DESIGN STRATEGIES



PROGRAM

The ground floor and first floor consist of Pedal & Flipper facilities along with café amenities and the seocnd and third floor will be residential. The site does not require any setbacks and the built form is designed with a focus on maintaining the natural landscape by limiting unnecessary felling on the site and ensuring a harmonious relationship with the neighbouring buildings.



INTEGRATED GREENERY

Integrating greenery into the southern courtyard aid in maximizing natural light exposure and enhance well-being and comfortable living environments for the occupants. The design features a native garden courtyard and landscaping of the site. The integration of greenery supports biodiversity and fosters a close connection with the natifve flora and fauna and contributes to the ecological balance of Rottnest.



ORIENTATION & VENTILATION

The apartments are oriented to maximize natural light into the bedrooms, enhancing both the well-being of occupants and the energy efficiency of the building. Furthermore, the incorporation of operable windows throughout the structure facilitates cross ventilation, promoting a refreshing airflow and maintaining a comfortable living environment.

INTERACTIVE CORE

All the main entrances are situated towards the eastern side to activate a network of community spaces. The design aims to enhance the pedestrian experience and create a greater sense of visual security for both visitors and residential users. This is achieved through the incorporation of interactive uses of spaces such as café and outdoor dining areas..



FACADE ADDITION

The utilisation of charred timber facades that are seamlessly wrapped around the building along with the timber and stone cladding harmoniously merges the visual articulation of the building design along with the use of materials that is a common theme in the island. The façade creates an appealing and modern landmark for visitors that effortlessly balances the native contrast and heritage sites.



MODULE CONFIGURATION

Each module is a self-contained unit that serves a particular function, such as a residential unit, offices and storages. The modules are vertically stacked on top of each other and arranged in U-shaped courtyard configuration. This configuration creates a courtyard or open area within the building, which can be utilized for various purposes, such as communal or gathering spaces.

DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINES

The site does not require any setbacks and the design provides adequate separation distance of public & private spaces. Ensure that overshadowing of adjacent buildings and public areas is minimized.

ROOF

According to the guidelines for the roof, flat roofs are deemed acceptable. The proposed design incorporates flat roofs and parapet walls that are intentionally harmonized with the surrounding buildings.

BALCONIES & PRIVATE OPEN SPACES

BICYCLE STORAGE

The proposed bicycle storage solution for the project will utilize the E3DT-GP Double Tier Bike Rack for 2 Bikes system, which is compliant with AS 2890.3.

AESTHETICS

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BUILDING CHARACTERISTICS

The building structures and materials responds to the Island's unique character and generally comprise of limestone and natural timber.

LANDSCAPING

RENEWABLE ENERGY

Island's carbon footprint.

NON COMBUSTIBLE BUILDING ELEMENTS (NCC C1P1)

Performance requirement recommended for a class 2 building concerns the spread of fire. The spread of fire has been addressed by the implementation of Non-combustible building elements as per the specifications.

FIRE-ISOLATED EXIT (D2D3)

EXIT TRAVEL DISTANCE (D2D5)

Two fire isolated exits are provided for the residential allowing safe travel distance of under 6 meters away from an exit door or a point where there are two available paths leading to separate exits.

PROVISION OF NATURAL LIGHT (F6D2)

PLANNING & BUILDING COMPLIANCE

The design meets the requirements of the guidelines, which state that balconies and terraces are to have a minimum area of 10 square metres and be accessed from an internal living area.

The design responds to the RIA visual board. RIA requested that the design of the building features openness, transparency, spacious and

The design propose landscaping in-response to Rottenest Island ecosystem. The majority of the vegetation species used in the landscaped area are native to Rottnest island.

The design demonstrate an approach to energy conservation with the objective of minimising energy demands by applying renewable energy sources within a development that will contribute to reducing Rottnest

Two fire-isolated stairway are provided for safe evacuation of the bulding in accordance to BCA, Class 2 and Class 6 buildings.

The building complies with Section F6D2 of the NCC which outlies all habitable rooms must be provided with natural lighting.



DESIGN INNOVATIONS: MATERIALITY



LOAD BEARING STRUCTURES 150X150 SHS RECYCLED STEEL COLUMNS 100% RECYCLABLE 100+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL





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INTERNAL FLOORING WA BLACKBUTT TIMBER FLOORING 100% RECYCLABLE 40+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL







INSULATION TYPE (WALLS/ROOF) ROCKWOOL INSULATION 100% RECYCLABLE 100+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL



INERNAL WALL/ CEILING FINISH SUPERCHECK GYPROCK PLASTERBOARD 100% RECYCLABLE 50+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL



INTERNAL FLOORING TECHNICAL PORCELAIN TILES 100% RECYCLABLE 60+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL



FLOORING SYSTEM XLAM CLT FLOORING 100% RECYCLABLE 50+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL

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EXTERNAL WALL CLADDING RECYCLED TIMBER CLADDING 100% RECYCLABLE 50+ YEARS LIFESPAN ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL







EXTERNAL WALL CLADDING JINDERA DRY STONE CLADDING 100% RECYCLABLE 75+ YEARS LIFESPAN **ECO-FRIENDLY MATERIAL**













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BUILDING INTEGRATED PHOTOVOLTAICS ROOF

Building-integrated photovoltaics are integrated seamlessly into the roof surface, maximizing the use of available space without the need for additional mounting structures or dedicated areas for solar panels. BIPV systems will be coupled with battery storage located outside the building to store excess electricity.

RAINWATER HARVEST & STORAGE SYSTEM

A symphony rainwater collection system is implemented to collect and discharge the storm water runoff. All water will be collected through downpipes and sent into a stormwater collection system. Additionally, Implementing a rainwater harvesting system will be a cost-effective technique of conserving water for the apartments while also reducing storm water discharge.

EFFICIENT BUILDING ENVELOPE

Insulation will be applied to the walls, ceilings, floors, and roof throughout the entire building. This will essentially result in improved energy efficiency, reduced reliance on mechanical systems, enhanced thermal comfort, and lower energy costs.

SUSTAINABLE BUILDING MATERIALS

CLT flooring systems can significantly improve a building's energy efficiency and environmental performance, which both contribute significantly to the path to zero-net-energy usage. Being constructed entirely from renewable resources, CLT serves as a carbon-neutral solution, making a positive impact on sustainable construction practices.

CROSS VENTILATION & AIR QUALITY

Operable windows are utilized to achieve effective cross ventilation throughout the building, promoting a continuous flow of fresh air and maintaining a comfortable indoor environment. The design of th building prioritizes access to natural ventilation year-round, ensuring a continuous flow of fresh air for a comfortable and healthy living environment.

DOUBLE GLAZED WINDOW SYSTEM

The incorporation of aerogel insulation in a double-glazed window system enhances thermal comfort by minimizing heat transfer, providing superior insulation, and creating a more comfortable indoor environment.



LOW ENERGY HVAC SYSTEMS

Variable Refrigerant Flow (VRF) Systems are utilized to minimize energy consumption and minimize environmental impact, while maintaining optimal indoor comfort. VRF systems use advanced heat pump technology to provide efficient heating and cooling to different zones or rooms. They can adjust the amount of refrigerant flow based on individual zone requirements, optimizing energy usage.

DESIGN FOR ASSEMBLY & DISASSEMBLY



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LEVEL 3



TYPE 4

THREE BEDS & TWO BATHS 150m2





SERVICES

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A minimum 450mm service space is designated for the service fit-out. This includes pre-installed electrical, mechanical, water, and draining pipes within the modules. To seamlessly integrate these modules with the building's service infrastructure, openings or penetrations are incorporated into the ceilings of each module.

PLUMBING CONNECTION

WASTE CONNECTION

Once the modular units are transported to the construction site and securely installed, the designated service space within the ceiling is then fitted with the service ducts. The service components, such as electrical cables, water pipes, drainage, are then routed through the service shafts, connecting the service space in the ceiling.

Electrical cables and wiring, as well as water pipes, are divided through each unit and travel horizontally from the floor and then converge at the service shaft which are then vertically routed downwards to the substations.

MODULES SUBSTATIONS

The building features two distinct modular substations that are positioned outside of the building, allowing for any potential alterations that may be required in the future. The substations are comprised of pump rooms and water storage tanks, while the electrical substation houses battery storage for solar electricity.





RECONFIGURATION | DESIGN FOR DISSASSEMBLY

RECONFIGURATIONS FOR SECOND SITE

The proposed housing modules designed for Pedal and Flipper can be disassembled, reconfigured, and transported to the second site efficiently allowing for greater flexibility and adaptability for future needs and allowing for a more sustainable approach.

The proposed site will necessitate the addition of new functionalities, such as cafés, restaurants, communal courtyard, terraces and outdoor seating areas. Additional modules of 4x9m, 4x12m and 4x15m will be developed to complement the apartment modules.



DISASSAMBLY OF RESIDENTIAL MODULES

Disconnect existing roof and residential modules from the existing site including services such as plumbing and electrical, etc (frames will be unbolted and removed via cranes and transported to new site)



BASE FRAMEWORK

The new site will have a total area of 1000m². The modules frame will utilise the same grid system as the pedal & flipper site. The plug-in devices, which will be fitted to the upper structural columns, allows for easy and secure connections between the different modular components.



FIRE STAIRS

Once the modular units are transported to the construction site and installed, the on-site installation of the fireisolated stairs takes place. Pre-fabricated fire stairs are securely connected and assembled ensuring structural integrity and compliance with safety standards.

SERVICES

The ground floor is prepared with suitable foundations to support the substation modules located on the west side. Shafts are constructed to serve as vertical passages for service connections, where all the services will be reconnected.





MODULES ADDITION

Additional modules on the ground level will be fabricated off-site and customized to seamlessly integrate with the existing residential modules. The overall module framework is designed to provide flexibility and versatility to accomodate any future site reconfigurations.



STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS

The overall structure of the modular units are made of steel structures. Steel is selected as the material of choice due to its high sustainability and durability, providing modular structures with an extended lifespan. It offers an exceptional strength-to-weight ratio, enabling them to withstand a wide range of environmental conditions such as high winds, earthquakes, and heavy loads.

MODULE CONNECTION

The modules consist of 4x9m & 4x12m units that is prefabricated off-site. Each module unit has been designed to enable sliding of plug-in device within the structural columns, ensuring a secure fit. To further enhance stability, structural bolts and welded angle seats are used to secure the columns of both the module below and adjacent modules. This comprehensive approach ensures a robust and reliable connection between the modules, contributing to the overall structural integrity of the modular construction. The Plug-in intermodule connections are designed to offer unparalleled flexibility and effortless fitting during the assembly and disassembly of modules. The plug-in nature of these connections allows for swift and hassle-free integration, facilitating the quick replacement or addition of modules if needed. This design feature enhances the adaptability and scalability of systems, enabling easy customization and upgrades without significant disruption or downtime.







STEEL TRUSS TO STRUCTURAL EN PLUG IN CONNECTIO ROO FL 14.30 16mm FIBER CEMENT BOARD LOWER MODULE COLUMN BEHIN HORIZOTAL METAL WALL BATTEN STEEL STUDS WALLS

NEATHER BARRIER

LYSAGHT KLIP-LOK METAL ROOF SHEETING AT 2° PITCH

GUTTER FIXED TO FASCIA TO STRUCTRUAL ENGINEER'S-

UPPER MODULE COLUMN BEHIND

METAL FASCIA

ROOF

To expedite construction times and also maintain ease of fabrication and construction, it was decided that framing members of the roof are to be the same as that of the modules. This would ensure uniformity with connections and how the structure is to be assembled. The overall profile of the roof is a flat deck roof, that maintains a slope of 2° from the highest point to the lowest point. The corrugation of the roof run along the structures shortest span.

FLOORING

Cross laminated timber is the nominated choice of material for the flooring of the residential modules. The floor system to be used is XLAM's CL5/200 flooring system. This method of construction is similar to that of concrete, in that it does not require joists, unlike other methods of timber flooring, where joists would be required at spacings of no more than 600mm.

FOOTING

Rectangle pad footings are chosen to provide essential support for modular units by transferring the loads from the structure to the foundation. The base plate is situated at the bottom of the structure where the columns on the ground floor meet the pedestal of the pad footing. The 150SHS steel column is to be connected to the pad footing via a 20mm base plate that is to be SP welded to the end of the column. The baseplate will be fastened to the footing via 8 20mmx100mm sleeve anchors. An anchoring epoxy will also be used to facilitate the anchoring of the bolts.







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STRUCTURAL BREAKDOWN DETAILED DRAWINGS

SCALE: 1:5



SCALE: 1:5

MODULES CONNECTION (ELEVATION VIEW) SCALE: 1:5

ENGINEERS REPORT

Member Summary

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Section	Member size	
Columns (bottom two levels) 3.9m Height	150x150x8 SHS grade C450	Max axial force N*
Columns (top two levels) 3.5m Height	150x150x8 SHS grade C450	Max shear force V*
Beams	360UB50.7	Max bending moment M [*]
Ceiling joists	C10012	
Floor bearers	200 PFC Grade 300	Allowed deflection-11.87
Balcony supports	200 PFC Grade 300	
Bracings	75x5EA	Max axial force N*
Flooring	CL5/200	Max shear force V*





Figure 1. Critical load combination on module (1.2G + 1.5Q) Figure 2. Axial force diagram on module (1.2G + 1.5Q)



Figure 3. Shear force diagram on module (1.2G + 1.5Q)



Figure 4. Moment diagram on module (1.2G + 1.5Q)

Based on SpaceGass analysis, 1.2G + 1.5Q is the critical load combination case for the modules.

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Max axial force N*
Max shear force V*
Max bending moment M*
Allowed deflection=11.67mm
Bean
Max axial force N*
Max shear force V*
Max bending moment M*
Allowed deflection=11.11mm
C
Max bending moment M*
Max shear force V*
Allowed deflection=17mm
Max axial force N*
Max shear force V*
Max bending moment M*
Allowed deflection=11.67mm
Ceiling
Max axial force N*
Max shear force V*
Max bending moment M*
Allowed deflection=11mm
Floor E
Max axial force N*
Max shear force V*
Max bending moment M*
Allowed deflection=11mm

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Columns		
	450.8 KN	
	33.08KN	
	64.1KNm	
	Actual=9.78mm	
ns and bearers		
	60.66 KN	
	54.22 KN	
	111.47 KNm	
	Actual=1.49mm	
eiling Joists		
	0.54KNm	
	0.54KN	
	Actual= 12.75mm	
Module		
Columns		
	178.4 KN	
	1.2 KN	
	2.73 KNm	
	Actual=0.96mm	
Beams & bea	arers	
	2.34 KN	
	10.53KN	
	5.6 KNm	
	Actual=1.1mm	
Beams & bearers		
	0 KN	
	9.83 KN	
	6.54 KNm	
	Actual=0.79mm	
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PROJECT S-CURVE

CLASSIFICATION	DESCRIPTION	COST (\$)
Class A	General Items	\$ 237,060.00
Class D	Site Clearance & Demolition	\$ 7,219.00
Class E	Earthworks	\$ 1,115.11
Class F	In-Situ Concrete	\$ 13,043.62
Class M	Metalworks (Structural)	\$1,778,012.58
Class N	Metalworks (Miscellaneous)	\$17,100.00
Class O	Timber	\$297,721.00
Class Z	Simple Building works	\$1,027,159.64
Construction Cost		\$ 3,378,430.96
Contingency Allowance		\$ 3,378,430.96
Profit Allowance and Overhead		\$422,303.87
GST		\$417,236.22
Total construction Cost		\$4,589,598.46

