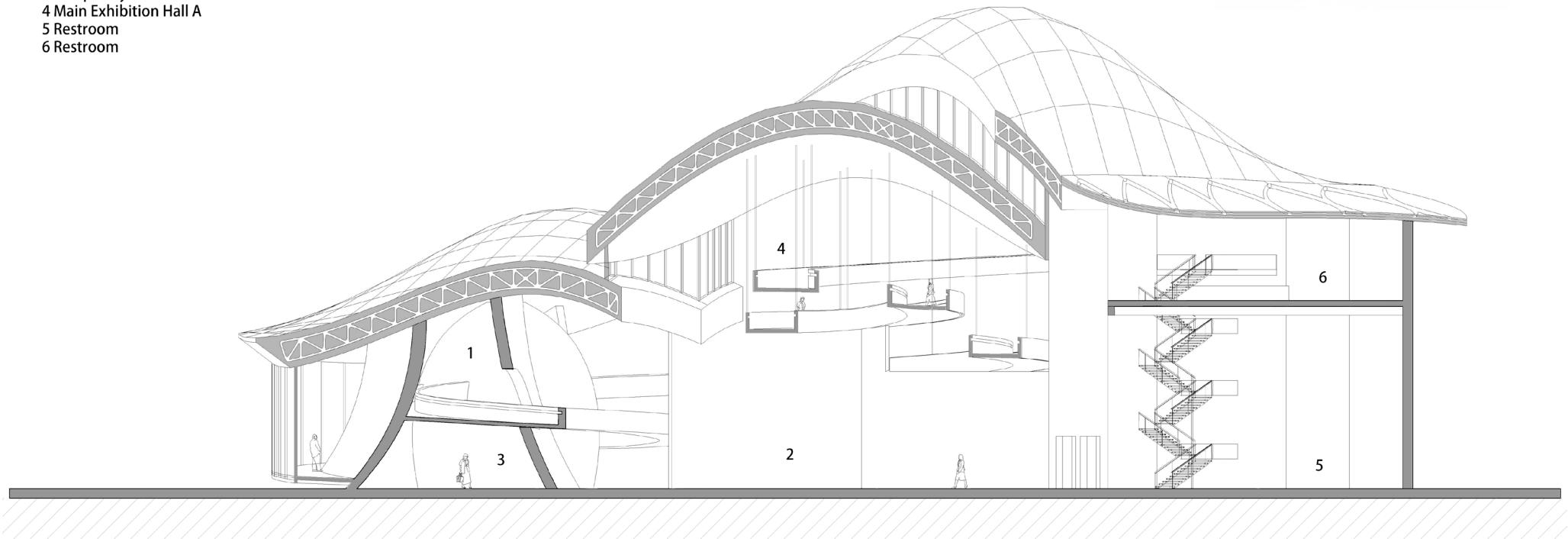
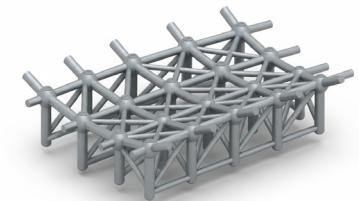


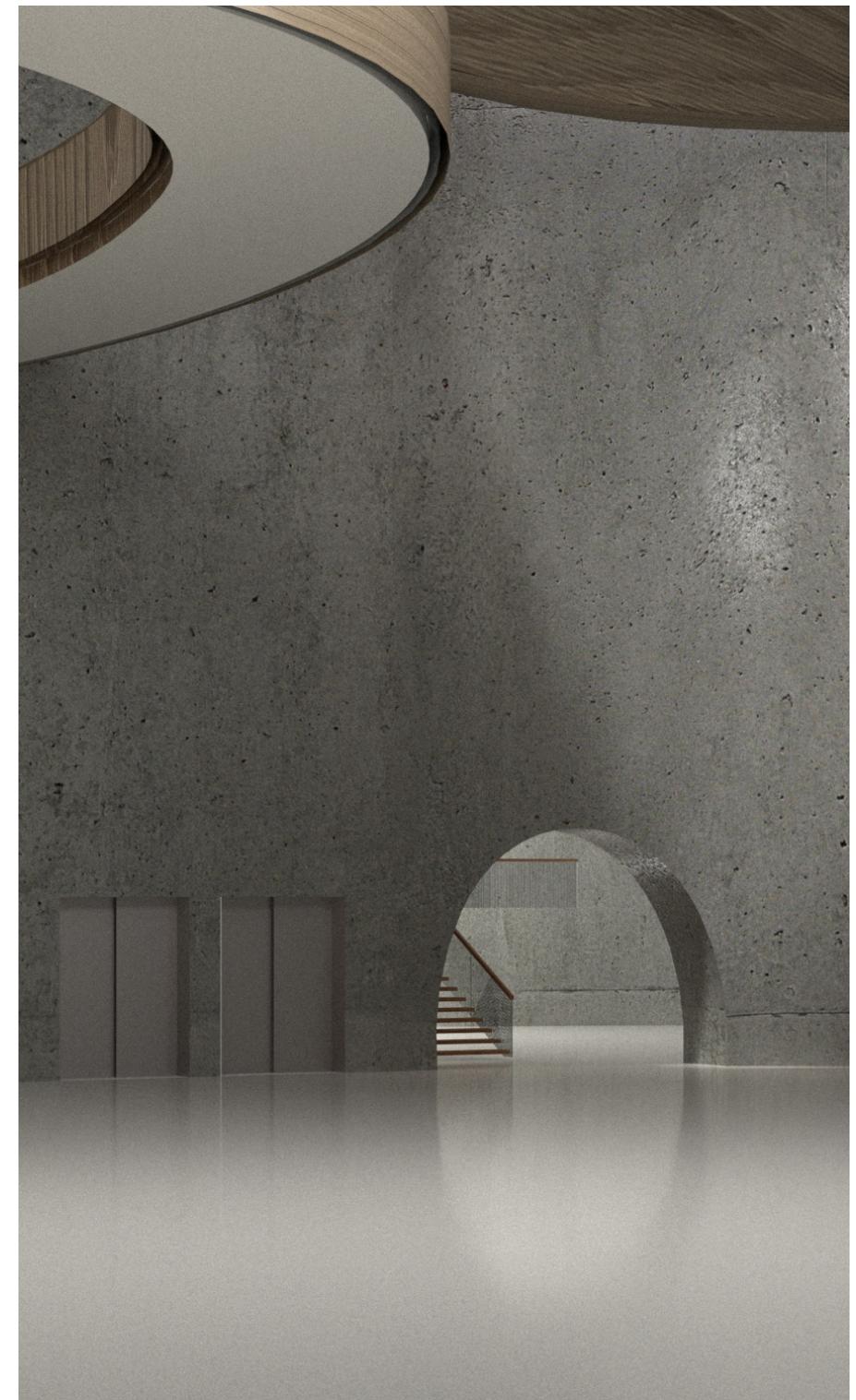
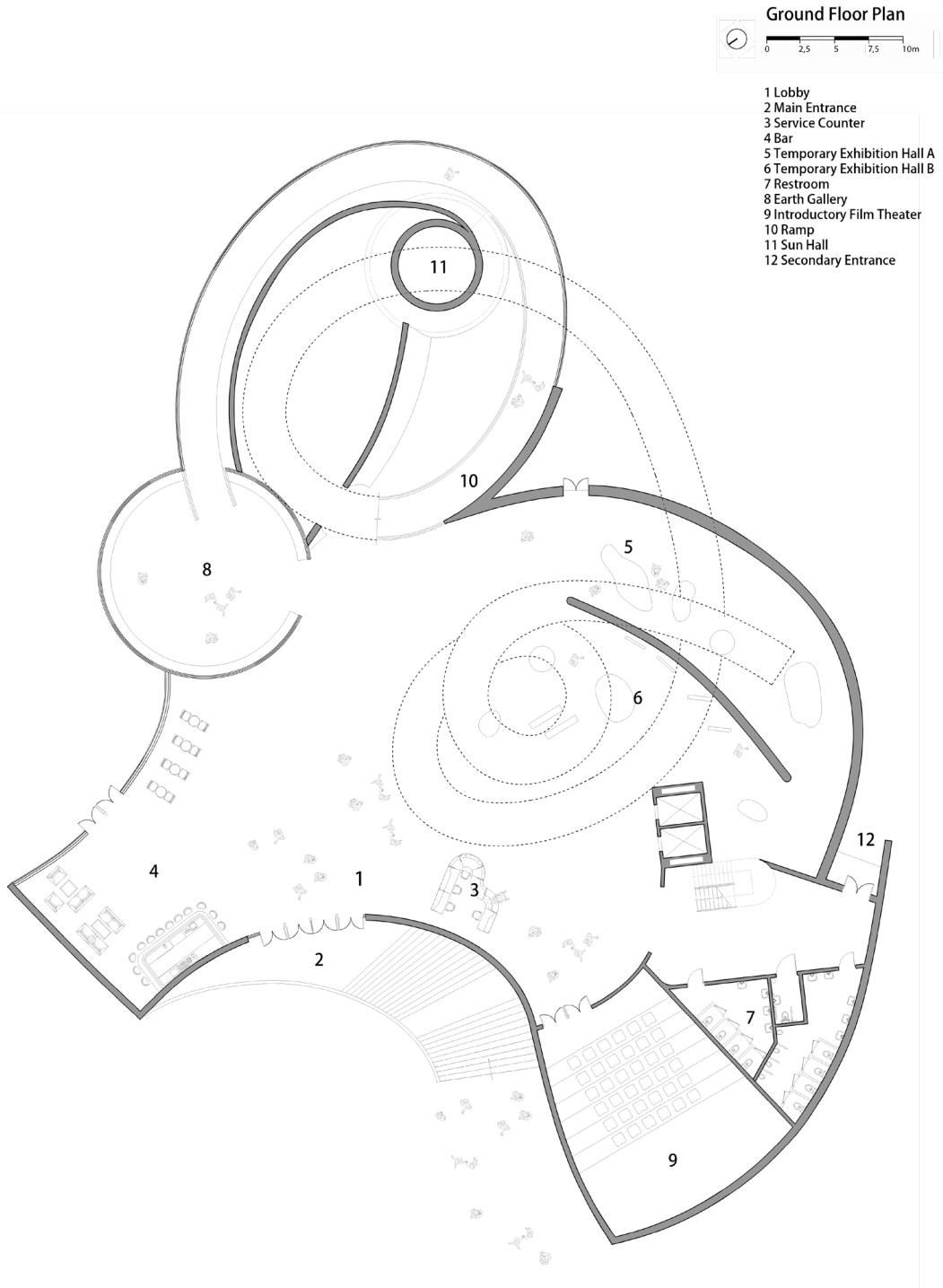
The Astronomical Museum in Yabuli, Heilongjiang, draws its form from the region's snowy landscape and alpine character. Yabuli is defined by its cold climate, long winters, and reputation as one of China's most renowned ski destinations. The architecture takes inspiration from naturally formed snow mounds, whose gentle, fluid contours echo the surrounding mountains covered in snow. This morphological approach allows the building to integrate seamlessly with its site, minimizing visual intrusion while enhancing the dialogue between architecture and nature. The snow-like forms also evoke a sense of purity and stillness—qualities that resonate with the celestial themes of astronomy, creating an environment where visitors can contemplate both the earth and the cosmos.

Section A-A'



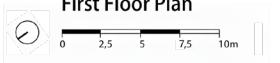
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- 4 Main Exhibition Hall A
- 5 Restroom
- 6 Restroom



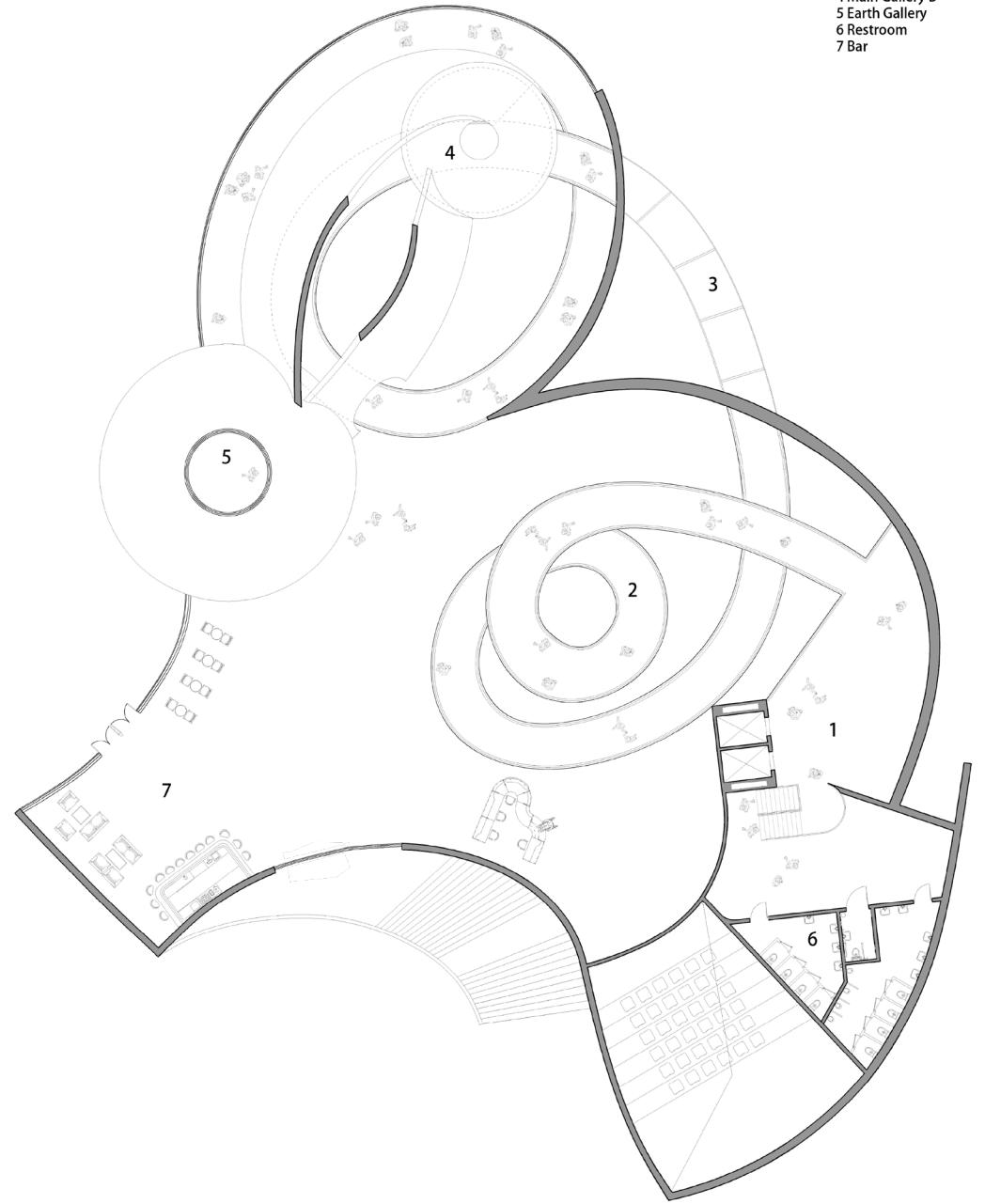


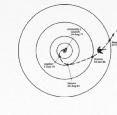
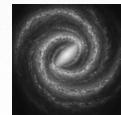
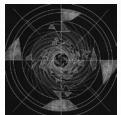
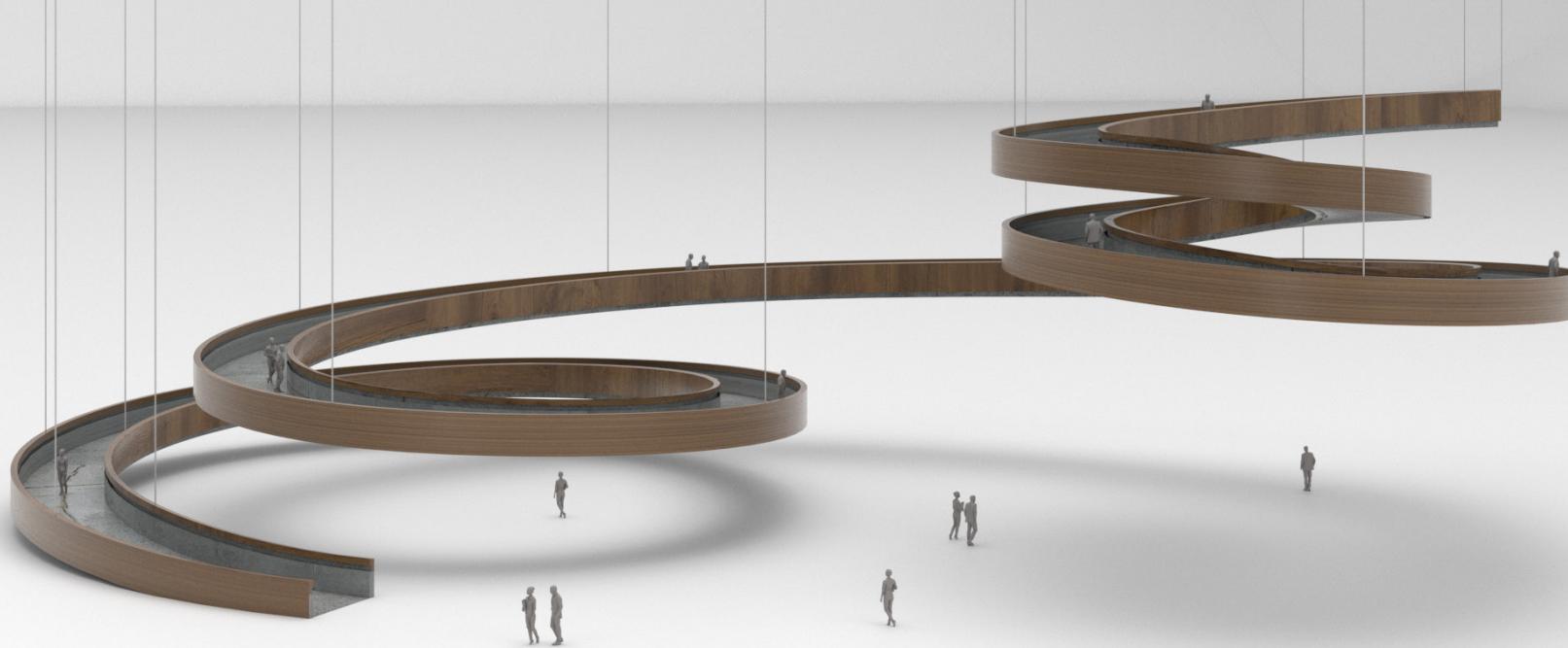


First Floor Plan



- 1 Exhibition Entrance
- 2 Main Gallery A
- 3 Bridge Gallery
- 4 Main Gallery B
- 5 Earth Gallery
- 6 Restroom
- 7 Bar





Angular Momentum & Cosmic Rotation

The form of the spiral ramp originates from the universal phenomenon of rotation and the conservation of angular momentum during the formation of celestial bodies. From the collapse of nebulae to the birth of stars, planets, and galaxies, rotation represents one of the most fundamental logics of cosmic order. The building's spiral form responds to this primal dynamic law of the universe.

Spiral Galaxies

The spiral is one of the most iconic geometries in the cosmos.

The spiral arms of galaxies such as the Milky Way and Andromeda embody the balance between gravity and motion. Within the museum, the spiral ramp recreates this macrostructure at the scale of the human body, allowing visitors to "enter" the galactic arms through movement.

Gravitational Wells & Curved Spacetime

Massive celestial bodies bend spacetime, forming gravitational wells along which all matter follows curved trajectories. The descending spiral path symbolizes the experience of "falling into a gravitational field", inviting visitors to physically sense the curvature of spacetime through their own movement and orientation.

Relativity & the Dissolution of Orientation

In the universe, there is no absolute up or down—only relative frames of reference. Along the spiral circulation, direction constantly shifts and perspectives continuously twist, immersing visitors in a relative spatial system, as if they were drifting within the fluid continuum of the cosmos.

Exhibition Entrance



Down Ramp



The Bioreactor Canopy Mine Site Remediation and Ecological Production

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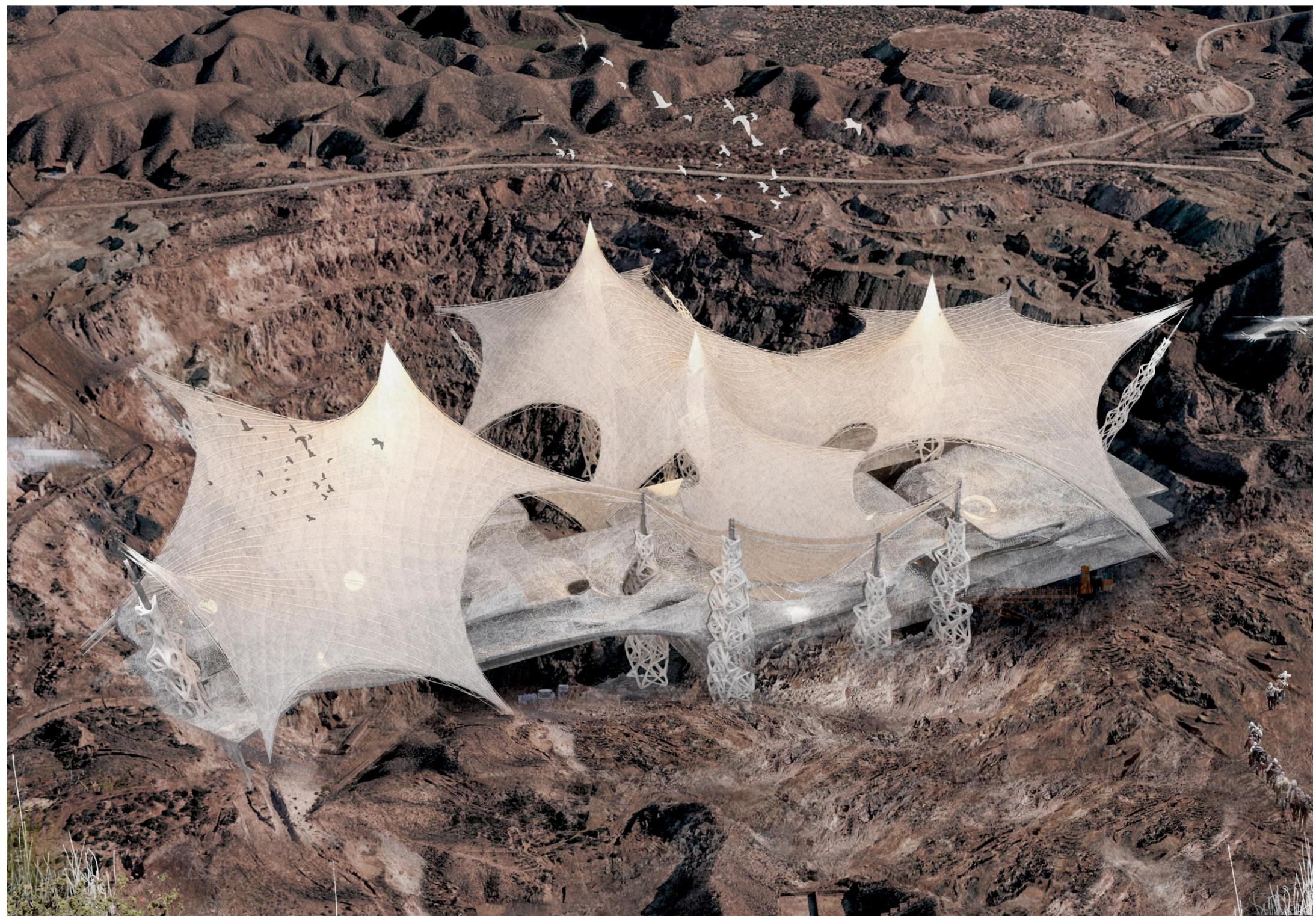
The Big Canyon Copper Mine in Arizona represents a critical challenge inherited from industrial legacies: a vast open pit and extensive toxic tailings contributing to persistent soil and water contamination. Moving beyond traditional containment, this project proposes a performance-driven architectural intervention to establish a self-sustaining Ecological Production Hub.

The core innovation lies in integrating architectural design with biochemical engineering. The design converts the mine pit floor into a large-scale Bioreactor, utilizing Anaerobic Fermentation to process local organic waste. This strategic convergence achieves dual sustainability: efficient waste disposal and the generation of high-quality Bio-Fertilizer essential for soil remediation.

A cluster of Adaptive Tensile Membrane Structures is deployed above the Bioreactor. This architecture is not arbitrary; its fixed morphology is the direct, quantifiable output of advanced optimization. We employed a Genetic Algorithm (GA) for Multi-Objective Optimization, ensuring the membrane's geometry precisely regulates temperature, radiation, and airflow. The design is optimized for the most climatically challenging moments (e.g., summer solstice peak hours), guaranteeing maximum microbial efficiency throughout the year.

The final phase involves backfilling the bioreactor with the nutrient-rich digestate, actively initiating ecological succession. By transforming a severely contaminated site into a productive landscape—an Ecological Production Hub—this project establishes a replicable, high-performance model for remediating industrial scars globally and converting environmental liabilities into ecological assets.





MINE SITE REMEDIATION_ CONTEXT / OBJECTIVES

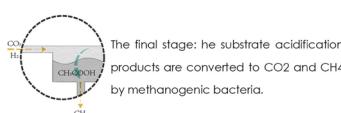
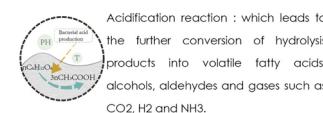
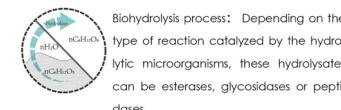
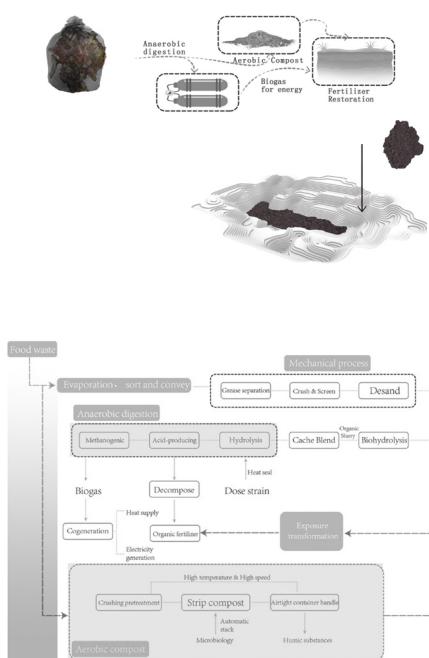
Open-pit mining leaves behind heavily contaminated soil, disrupted hydrology, and damaged ecological systems, and conventional remediation approaches often remain passive and containment-driven. This project proposes a shift toward an active, performance-based restoration method that transforms abandoned mine pits into controlled ecological production systems capable of accelerating soil renewal while simultaneously generating renewable bioproducts.



WASTE-TO-RESOURCE TECHNOLOGY ANAEROBIC FERMENTATION

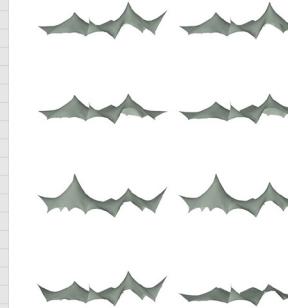
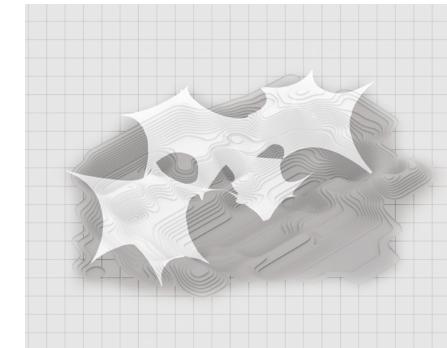
At the center of this strategy is a large-scale anaerobic fermentation bioreactor constructed on the pit floor, where local organic waste undergoes a four-phase transformation involving drying, anaerobic decomposition, aerobic composting, and solar-assisted exposure. Through these coordinated phases, organic matter is gradually converted into biogas that sustains the facility's energy demand and a nutrient-rich digestate that becomes the primary amendment for rebuilding degraded soil. The result is a continuous circular system in which waste management and ecological restoration reinforce one another.

DISPOSAL PROCESS



ARCHITECTURAL SYSTEM_ ADAPTIVE MEMBRANE STRUCTURE

Suspended above the bioreactor, the adaptive tensile membrane structure acts as an environmental interface that stabilizes the conditions required for efficient fermentation. Its continuously adjustable geometry provides shading during periods of excessive radiation, retains heat when temperatures drop, and subtly redirects airflow to create wind environments suitable for aerobic phases. By responding to hourly climatic fluctuations, the membrane ensures that microbial processes remain in their optimal thermal and atmospheric ranges.



Provide Shading



Heat Retention



Change The Wind Environment

MATERIAL STRATEGY_ MYCELIUM-BASED COMPONENTS

The interior secondary components are constructed with mycelium-based bio-materials chosen for their biodegradability and their compatibility with the project's regenerative goals. As the material naturally breaks down over time, it leaves no detrimental residue and gradually integrates into the soil as an organic supplement, reinforcing the long-term ecological renewal initiated by the fermentation process. This integration allows the building to participate directly in the landscape's recovery rather than exist apart from it.

Applications of Mycelium in Construction



The Growing Pavilion in the Netherlands



MycoTree in Seoul



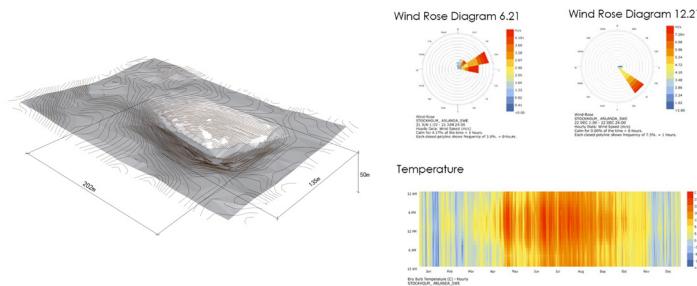
The Hy-Fi Pavilion in New York



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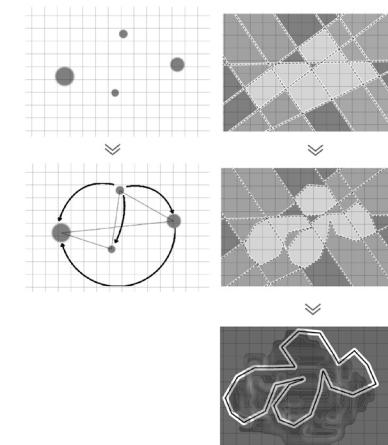
Demonstration Site_ FALUN MINE, SWEDEN

The Falun Copper Mine in Sweden, a UNESCO World Heritage site, was selected as a representative case due to its steep pit geometry, heavy-metal contamination, and sub-arctic climate. Analyses of annual solar exposure, thermal cycles, and wind rose data revealed a highly variable environment where drastic seasonal shifts and irregular wind corridors created by the pit's terrain demand precise architectural and thermal control.



ENVIRONMENTAL SIMULATION / SPATIAL STRATEGY

Through microclimatic modeling conducted with Ladybug, Honeybee, and CFD simulations, the pit's hourly behavior in terms of radiation, temperature, and airflow was reconstructed. The simulations disclosed strong summer radiation concentrated on the pit floor, significant winter heat loss, and complex airflow patterns shaped by the surrounding mineral walls. These findings, combined with the physical requirements of the four fermentation phases described on Page 1, guided the positioning of the bioreactor pits and the arrangement of membrane structures within the site.



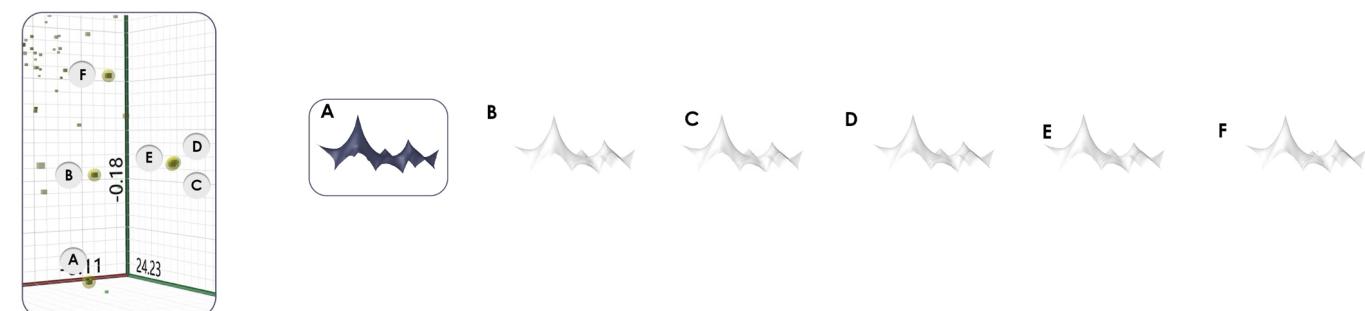
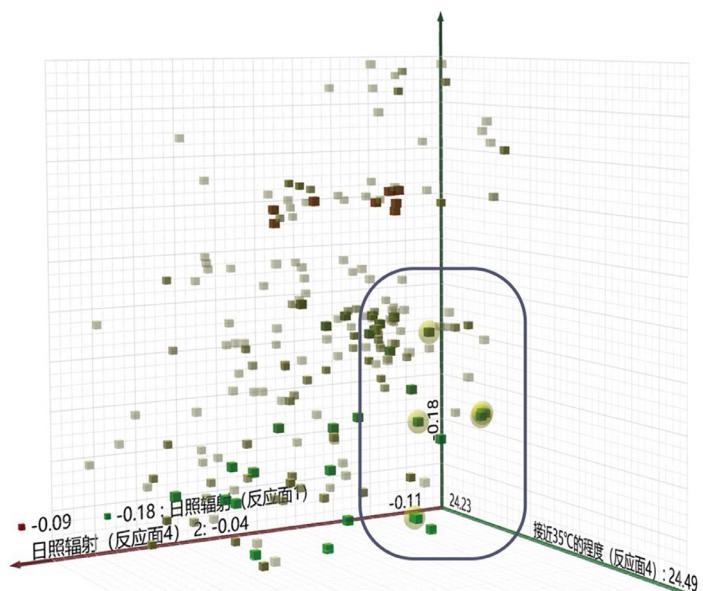
PERFORMANCE-DRIVEN OPTIMIZATION OF MEMBRANE GEOMETRY

The membrane geometry was optimized in Grasshopper by linking its anchor-point coordinates to the specific physical requirements of the four fermentation stages. Each stage demands a distinct microclimatic condition:

- The evaporation and delivery phase benefits from stronger short-term solar radiation;*
- The anaerobic fermentation phase requires temperature stability around 35 °C;*
- The aerobic composting phase performs best under higher wind speeds;*
- The exposure conversion phase again relies on accumulated sunlight to accelerate biochemical reactions.*

These environmental needs were translated into performance metrics that the membrane must regulate—solar admission, shading response, thermal retention, and wind-field modulation.

Using Octopus for multi-objective genetic optimization, thousands of membrane configurations were evaluated simultaneously against these stage-based criteria, together with structural stability and radiation mitigation of the pit environment. The algorithm produced a Pareto front of non-dominant solutions, from which the final geometry was selected for its ability to maintain ideal conditions even during the most extreme climatic hour—peak solar intensity at noon on the summer solstice—ensuring that all four fermentation stages can operate efficiently throughout the year.



As the soil returns and the membranes settle into the terrain, the former mine shifts from a landscape of extraction to one of renewal. Architecture and ecology merge, allowing the pit to evolve into a living ground once again.

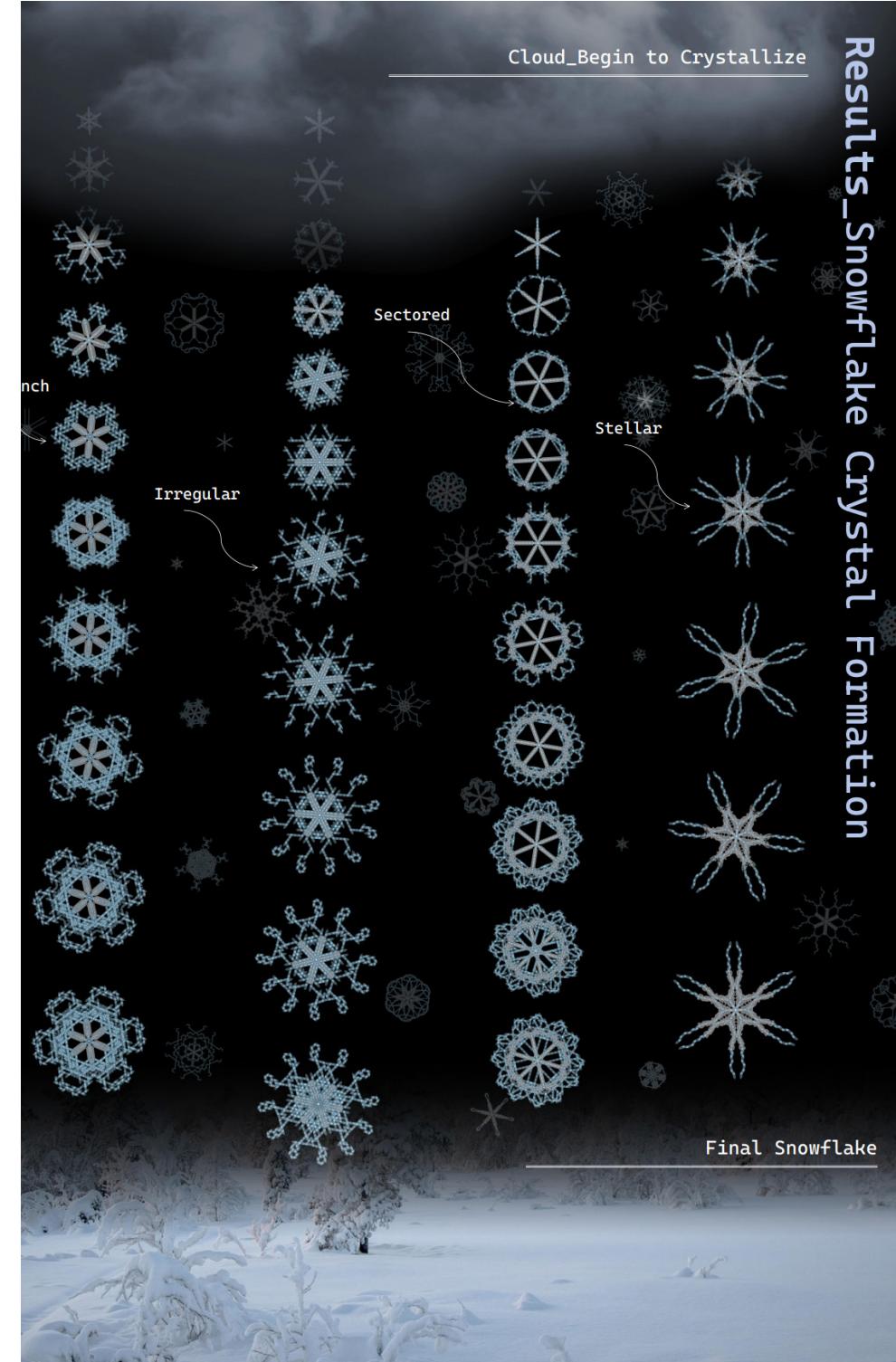
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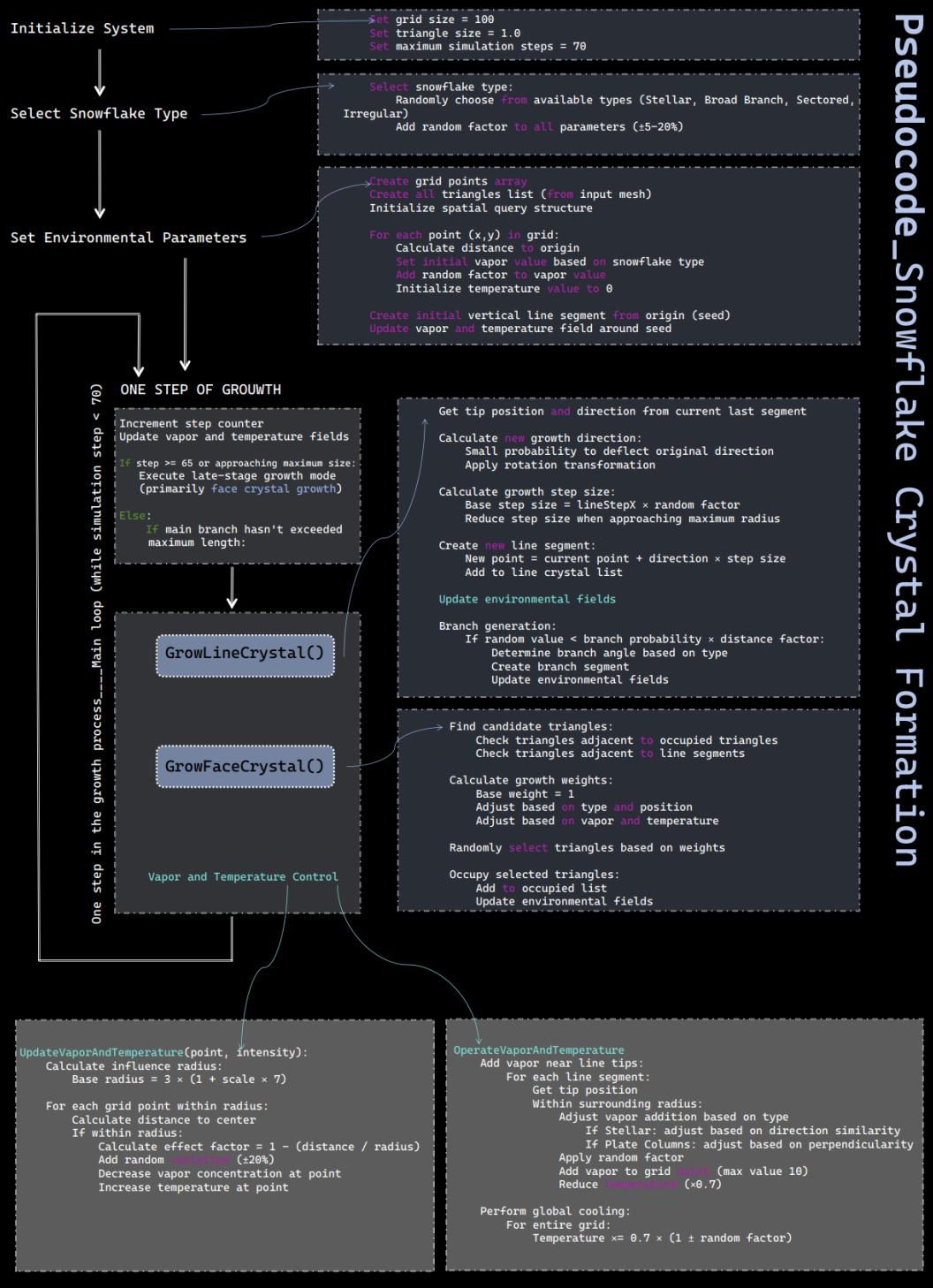
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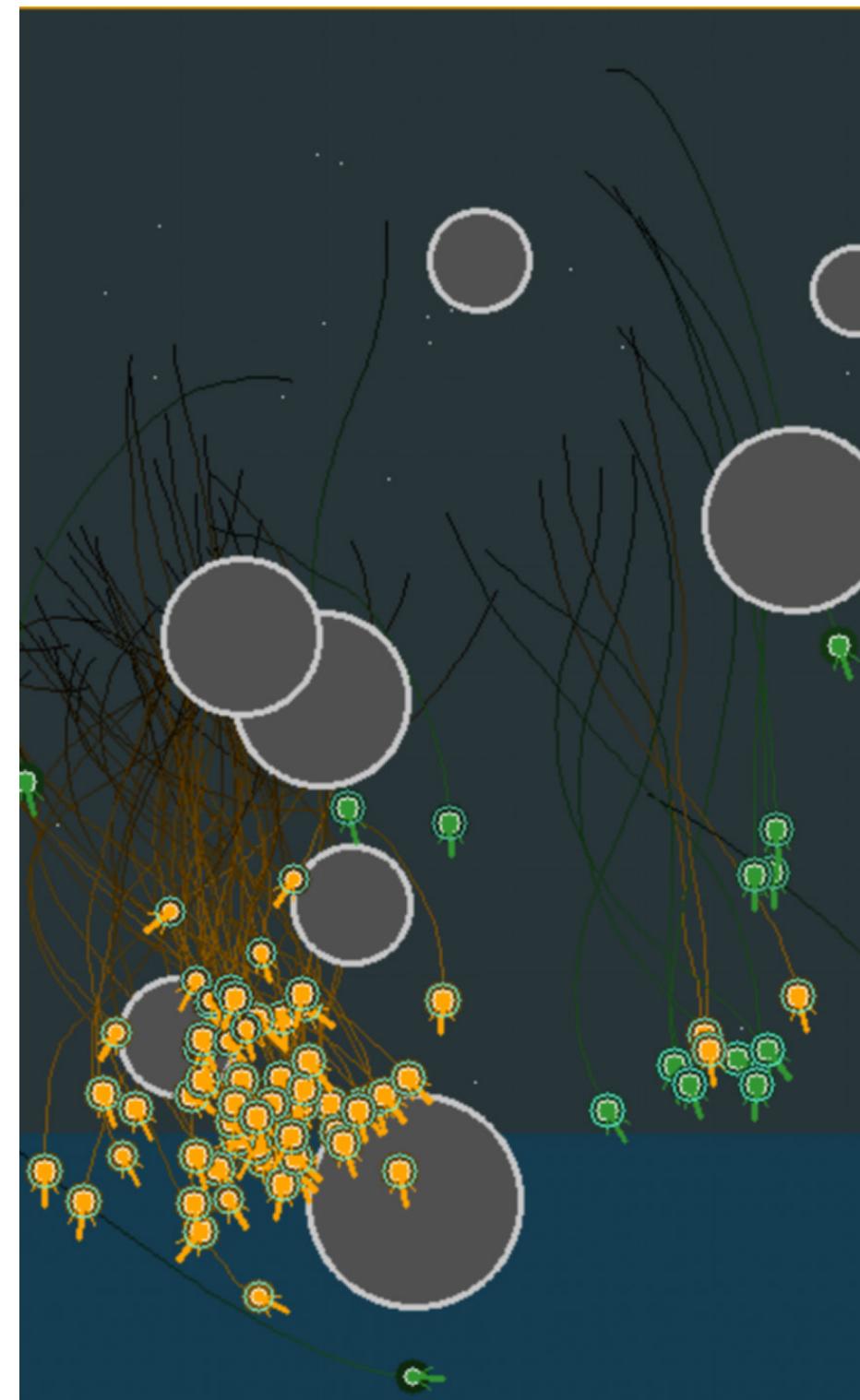
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Methods Review_Snowflake Crystal Formation



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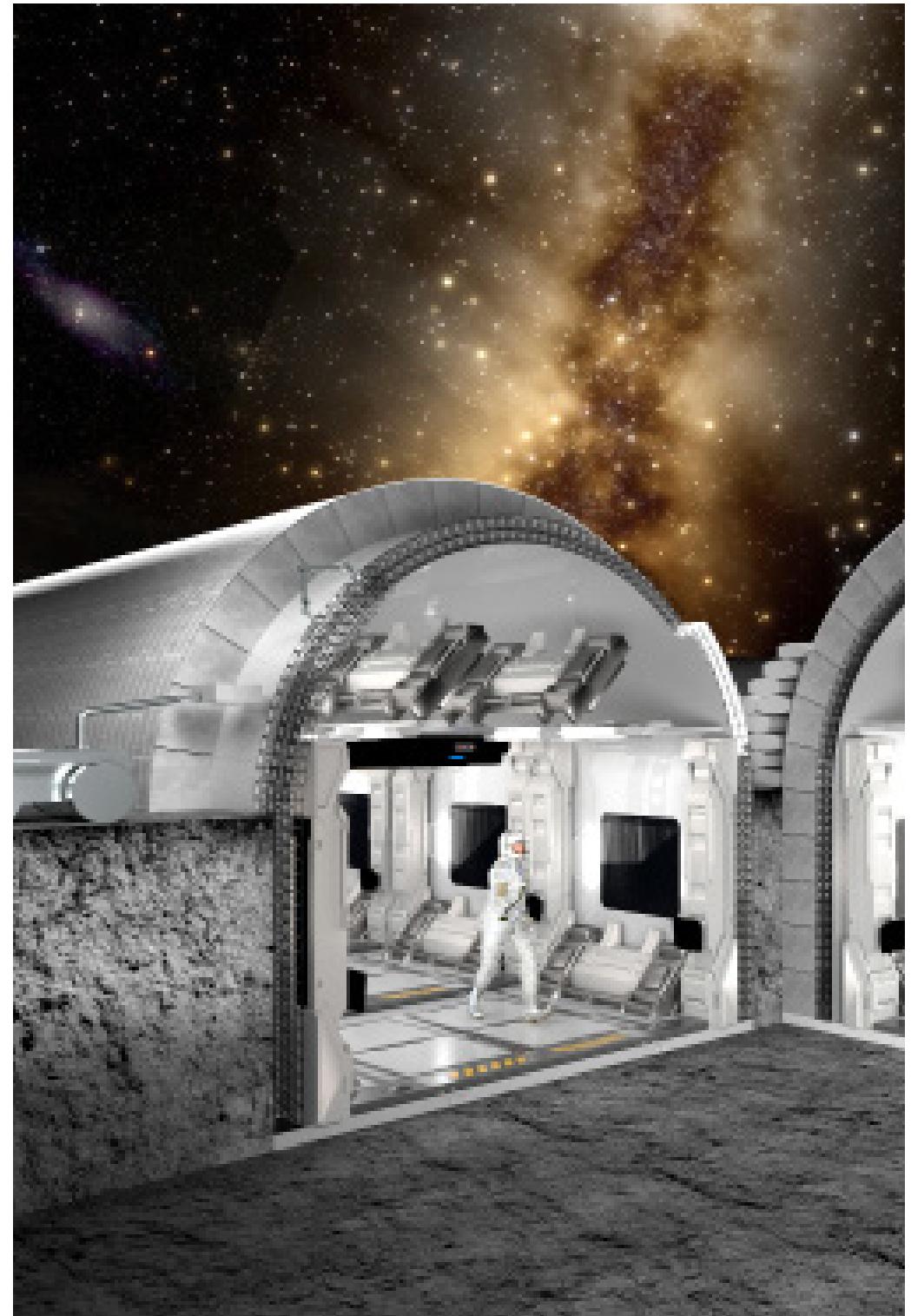


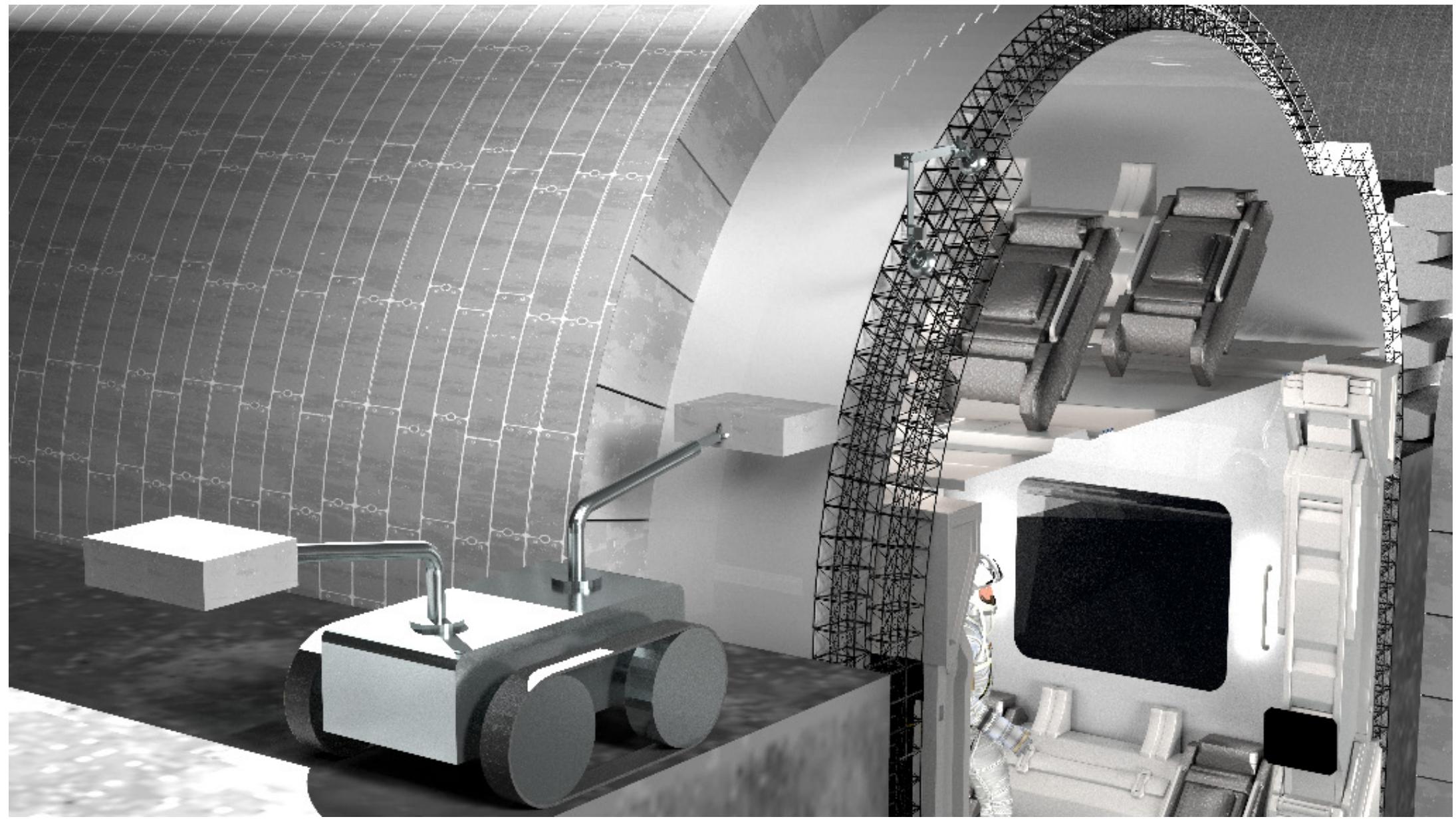
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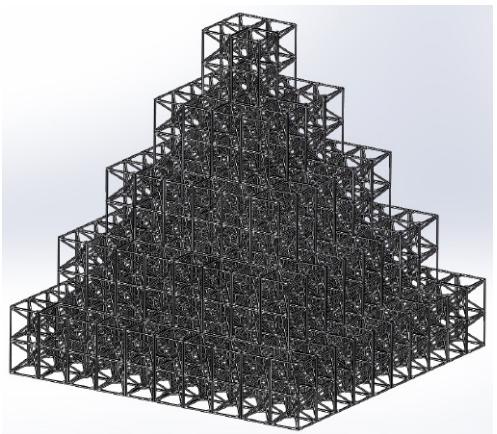


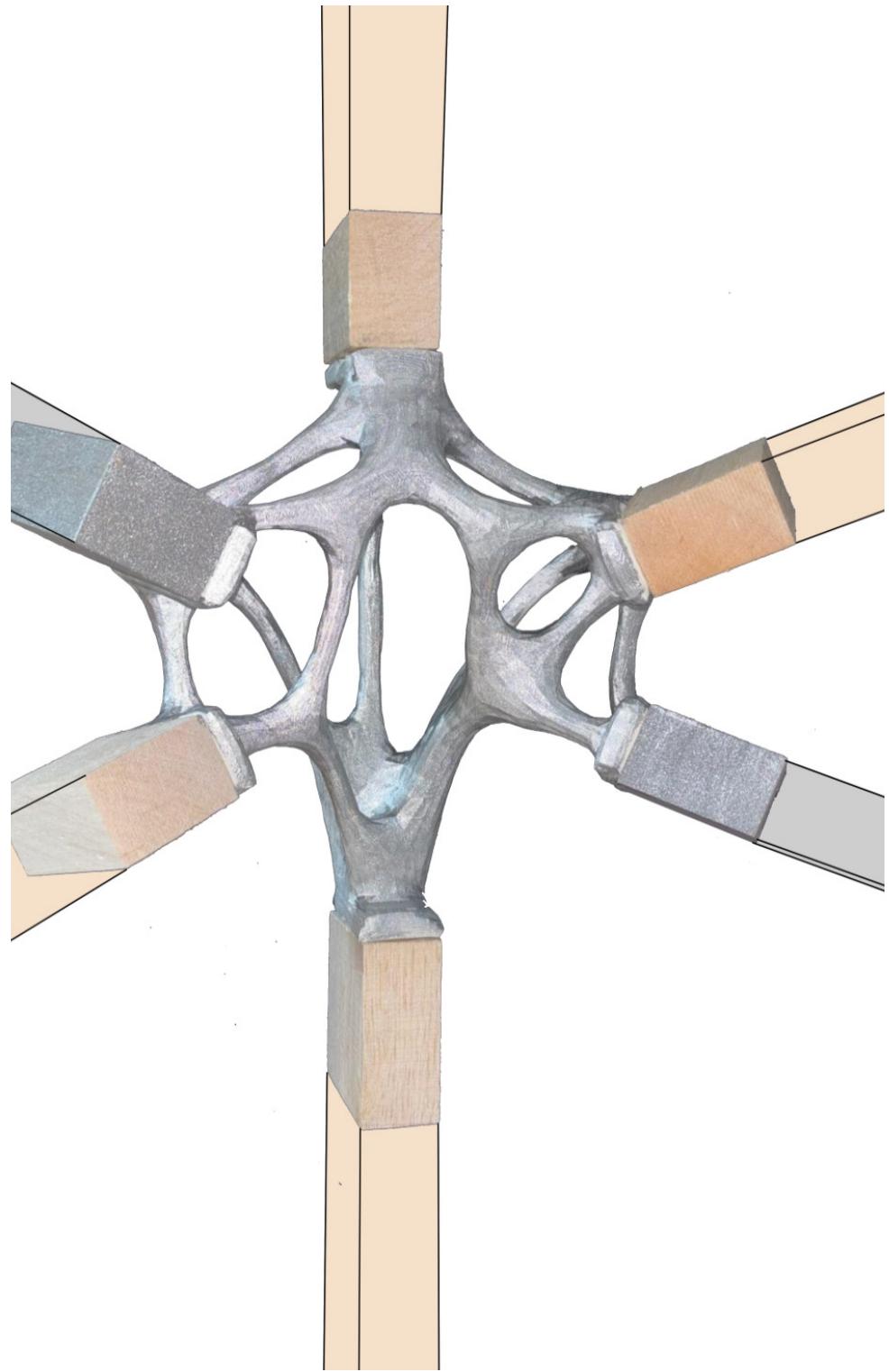


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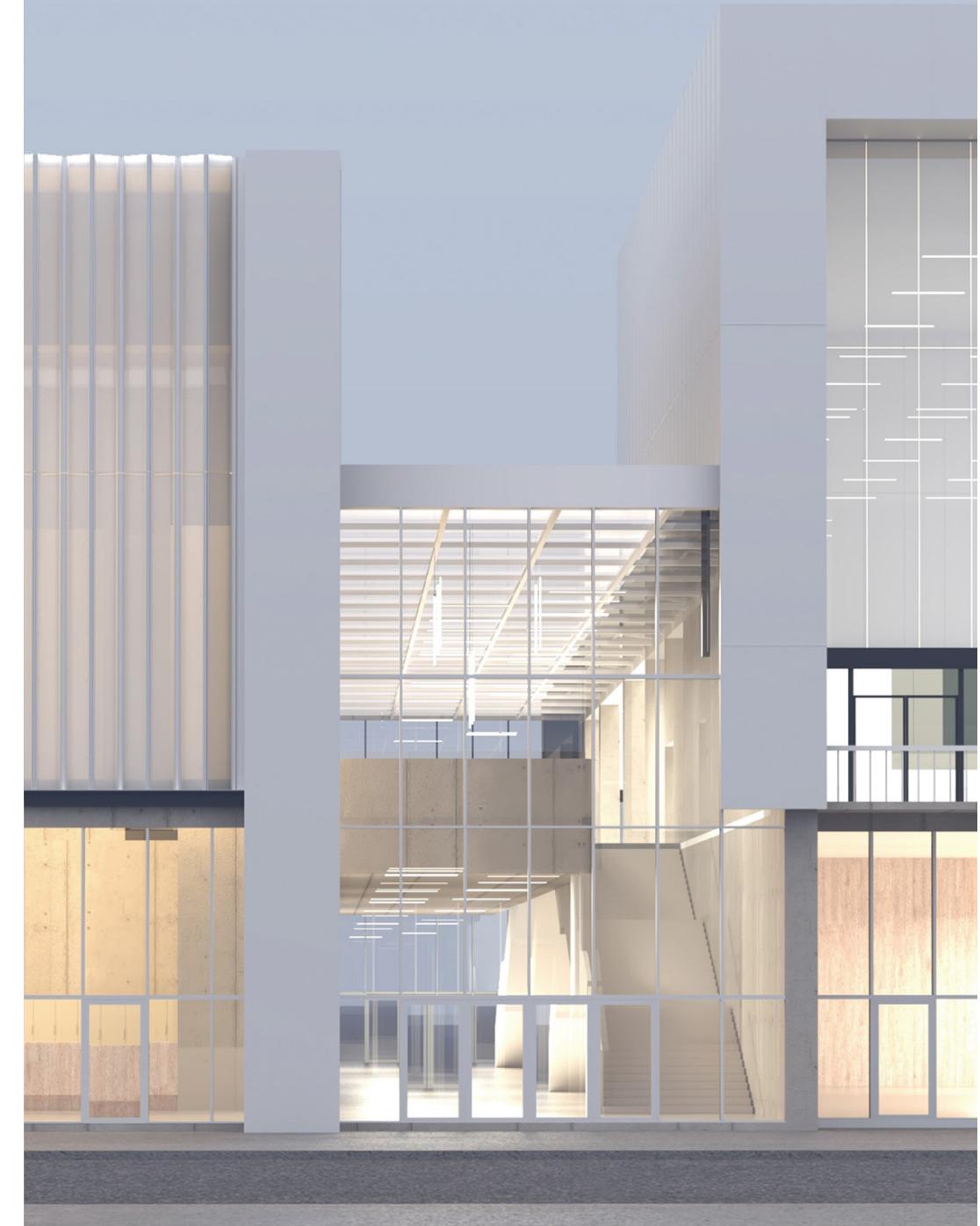


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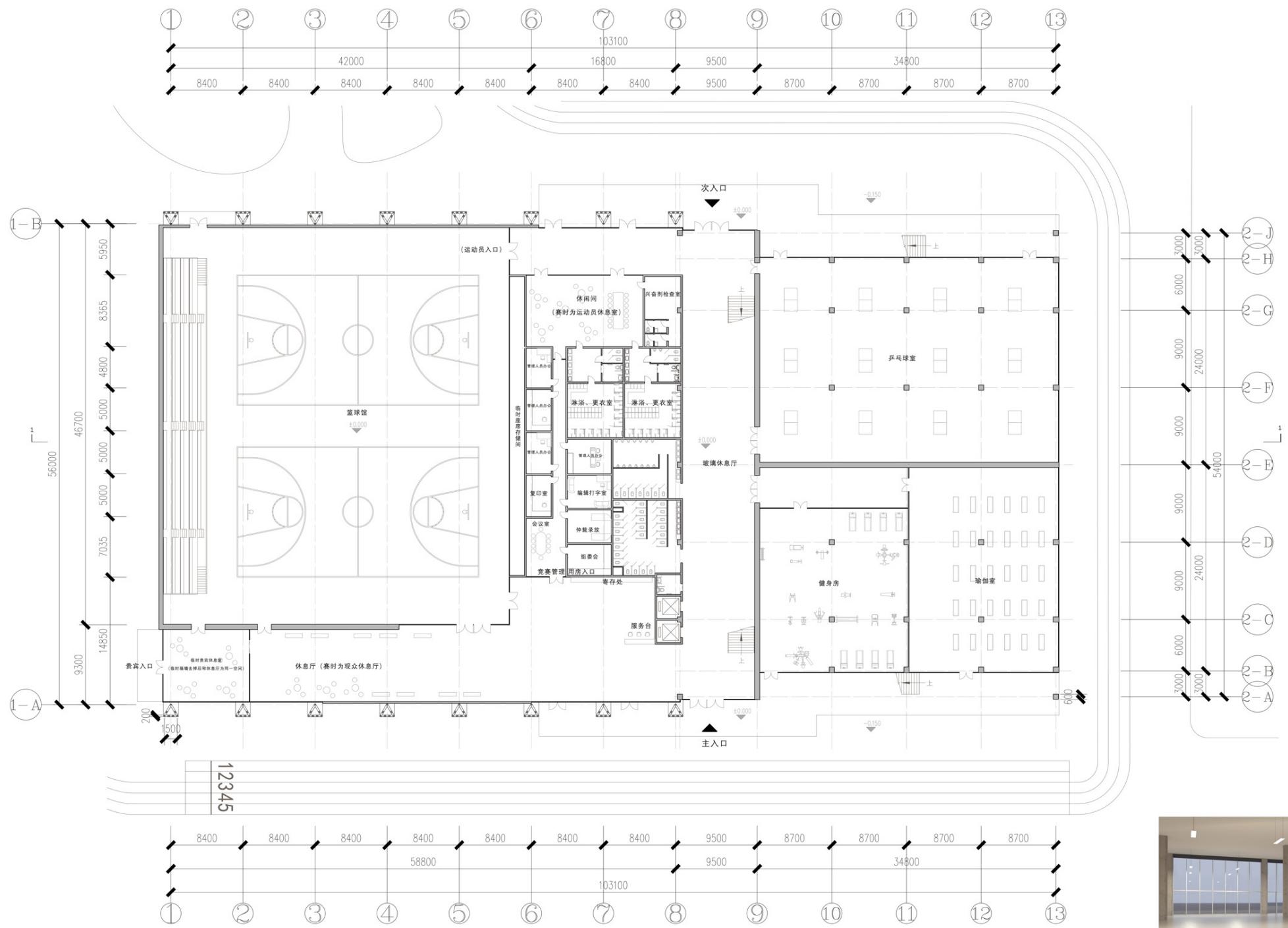




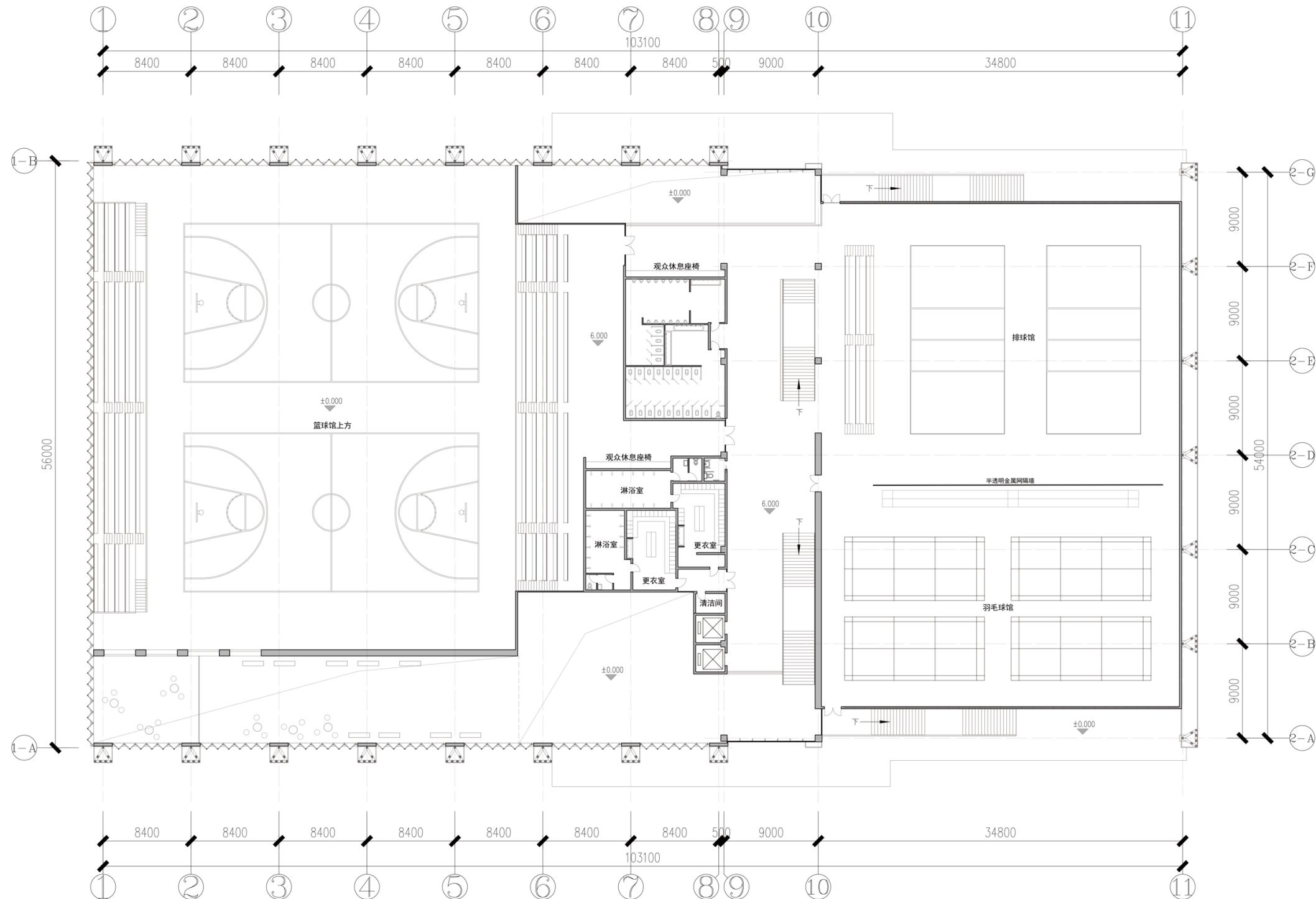
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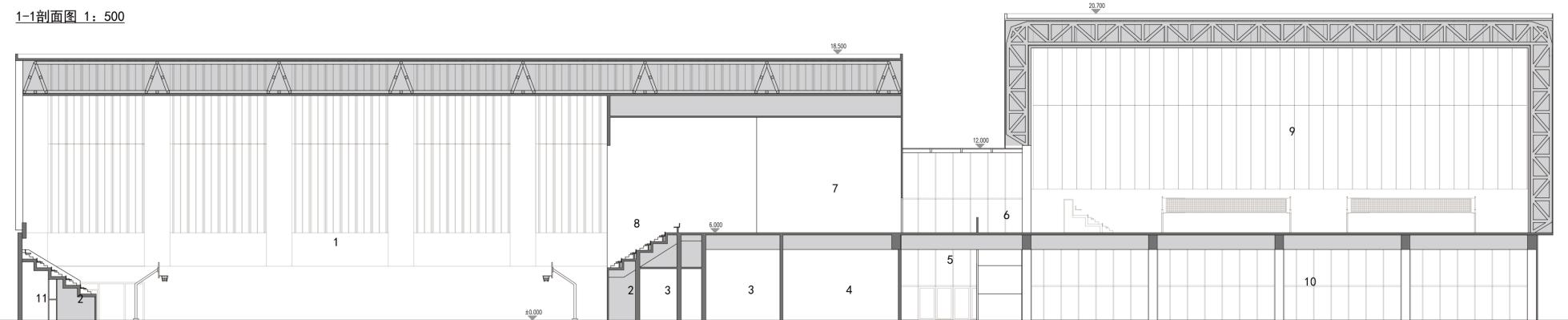
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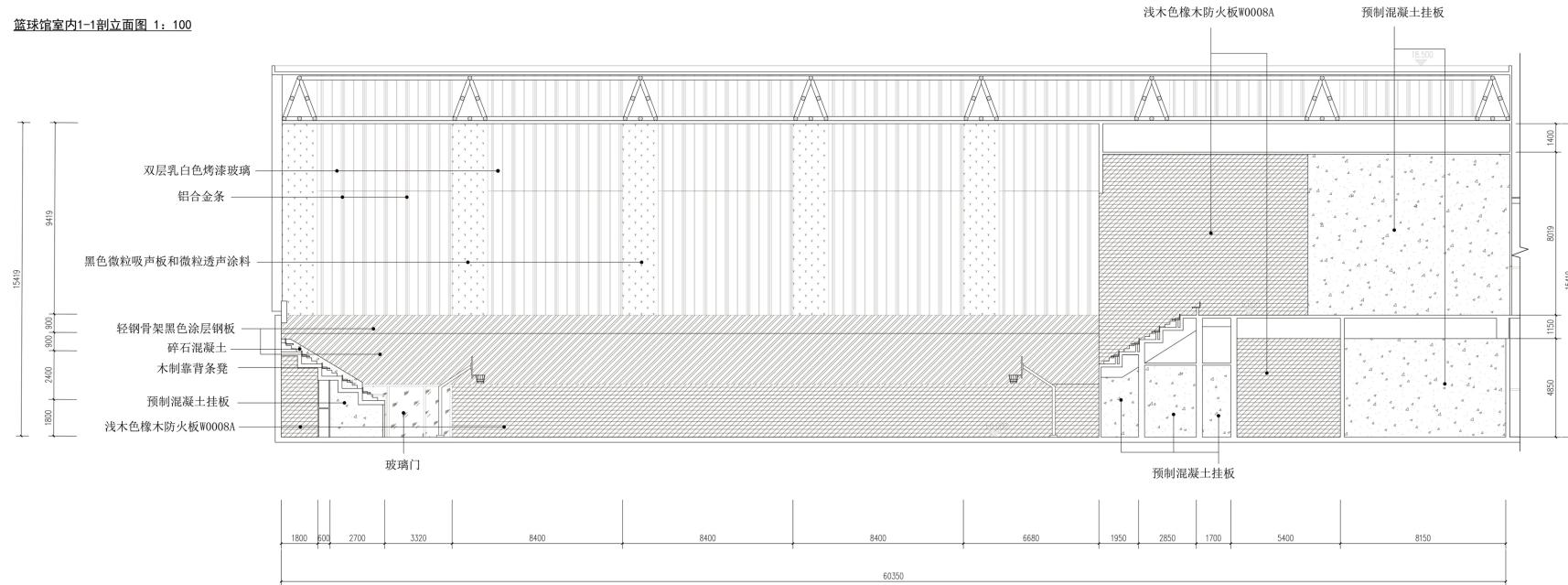


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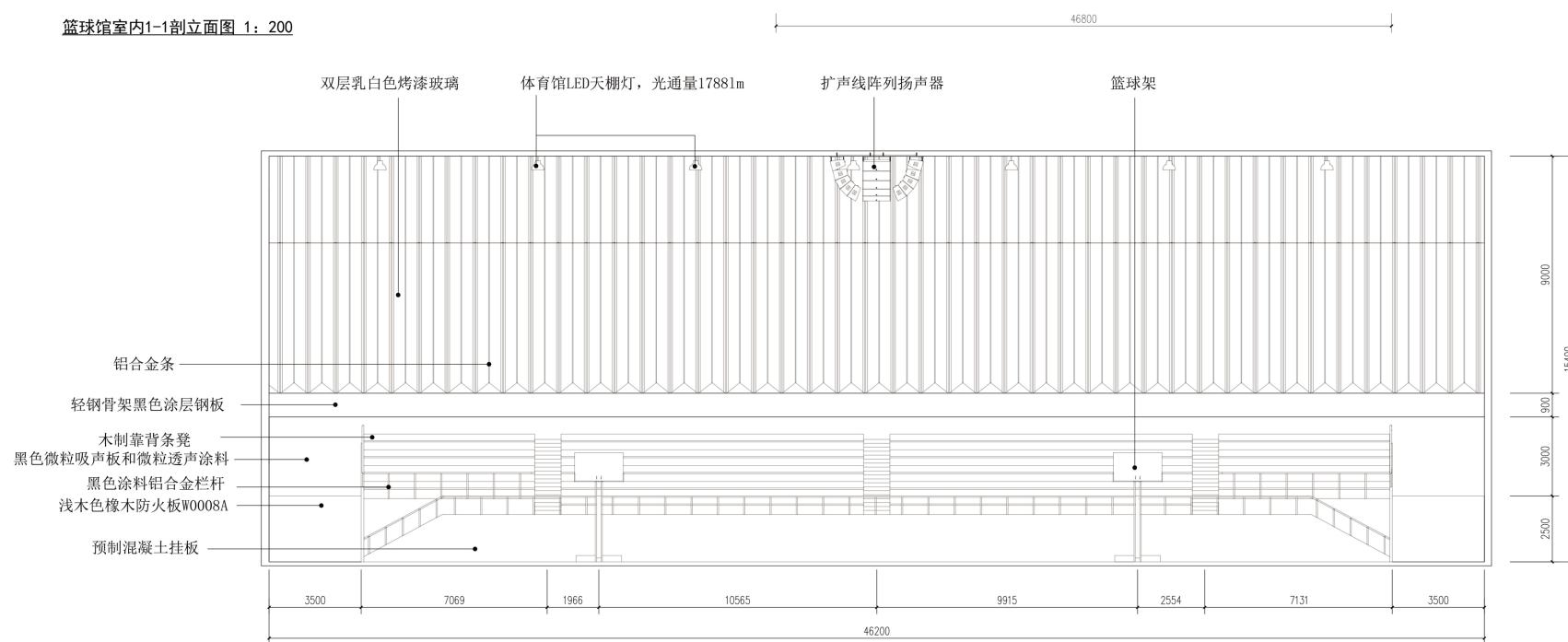


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- 6 楼梯
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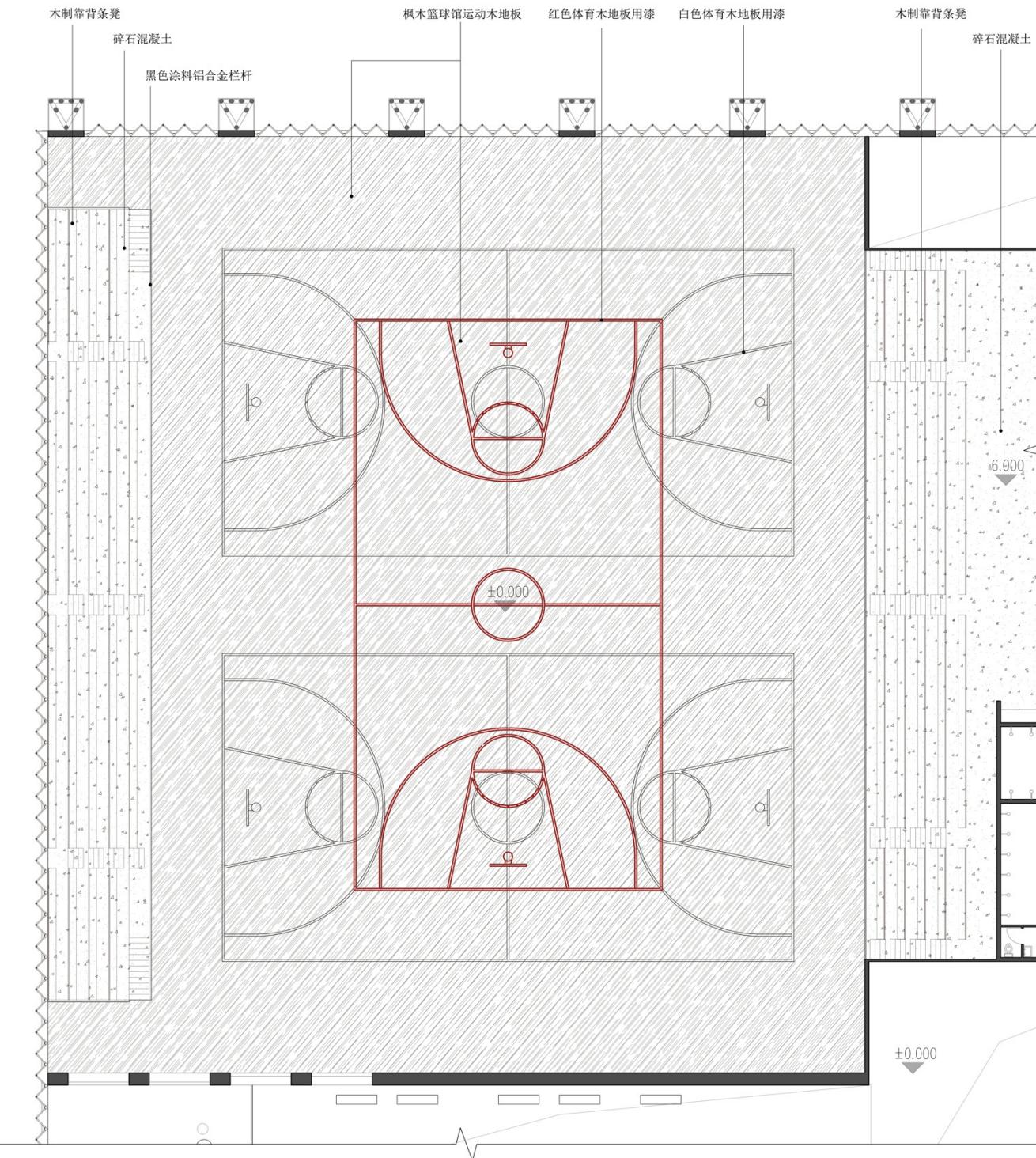
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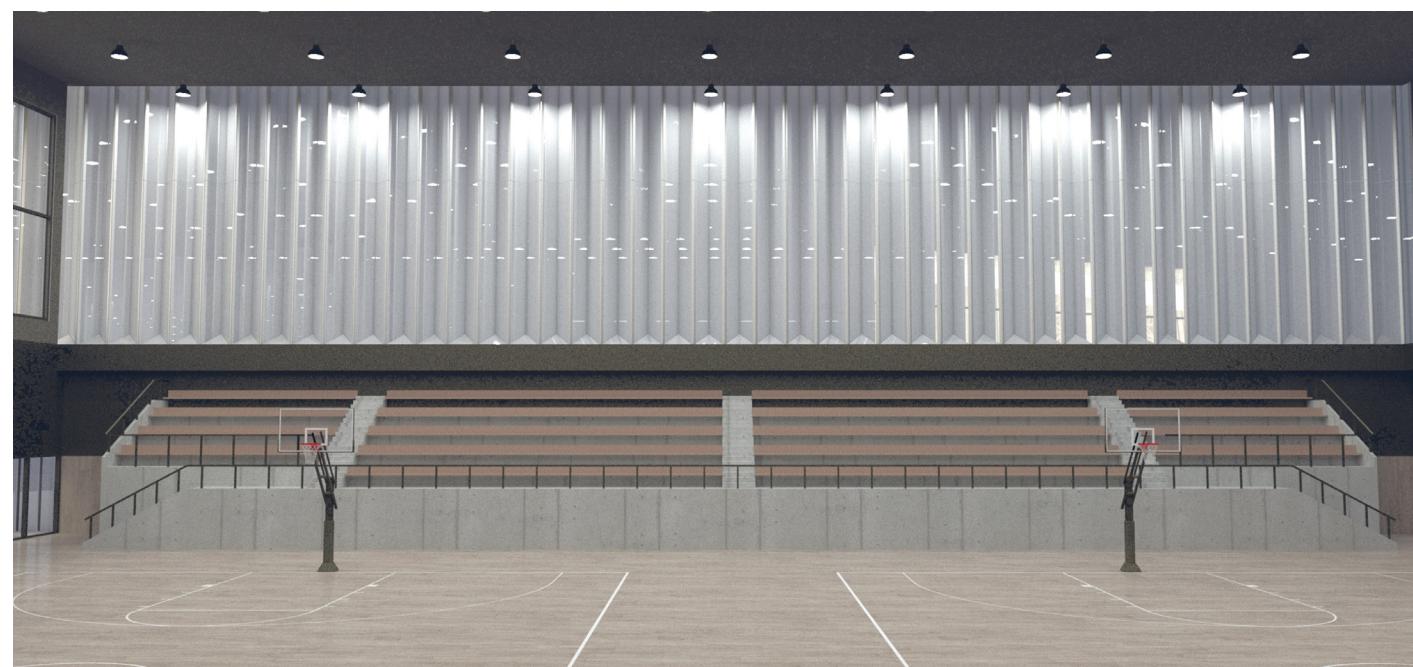
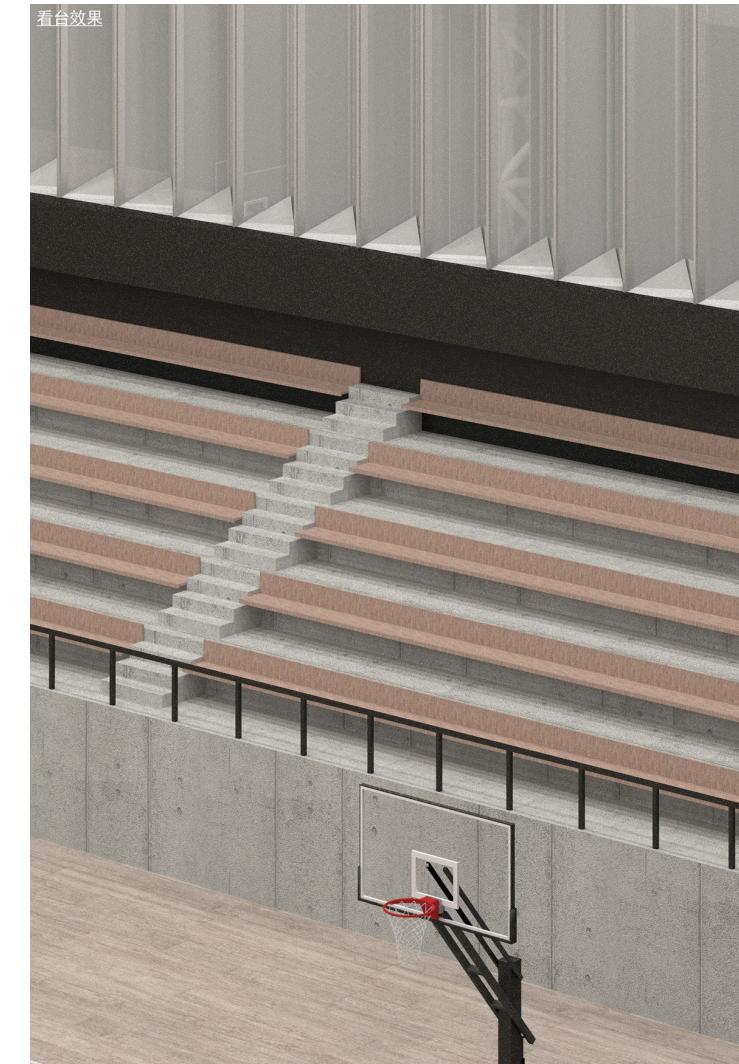
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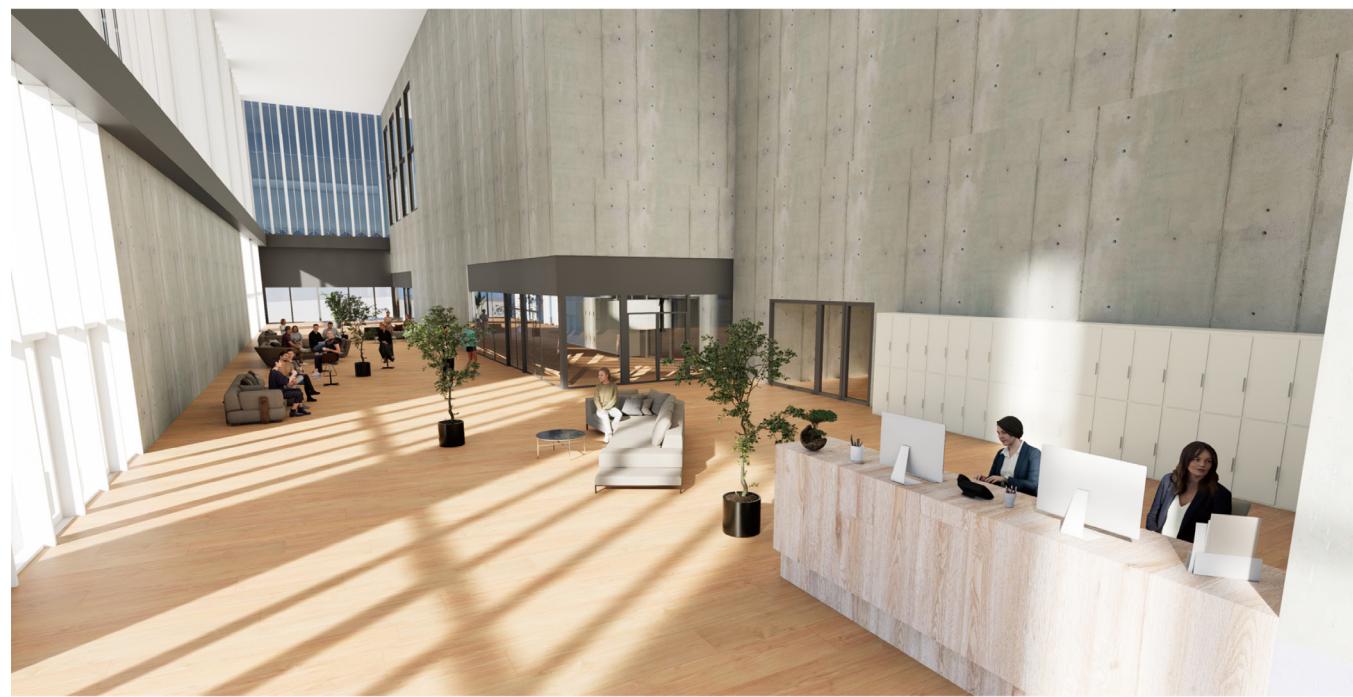


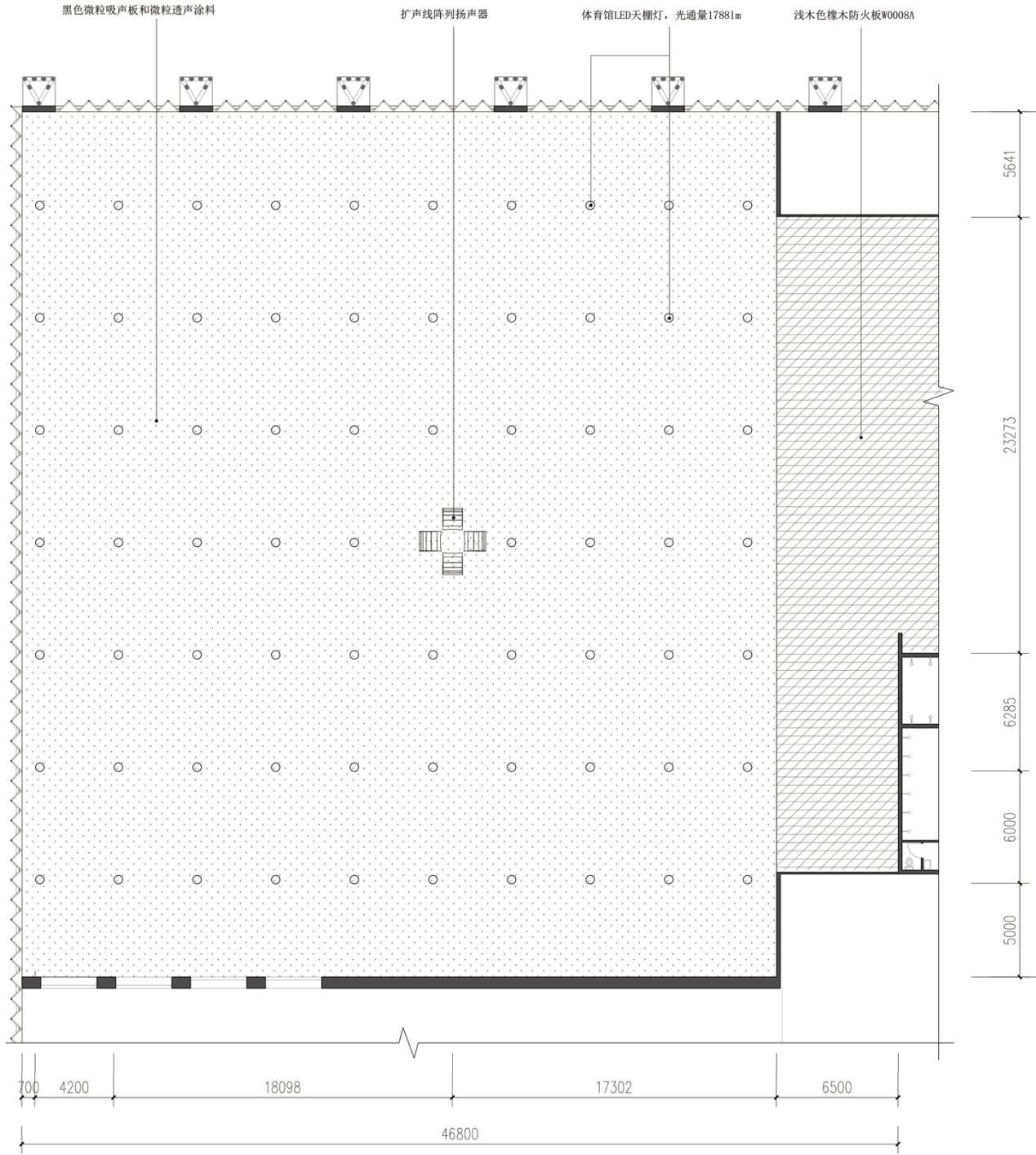
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篮球场两侧看台









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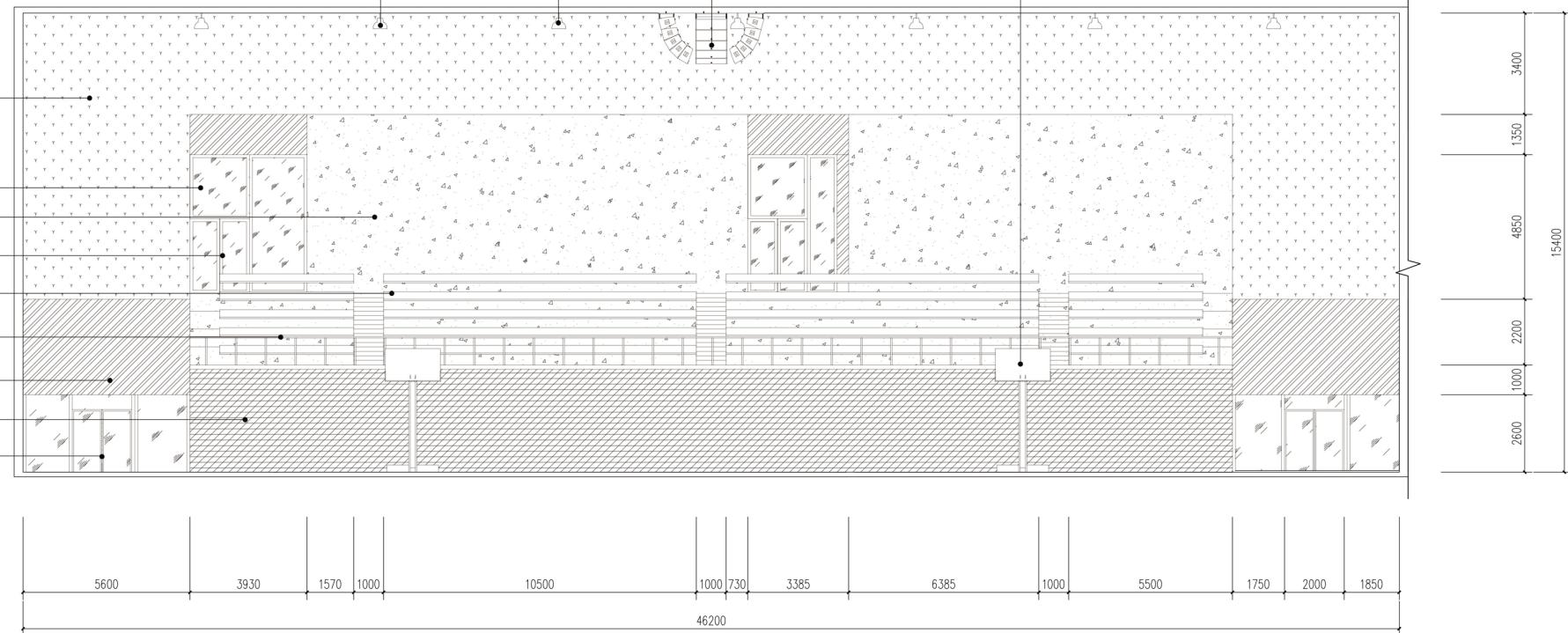
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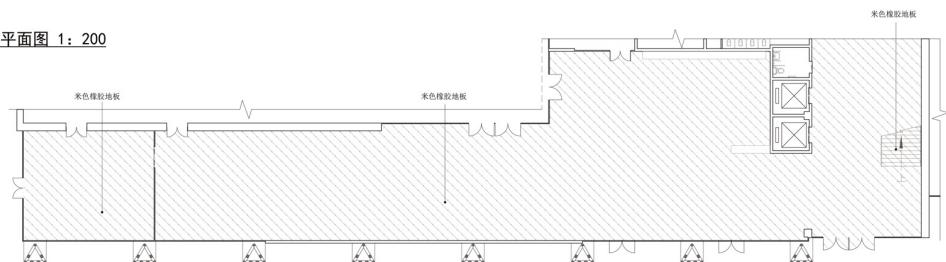
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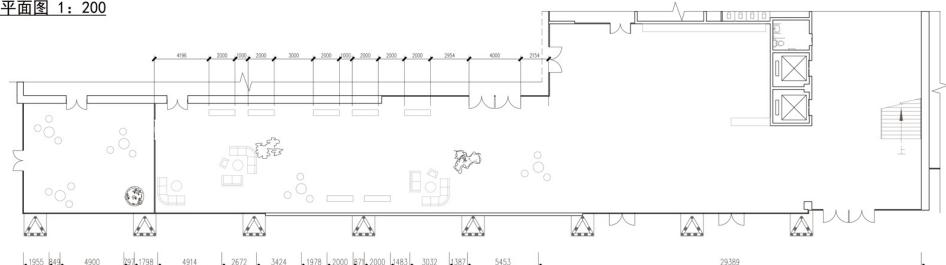
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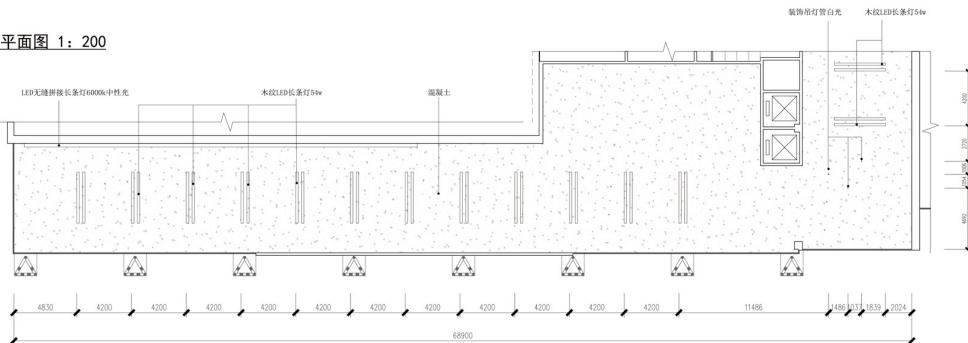
门厅地面布置平面图 1: 200



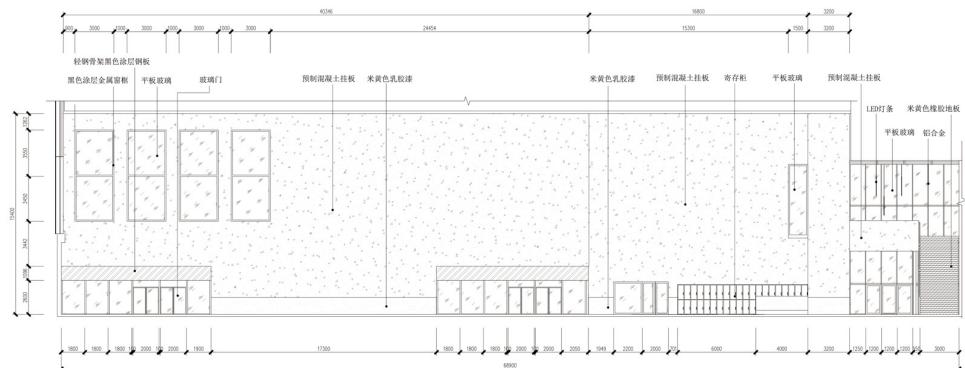
门厅家具布置平面图 1: 200



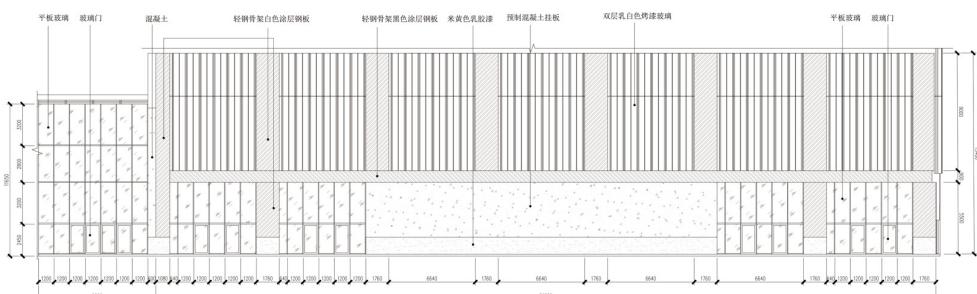
门厅天棚布置平面图 1: 200



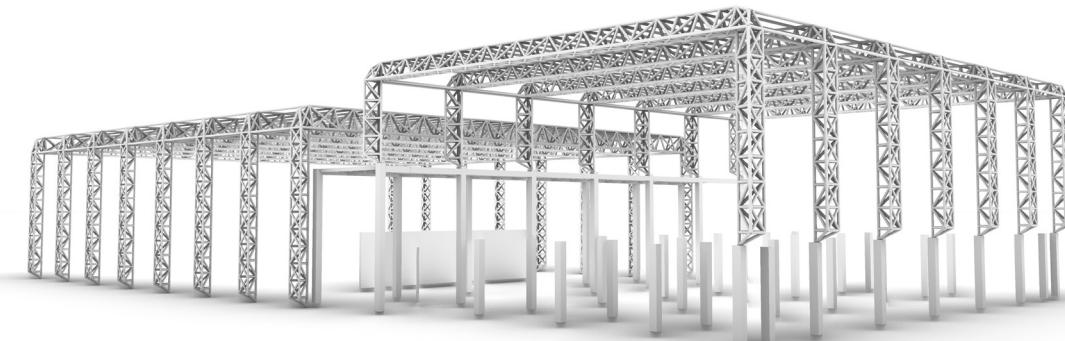
门厅室内1-1剖立面图 1: 200



门厅室内2-2剖立面图 1: 200



门厅效果图



篮球比赛场地声学设计

在顶棚中央设置四个扬声器，分别面对四周的观众席。在该位置设置扬声器可使直达声分布均匀，并对观众达到声影一致的感受效果，根据声线分析得出，由于体育馆较大，导致反射声与直达声传播距离差大部分都大于 17m，易产生回声，从避免产生音质缺陷的角度考虑，该体育馆的侧墙应大面积使用吸声材料，为避免顶棚与地面间产生多重回声，应在顶棚大量使用吸声材料。

对于体育馆的功能需求来说，对音质条件的要求有：能够听清语言广播，运动员能及时听到发令声，所有人能听清伴奏音乐，还要防止顶棚与场地之间的多重反射，控制混响时间，并设置强指向性的扩声系统，以上为主观评价标准。客观指标中的响度值的确定是根据选取的扬声器的参数和扬声器距观众耳朵的距离计算到达人耳的声压级所确定；混响时间根据设计规范中的标准值和频率特性进行设计。经过声学设计的改造，篮球馆的音质满足响度、清晰度、丰满度的需求，且基本无音质缺陷，混响时间几乎贴近设计值。计算过程如下：

混响计算

(1) 根据设计完成的体型，求出厅的容积 V 和内表面积 S。

$$V=43957.2 \text{ m}^3; S=10399.4 \text{ m}^2.$$

(2) 根据体育场馆声学设计及测量规程[附条文说明] JGJ/T 131-2012，各频率混响时间相对于 500Hz~1000Hz 混响时间的比值宜符合表 2.2.1-2 的规定。根据体育馆的使用要求，按照体育场馆声学设计规范确定混响时间及其频率特性的设计值，按照本体育馆的容积，取 500Hz 的最佳混响时间为 1.4s。

表2.2.1-1 不同容积比赛大厅 500Hz~1000Hz 满场混响时间 表2.2.1-2 各频率混响时间相对于 500Hz~1000Hz 混响时间的比值

容积 (m ³)	<40000			40000~80000			80000~160000			>160000			频率 (Hz)	125	250	500	1000	4000
	混响时间 (s)	1.3~1.4	1.4~1.6	1.6~1.8	1.6~1.8	1.8~2.0	2.0~2.2	2.0~2.2	2.2~2.4	2.4~2.6	2.6~2.8	2.8~3.0		3.0~3.2	3.2~3.4	3.4~3.6		

根据规范，选取设计混响时间为 1.4s。

(3) 根据混响时间计算公式求出大厅的平均吸声系数 α 。

$$\alpha = 0.385$$

(4) 计算大厅总吸声量， $A=S\alpha$ 。

$$A=S\alpha = 10399.4 \times 0.385 = 4003.77$$

观众厅混响时间计算表 ($V=43957.2 \text{ m}^3$)												
项目	材料	面积 (m ²)	吸声系数和吸声单位 (m ²)									
			125Hz			250Hz			500Hz			1000Hz
1	观众	1500人（满场）	681.6	0.1	150	0.19	285	0.32	480	0.38	570	0.38
	座椅	1500人（空场）	681.6	0.02	30	0.02	30	0.02	30	0.04	60	0.04
2	运动员和教练	24人		0.1	2.4	0.19	4.56	0.32	7.68	0.38	9.12	0.38
3	地面	木地板（有龙骨架空）	2023.2	0.15	303.48	0.12	242.784	0.1	202.32	0.08	161.856	0.08
4	墙面	岩棉（板状）（40~180kg/m ³ 、50mm厚、后空100）	2703	0.55	1486.65	0.9	2432.7	0.95	2567.85	0.90	2432.7	0.85
5	顶棚1	吊顶（27mm木板）	1780	0.16	284.8	0.15	267	0.1	178	0.10	178	0.10
6	顶棚2	岩棉装饰吸声板、12mm厚（浮雕花纹表面、无后空）	1888.6	0.14	264.404	0.22	415.492	0.36	973.08	0.32	604.352	0.28
7	顶棚3	平板玻璃	1323	0.18	238.14	0.06	79.38	0.04	52.92	0.03	39.69	0.02
8	门	16个	29.44	0.10	1.6	0.15	2.4	0.2	3.2	0.25	4	0.30
9	4m ²											295.61
	空场	$\Sigma S \cdot \alpha$ (只有座椅)			2611.5		3474.3		4015		3489.7	
	满场	$\Sigma S \cdot \alpha$			2731.5		3729.3		4465		3999.7	
	S			10399.4								

六个倍频程混响时间						
V=43957.2 m ³	125Hz	250Hz	500Hz	1kHz	2kHz	4kHz
满场	$\Sigma S \cdot \alpha$	2731.5	3729.3	4465	3999.7	3776.6
	α	0.263	0.359	0.429	0.385	0.363
	$-\ln(1 - \alpha)$	0.305	0.445	0.56	0.486	0.451
	T60 /s	2.2	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.3

	125Hz	250Hz	500Hz	1000Hz	2000Hz	4000Hz
设计混响时间	1.82	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3
实际混响时间（满场）	2.2	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.3
实际混响时间（空场）	2.4	1.7	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.5

