

Luis Fernando Garcia Gonzalez  
TRANSSOLAR ACADEMY

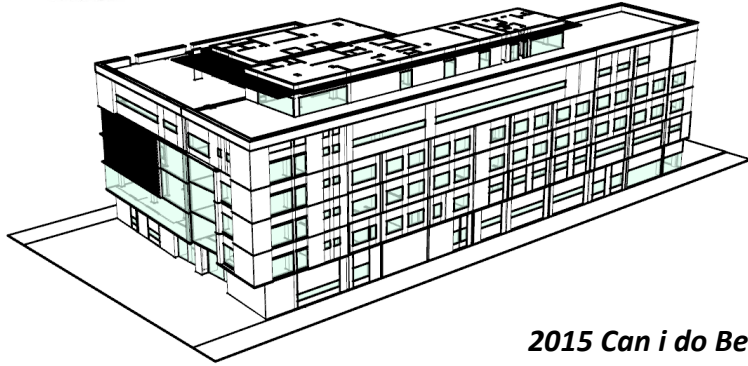
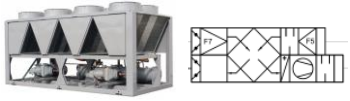


Passive Power Hospital

My Home,  
Colombia – Cota –  
Cundinamarca  
(Close to the  
capital city  
Bogota)

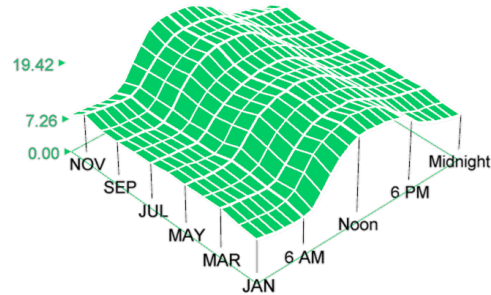
Jun 2015

My Design 2013



*2015 Can i do Better?*

**Summer = Winter**



Long Long time ago

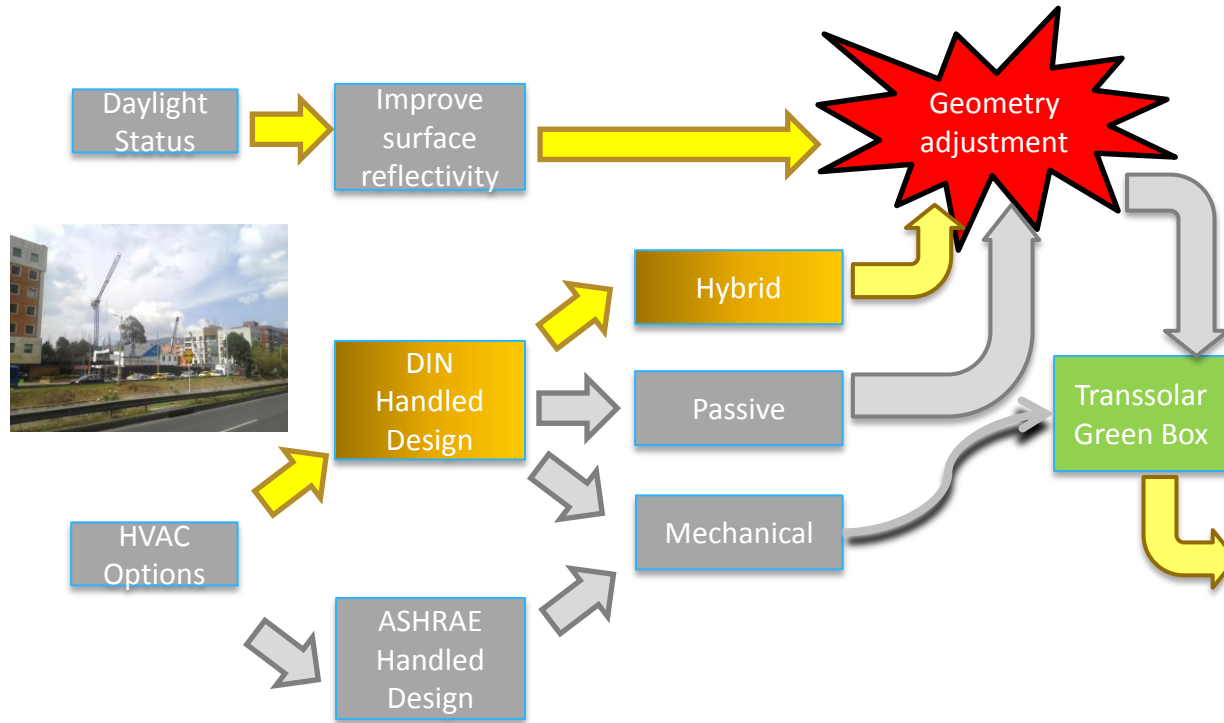


My HVAC Design  
2013, my concern  
2015 can I do  
better, can return  
to the basics

Jun 2015

# Individual Project Agenda

- Project Selection - done
- Project Analysis of „design as is“ – done
- Development of Saving Strategies – done
- Compliance of Strategies with Code – done
- Verification of Strategies by Simulation – done
- Economical Calculation of Paybacktime – done
- Verify, review and generate final report - Current Work



## Passive Power Hospital (PPH)

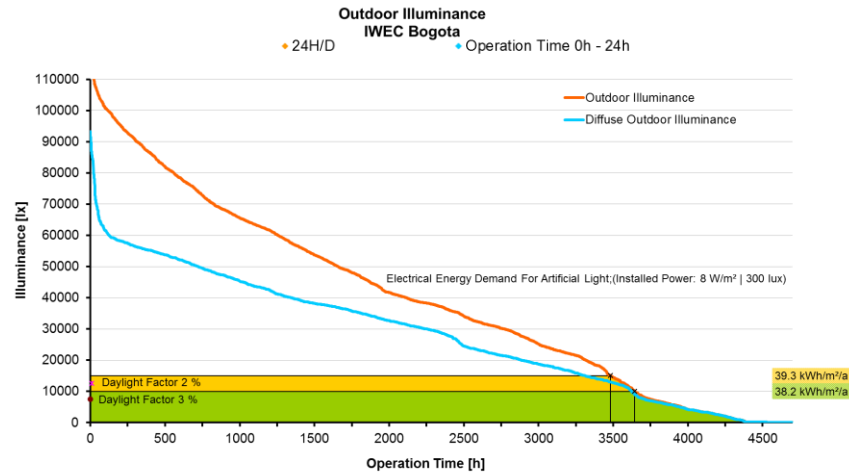
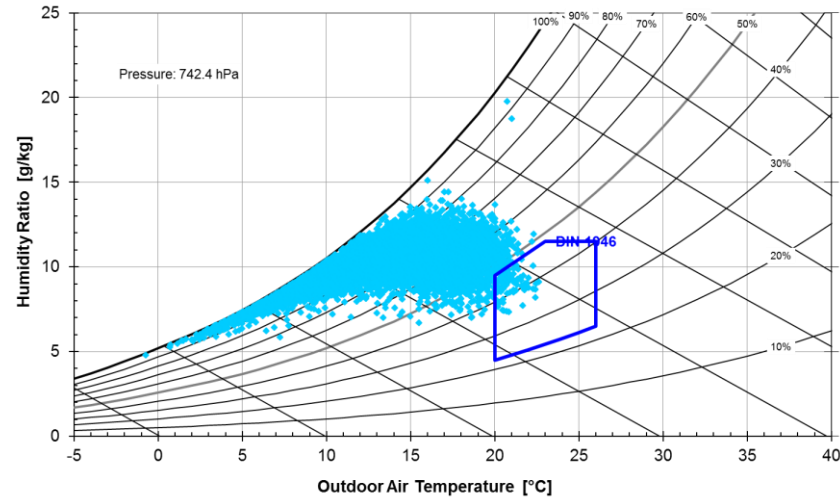


This is the work flow of the project, I start with daylight status of the project, and in parallel make the building physics analysis, to compare with the ASHRAE and DIN standards, after that, i continue making a proposal to change the geometry of the building, to achieve the goals of the, DIN Hybrid design.

- ✓ 100 % Outside Air
- ✓ 100% Daylight
- ✓ 100% Hybrid HVAC



## IWEC Bogota



Total Operation Time: 8760 h

Transsolar Academy

BOGOTA, COLOMBIA  
2600 meters above sea level  
LATITUDE: 4,7 N  
LONGITUDE: 74,13W  
DAILY RANGE: 13° C

DESIGN CONDITION (0,4%)

**COOLING:**

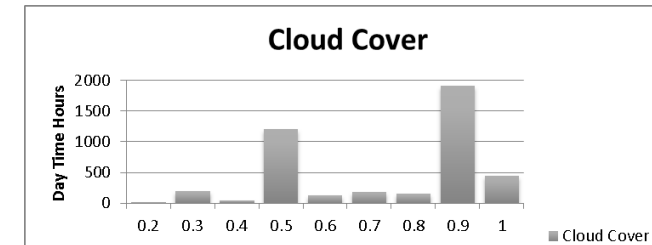
21,2 ° C DB , 13,6° C MCWB  
CDH23,3 3 HOURS

**HEATING:**

2,8° C DB  
HDD18,3 1752 HOURS

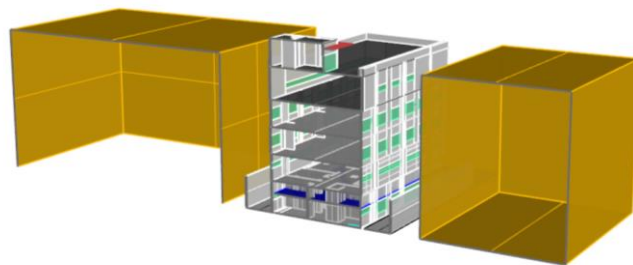
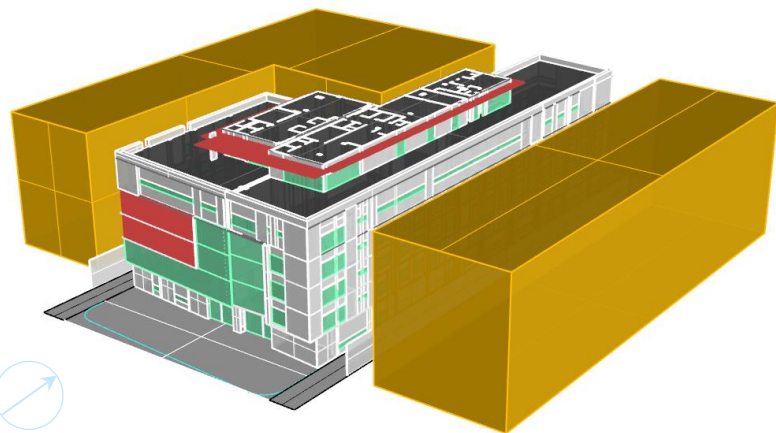
**2009 ASHRAE HANDBOOK – FUNDAMENTALS**

DIURNAL NOISE LEVELS: 75-80 Db  
NIGHT NOISE LEVEL: 70-75 Db



## DAYLIGHT ANALYSIS





Building Daylight,  
materials setup.



Nort

**Wall Exterior**  
(Reflection 35%)

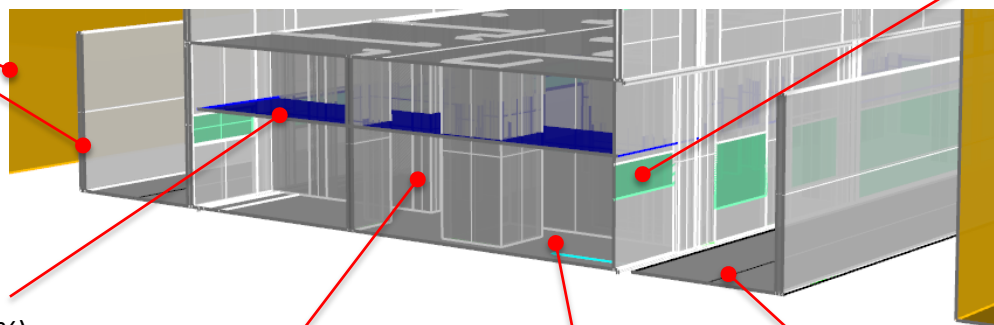
**Glass Transparent**  
(Transmission 79%)

**Ceiling**  
(Reflection 70%)

**Wall Interior**  
(Reflection 50%)

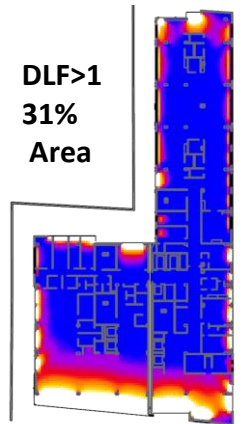
**Floor**  
(Reflection 30%)

**Ground**  
(Reflection 30%)

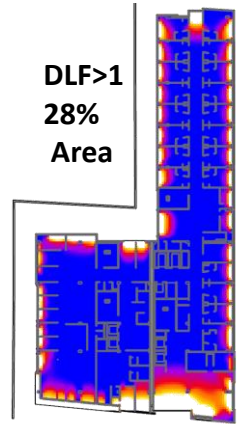




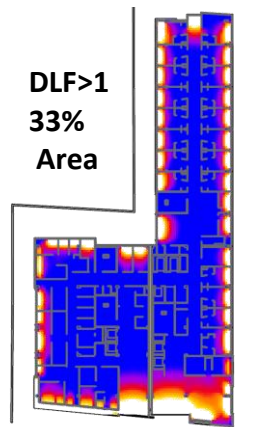
Gr Level



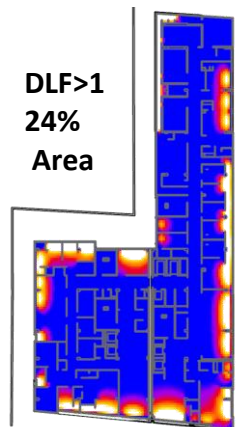
1-Level



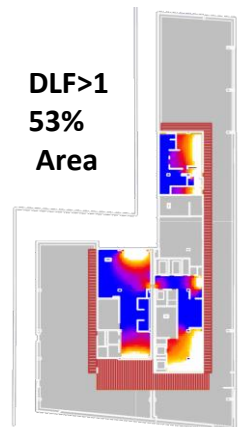
2 - Level



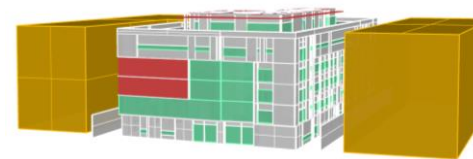
3 - Level



4 - Level

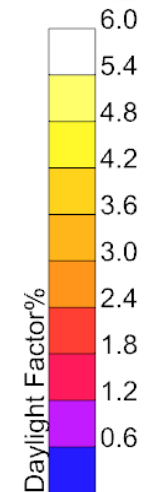


5 - Level



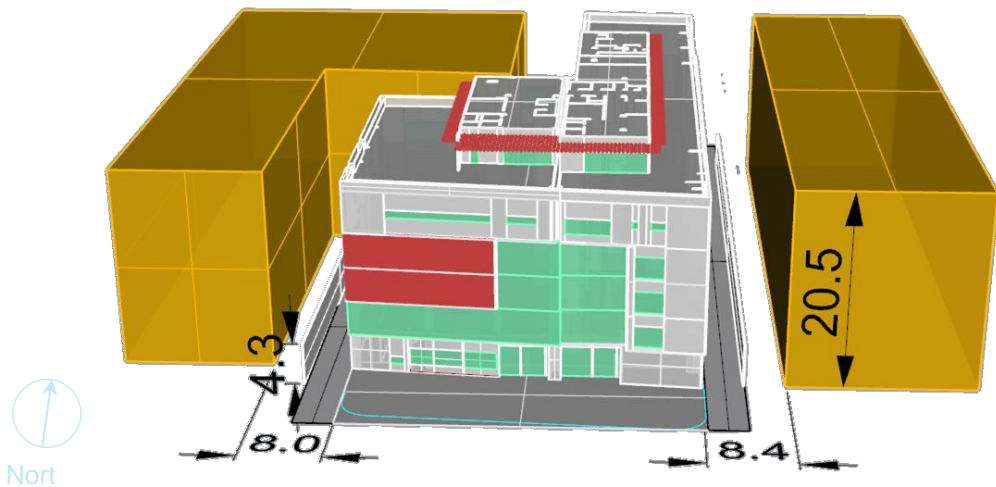
Model design as is

Gross Area with  
DLF>1, 29%



Daylight Factor,  
analysis grid 85 cm  
from Floor, model with  
internal partitions.

**Target**  
 $1 \leq \text{DLF} \leq 5$   
 $19 \leq \text{UGR} \leq 22$



Alternatives for  
improving  
performance



**REFLECTIVITY**

Building Daylight,  
materials setup with  
improving performance.

**Wall Exterior  
Neighbor**  
(Reflection 50%)

**Wall Exterior**  
(Reflection 65%)

**Ceiling**  
(Reflection 70%)

**Wall Interior**  
(Reflection 65%)

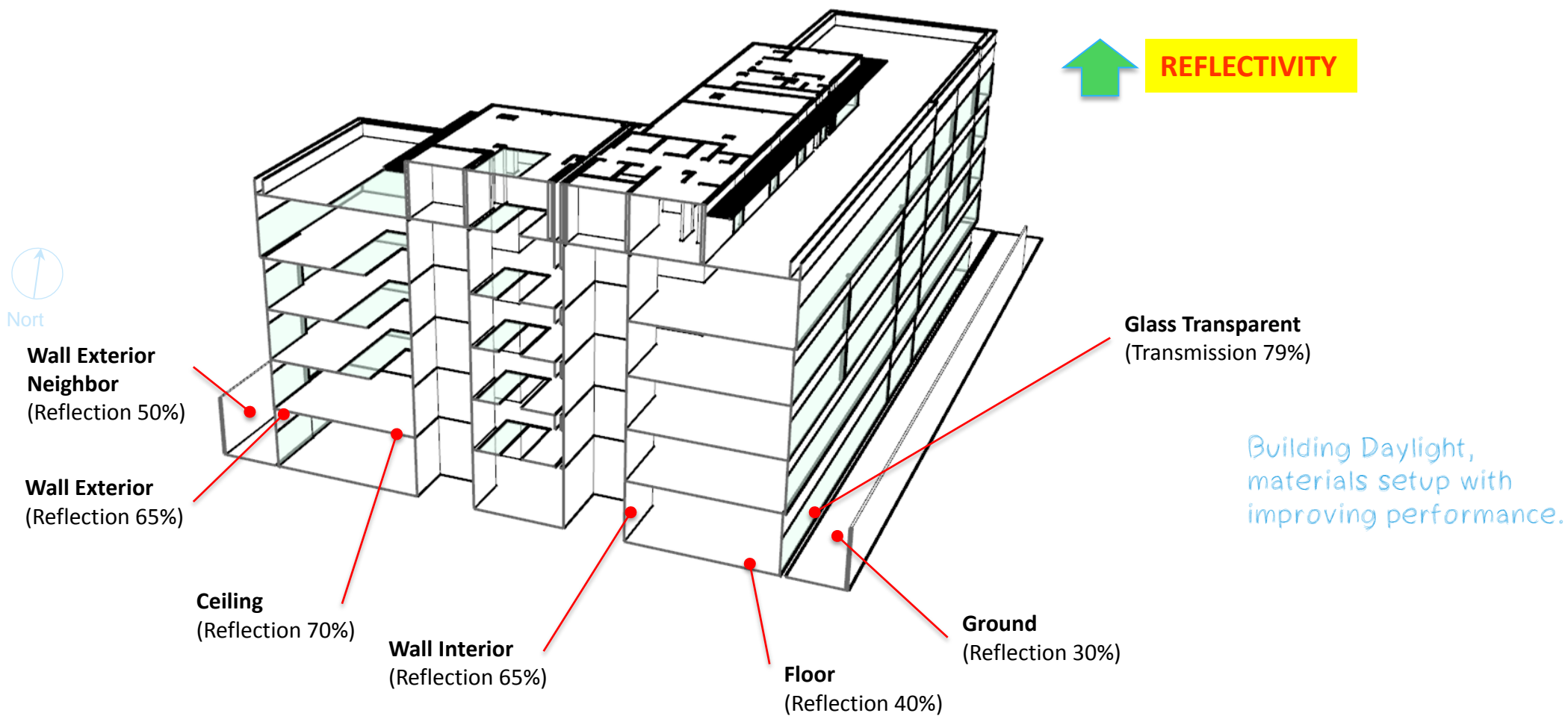
**Floor**  
(Reflection 40%)

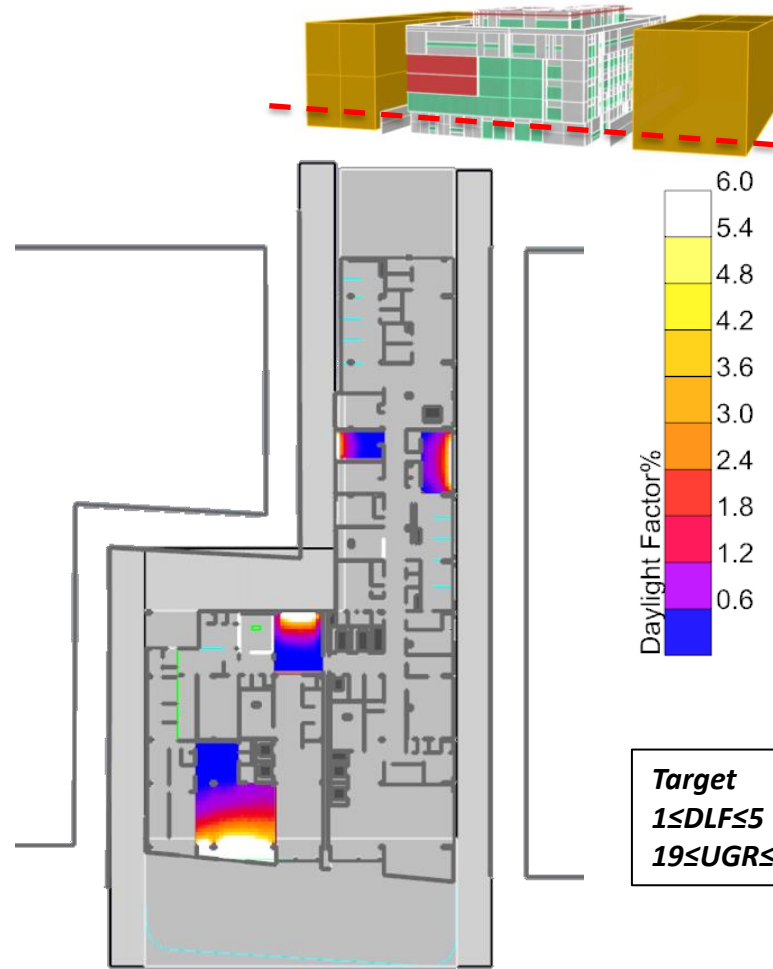
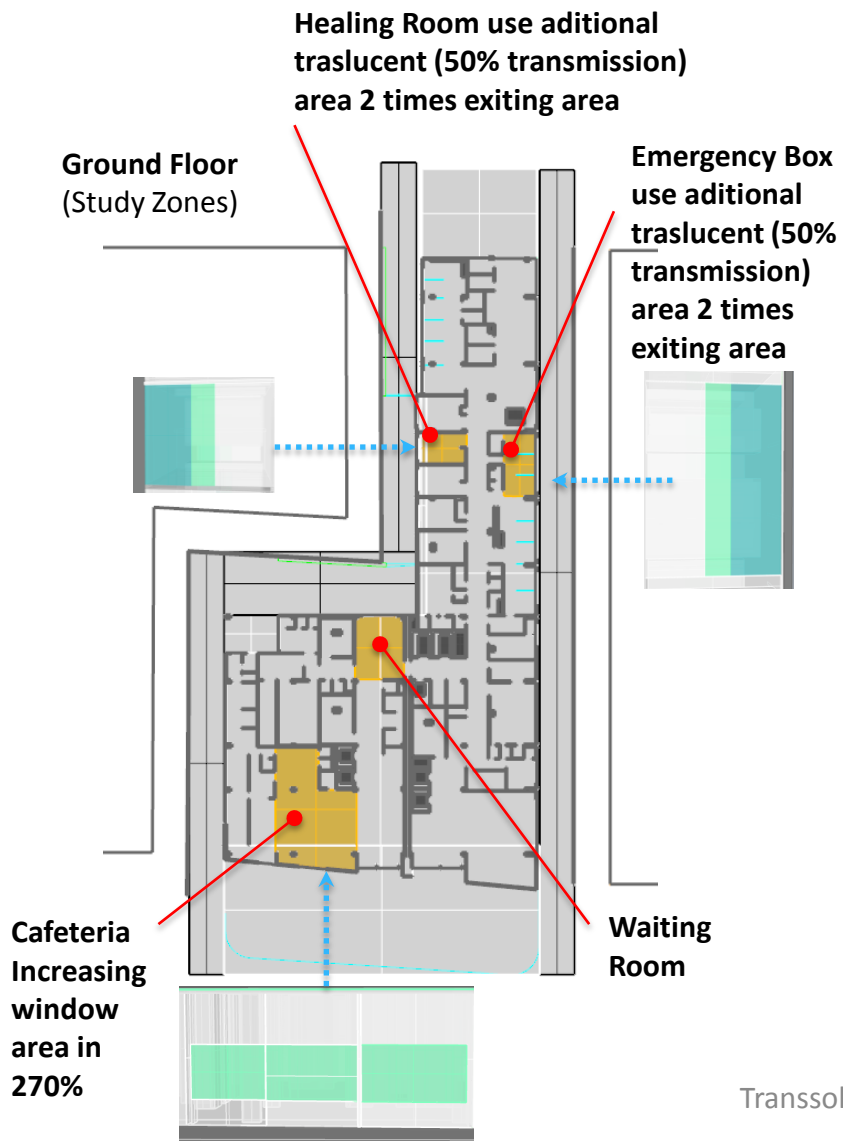
**Ground**  
(Reflection 30%)

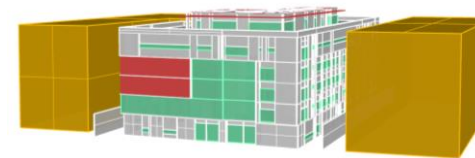
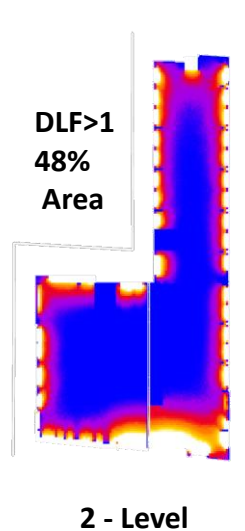
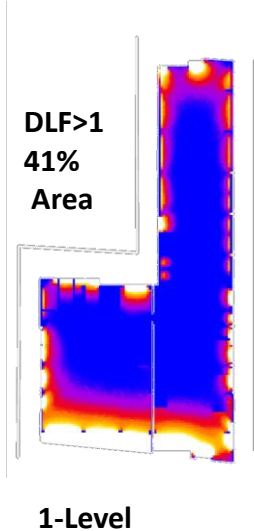
**Glass Transparent**  
(Transmission 79%)

**Glass Transparent**  
(Transmission 50%)



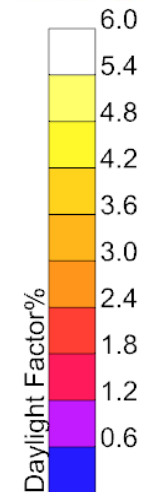




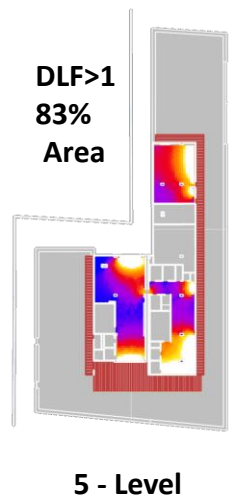
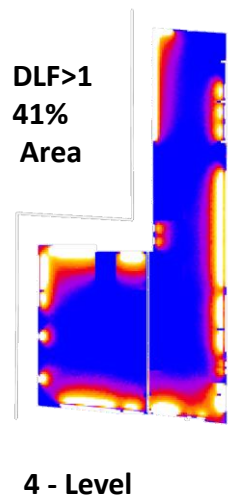
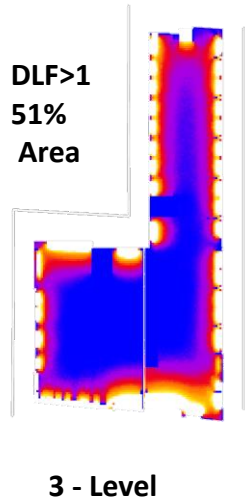


**Model without  
internal  
partitions**

**Gross Area with  
DLF>1, 48%**



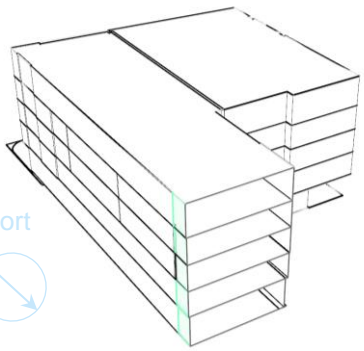
Daylight Factor,  
analysis grid 85 cm  
from Floor, model  
without partitions and  
materials with  
reflection improvement.



**Target**  
 **$1 \leq DLF \leq 5$**   
 **$19 \leq UGR \leq 22$**

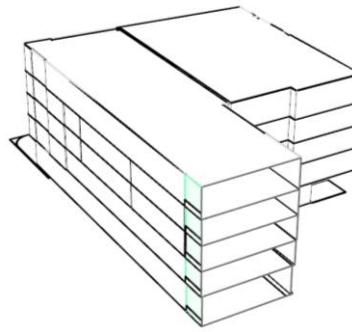
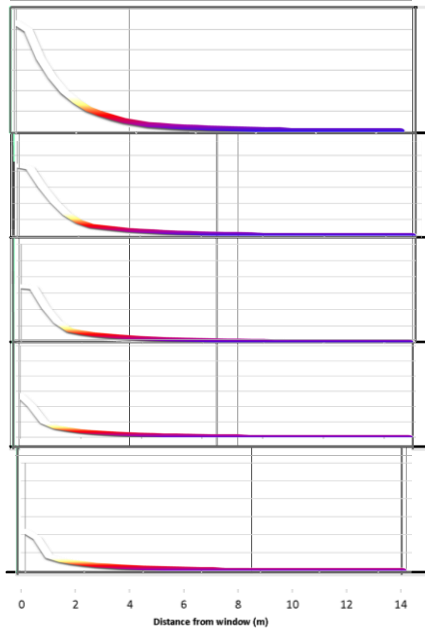
## DAYLIGHT IMPROVEMENT





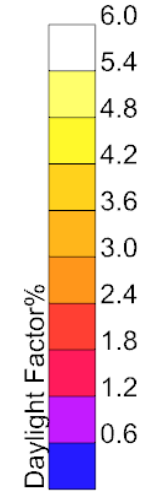
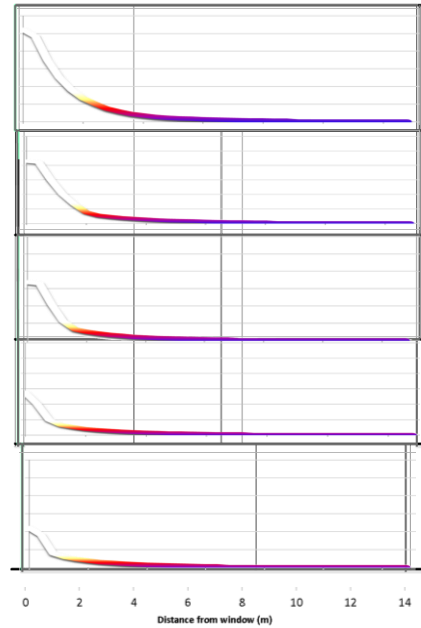
100 % glass facade

Distance from window with DLF>1



85 cm Balustrade

Distance from window with DLF>1



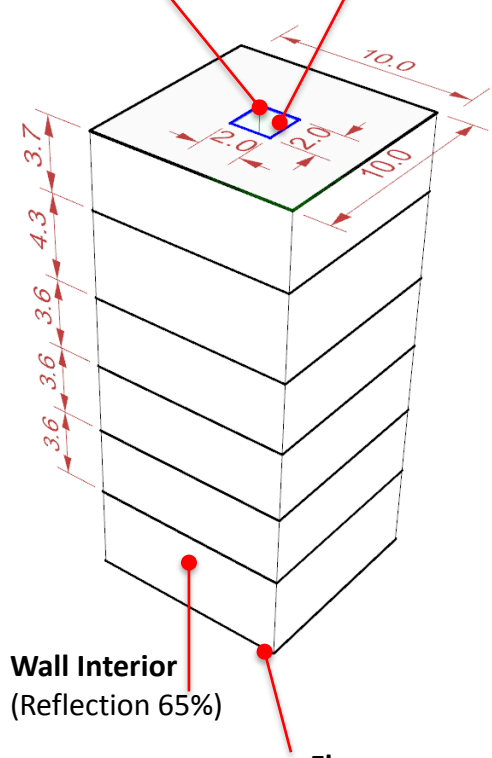
Options for improvement: increase the Window Wall Ratio (WWR)

**Target**  
 $1 \leq DLF \leq 5$   
 $19 \leq UGR \leq 22$

DLA-Minimum 300 lux,  
8-18 Hours

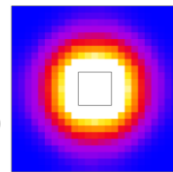
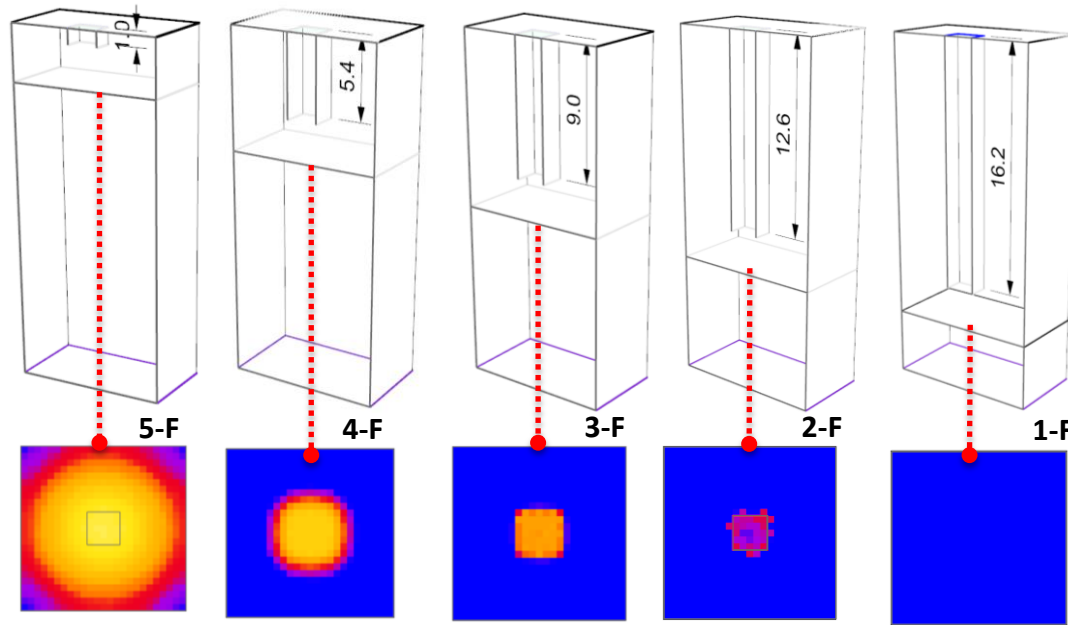
Wall Interior  
(Reflection 90%)

Glass Transparent  
(Transmission 81%)

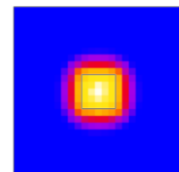


Wall Interior  
(Reflection 65%)

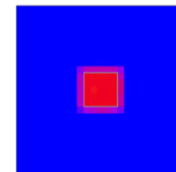
Floor  
(Reflection 40%)



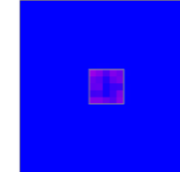
Average  
DLF 2.56%



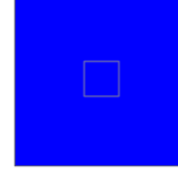
Average  
DLF 0.65%



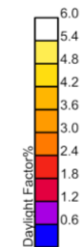
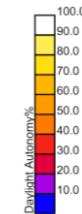
Average  
DLF 0.22%



Average  
DLF 0.08%

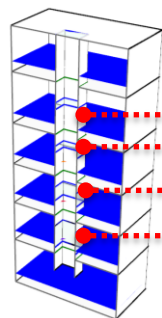


Average  
DLF 0.03%

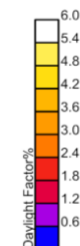
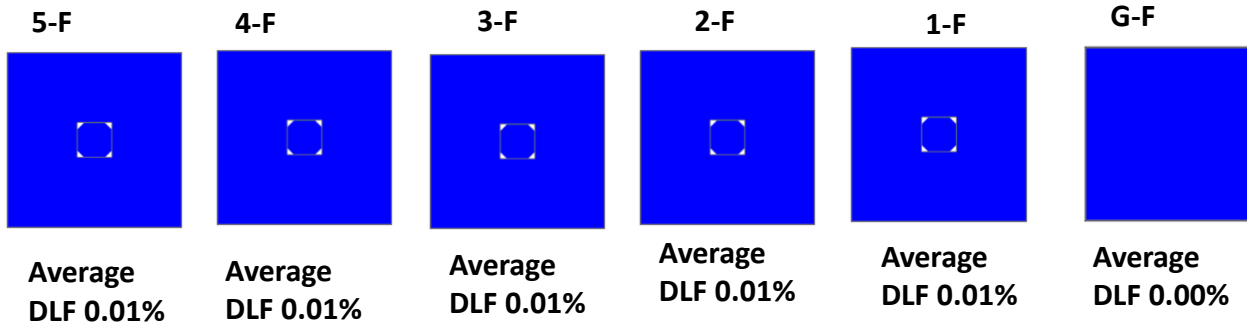


Options for  
improvement: Use a  
light duct

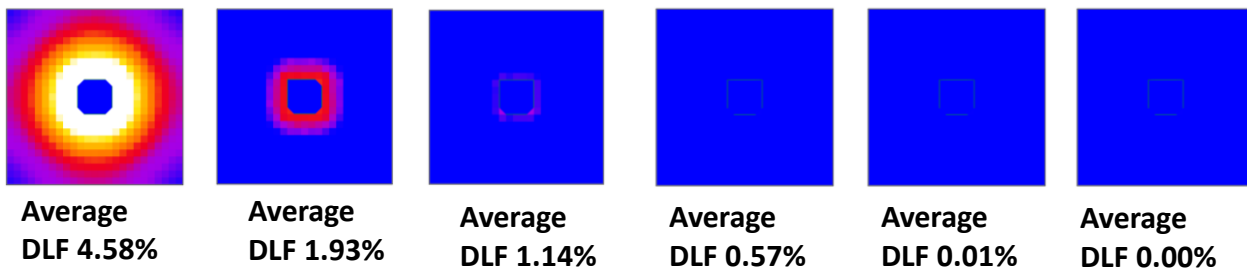
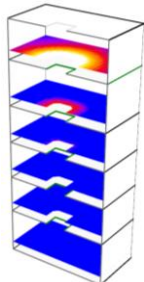
## Light Duct



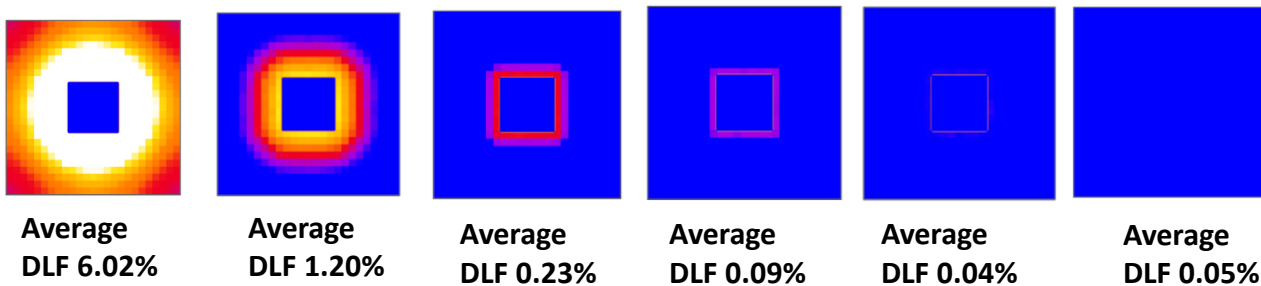
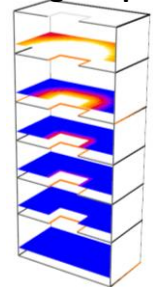
20%Glass  
40%Glass  
60%Glass  
80%Glass



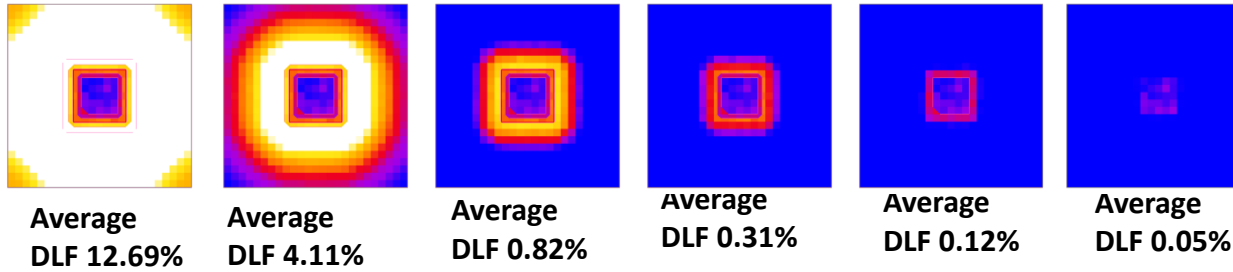
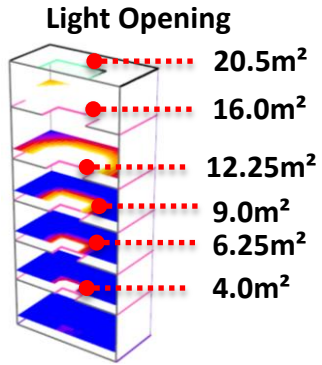
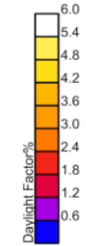
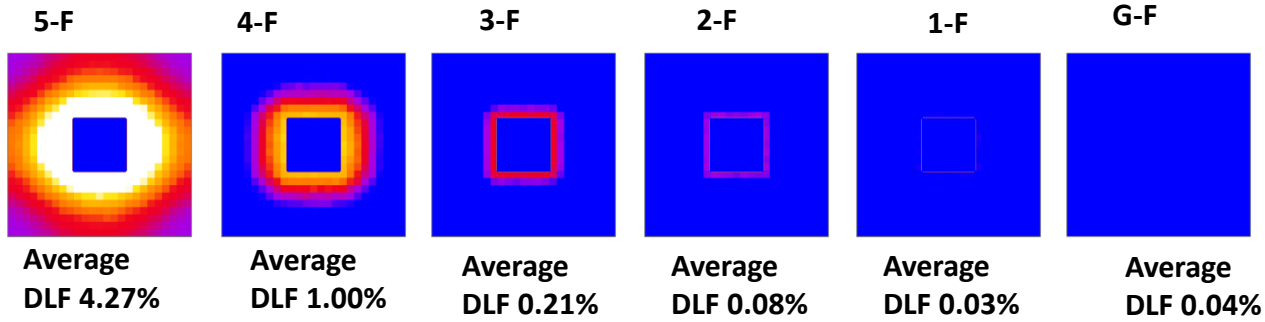
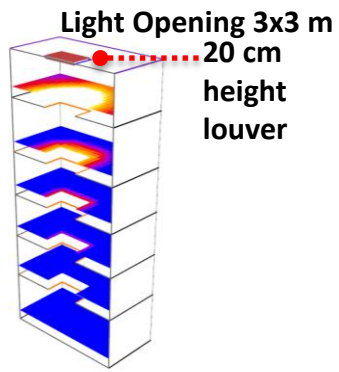
## Light Opening 2x2 m



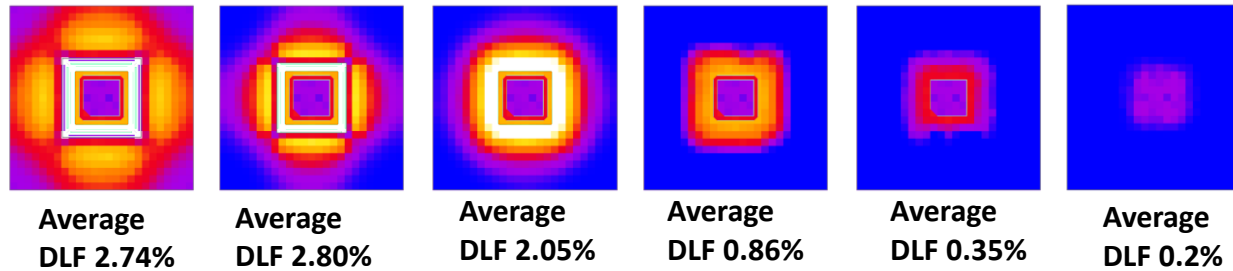
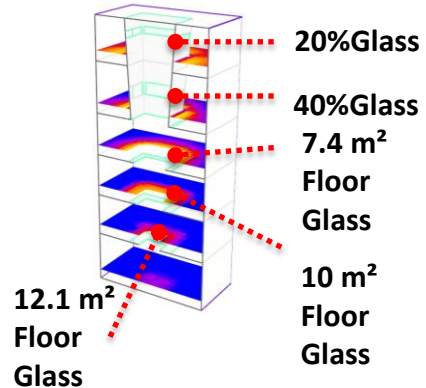
## Light Opening 3x3 m

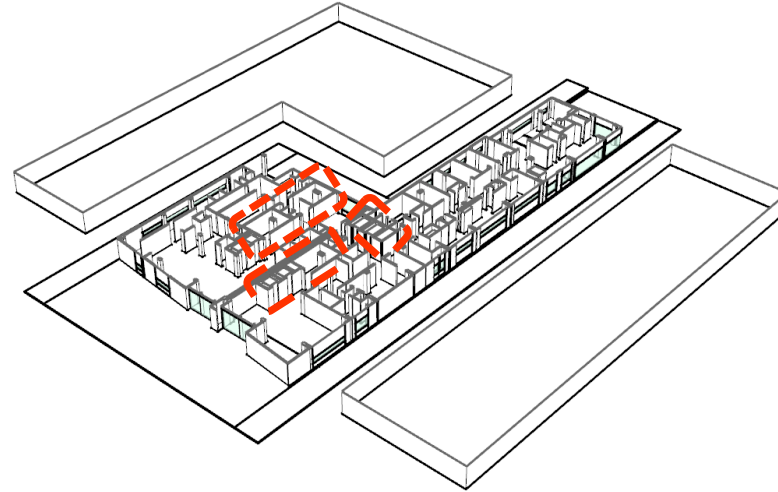
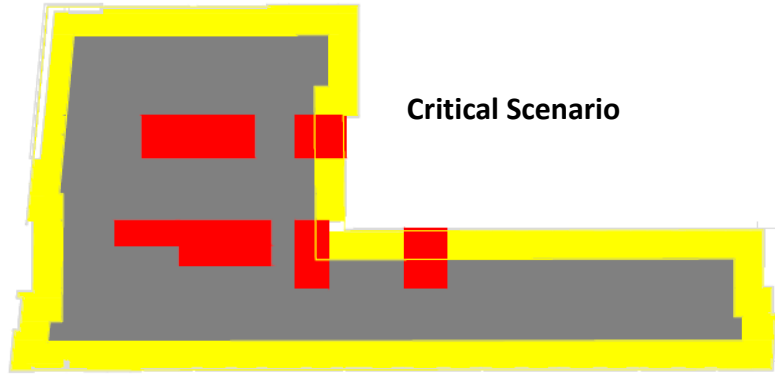


Options for improvement: Use a light duct with different configurations.



Options for improvement: Use a light duct with different configurations.





Critical scenario Daylight status.

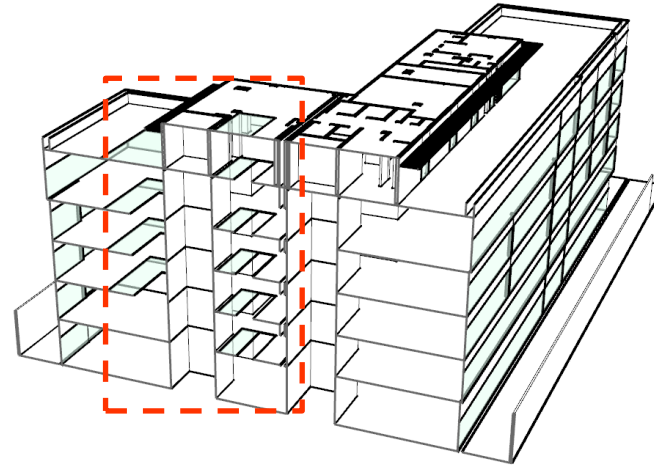
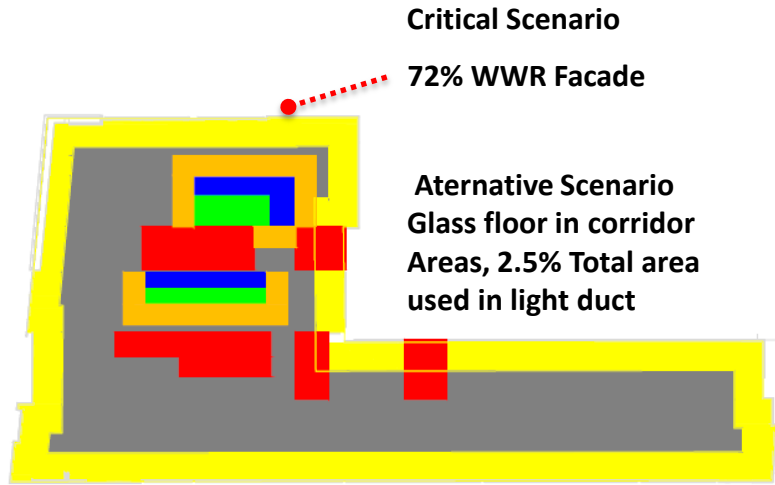
building zones fixed

Services:  
Emergency Staircases,  
elevator.

Intention Reduce Dark Area

Total Floor Area: 1637m<sup>2</sup>  
Services Area: 163m<sup>2</sup> (10% Total)  
Dark Area: 920m<sup>2</sup> (56% Total)  
WWR: 30%

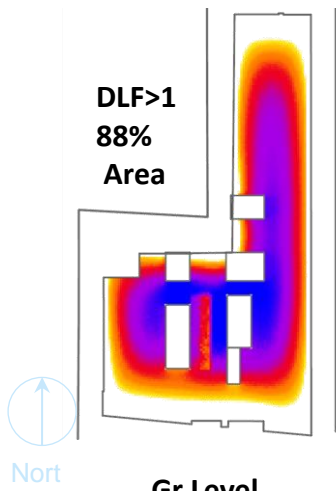




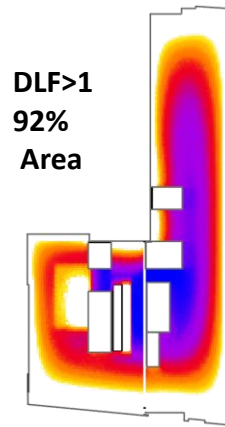
Propose for  
improvement: light  
ducts, glass floor,  
conserving the services  
zones and increasing  
the WWR.

**Alternative**  
Total Floor Area: 1637m<sup>2</sup>  
Services Area: 163m<sup>2</sup> (10% Total)  
Light Duct: 41m<sup>2</sup> (2.5% Total)  
Glass Floor: 44m<sup>2</sup> (2.7% Total)  
Projected Dark Area: 735m<sup>2</sup> (45% Total)

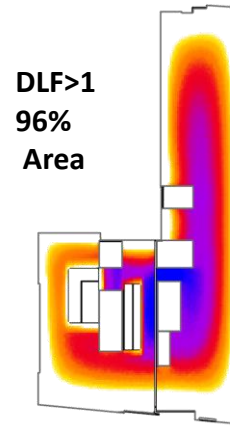




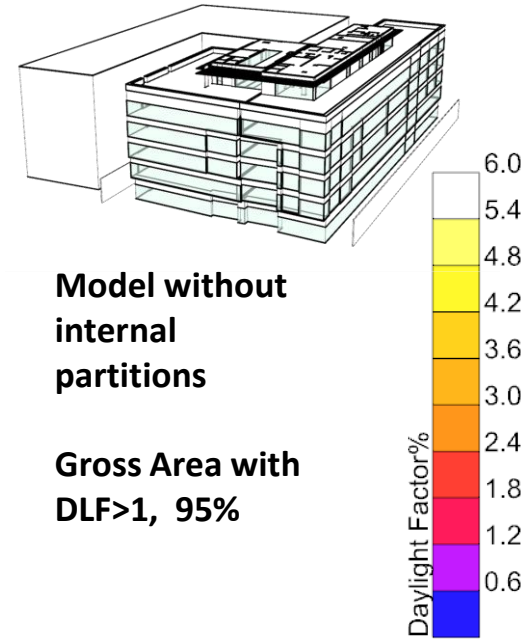
**Gr Level**



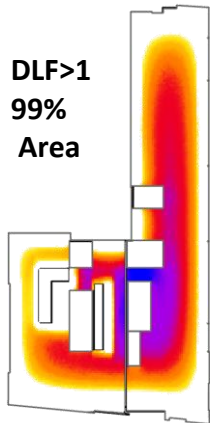
**1-Level**



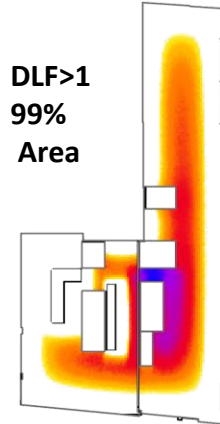
**2 - Level**



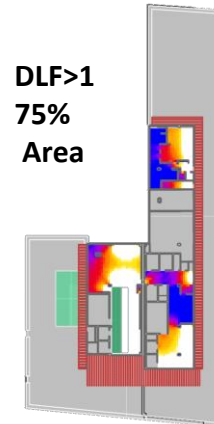
Daylight Factor,  
analysis grid 85  
cm from Floor,  
model without  
partitions and  
materials with  
reflection  
improvement and  
geometry  
adjustment.



**3 - Level**

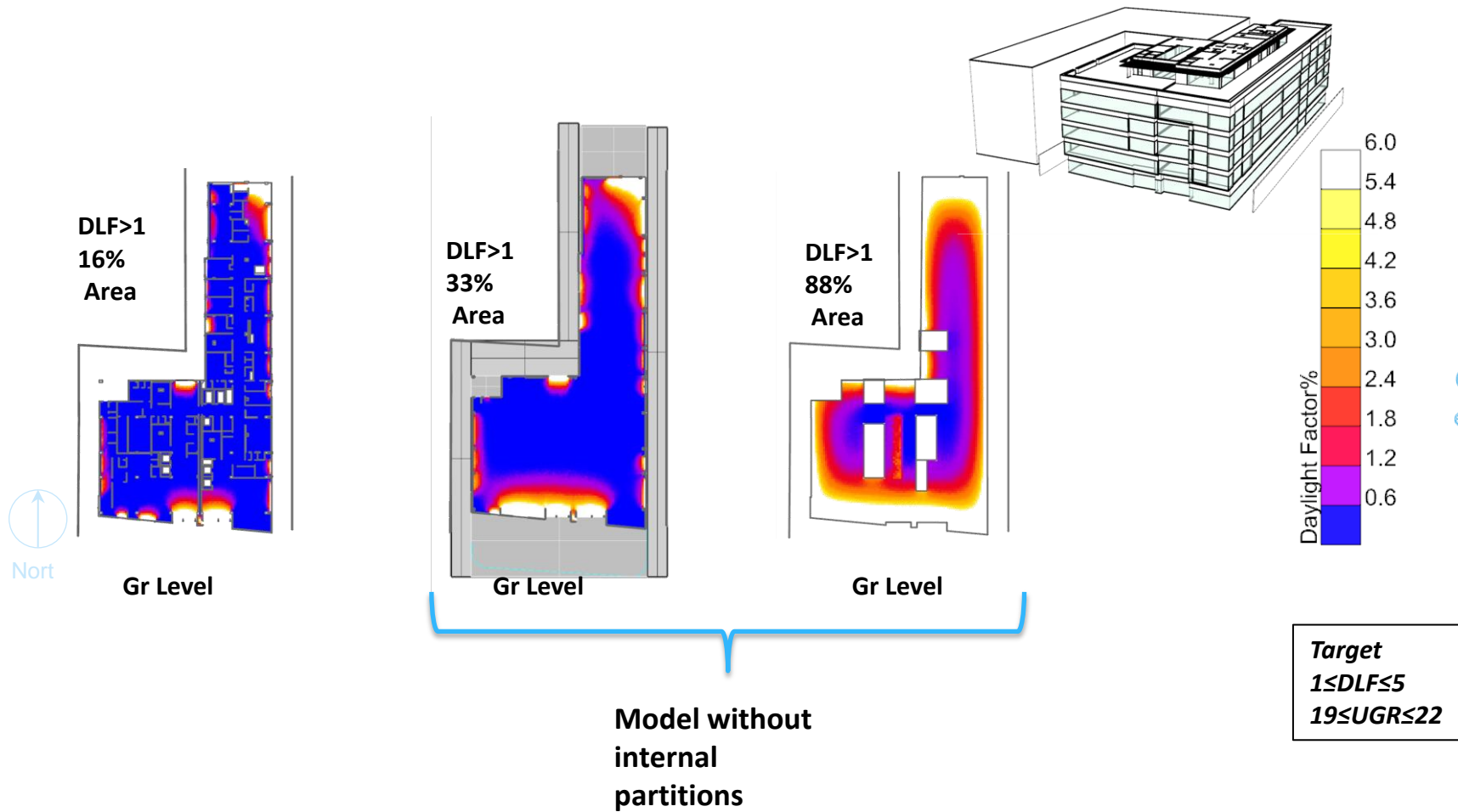


**4 - Level**



**5 - Level**

**Target**  
 **$1 \leq DLF \leq 5$**   
 **$19 \leq UGR \leq 22$**



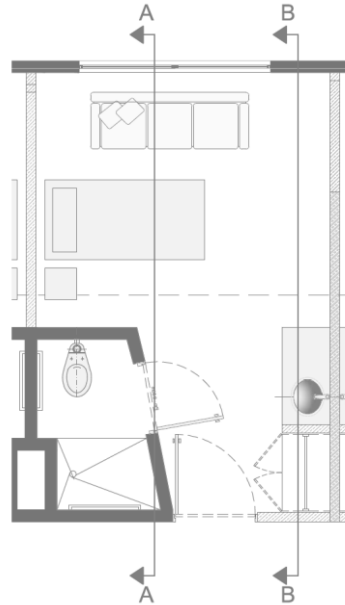
Comparison between  
each stage of study.

## THERMAL ANALYSIS



## Third Floor Patient Room – Standard HVAC Design

**COMMON  
PRACTICE  
CONSTRUCTION**



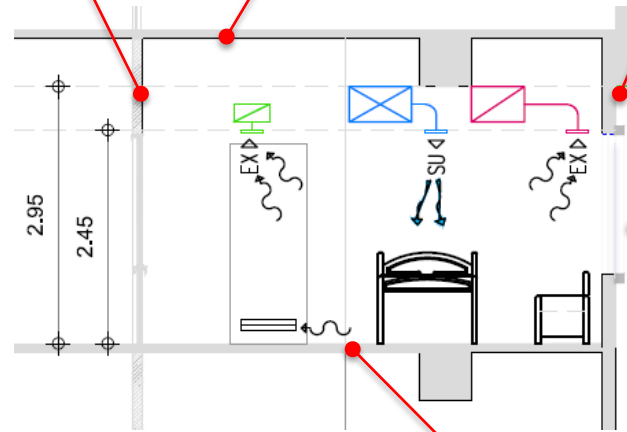
**Area: 18.6 m<sup>2</sup>**

**Partition Wall:**  
Thickness: 0.15 m  
U: 1.57 W/m<sup>2</sup>K

**Ceiling:**  
Thickness: 0.16 m  
U: 1.871 W/m<sup>2</sup>K

**Eterior Wall:**  
Thickness: 0.15 m  
U: 1.57 W/m<sup>2</sup>K

**Eterior Window:**  
U: 5.68 W/m<sup>2</sup>K  
g: 0.855 %



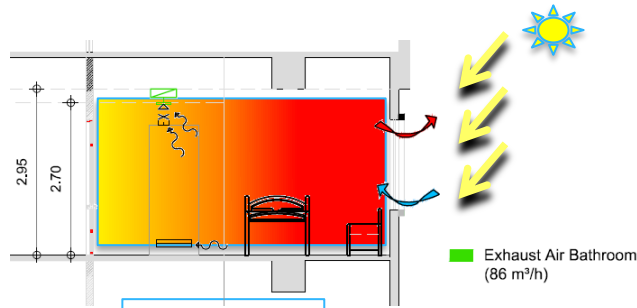
**Floor:**  
Thickness: 0.16 m  
U: 1.871 W/m<sup>2</sup>K

**Artificial Lighting:**  
10 W/m<sup>2</sup>

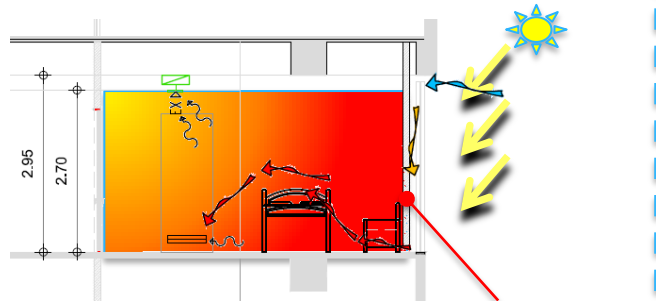
Standard hvac system,  
in typical patient room  
with common  
construction materials.

# Third Floor Patient Room – Hybrid Design

**Bogota**, Improve standard envelope construction



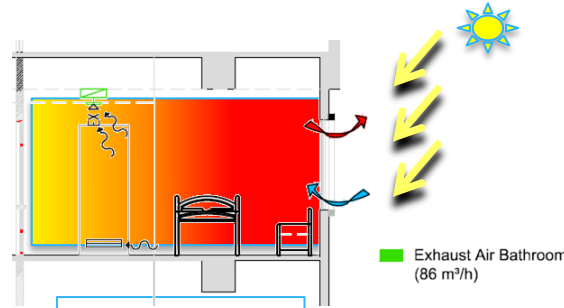
A-A Section



B-B Section

**Trombe Wall:**  
Air chamber: 0.1m  
One single glass  
Brick Wall

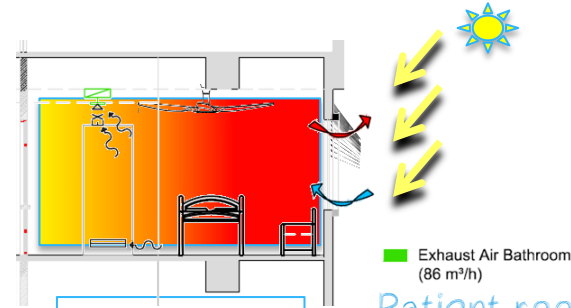
**Bucaramanga**, Improve standard envelope construction



A-A Section



**Cartagena**, Rammed earth Walls, high reflective glass

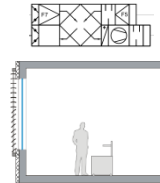
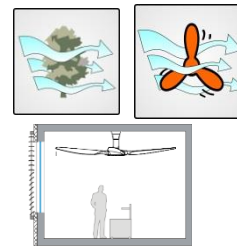
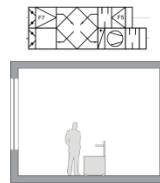
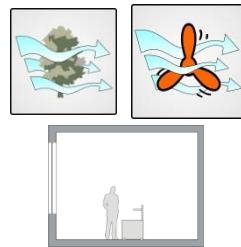
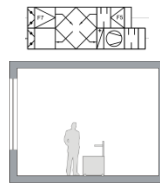
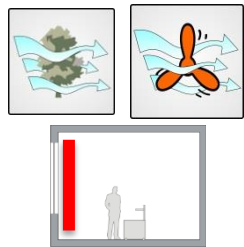
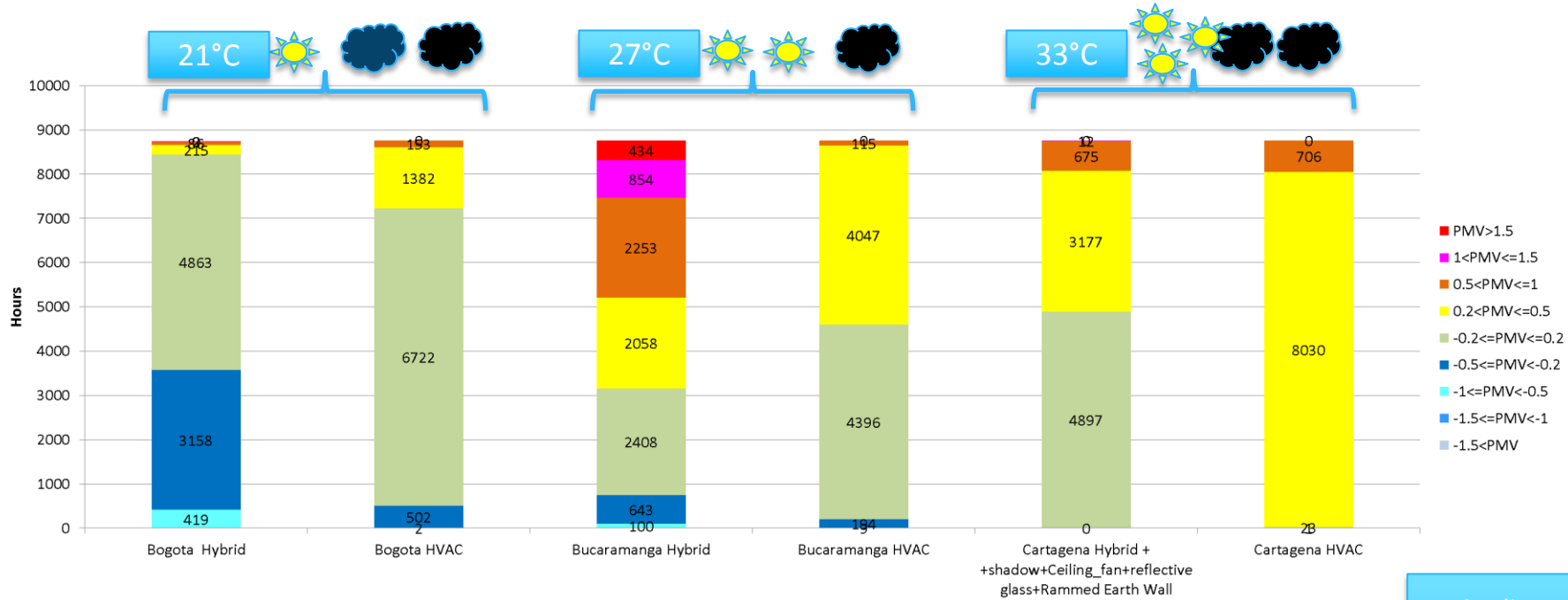


A-A Section



Patient room hybrid design, in three different cities.  
Bogota: Improve standard envelope construction (lowest U values) with trombe wall  
Bucaramanga: Improve standard envelope construction (lowest U values) without trombe wall  
Cartagena: Improve standard envelope construction (lowest U values), high thermal mass without trombe wall

## Patient Room – Thermal Scenarios – Different Locations



Cooling  
Design  
Temperature

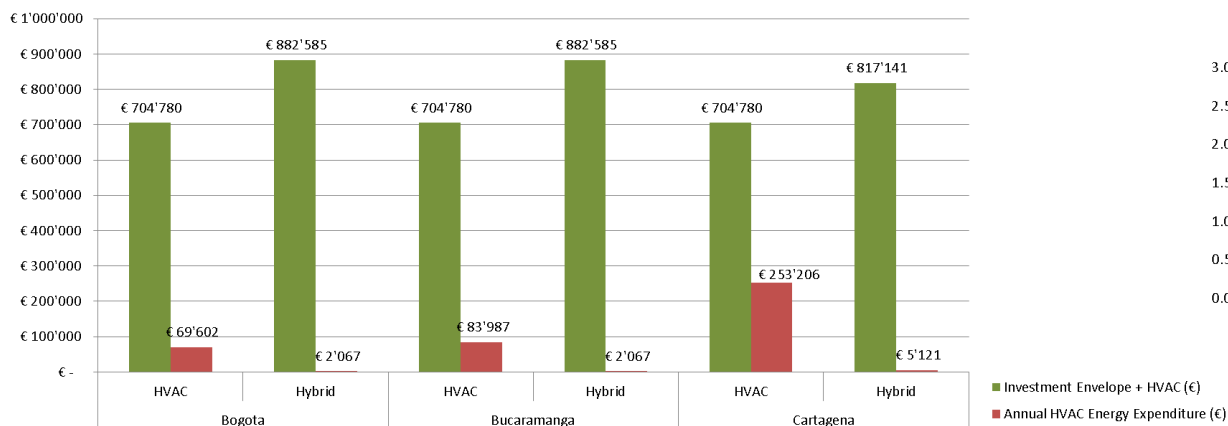
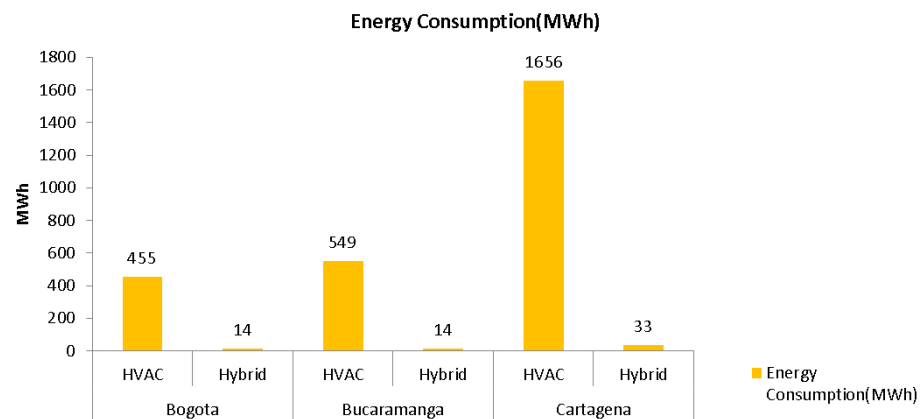
Predicted mean vote for Patient room hybrid design, in three different cities.

Bogota: Improve standard envelope construction (lowest U values) with trombe wall

Bucaramanga: Improve standard envelope construction (lowest U values) without trombe wall

Cartagena: Improve standard envelope construction (lowest U values), high thermal mass without trombe wall, window shading and ceiling fan

## Patient Room – Energy Economic Scenarios



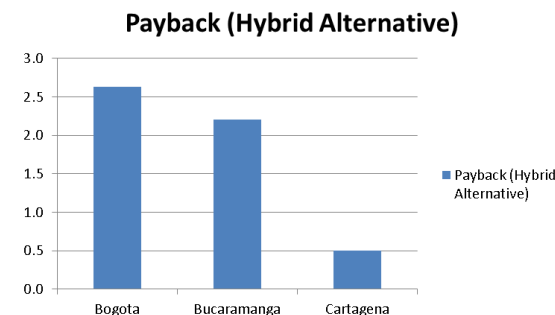
**Estimated Mechanical Ventilation System Installation Cost:**  
3919 € / 1000 [m<sup>3</sup>/h]

**Number of patient Rooms: 38**

**Energy Cost:**  
0.15291[€/kWh]

**Fan Power [kW] :**  
L/s \* 0.0017

**Acoustic Louver: 500[€/each]**



38 Patient room  
Economic Scenarios,  
in three different  
cities.

Bogota: cost analysis  
including envelope  
materials, and hybrid  
system.

Bucaramanga: cost  
analysis including  
envelope materials,  
and hybrid system.

Cartagena: cost  
analysis including  
envelope materials,  
and hybrid system  
ceiling fan.

# Conclusion

