

TO3D PGS - The Future Of Glass

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*'Development of an Algorithm for
Topology **O**ptimized **3D P**rinted
Glass **S**tructure'*



Creating an **algorithm** that ensures the **manufacturability** of a
monolithic 3D printed glass bridge

Introduction

Glass

Topology optimization

Fabrication types

3D printing limitations

Topolgy optimization (algorithm)

Overhang filter

Islanding function

Path offset (nozzle size)

Final output

Production

Towards P5

Reflection

Introduction



First 3D printer '80

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ETH Zurich development of concrete 3D printing

Introduction



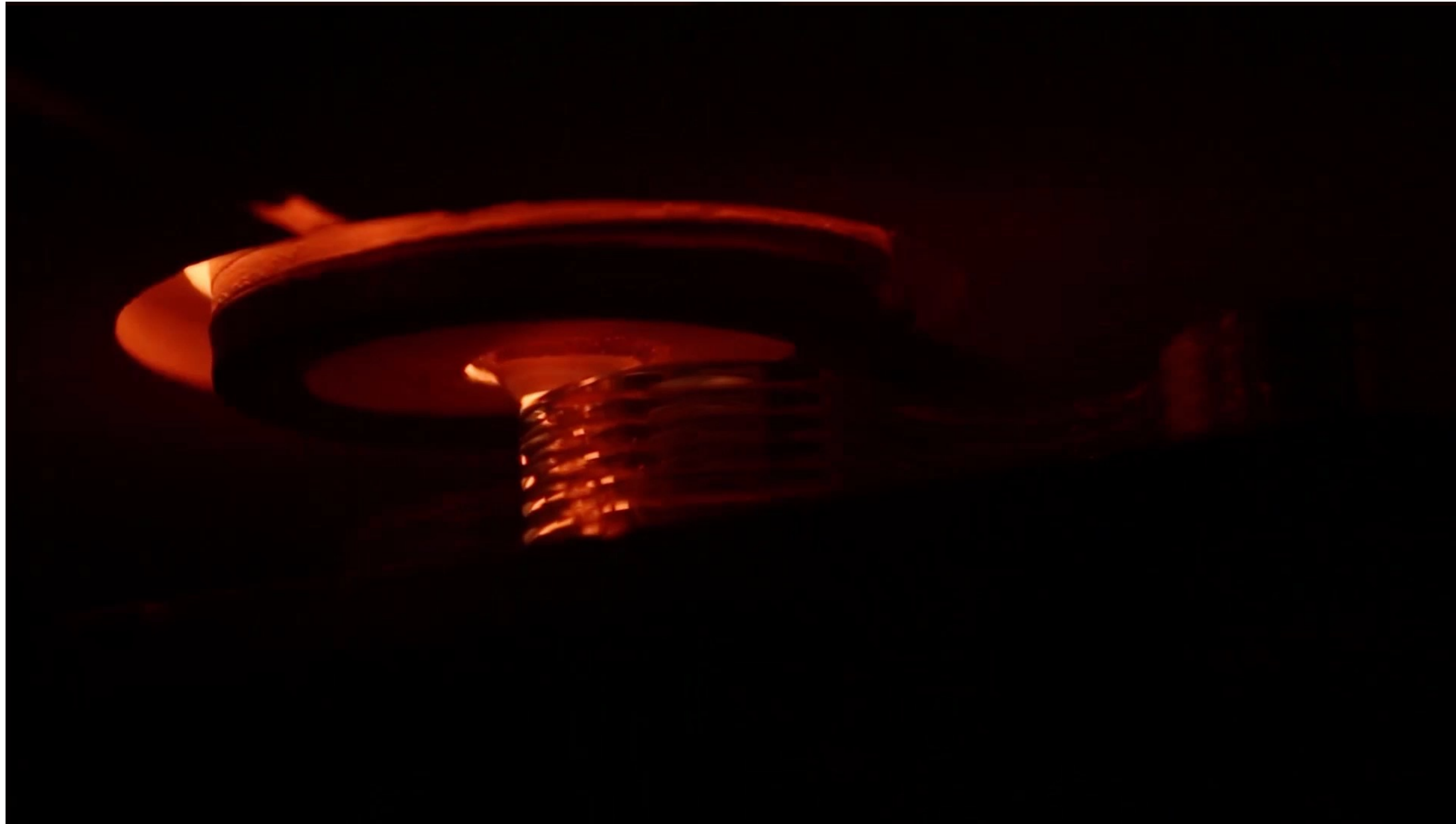
3D printed steel bridge

Introduction



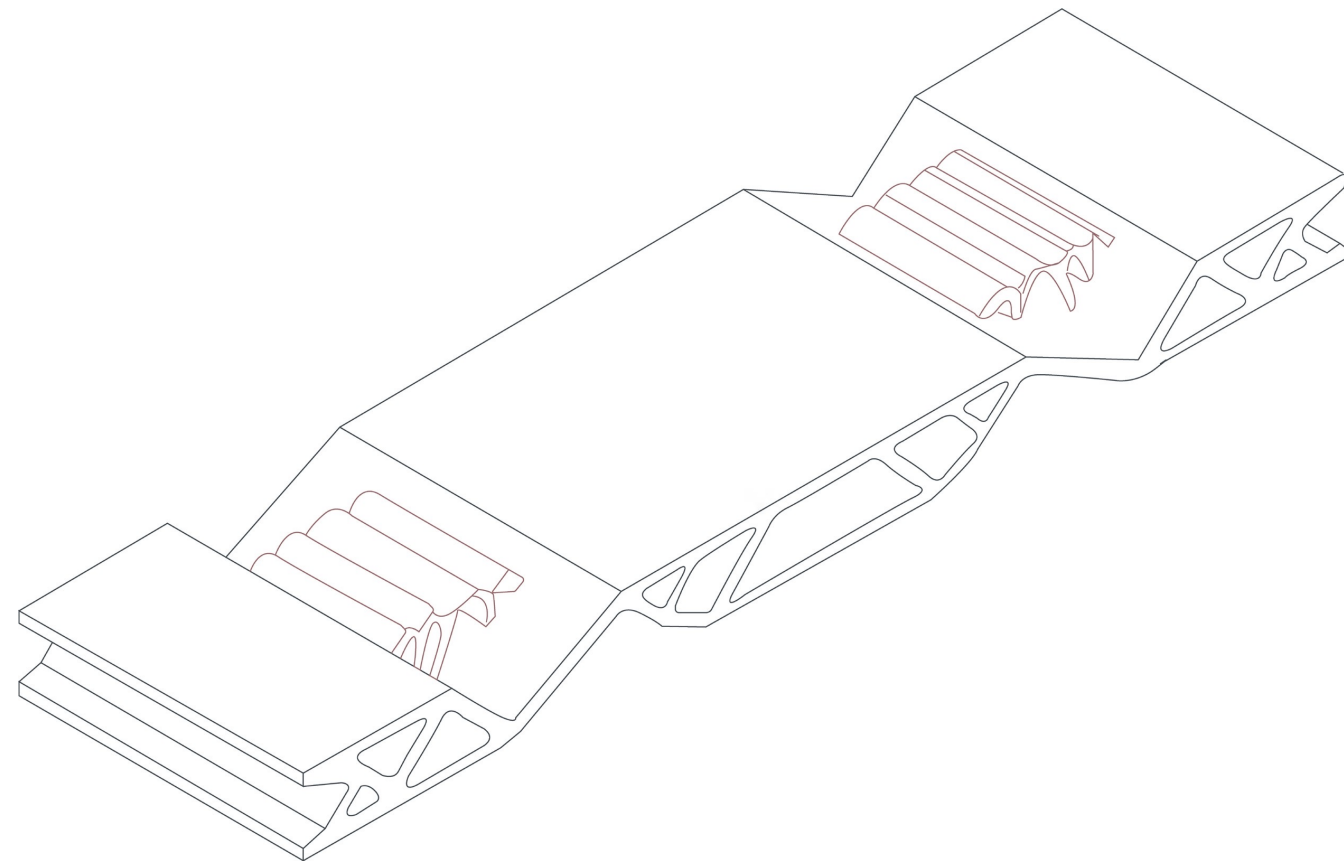
DBT non planar printing in plastic

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G3DP2

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why glass?

Glass



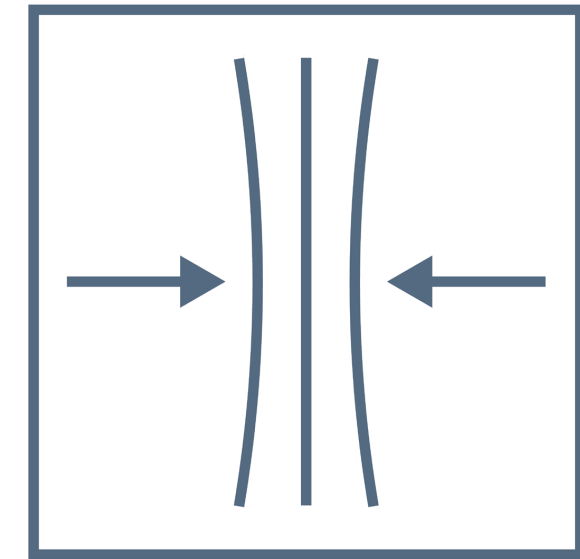
Transparent



Recyclable

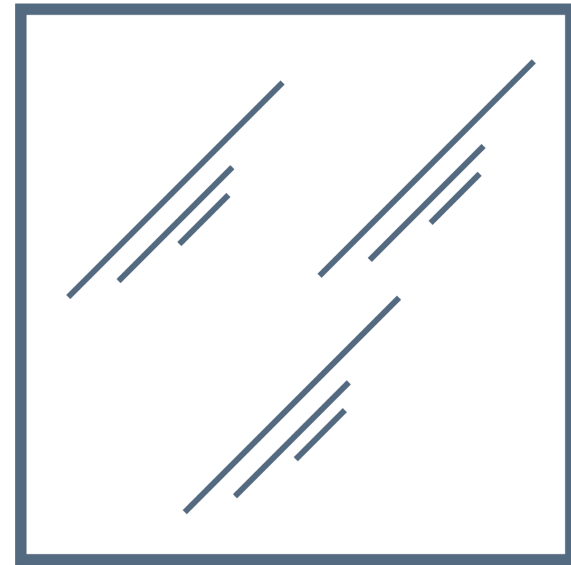


Durable

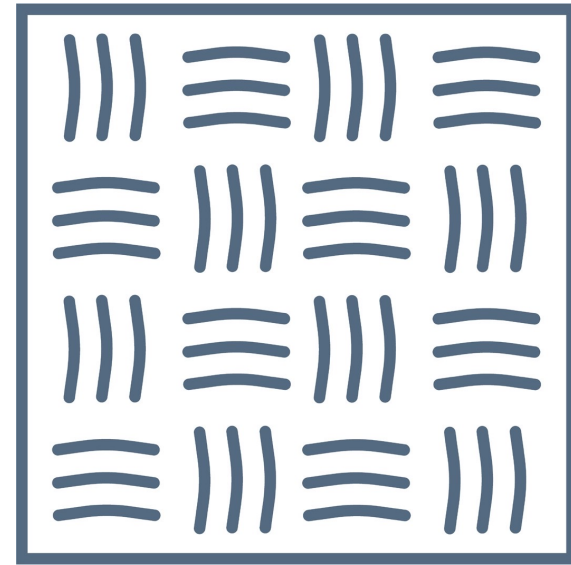


Compressive-resistant

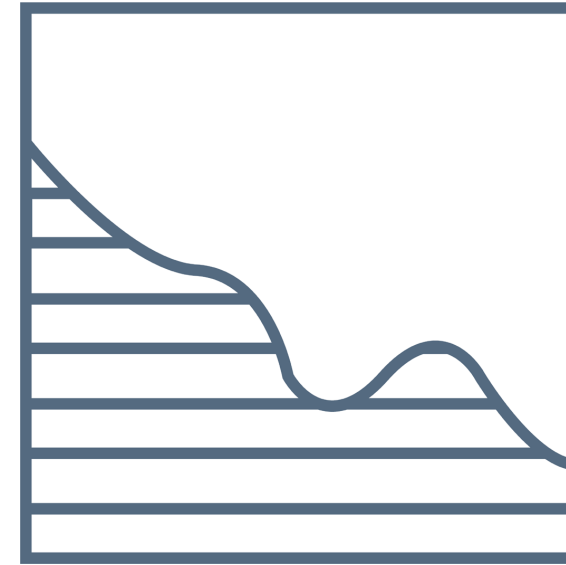
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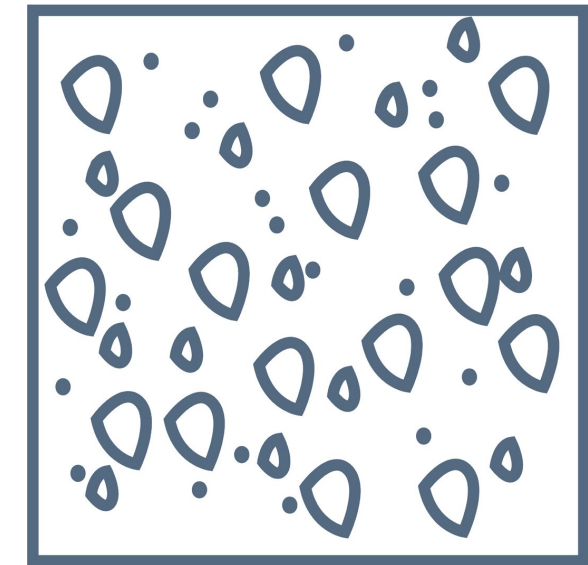
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Steel



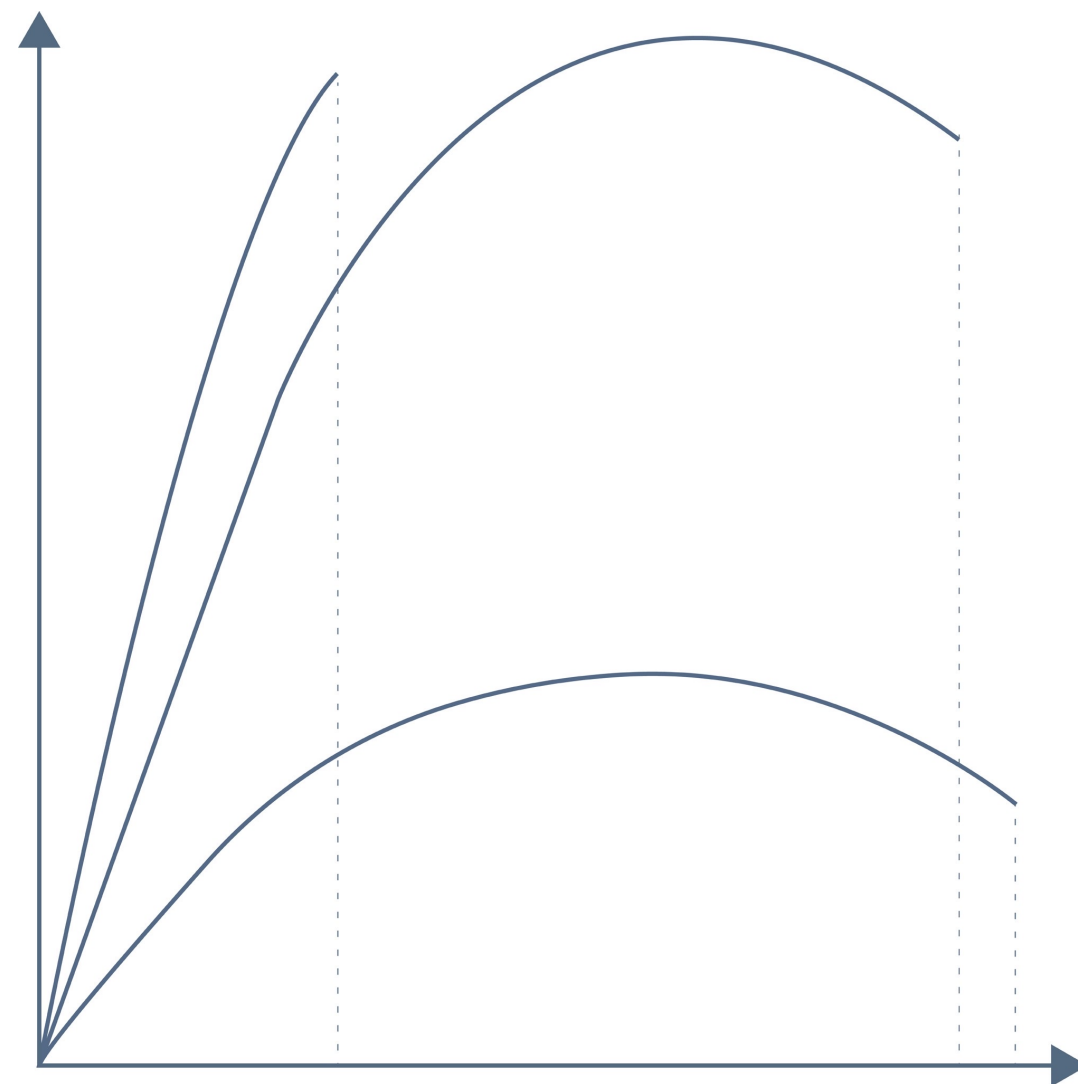
Epoxy (resin)



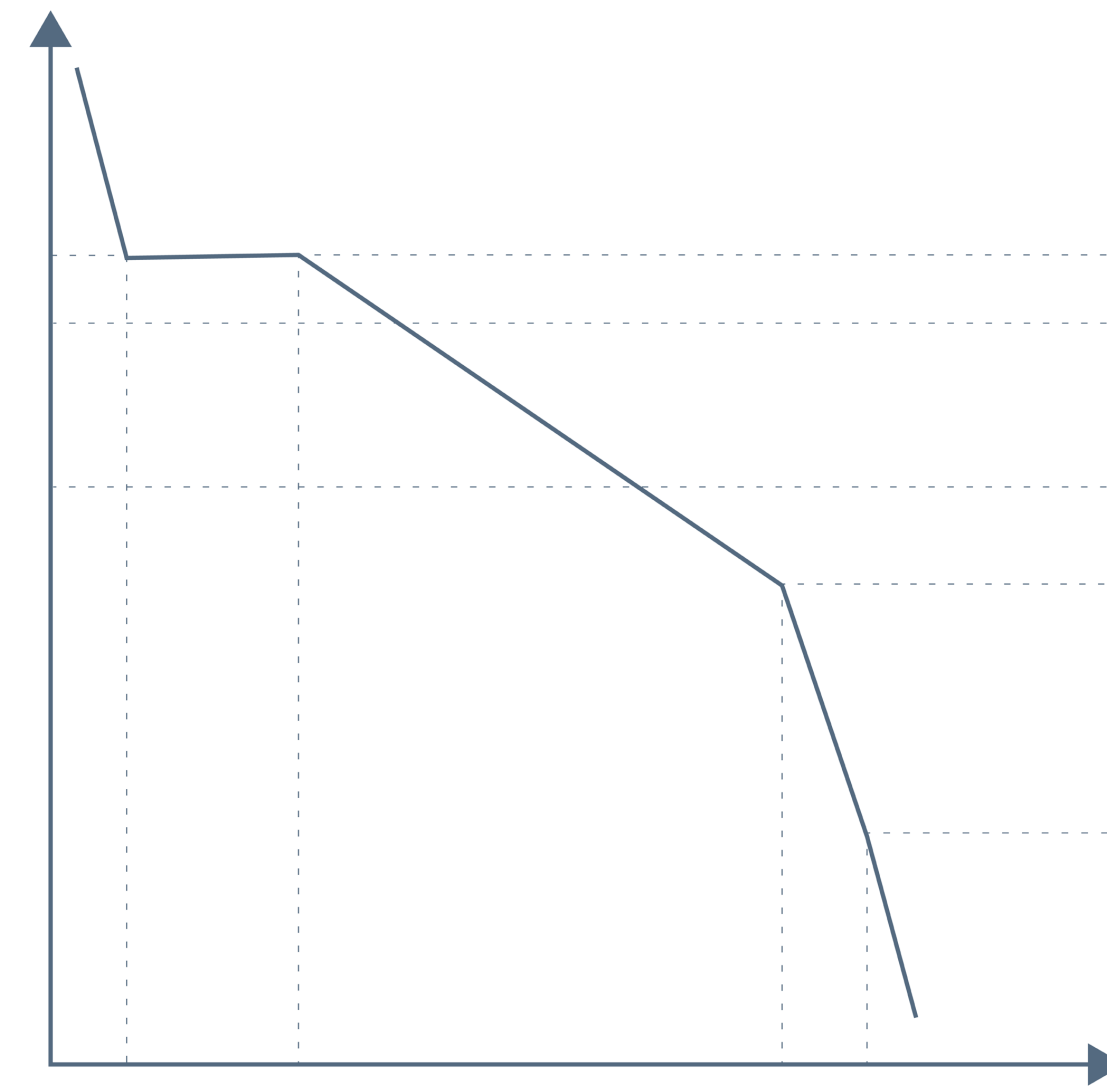
Unreinforced Concrete



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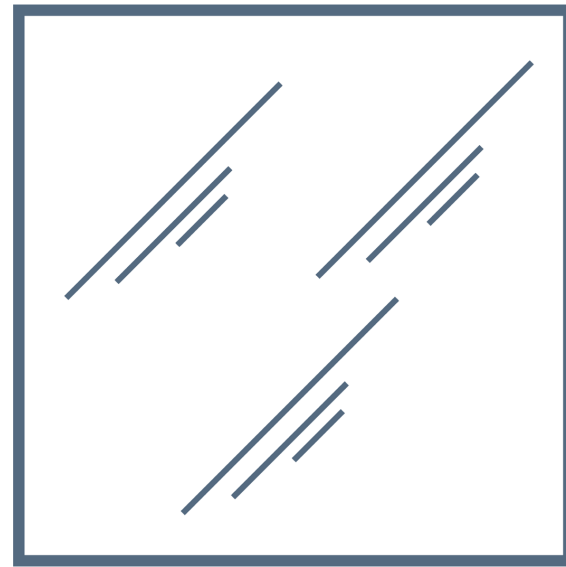


Brittle

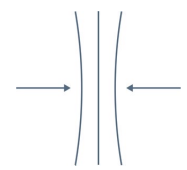


Annealing

Glass



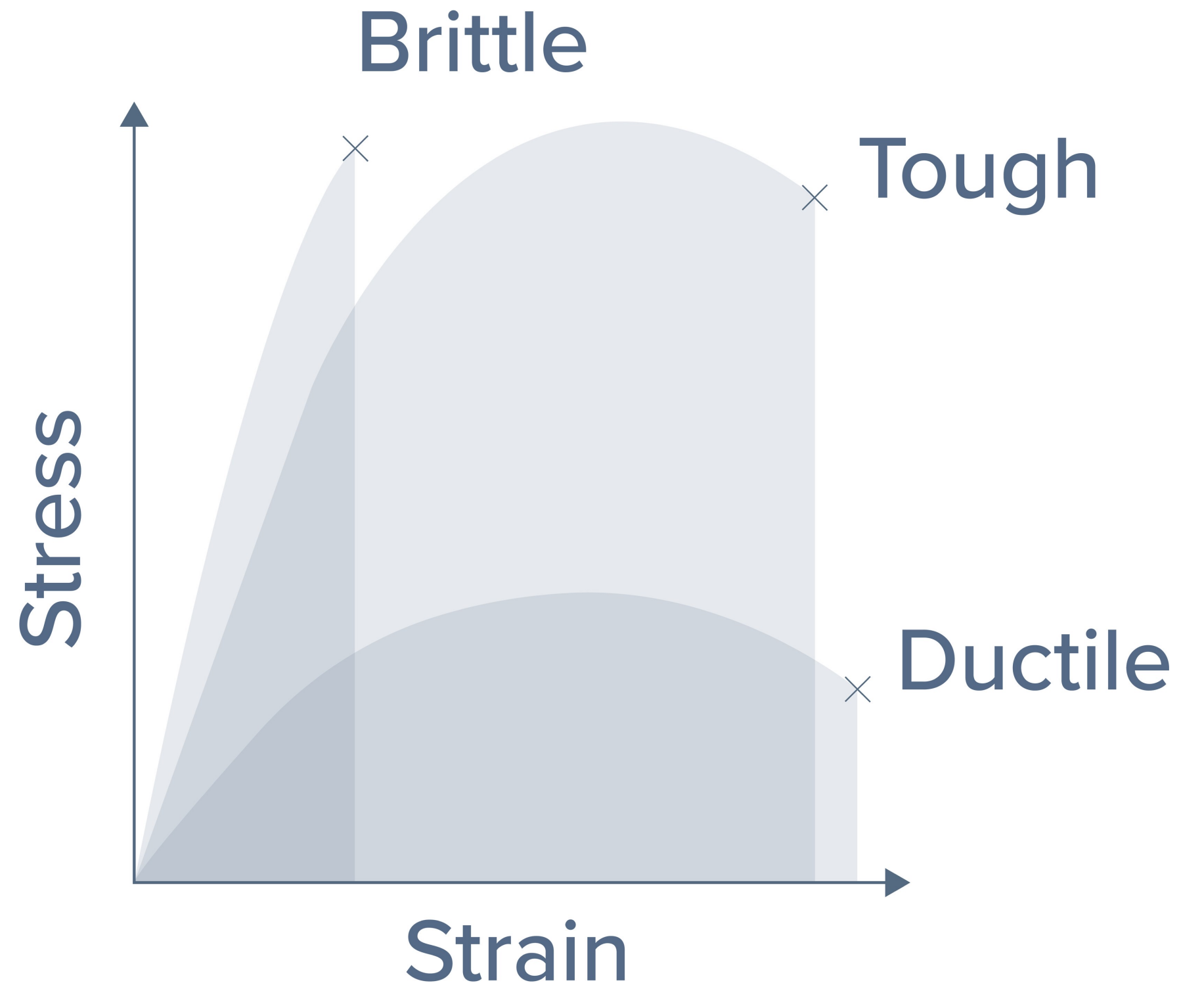
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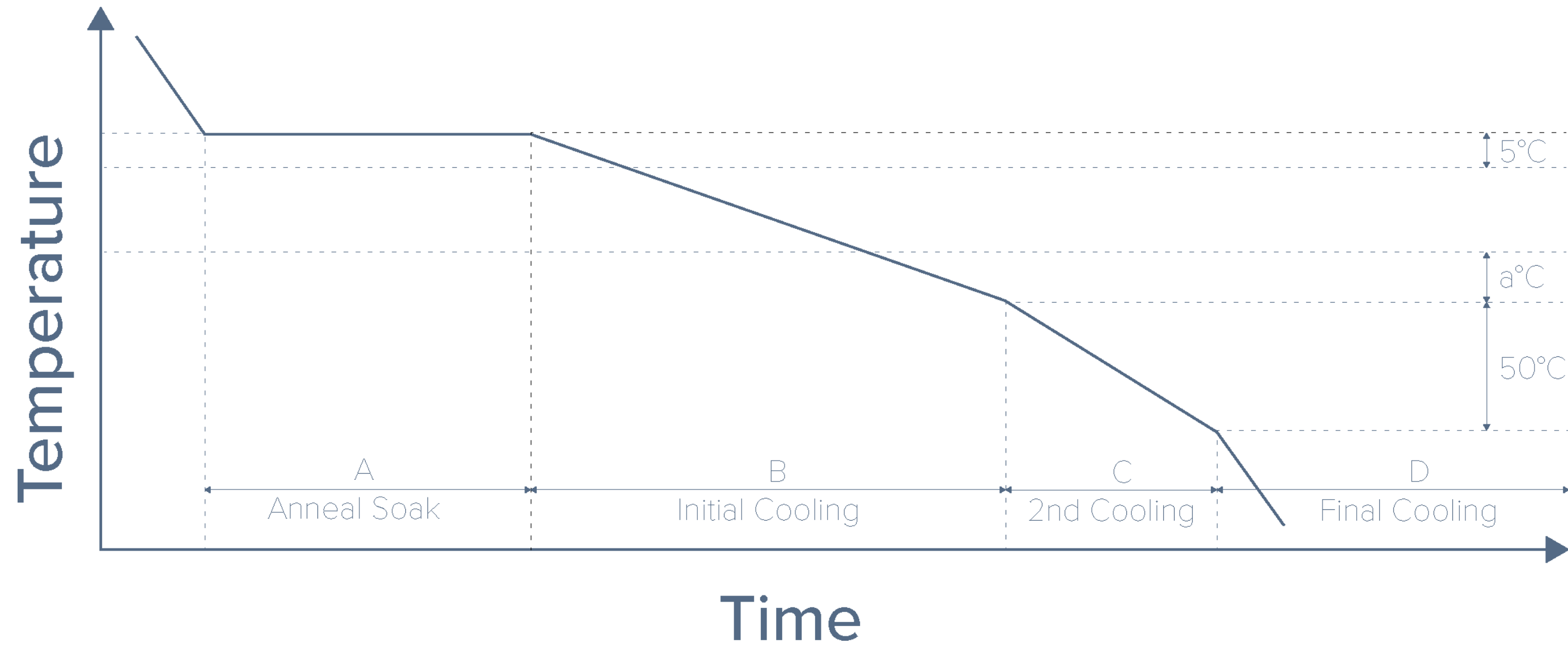
compressive strength
420 - (1000) MPA



Tensile strength
35 - (45) MPA
120-200MPa (toughened)

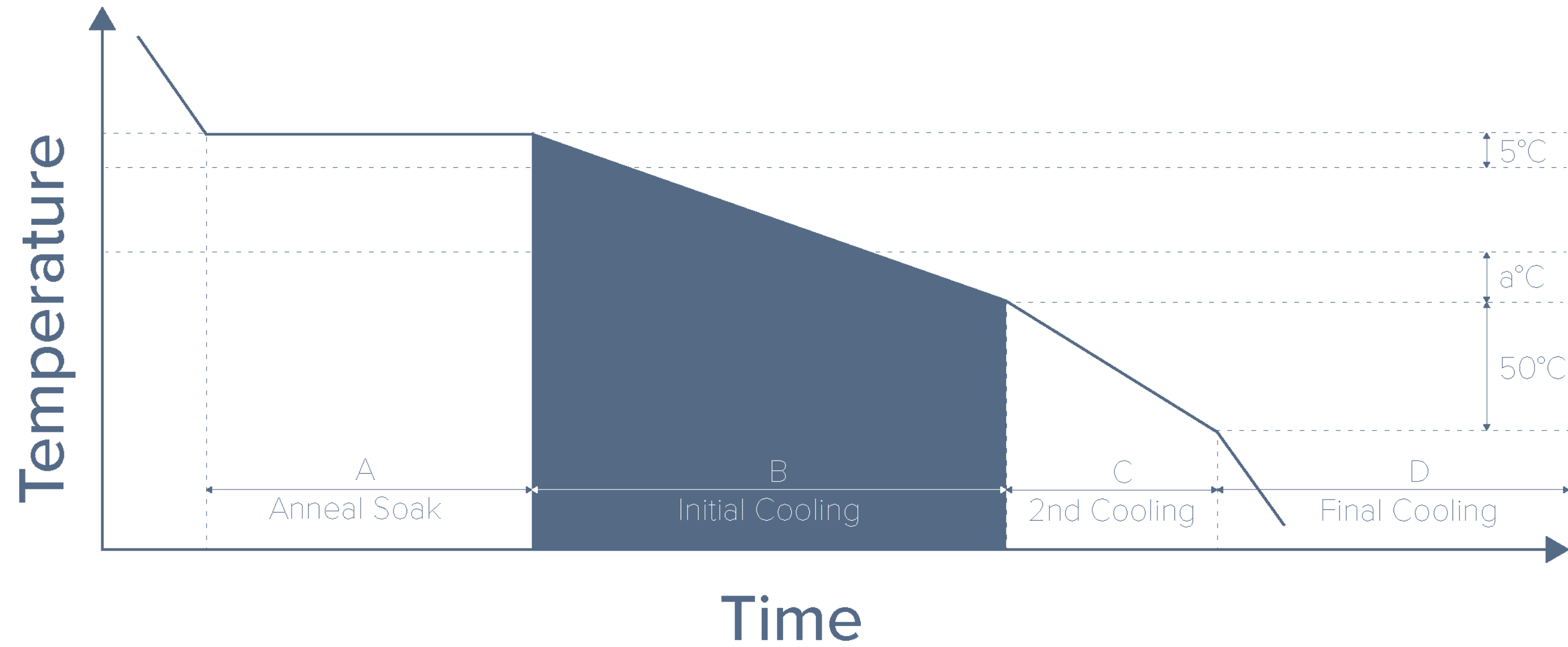


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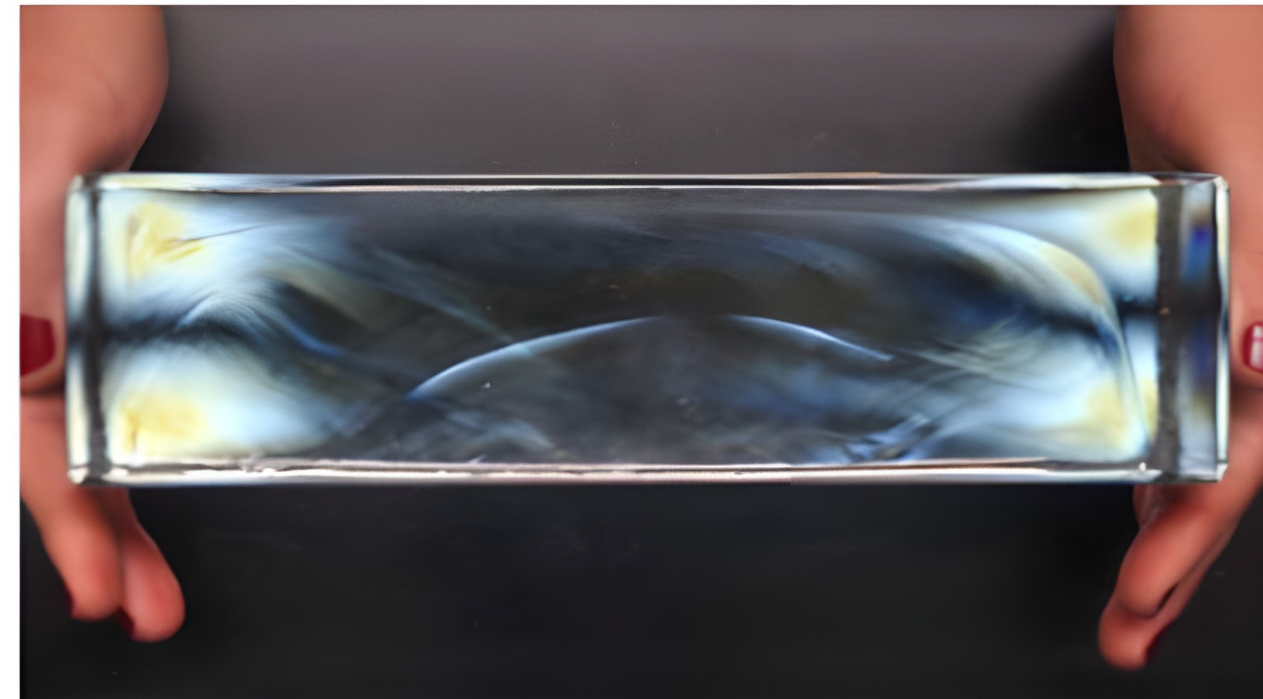
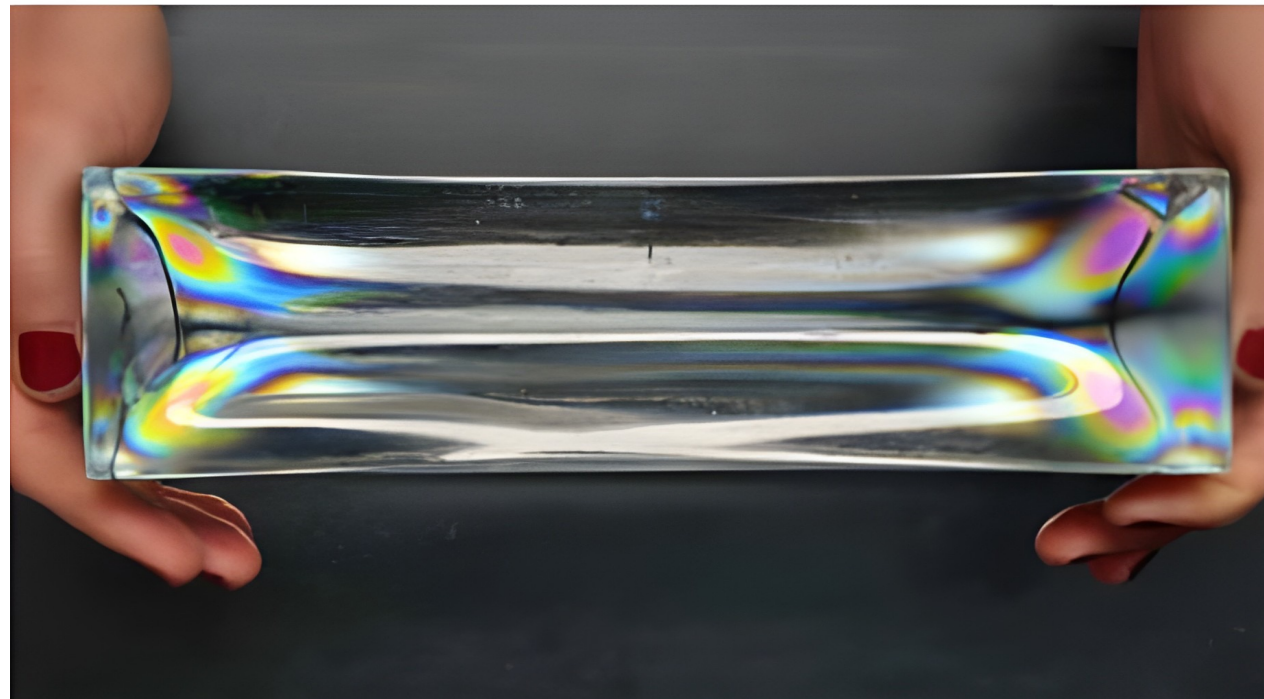
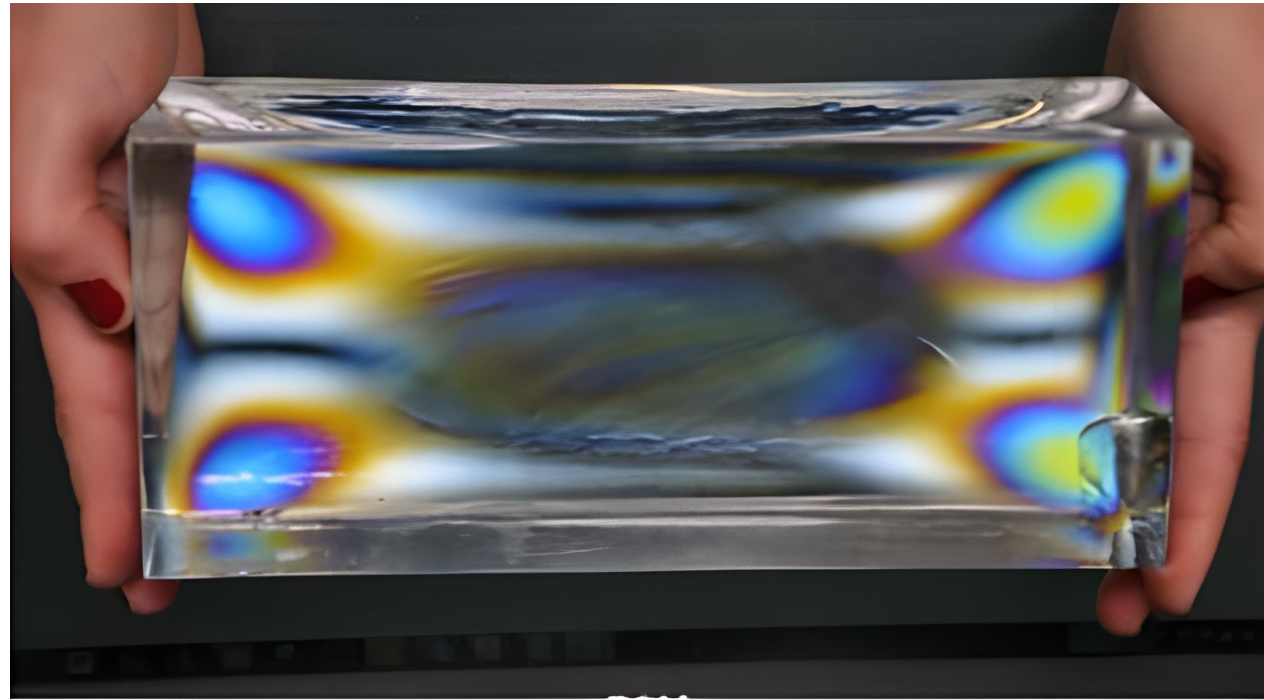
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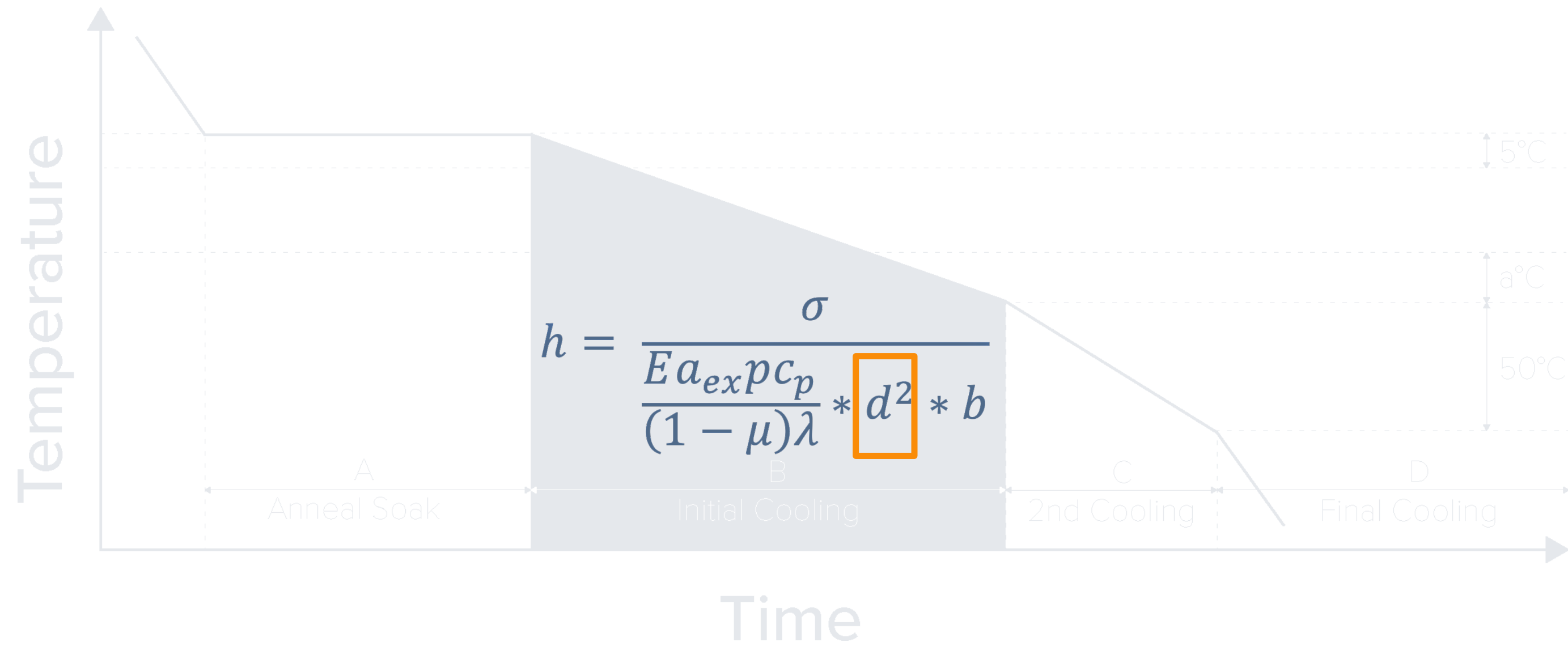
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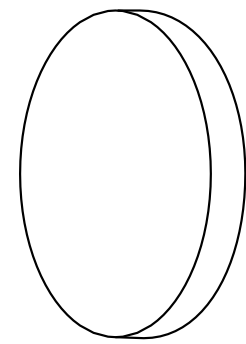
F. Oikonomopoulou (2019) AI upscaled

Glass

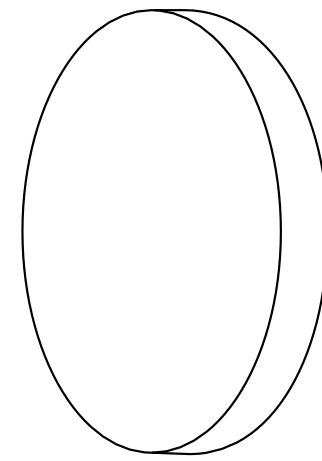


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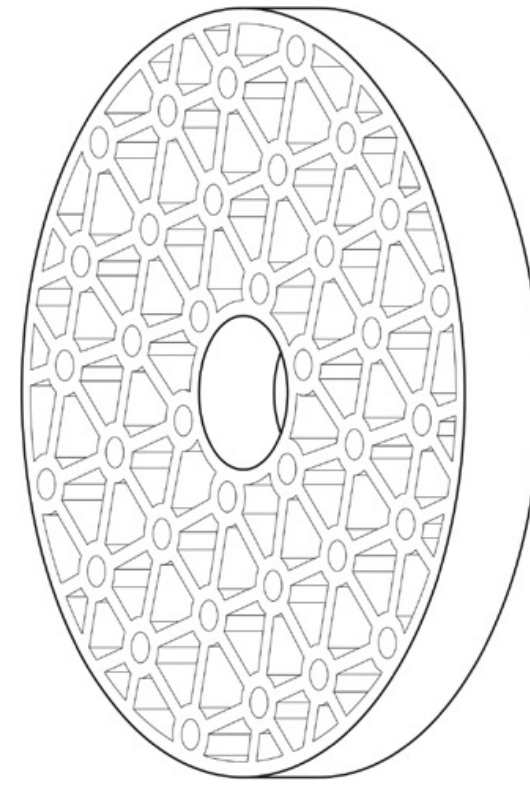
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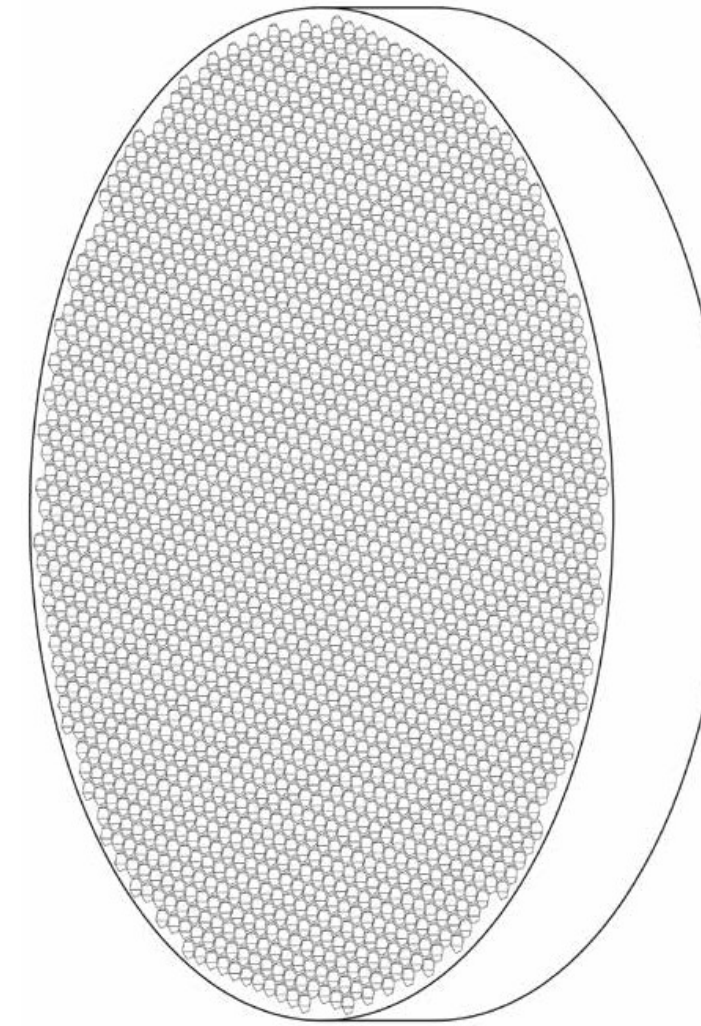
Hale - Mount Wilson Telescope
Ø 1.5m / 60 Inch
d = 190 mm
860 kg
4 months annealing
consist of 1 layer



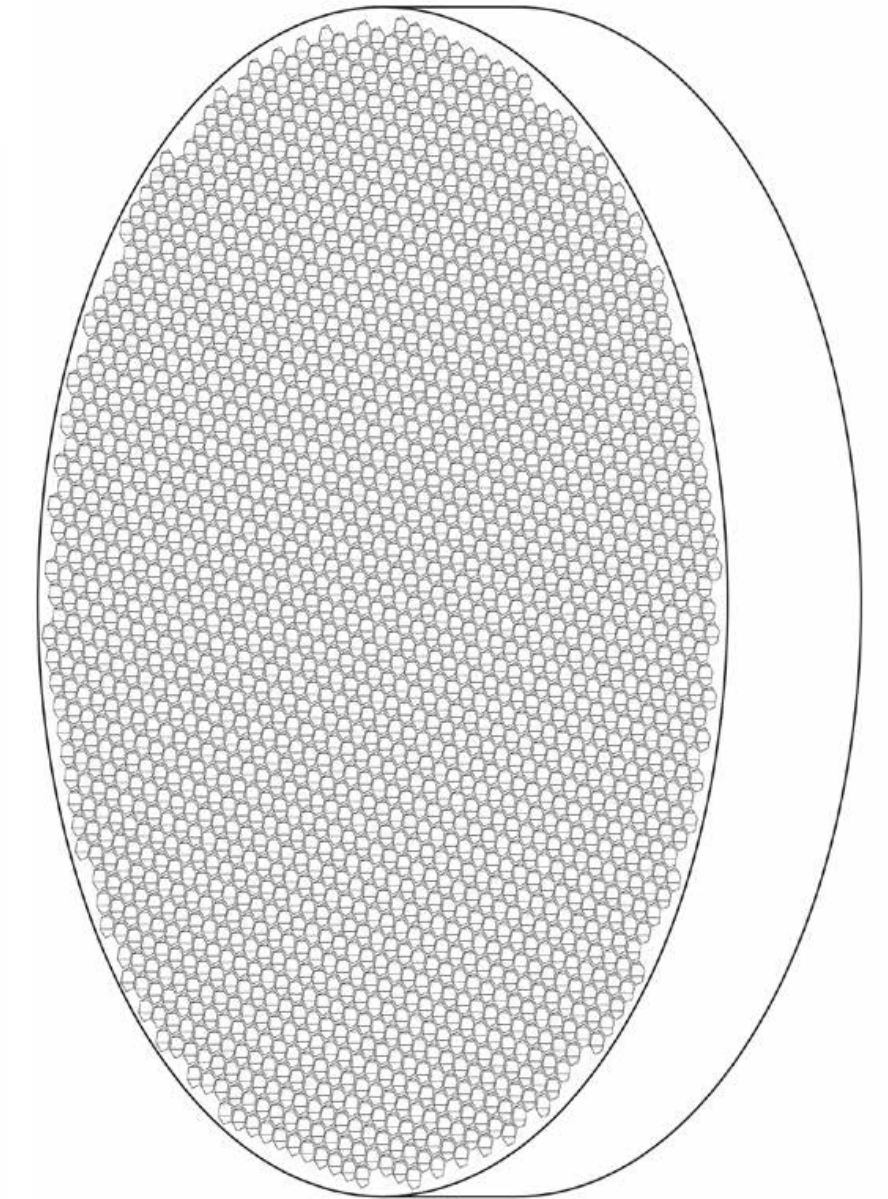
Hale - Mount Wilson Telescope
Ø 2.5m / 100 Inch
d = 325 mm
4500 kg
12 months annealing
consist of 3 layers



Hale - Palomar observatory
Ø 5.1m / 200 inch
d = 660 mm
20000 kg
10 months annealing
Honeycomb structure



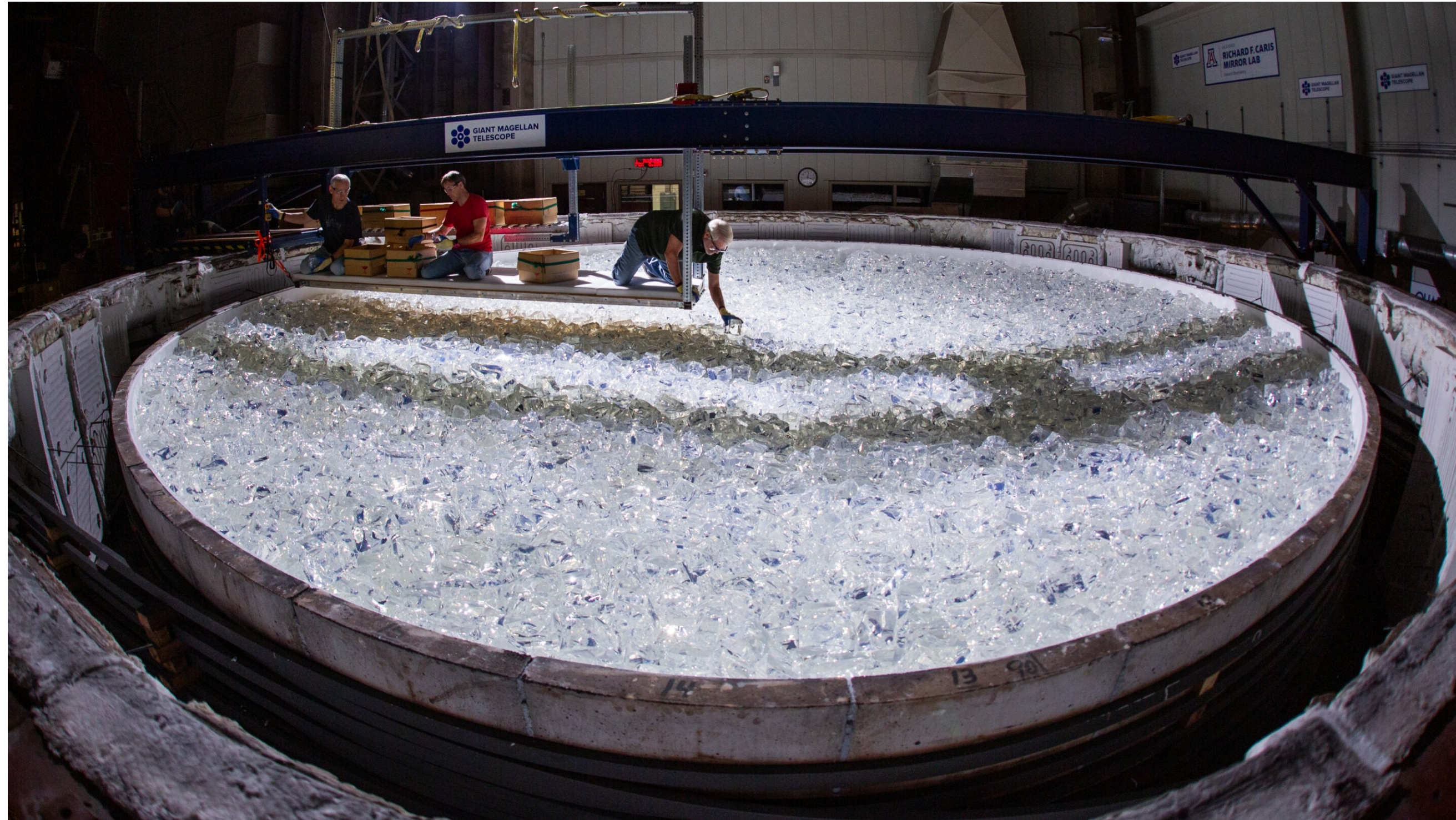
Magellan Telescope
Ø 6.5m / 256 inch
d = 910 mm
9500 kg
3 months annealing
Spin casting - Thinner ribs



(Giant) Magellan Telescope
Ø 8.417m / 331 inch
d = 894 mm
17481 kg
3 months annealing
Spin casting - Thinner ribs

Evolution of cast mirror blanks used for telescopes
Based on: F. Oikonomopoulo et al., The university of Tokyo,
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Glass



Giant Meggalan Telescope

Topology optimization is a mathematical algorithm that **optimizes the shape on a set of load cases within a given domain.**

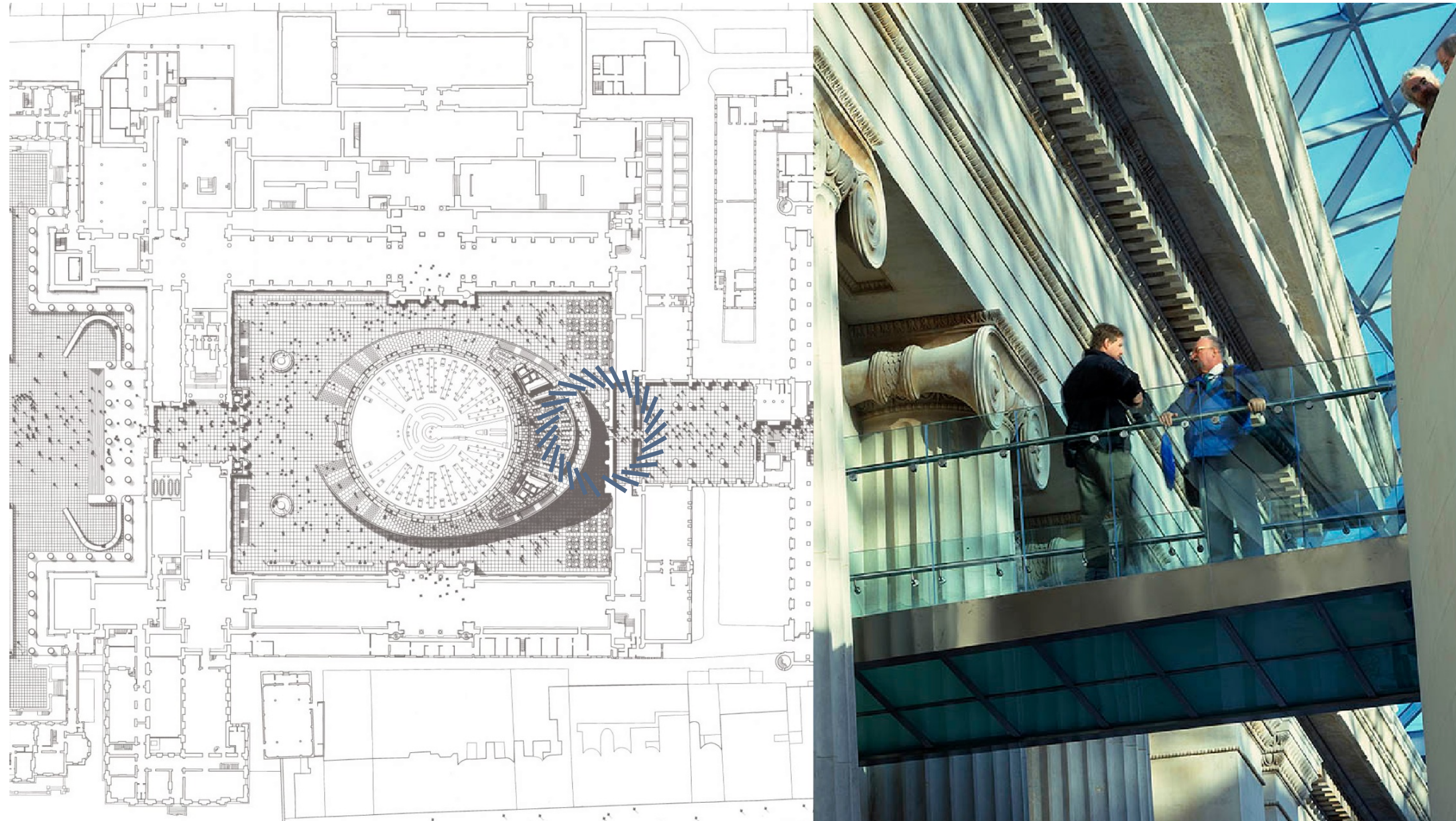
The algorithm finds the most lightweight design while ensuring the required strength.

Topology optimization



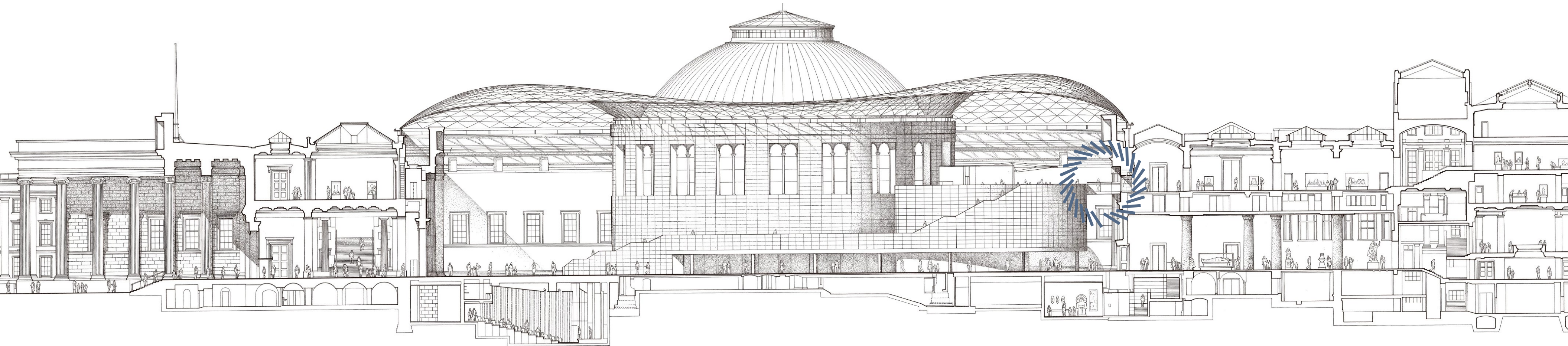
Bridge connecting the atrium and gallery spaces - The british museum

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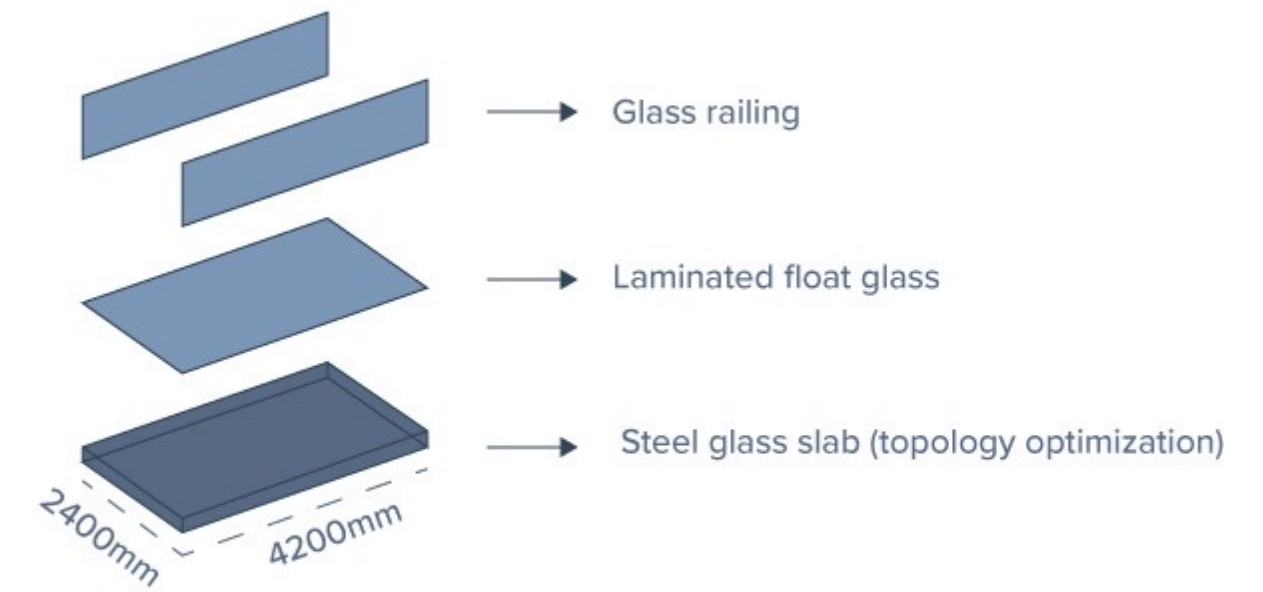
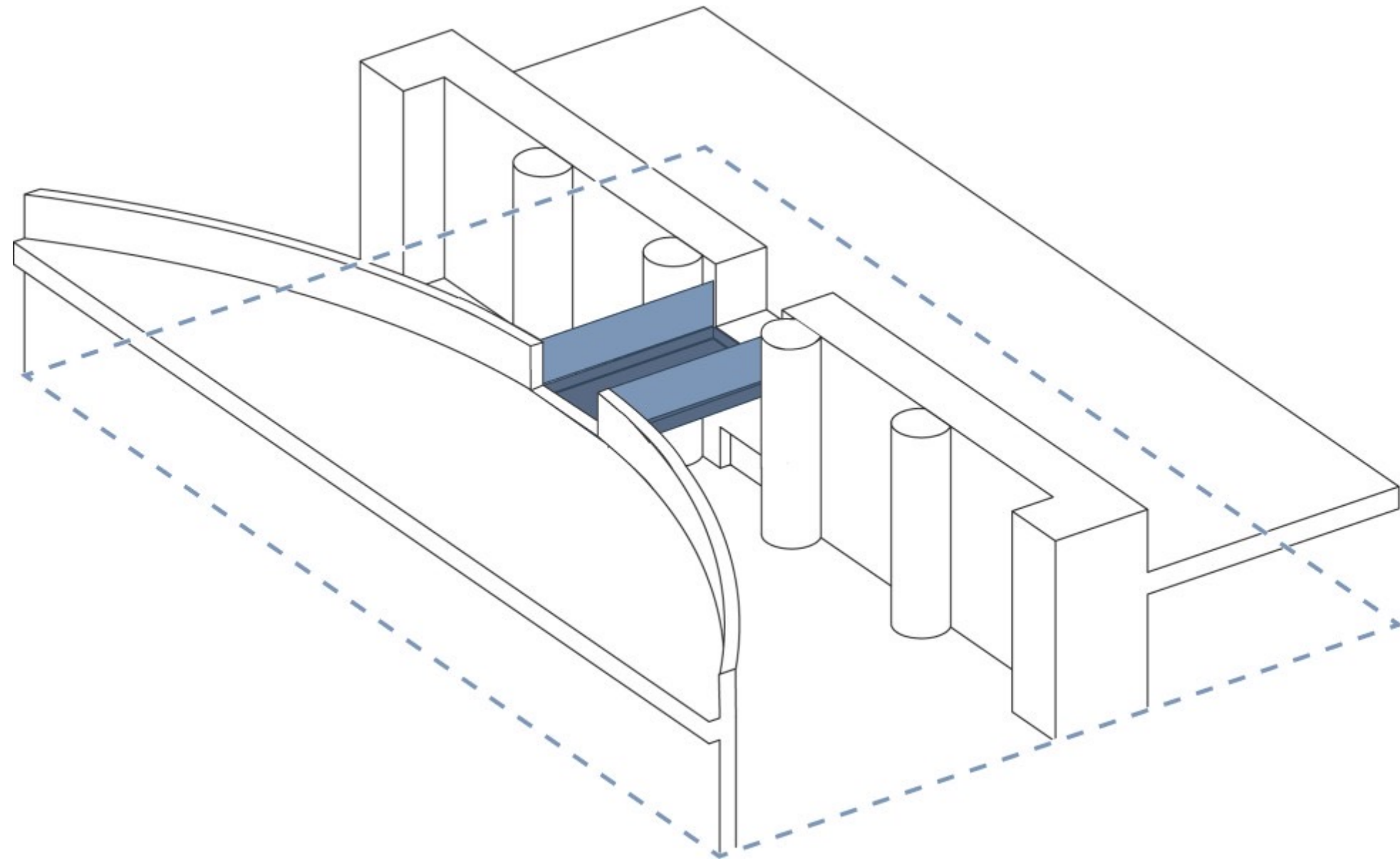


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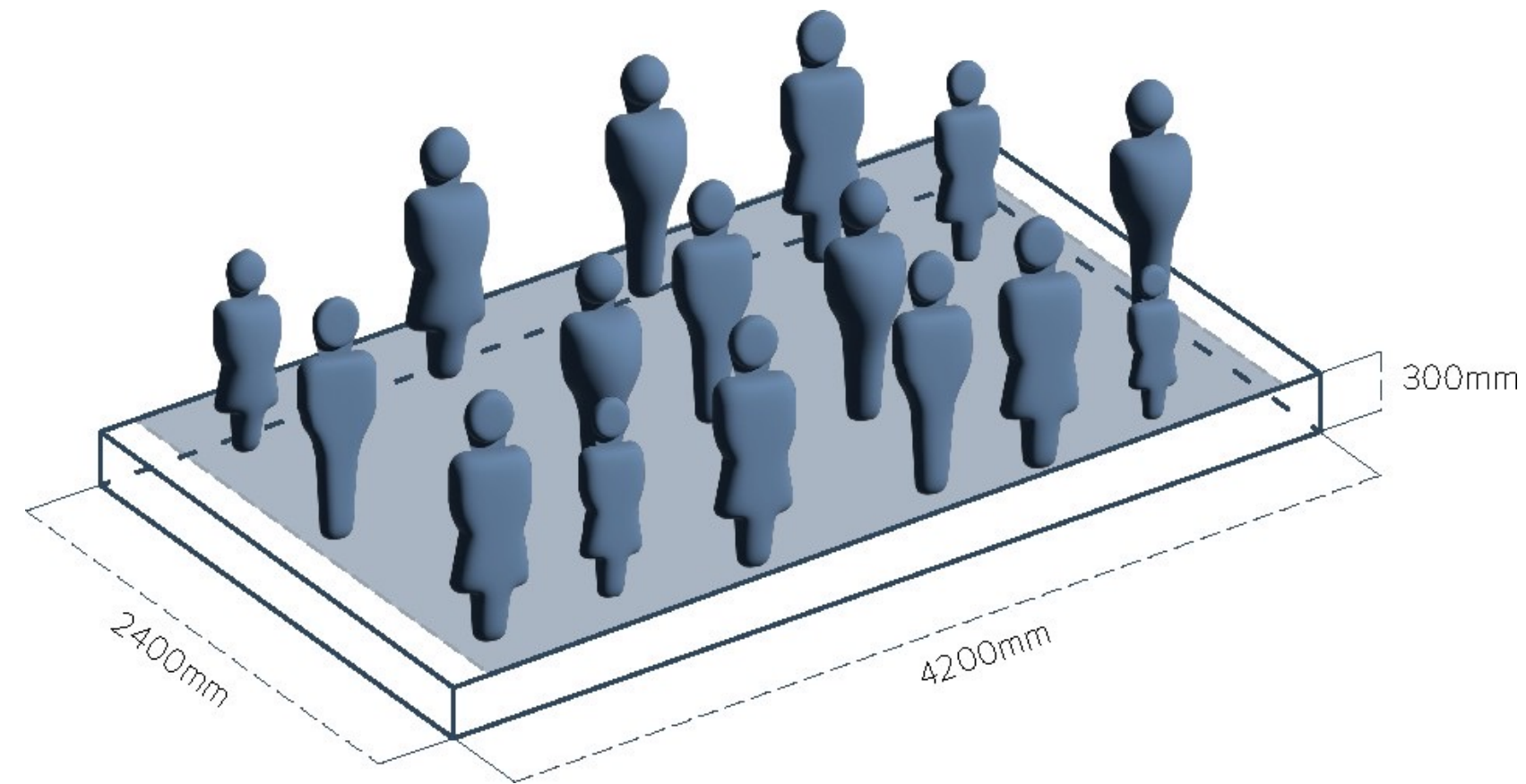
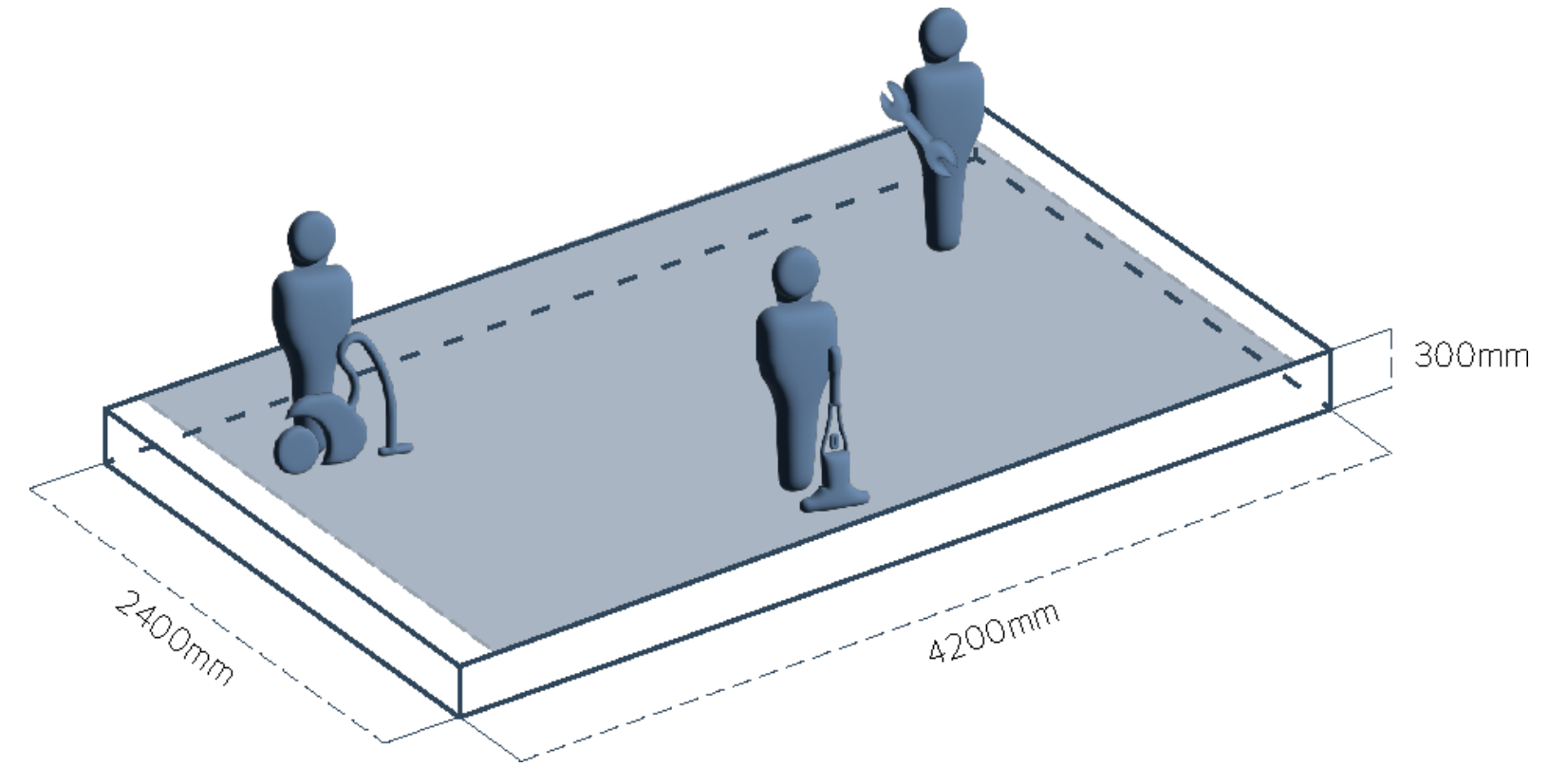
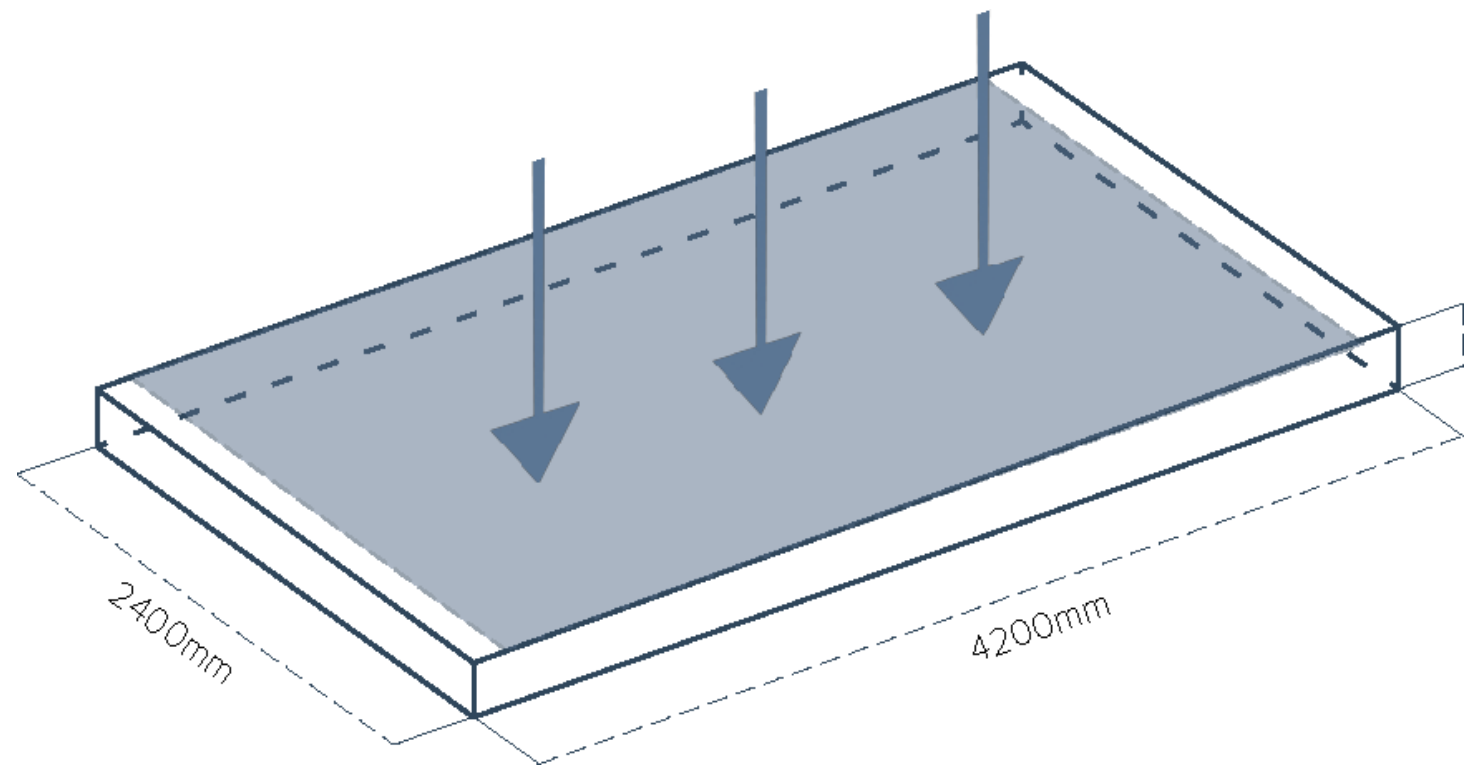
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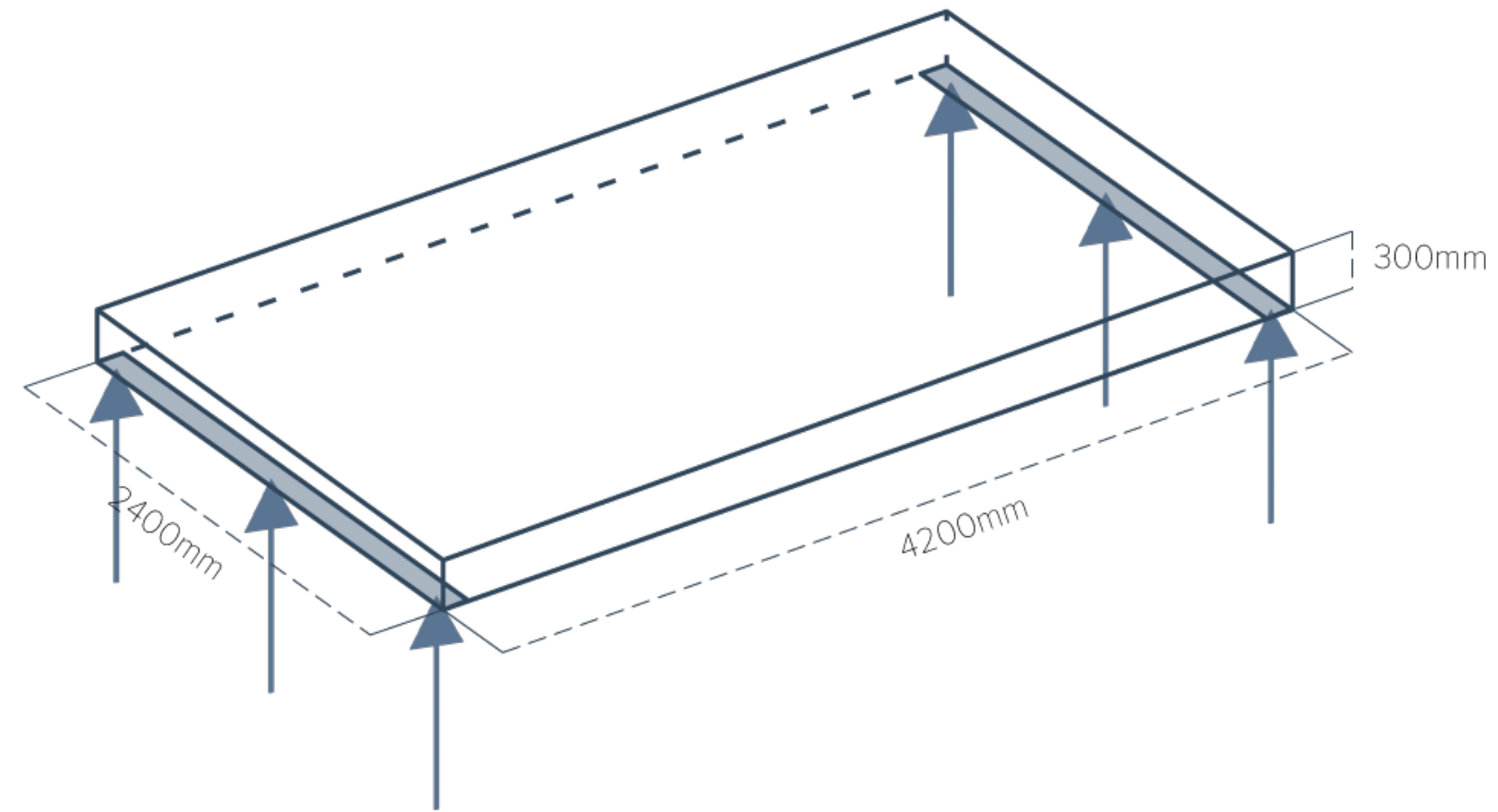
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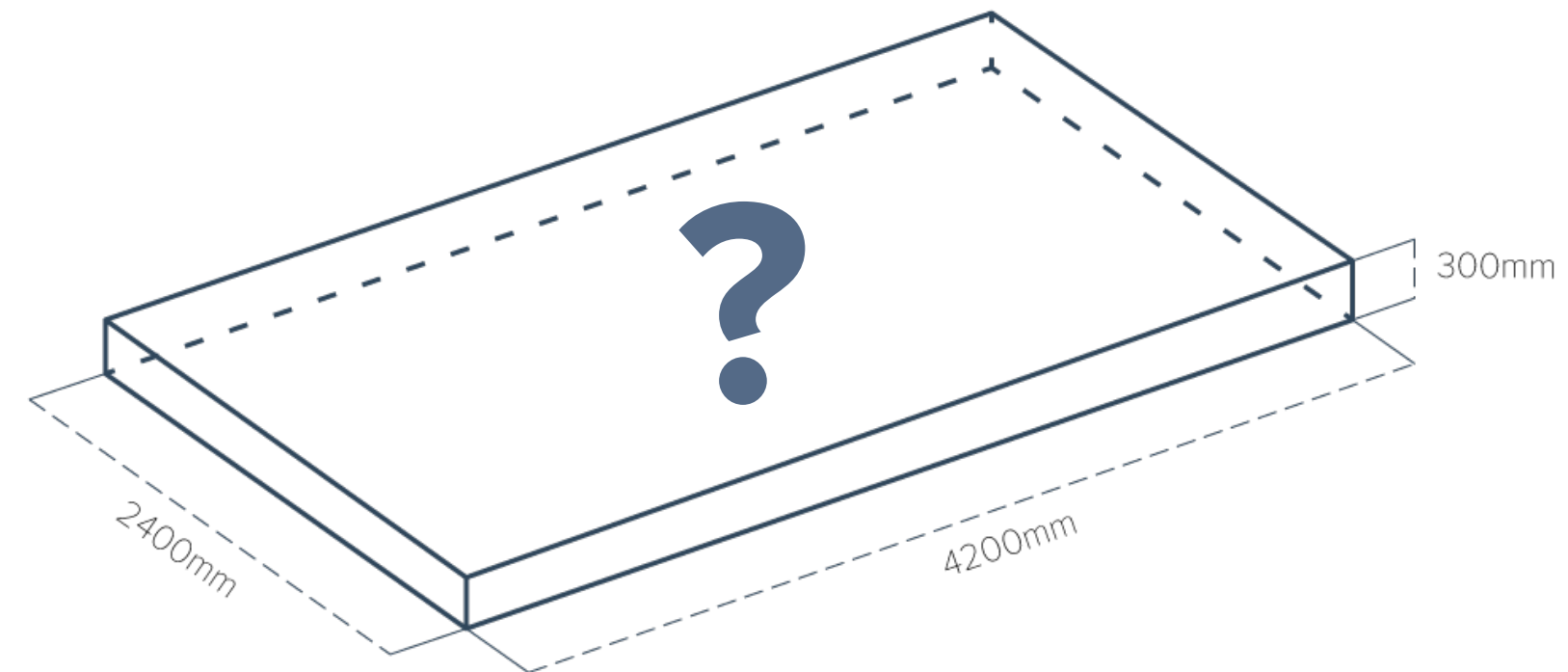
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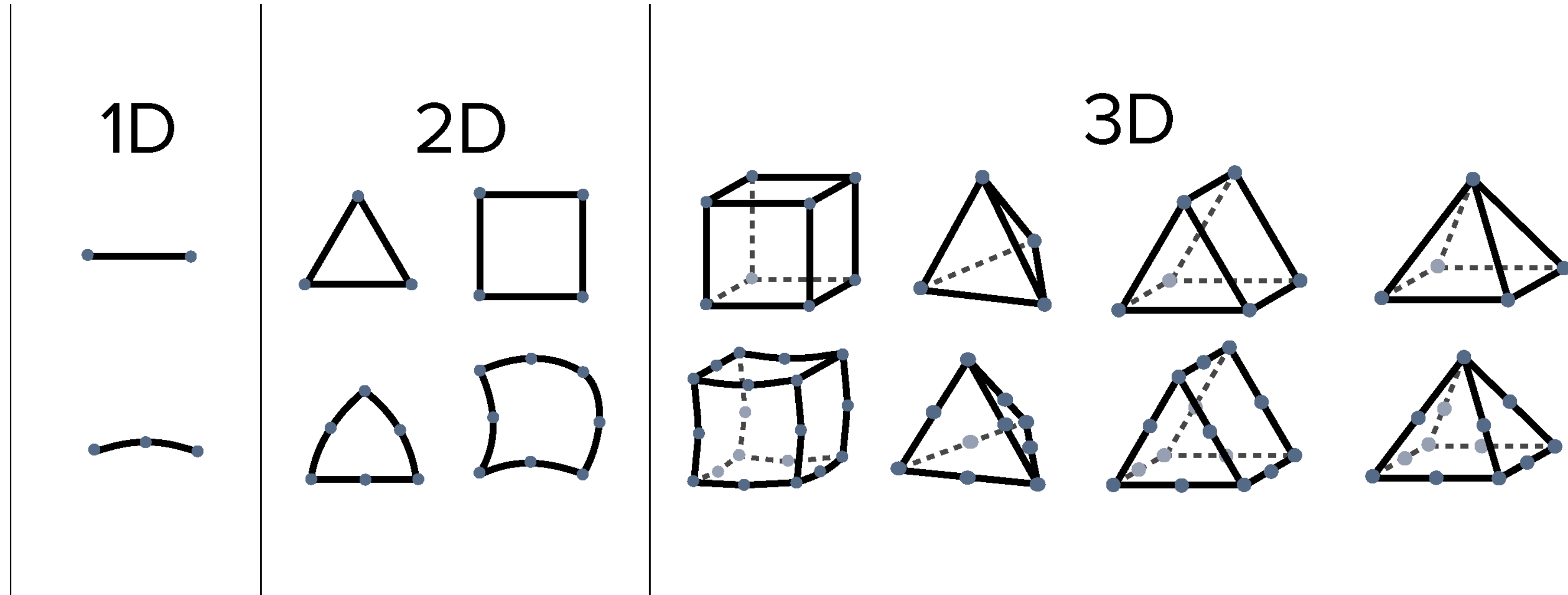
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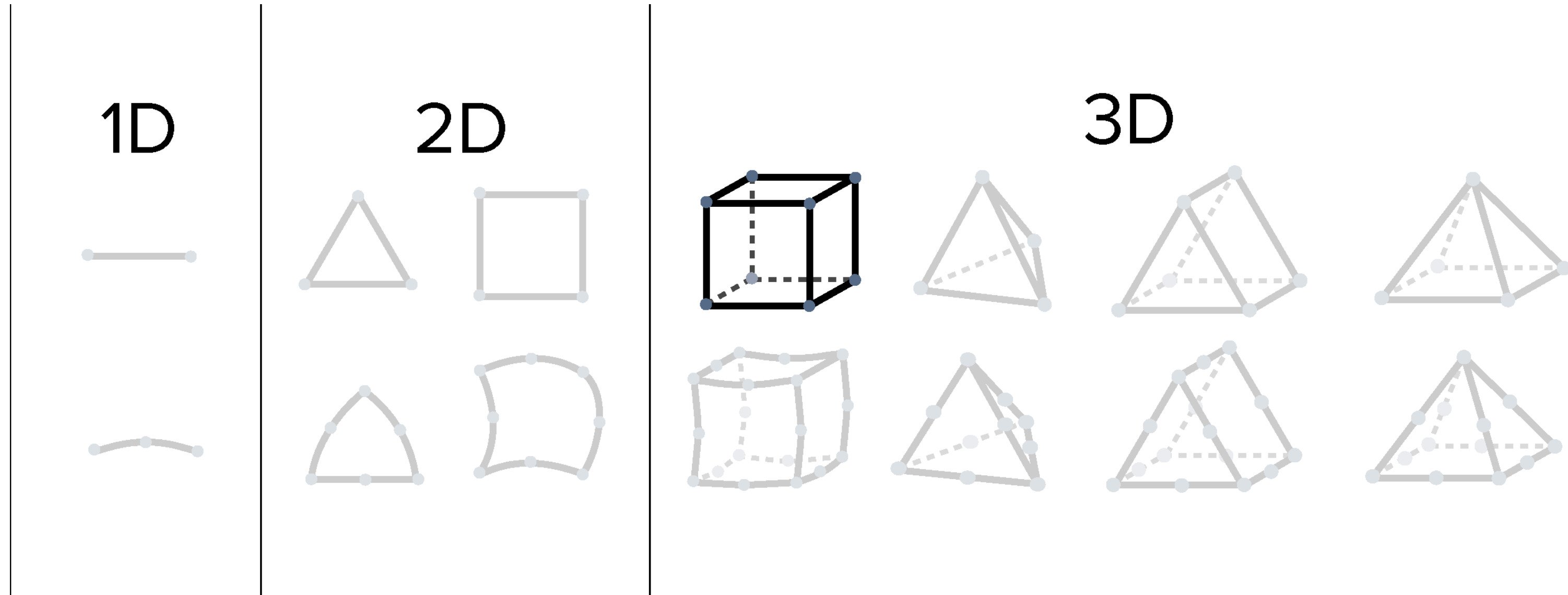
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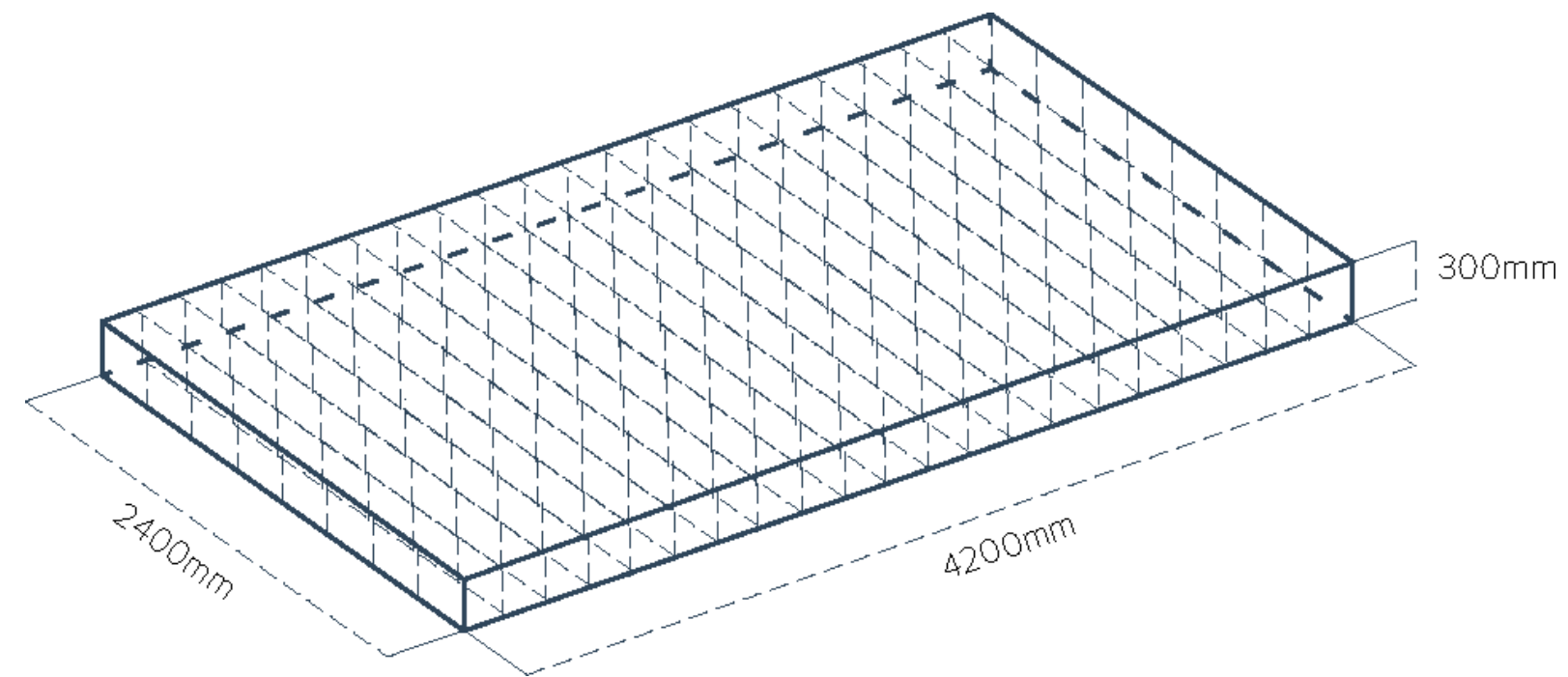
Topology optimization



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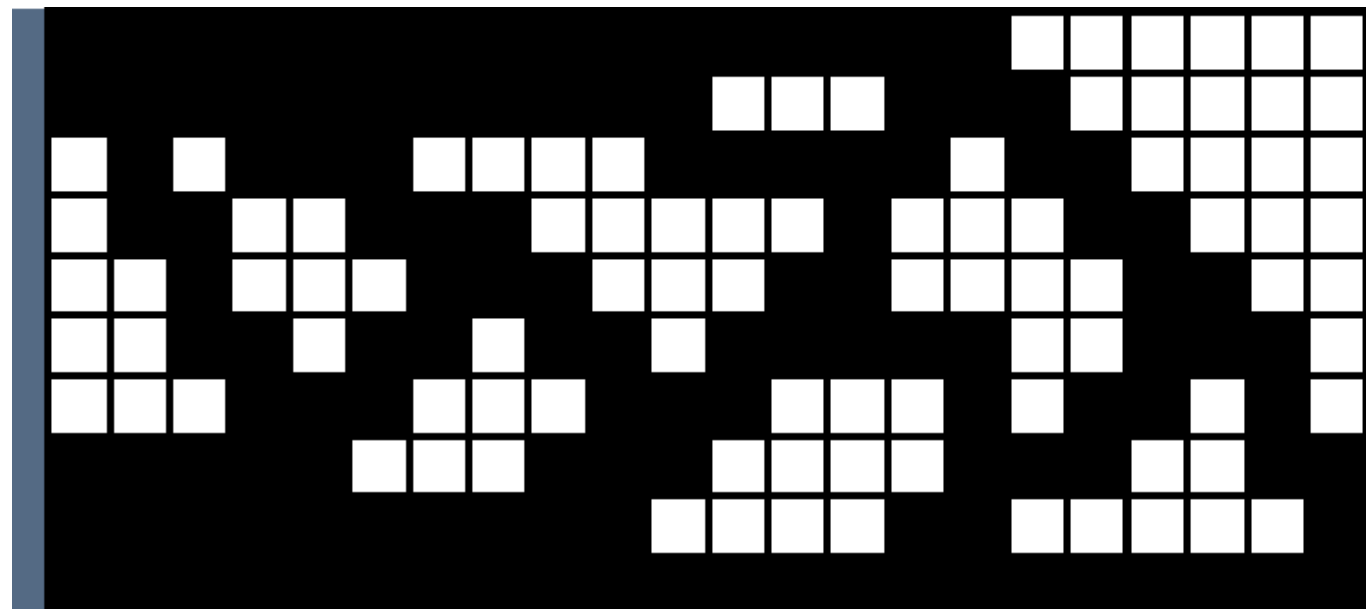


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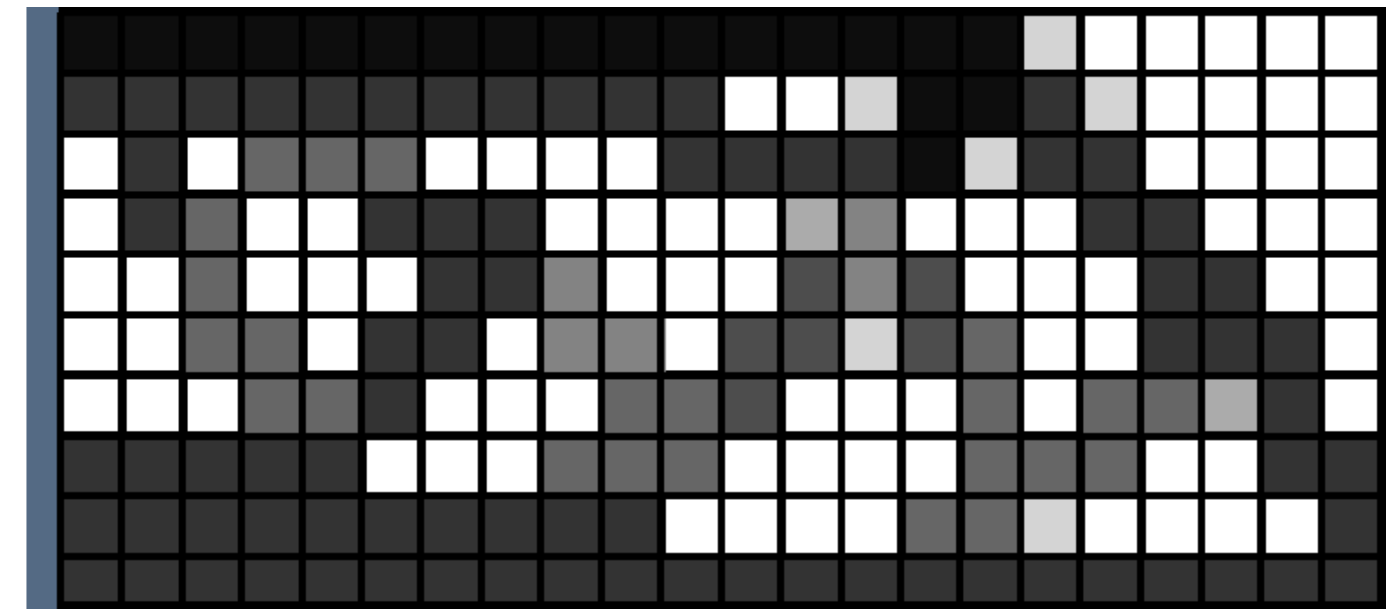
Topology optimization

Direct-Search methods



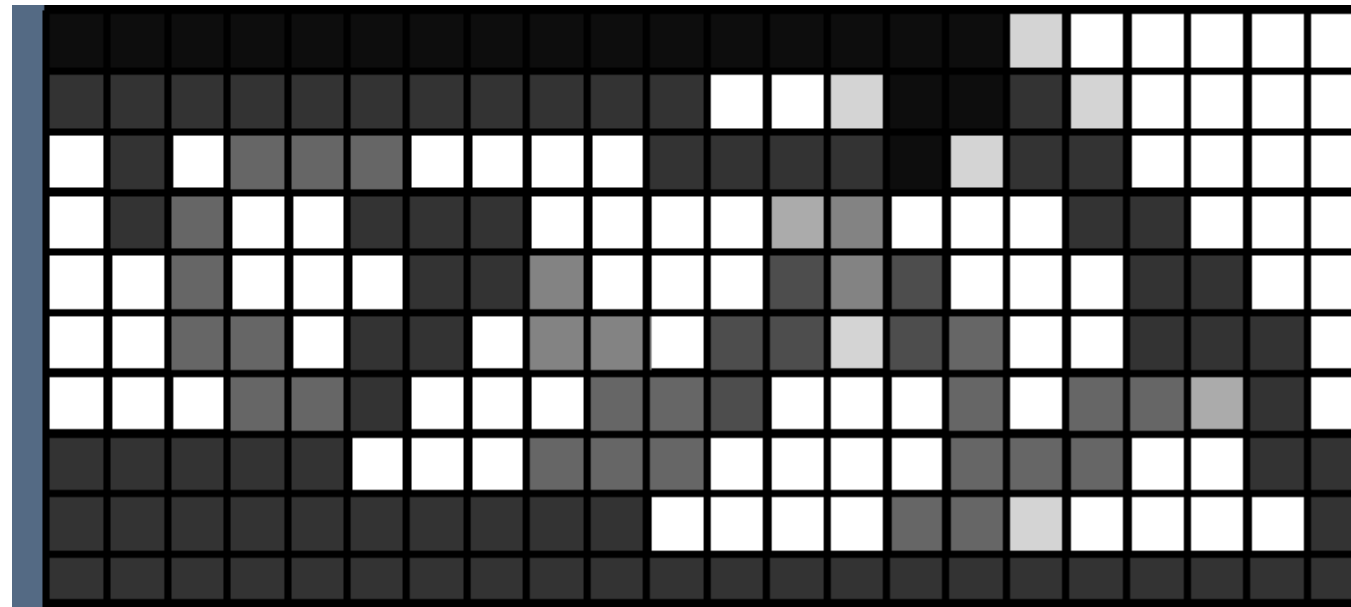
- Evolutionary Algorithms
- Moving Morphable Components (MMC)
- Bi - Directional Evolutionary Structural Optimization ((B)ESO)

Gradient - Based Methods



- SIMP (Solid Isotropic Material Penalization)
- Level Set Method (LSM)
- Homogenization Method

Topology optimization



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Maximize: } & c(\rho_e) = \{F\}^T \{u\} \\ \text{Subject to: } & \left[\sum_{e=1}^N \rho_e^p K_e \right] \{u\} = \{F\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\sum_{e=1}^N v_e \rho_e \leq \bar{V}_s$$

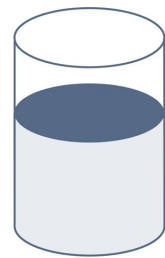
$$0 < \rho_{min} \leq \rho_e \leq 1: e = 1, 2, \dots, N$$

$$p = 1, 2, \dots, p_{max}: p_{max} > 3$$

Topology Optimization

Volume

Minimize the sum of all densities



$$\min_x : V(x) = \sum_N x_e v_e$$

$$\text{Subject to : } KU = F$$

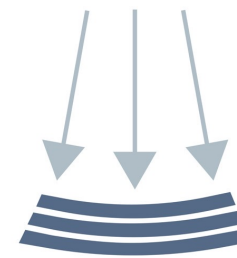
$$: \frac{c}{c_L} \leq 1$$

$$: x_e^{(p-q)} \frac{\sigma_e}{\sigma_{Lt}} \leq 1, \quad e = 1, \dots, N$$

$$: 0 < x_{min} \leq x \leq 1$$

Compliance

Minimize the sum of all deformations



$$\min_x : c(x) = U^T K U$$

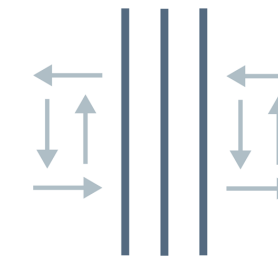
$$\text{subject to : } \frac{V(x)}{V_0} = f$$

$$KU = F$$

$$0 < x_{min} \leq x \leq 1$$

Stress

Minimize the peak stresses



$$\min : G(x)$$

$$\text{subject to : } \int_{\Omega} x d\Omega \leq M_0$$

minimize: $f_0(x)$

$g_i(x) \leq 0, \text{ for } i = 1, 2, \dots, m$

$h_j(x) = 0, \text{ for } j = 1, 2, \dots, p$

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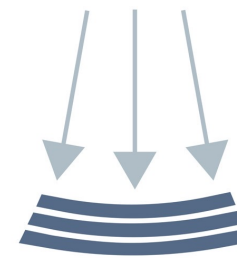
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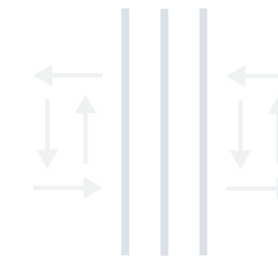
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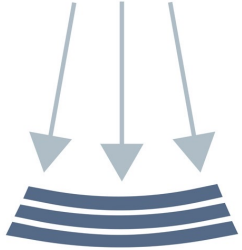
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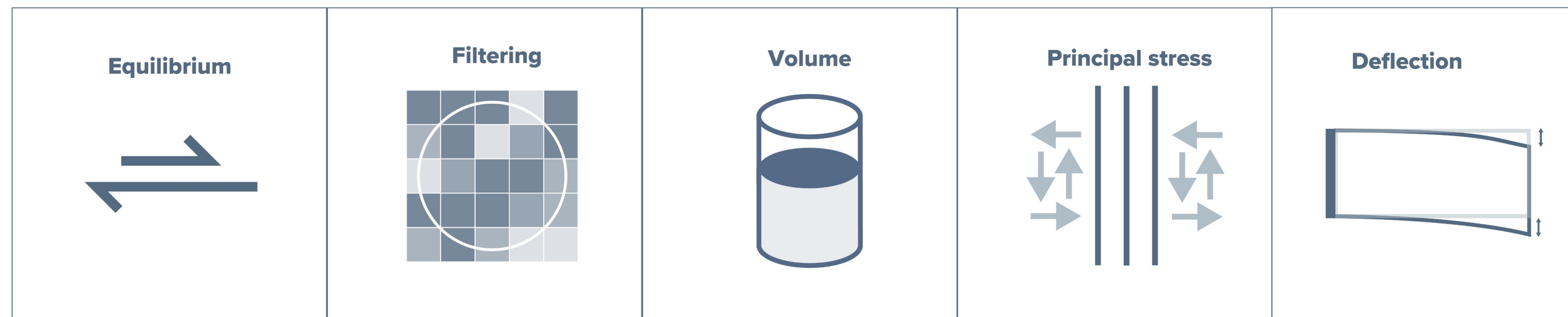
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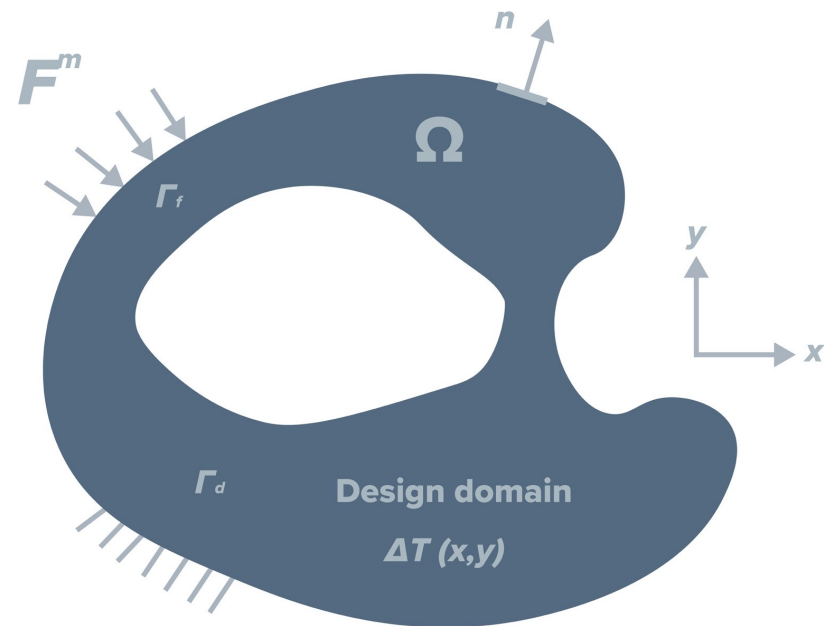
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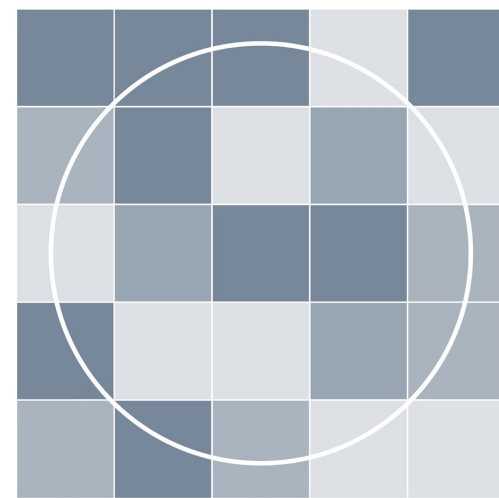
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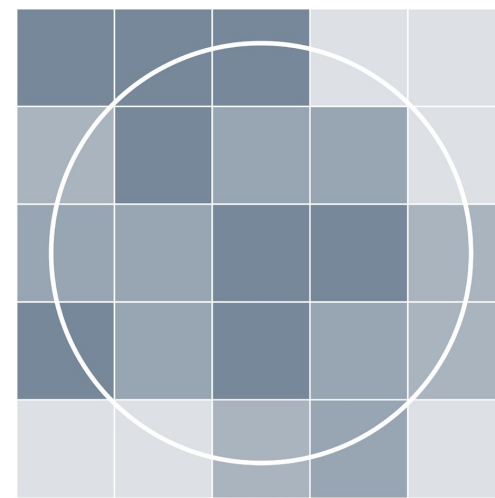
$$\Pi = \frac{1}{2} \int_V \sigma^t \varepsilon dV - \int_V u^T f dV - \int_s u^T T dS - \sum_i u_i^T P_i$$



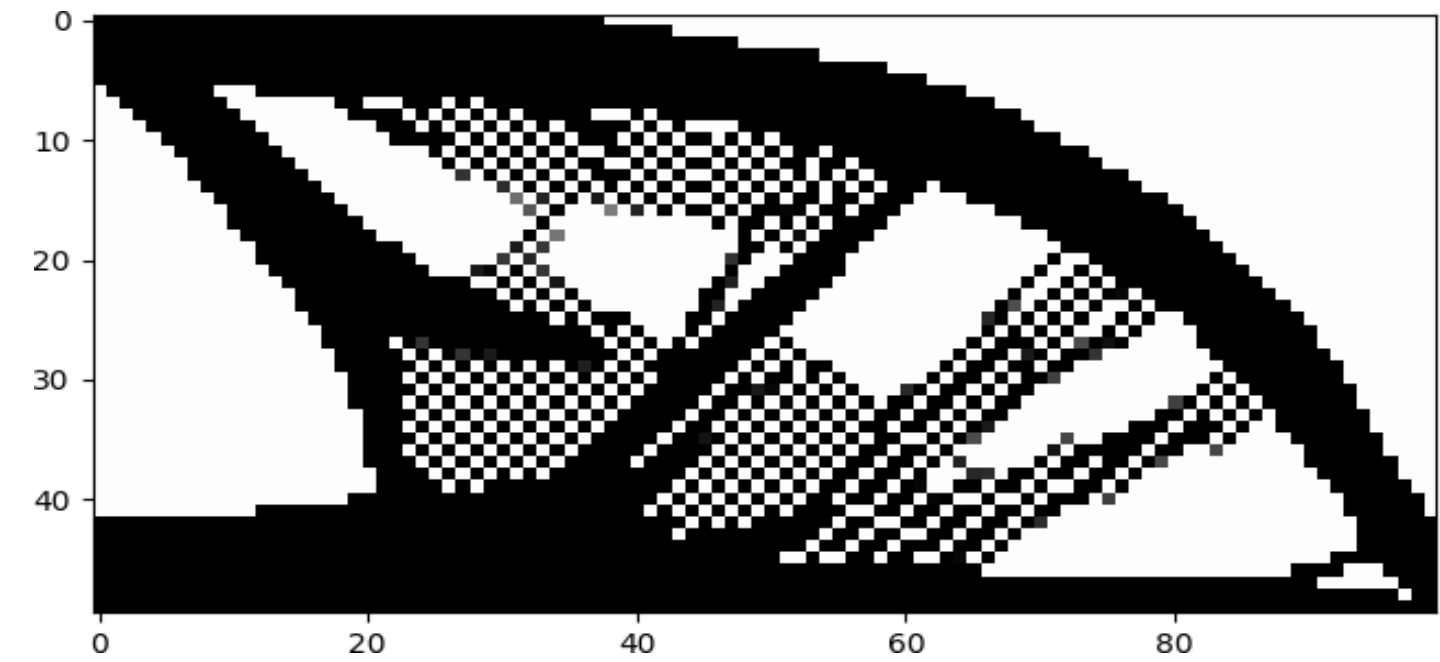
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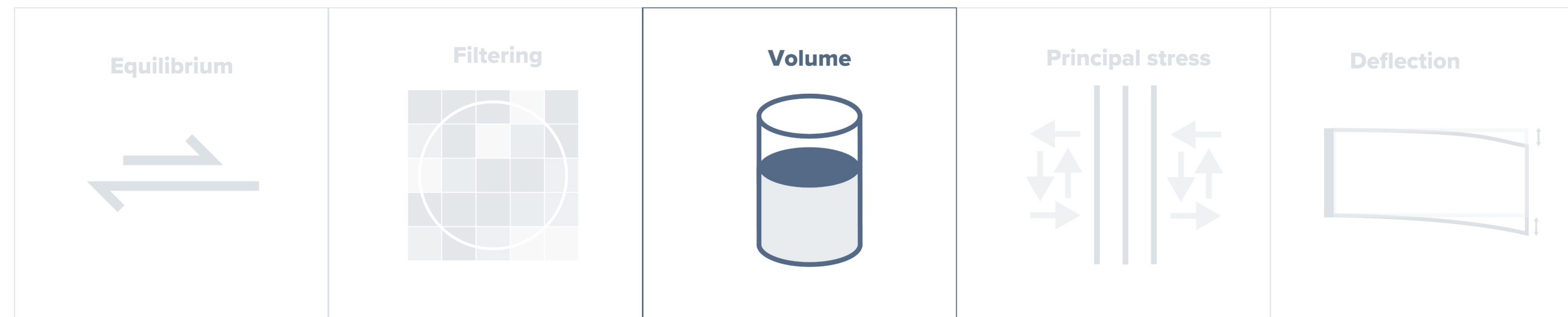
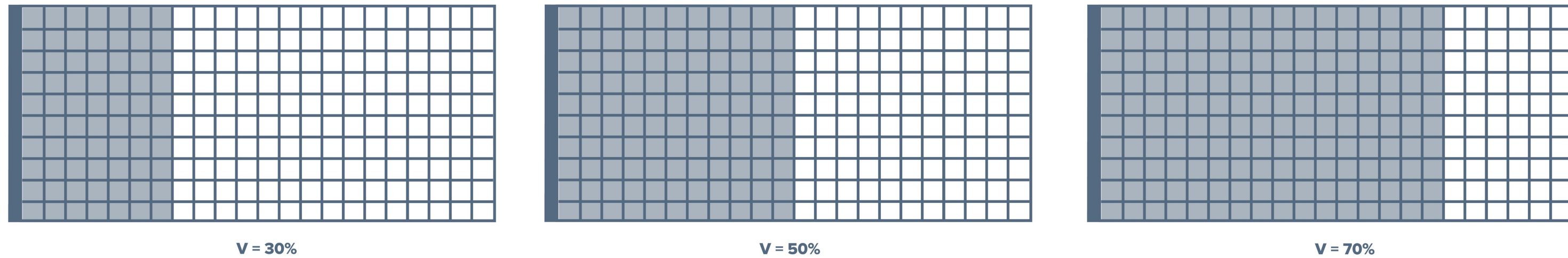
Unfiltered densities



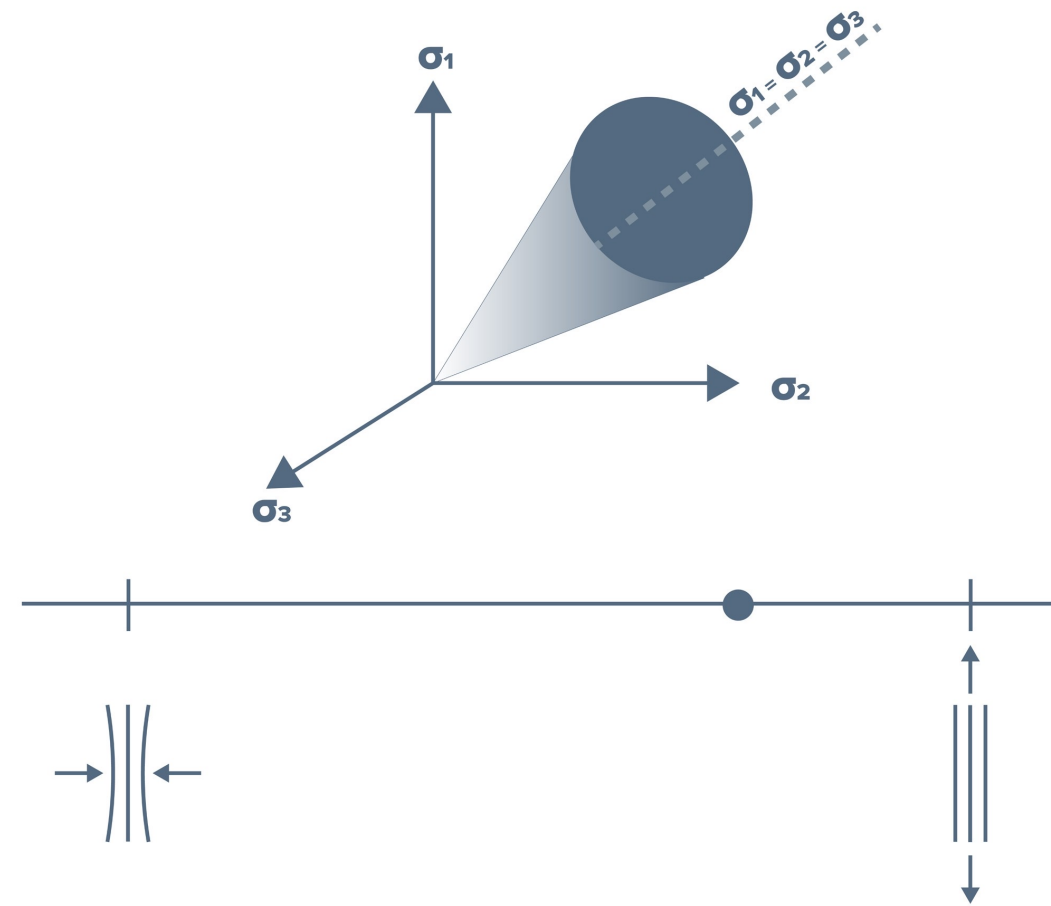
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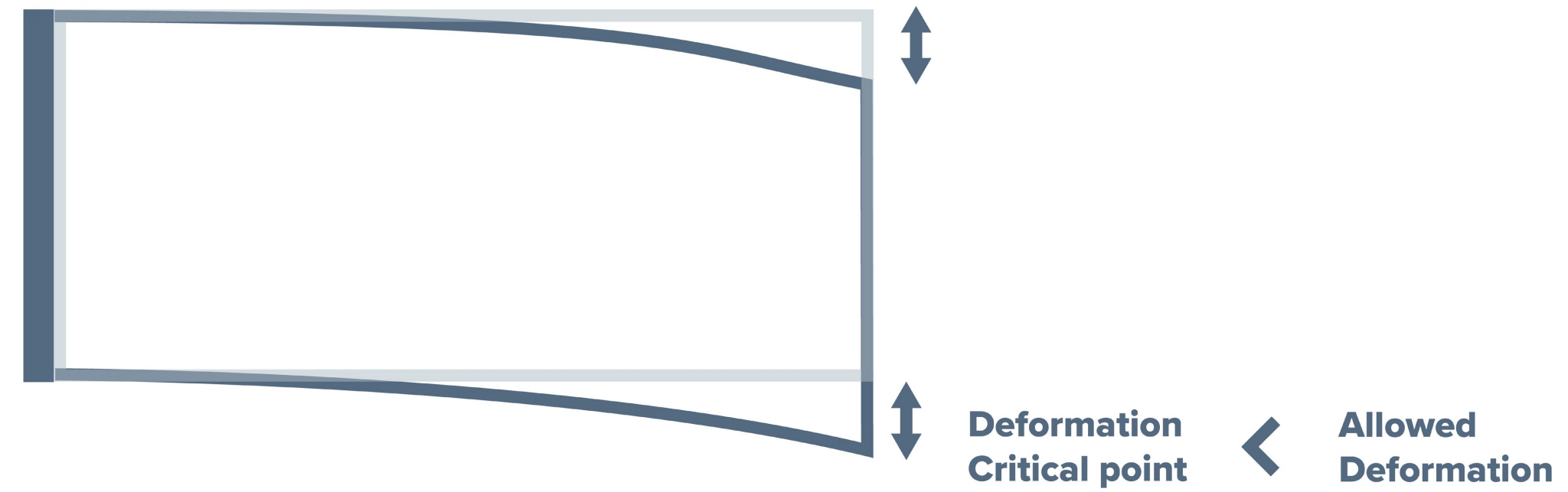
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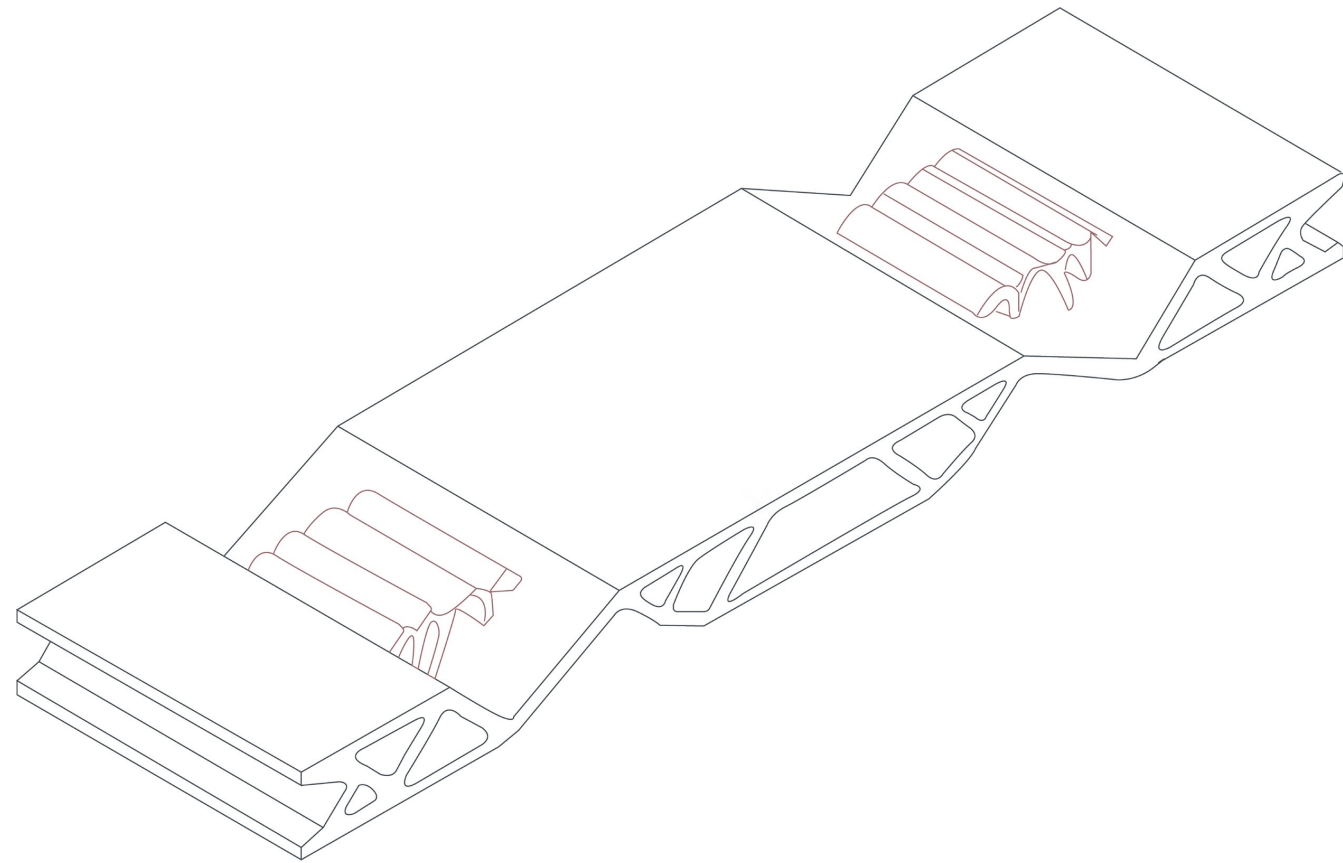
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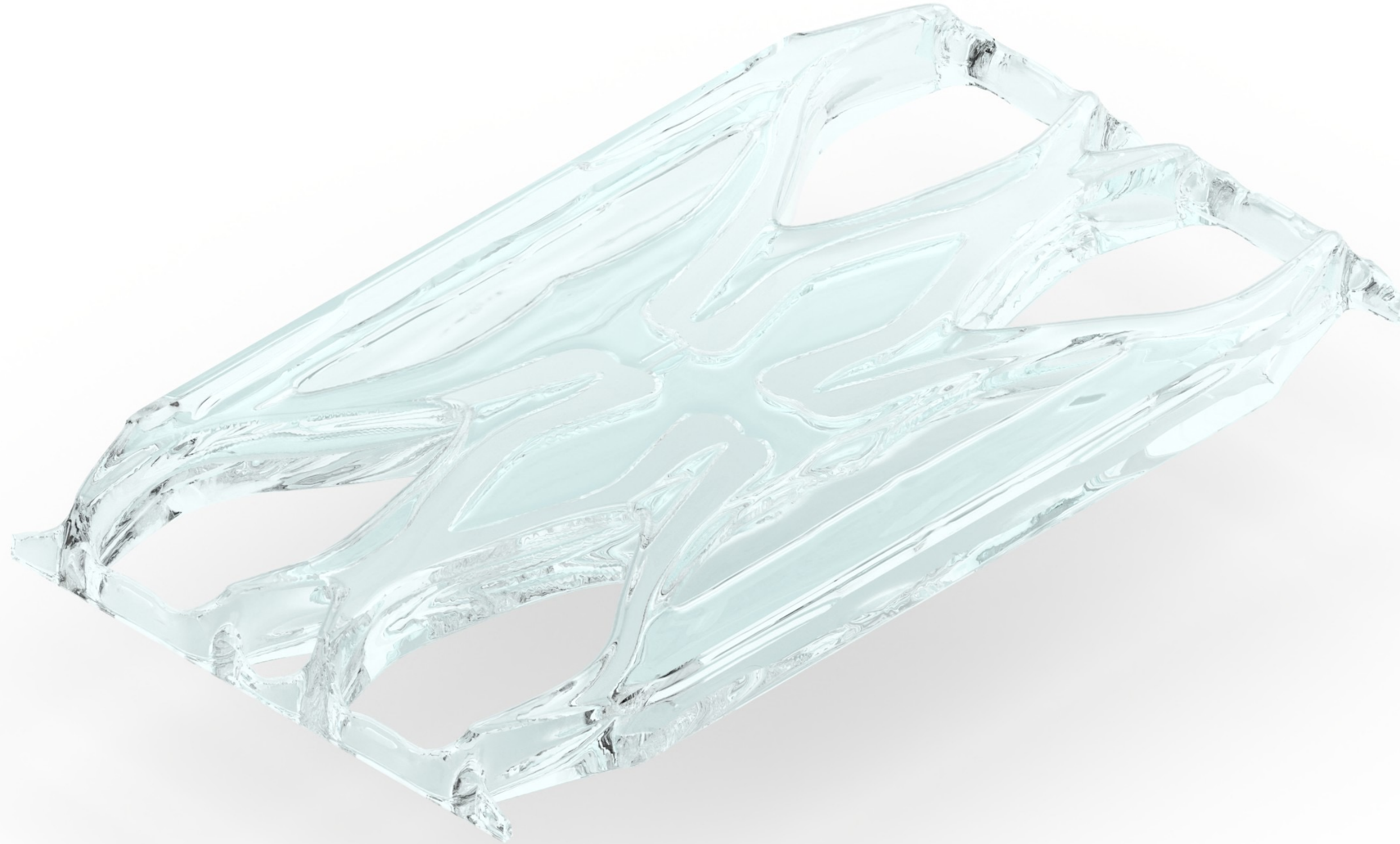


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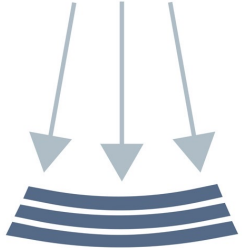


Research question

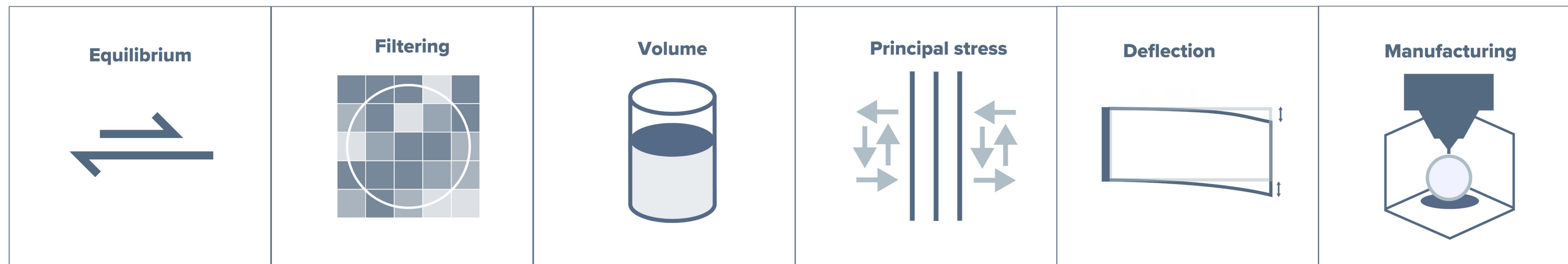
How can the **manufacturing** process be **tailored** to fabricate a **topology-optimized 3D printed monolithic glass structure** while ensuring **effective production** constraints?

Topology Optimization

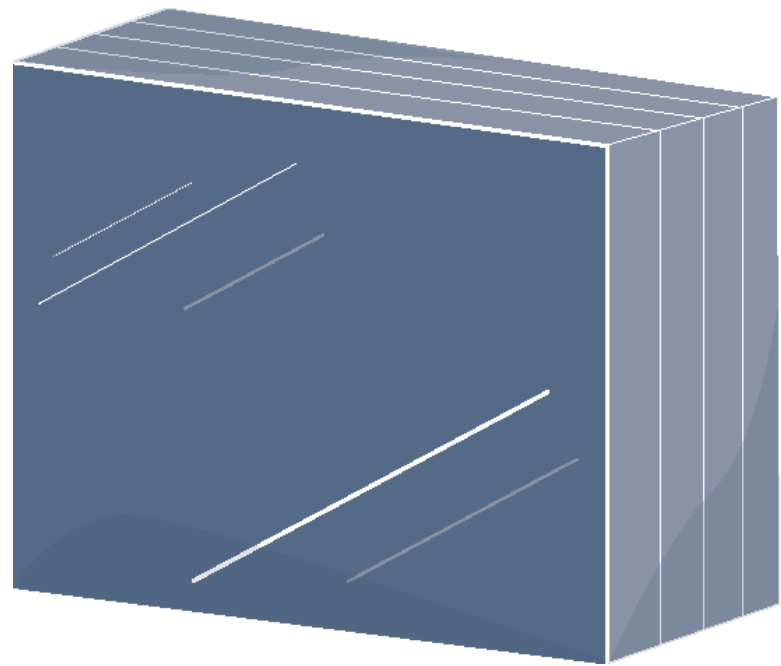
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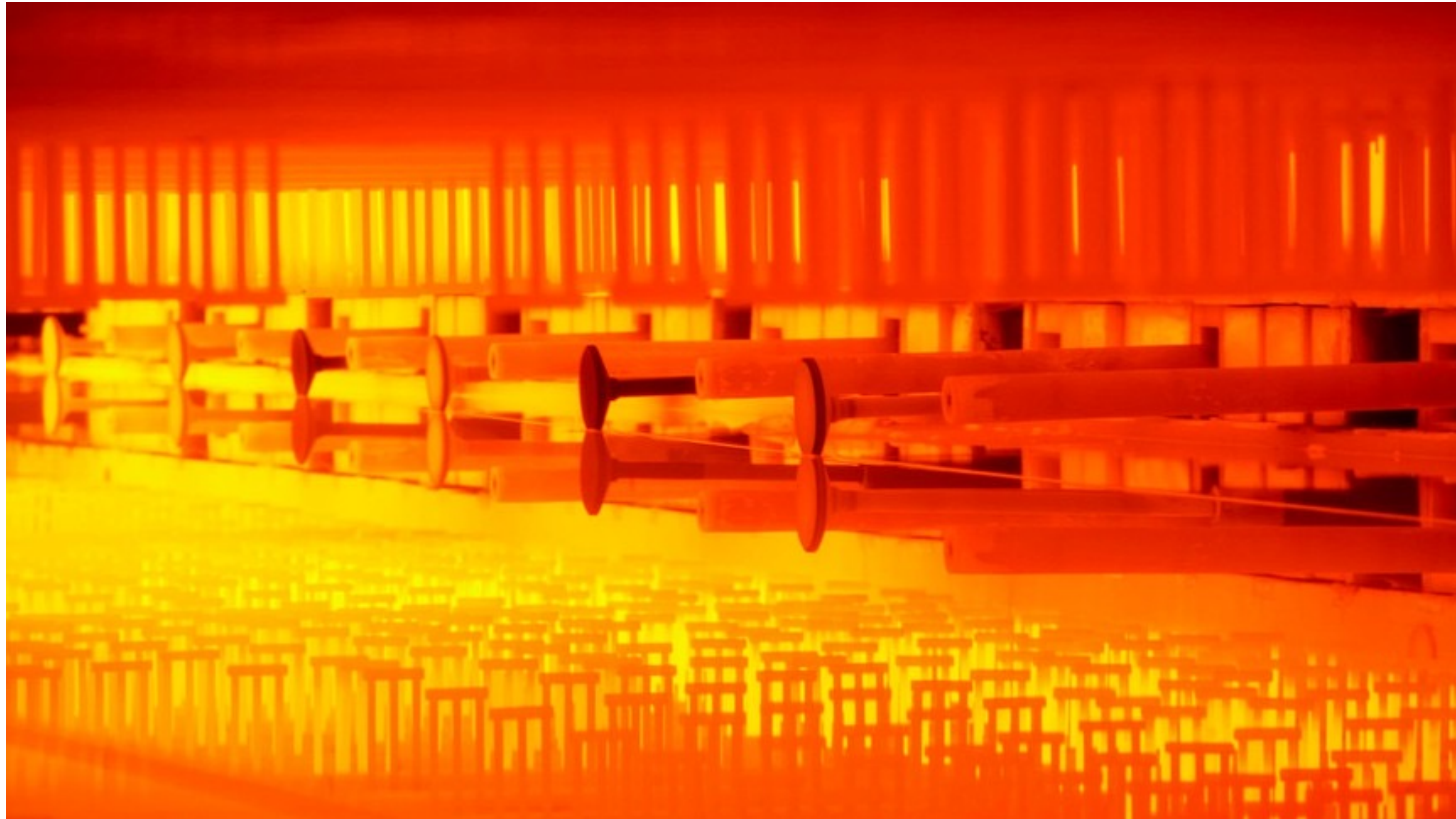
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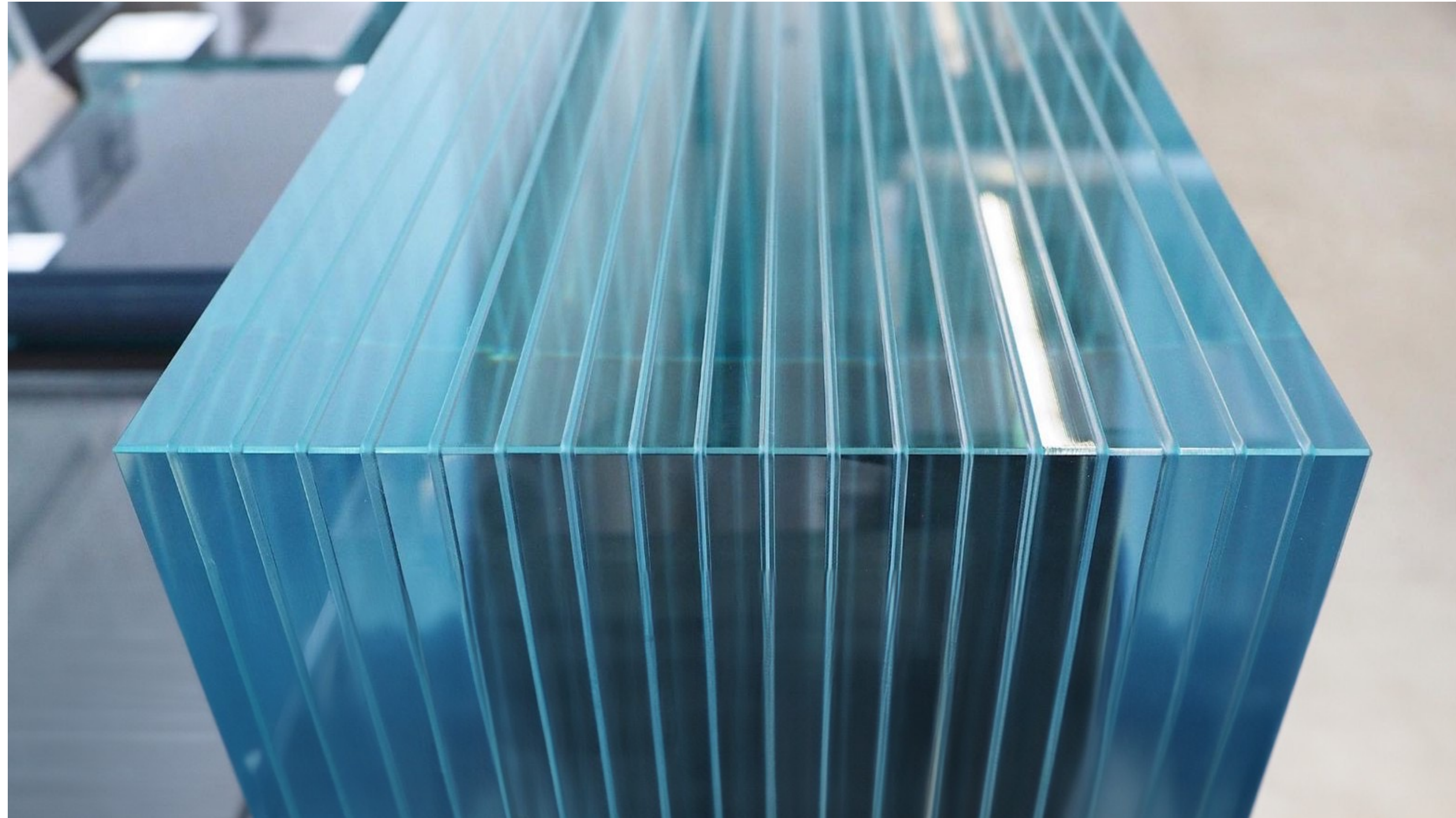


Manufacturing



Melting furnace of the float glass process, Pilkington

Manufacturing



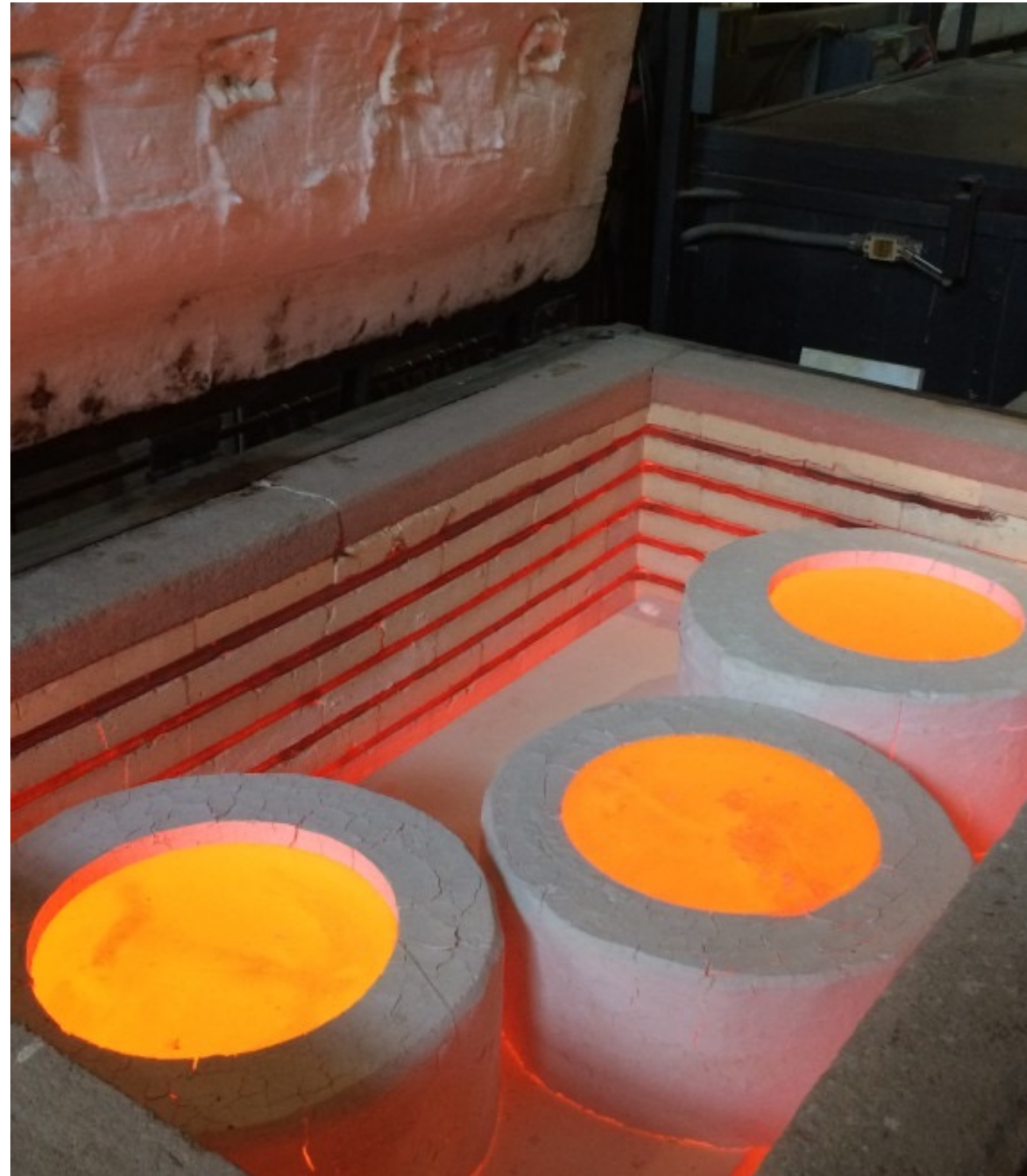
Sedak, 19 layer connection of float glass

Manufacturing



Broken glass statue, made with special lamination

Manufacturing



Hot forming and Kiln Castin

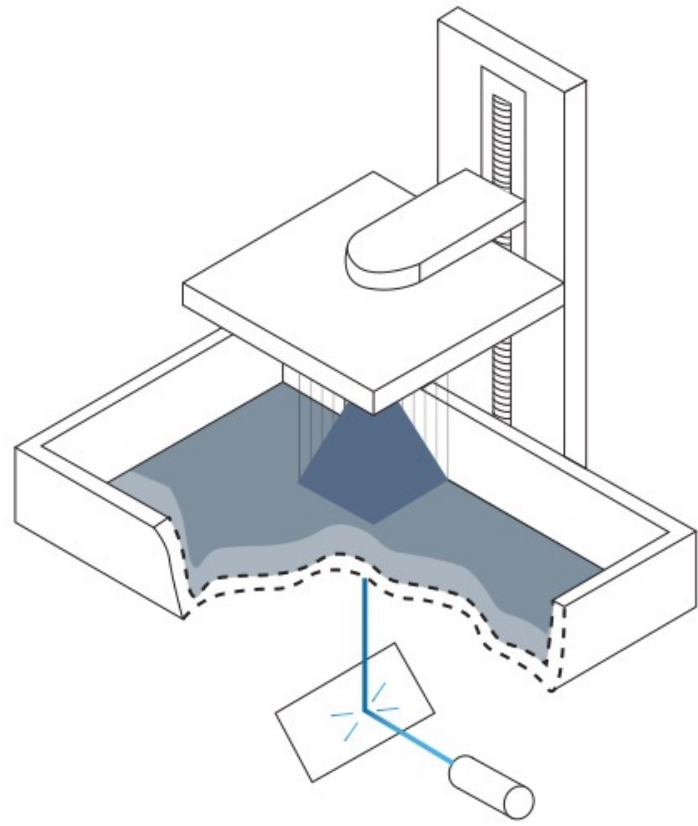
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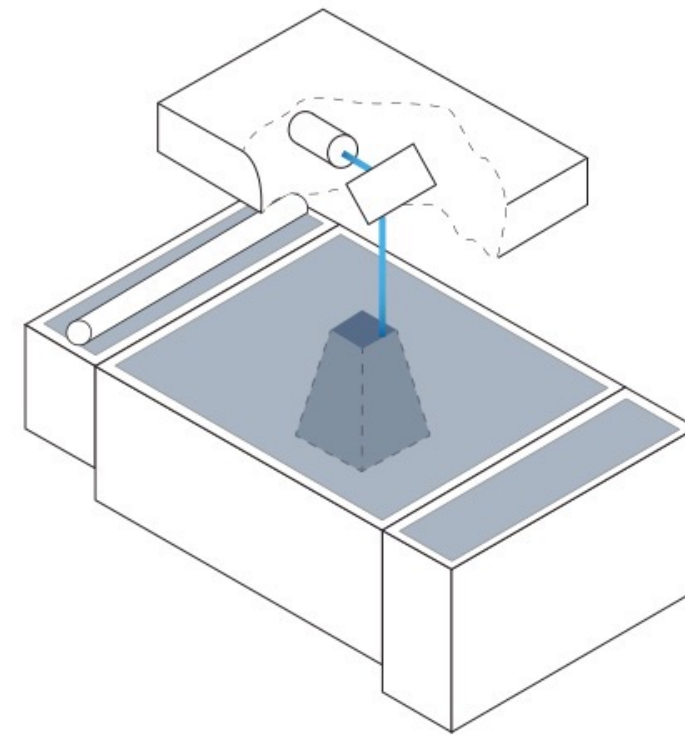
Giesecke and Dillenburger (2022b)
& Ioannidis (2023)

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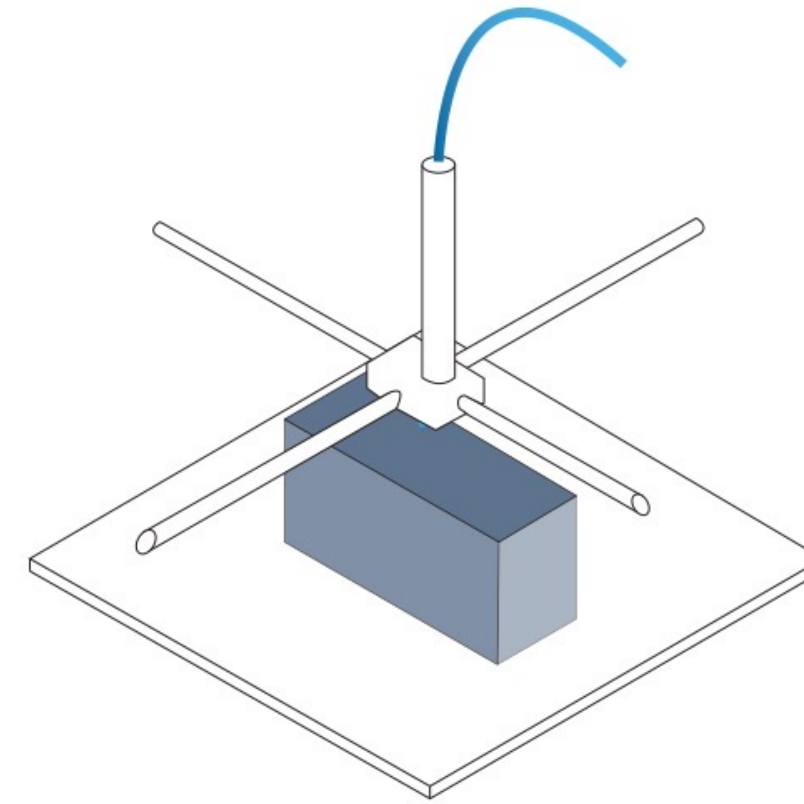
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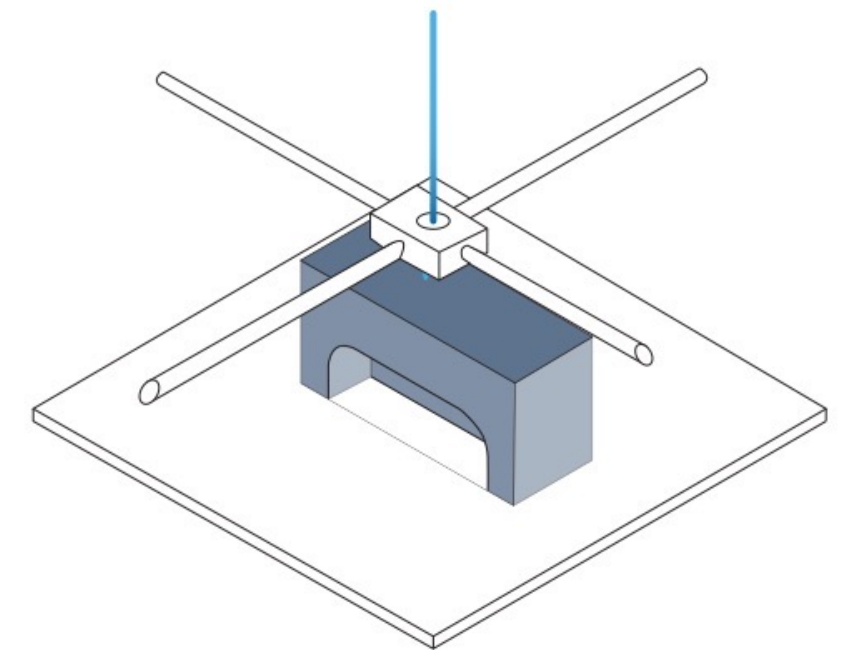
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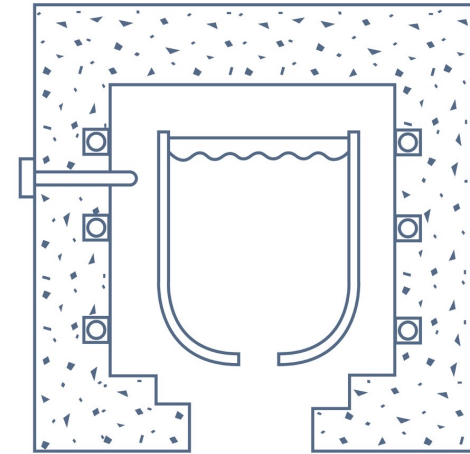
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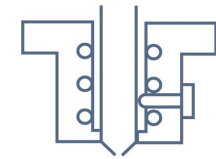
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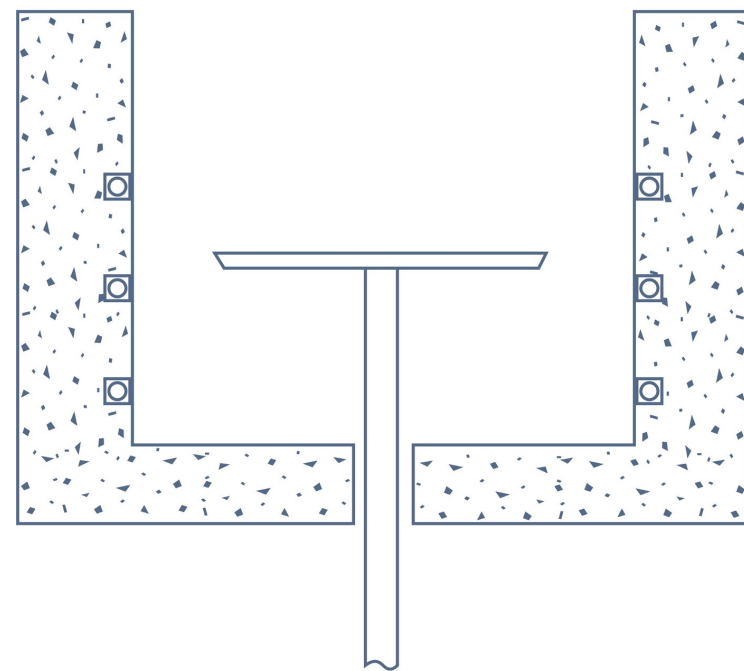
Manufacturing



Glass resevoir



Nozzle



Annealing - xyz control plate

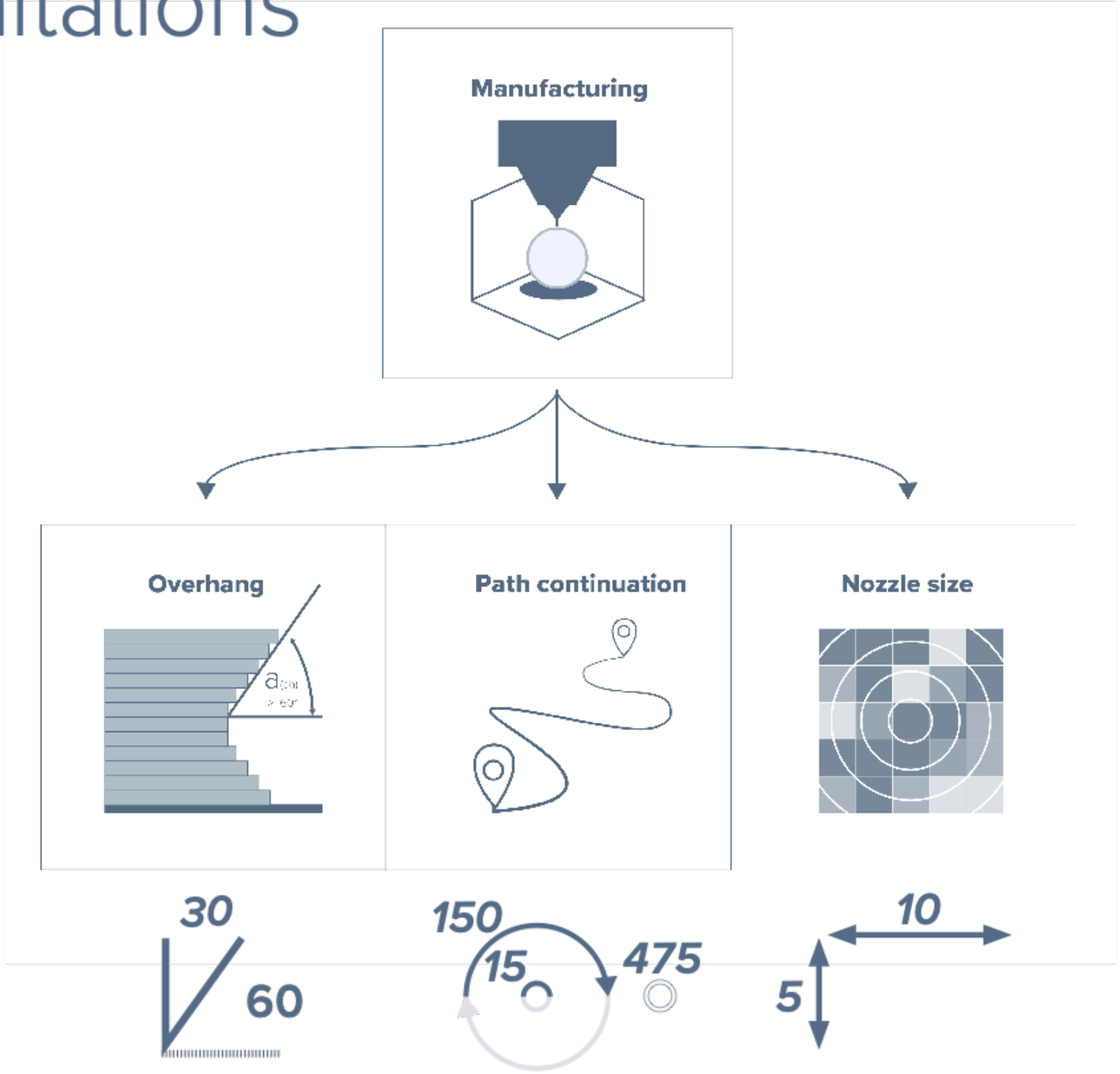
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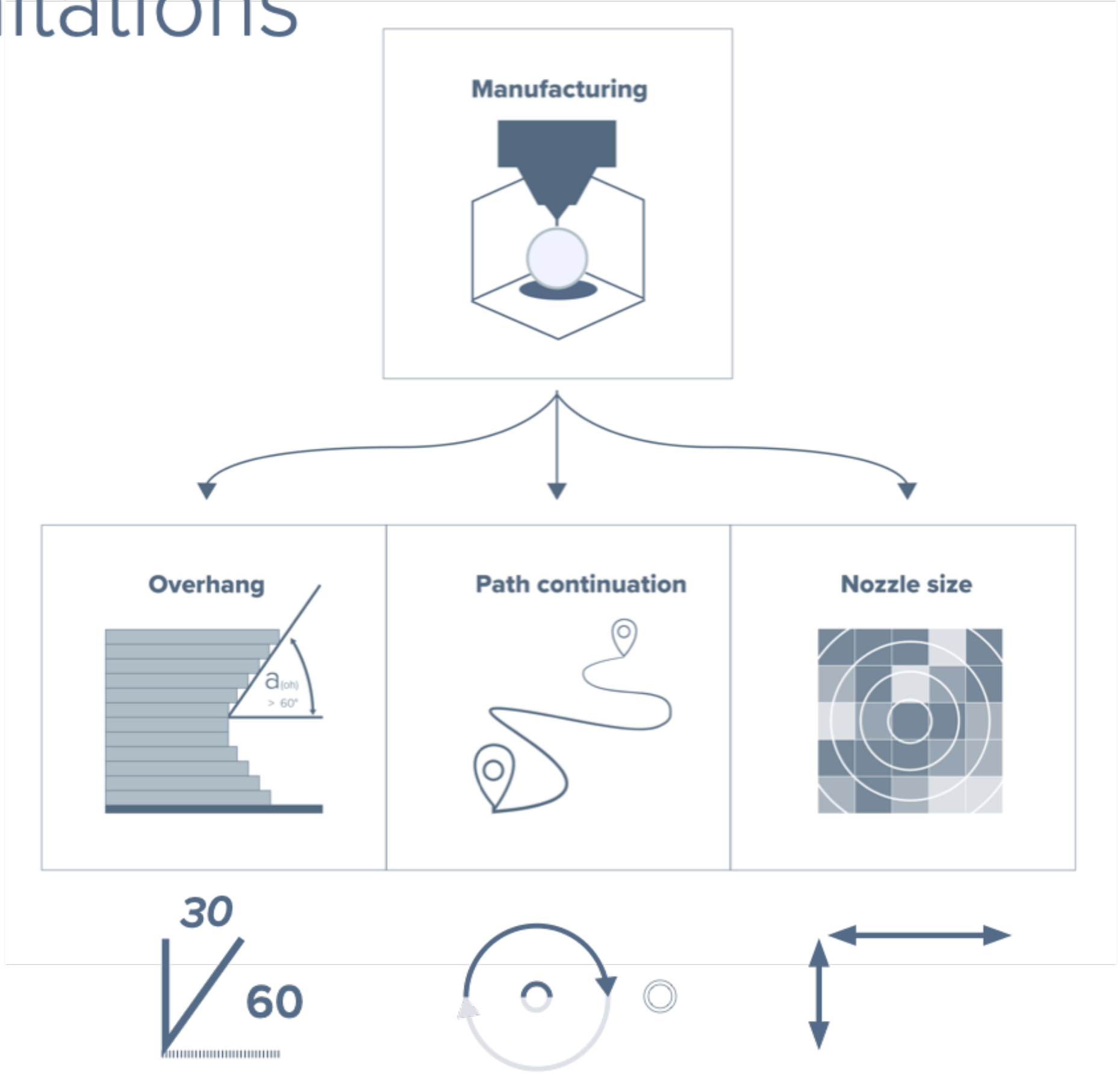


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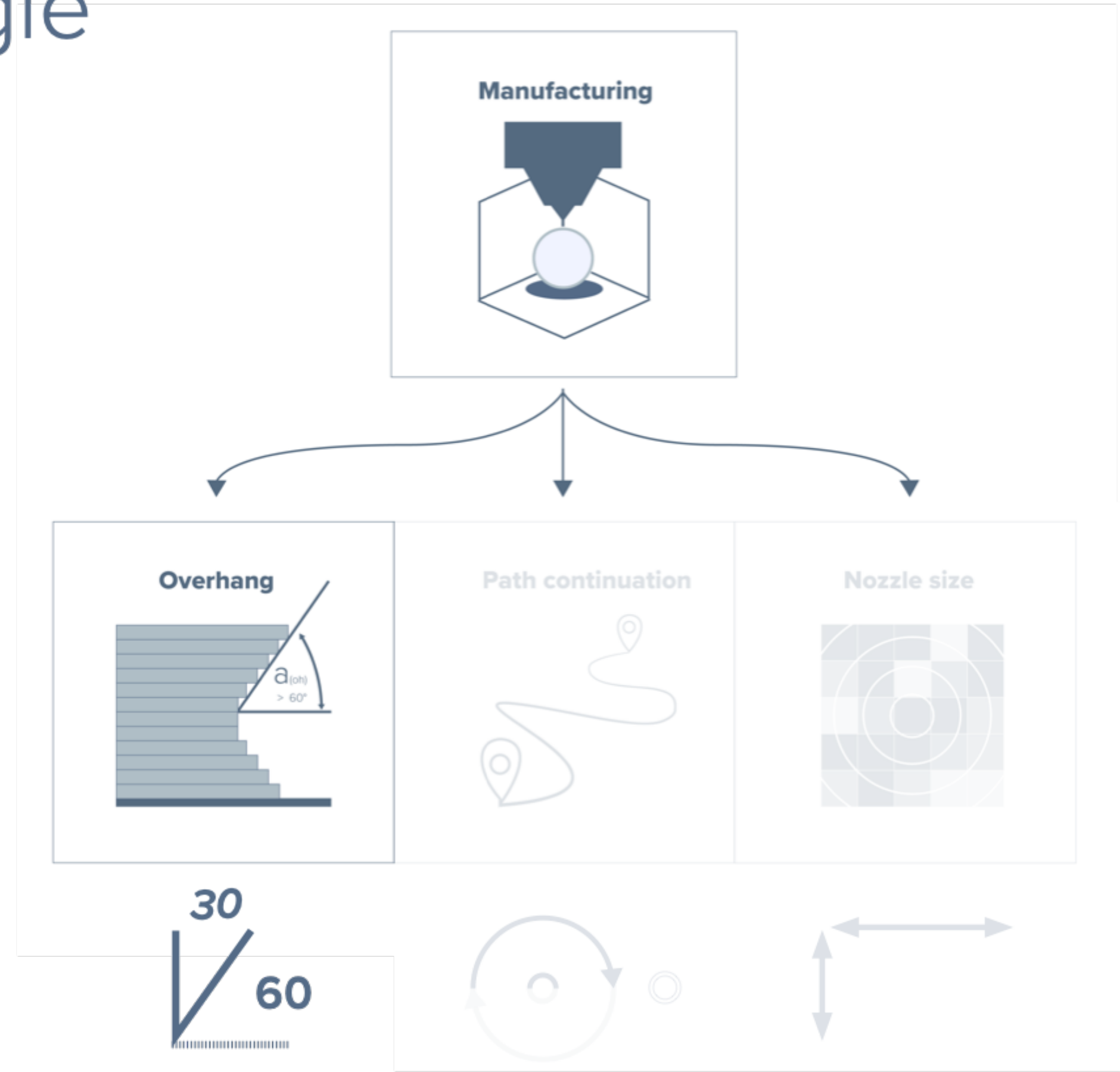
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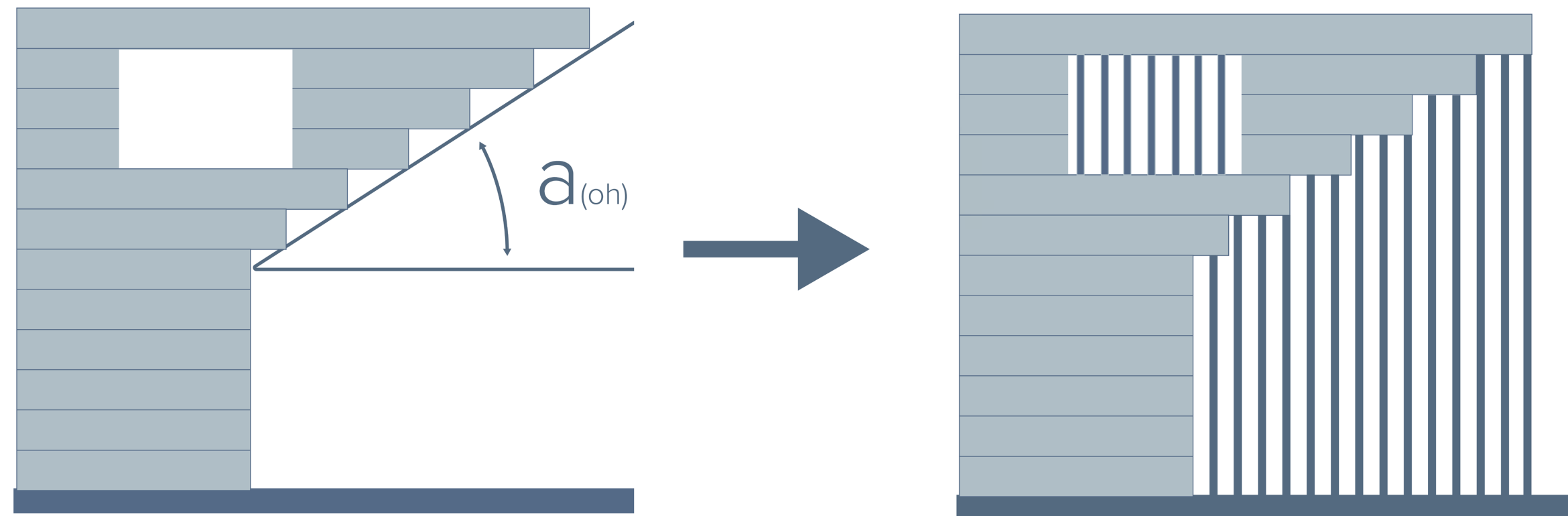
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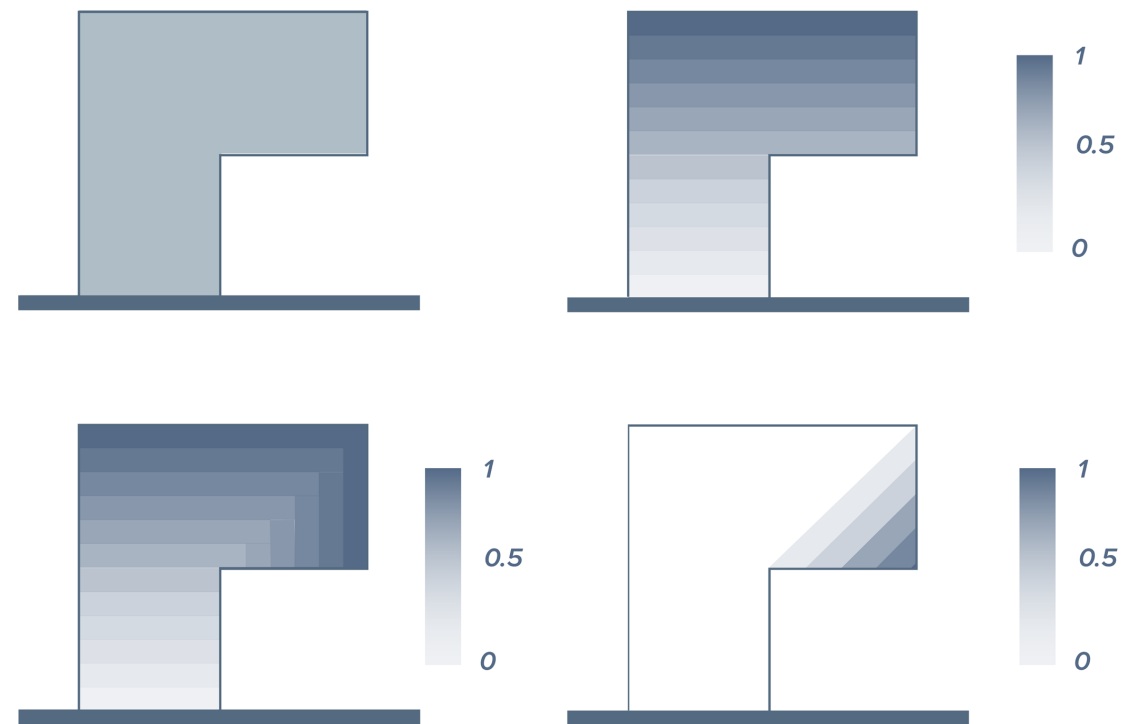


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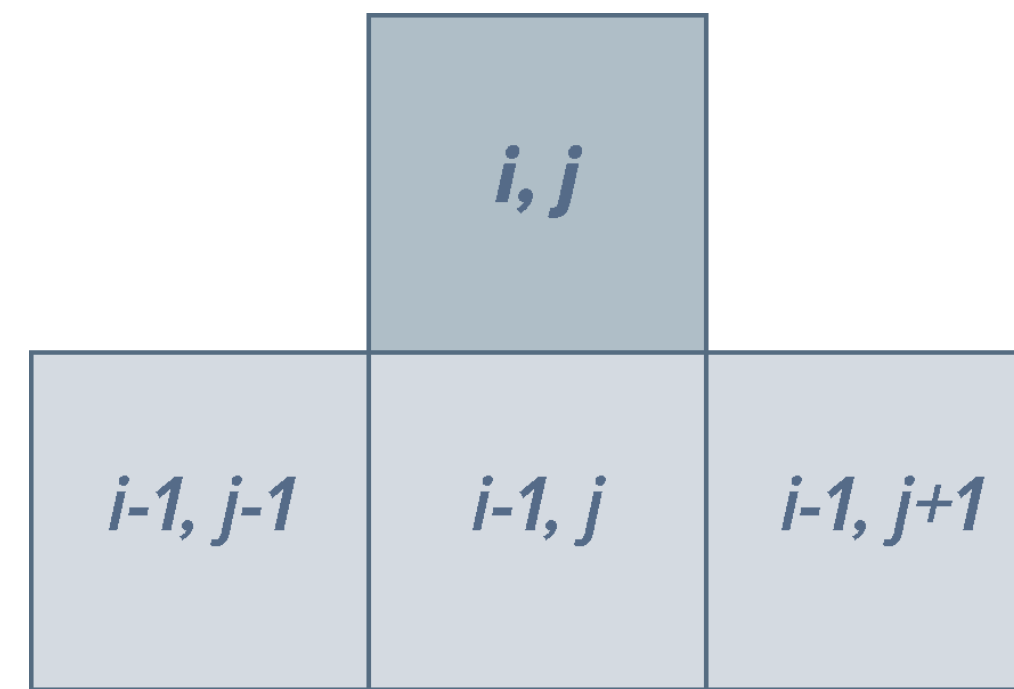


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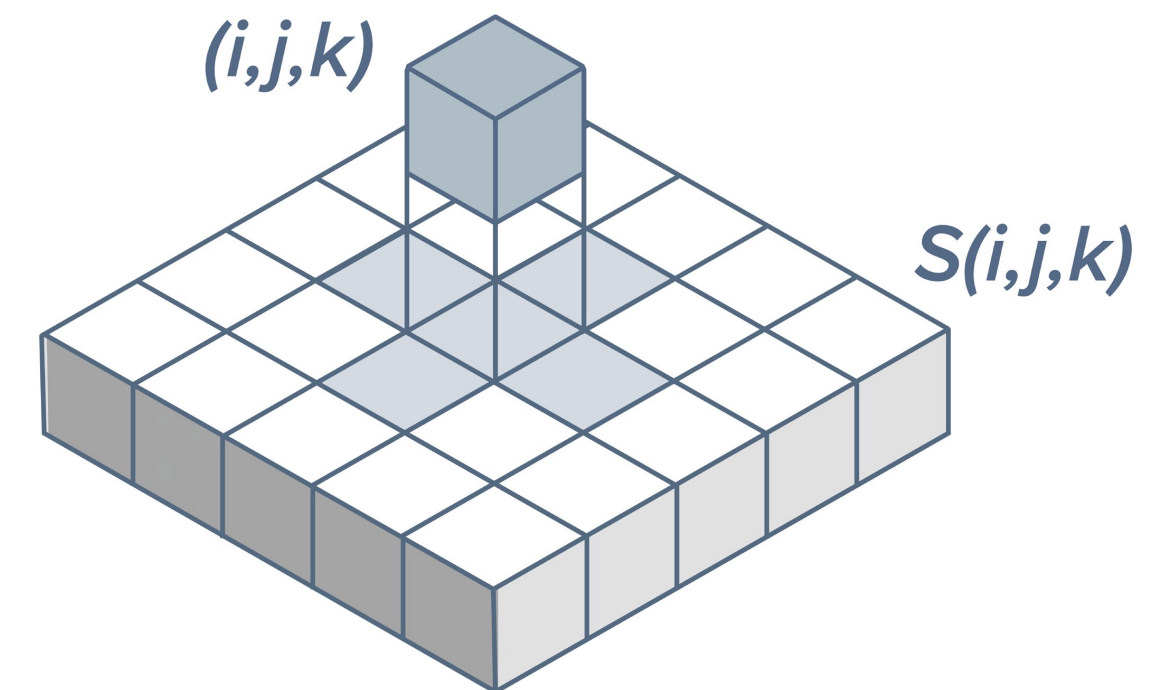
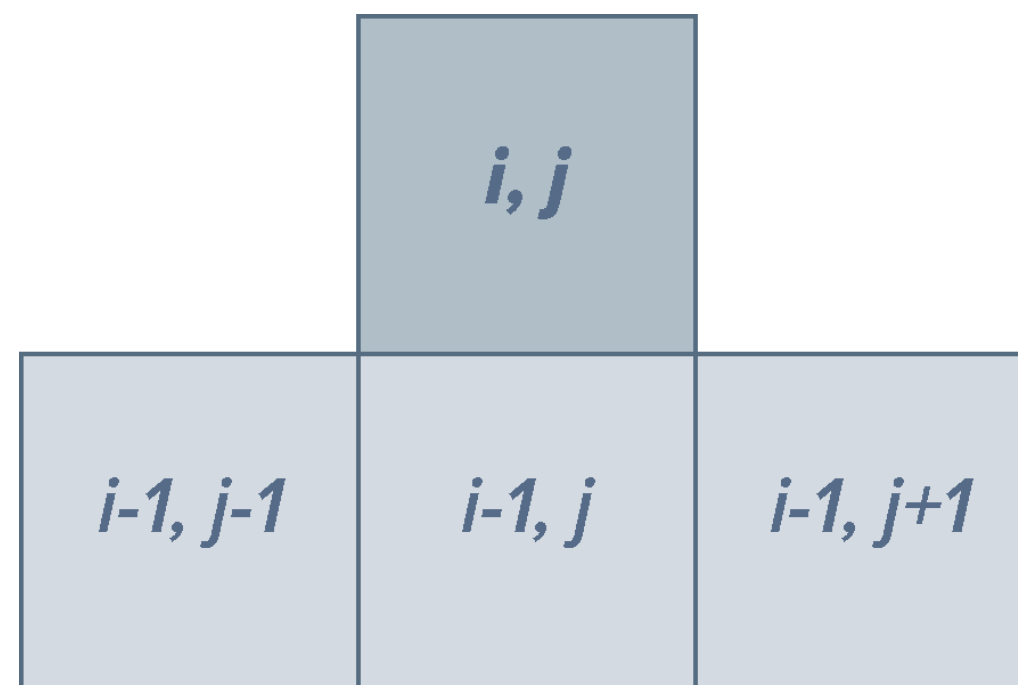
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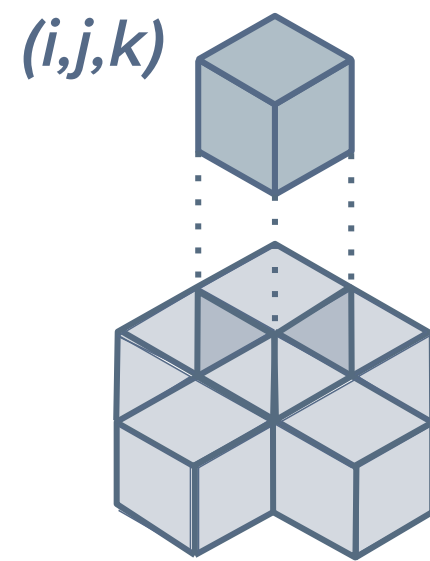
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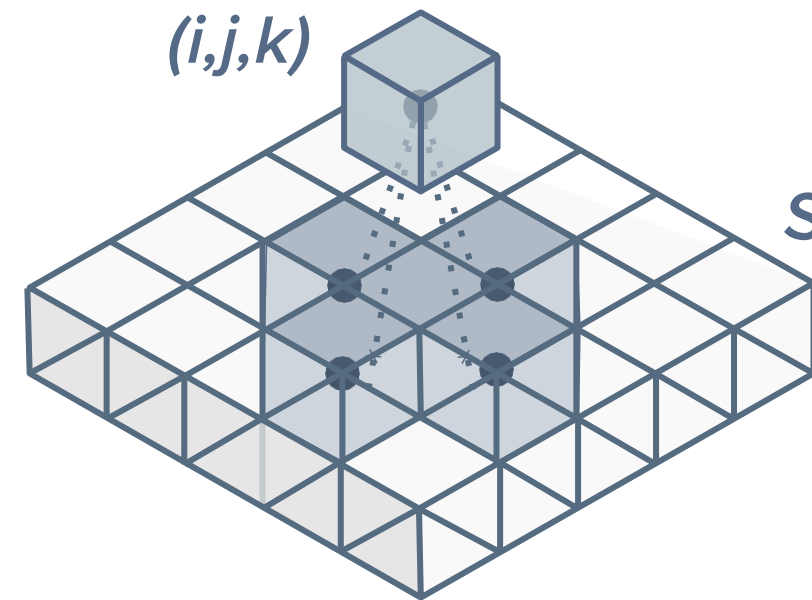


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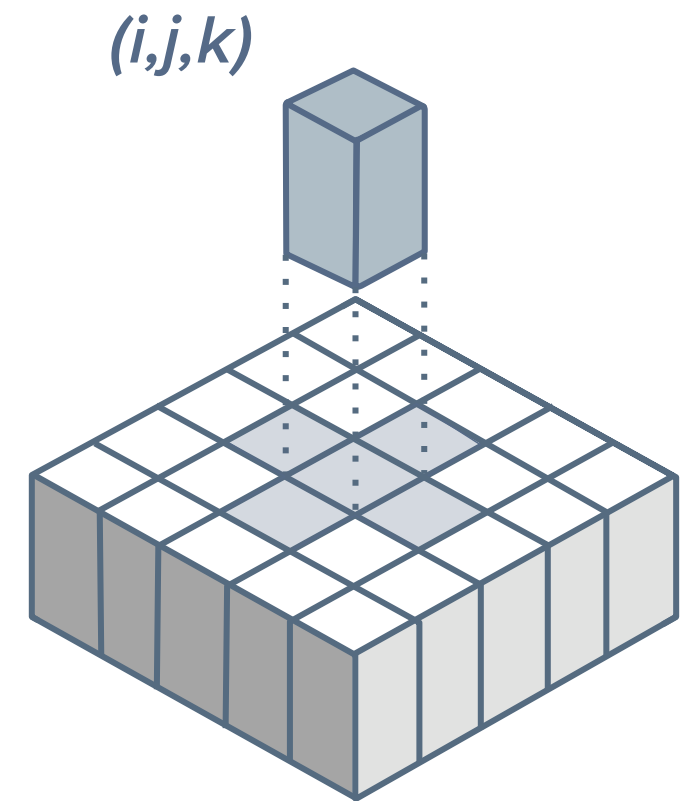
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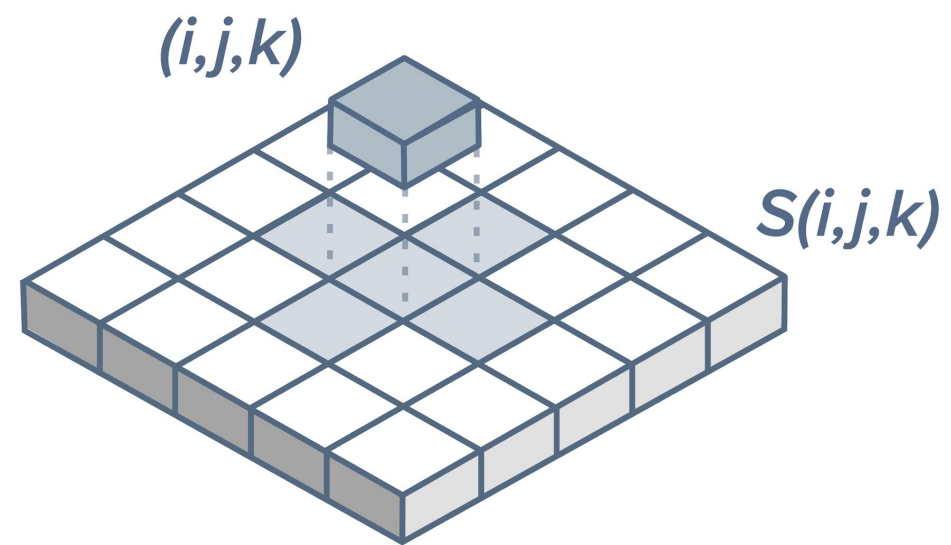
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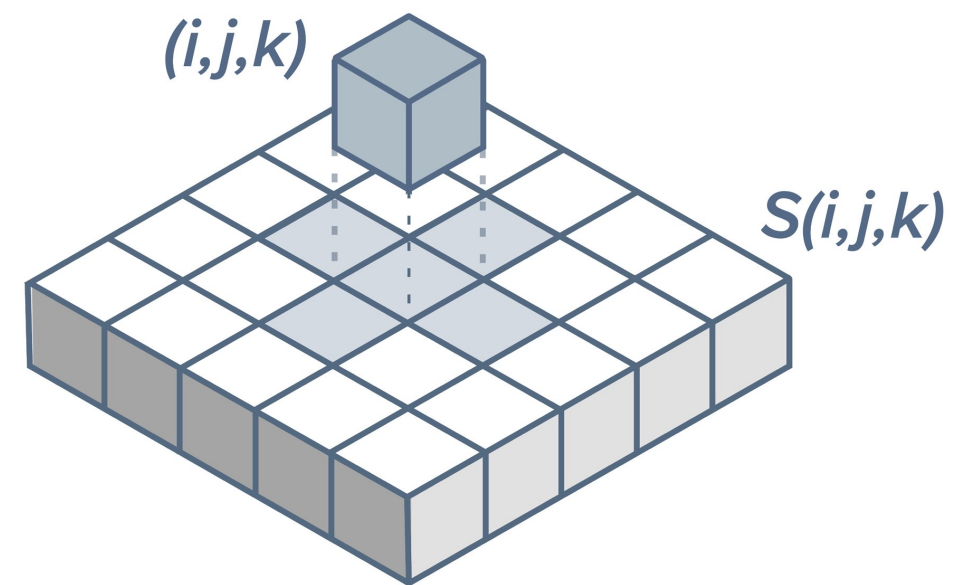
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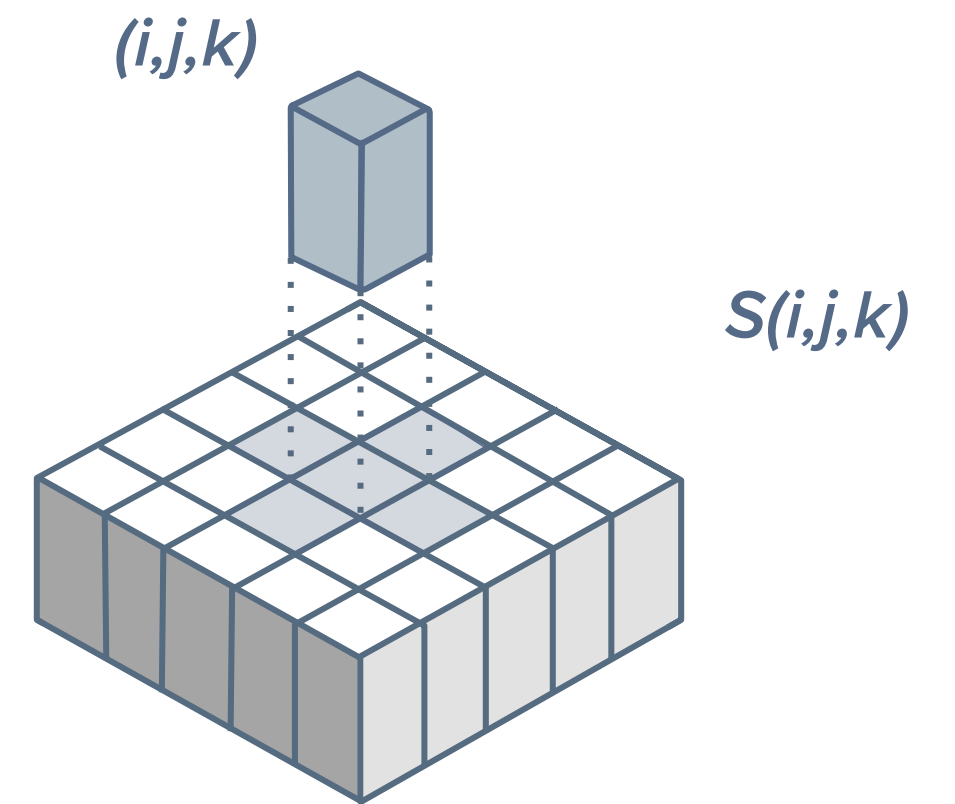
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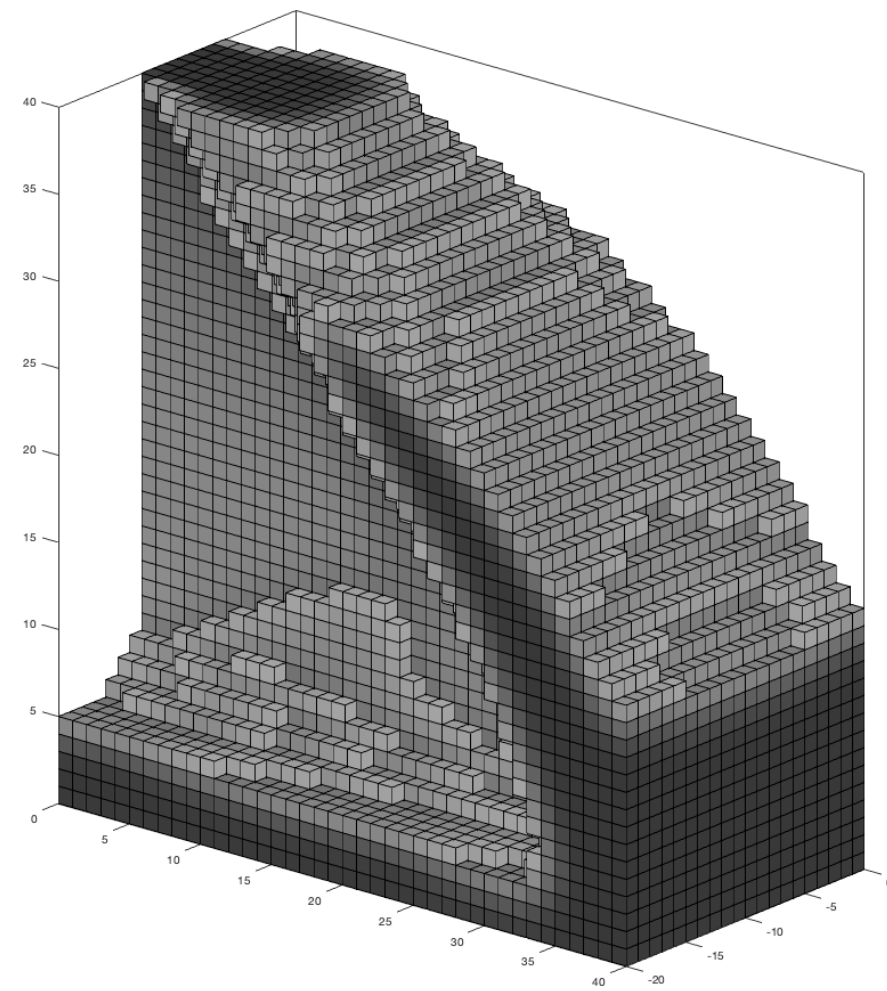
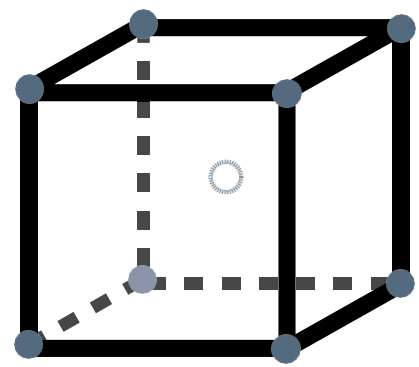


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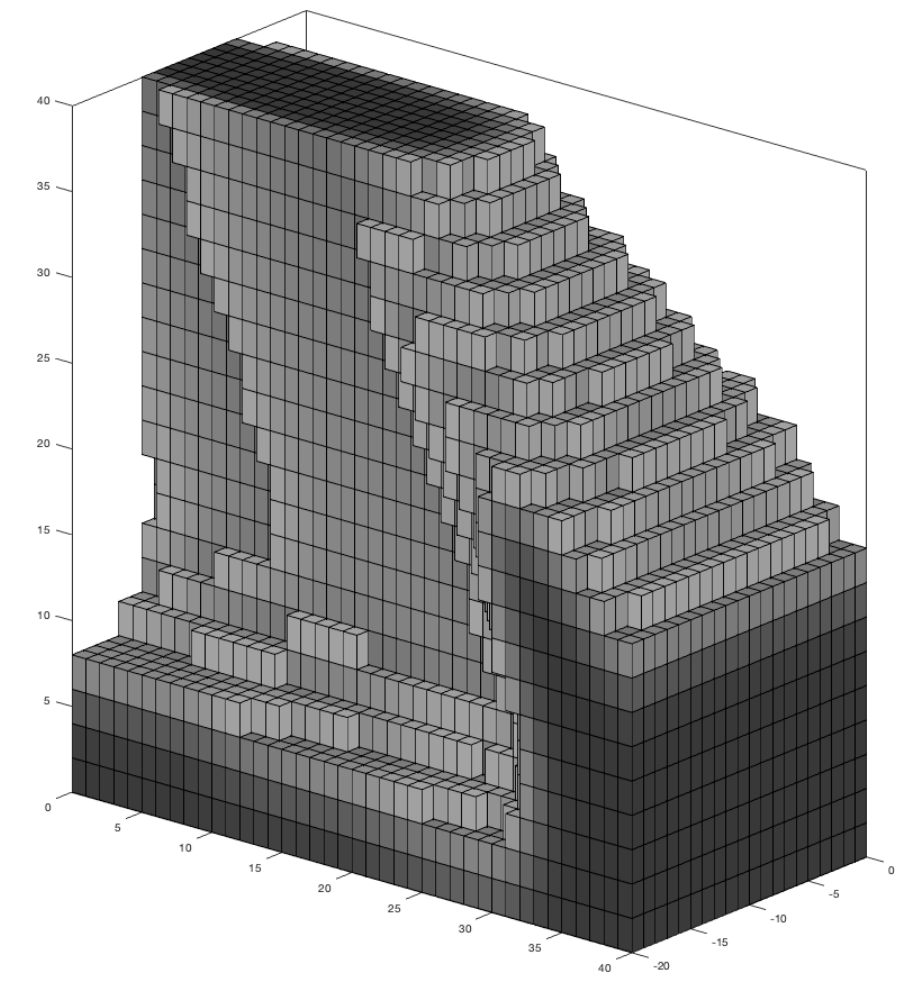
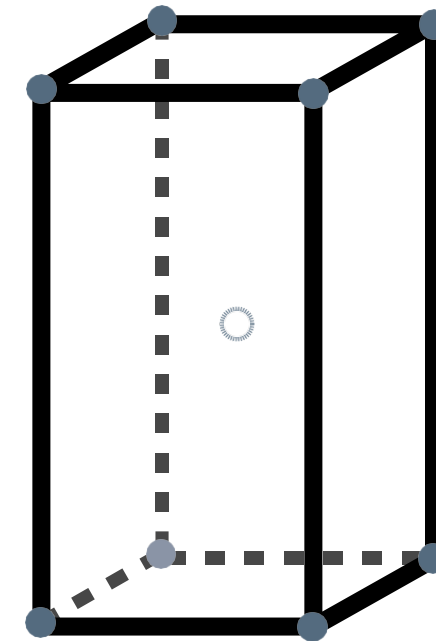


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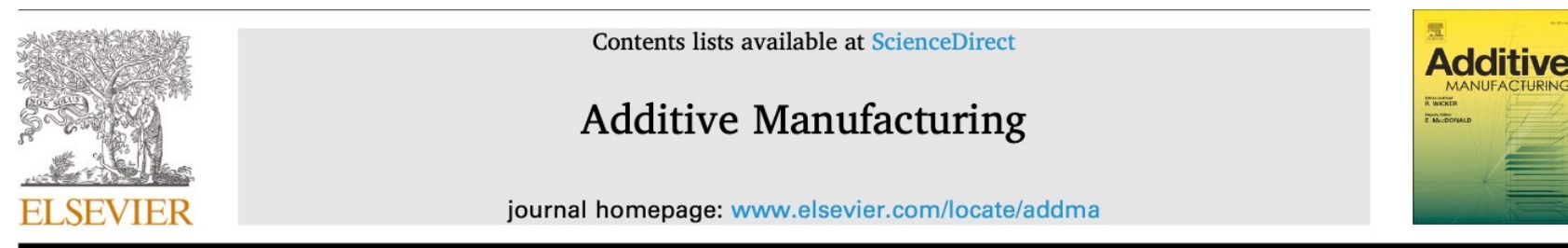


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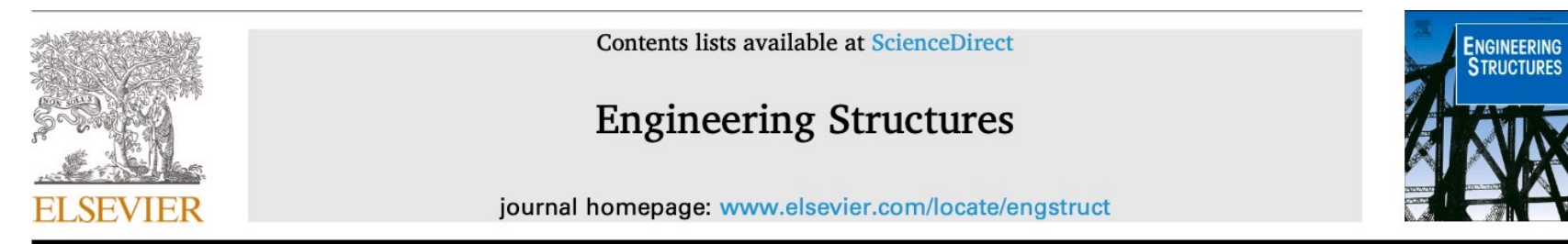


Topology optimization for 3D concrete printing with various manufacturing constraints

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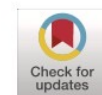


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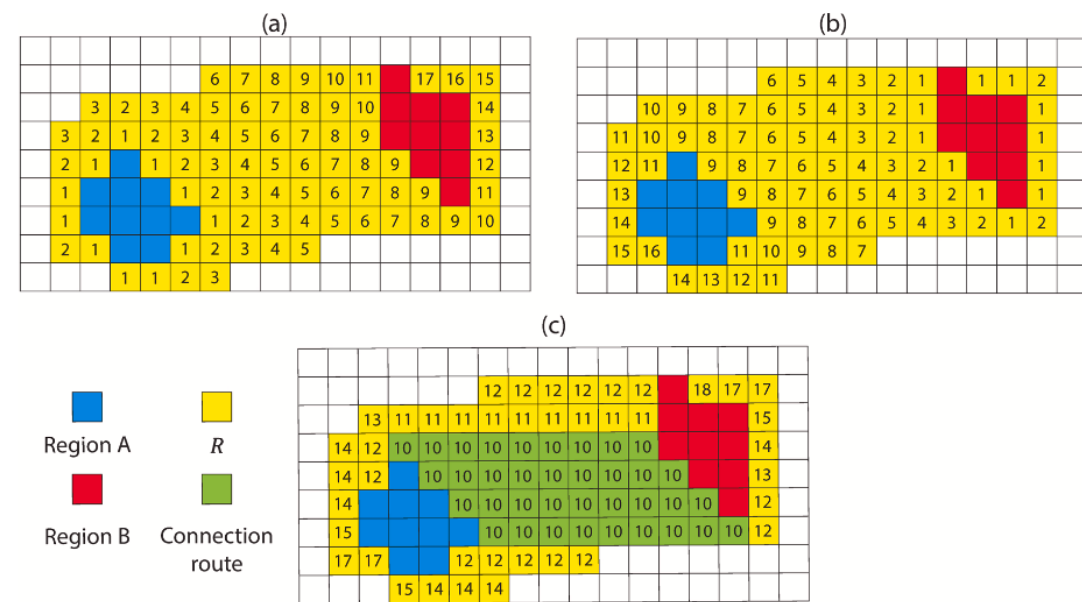
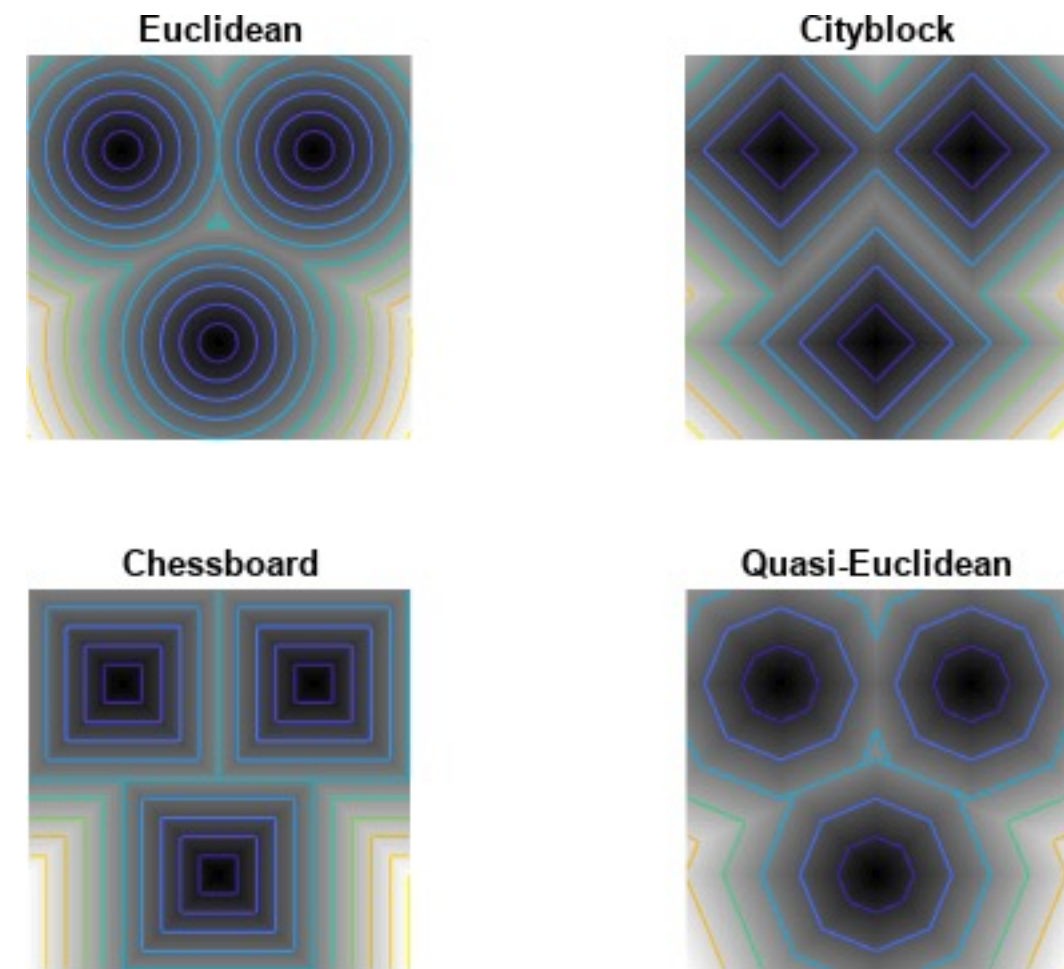
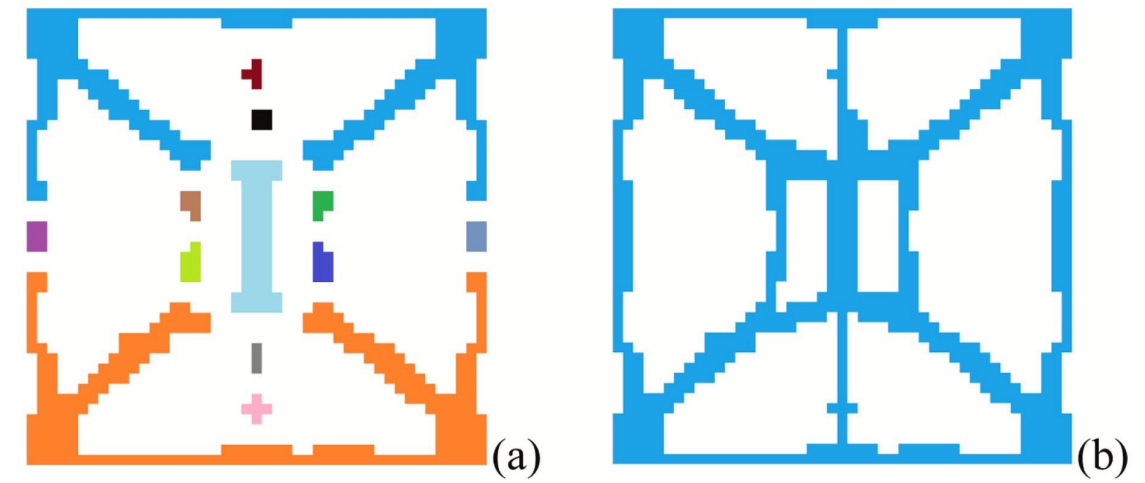
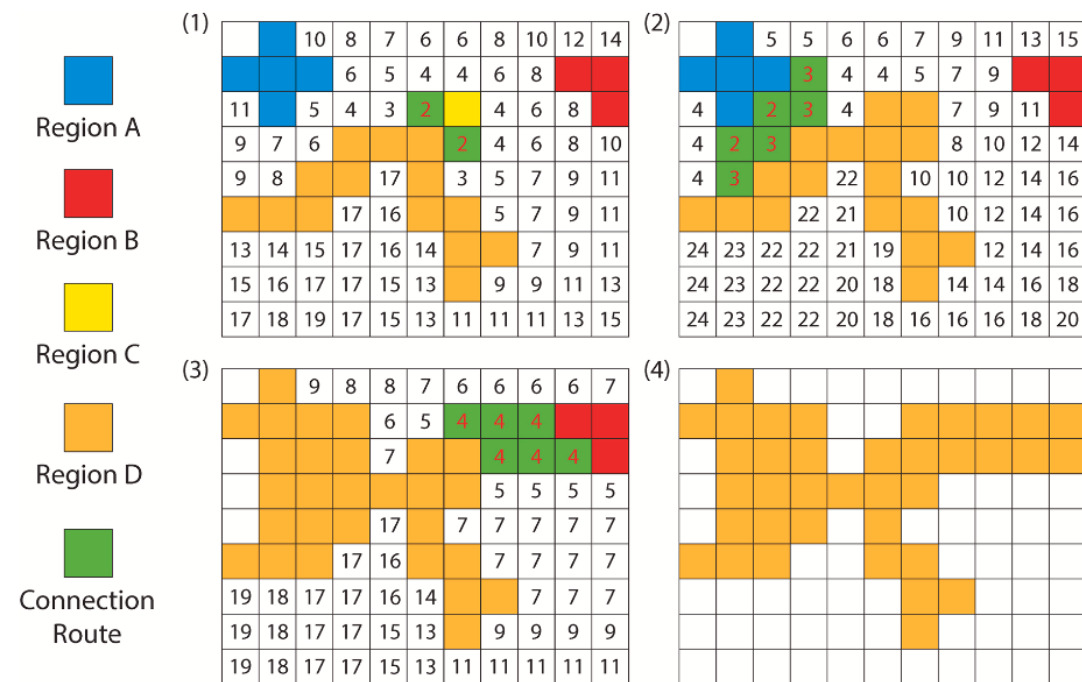
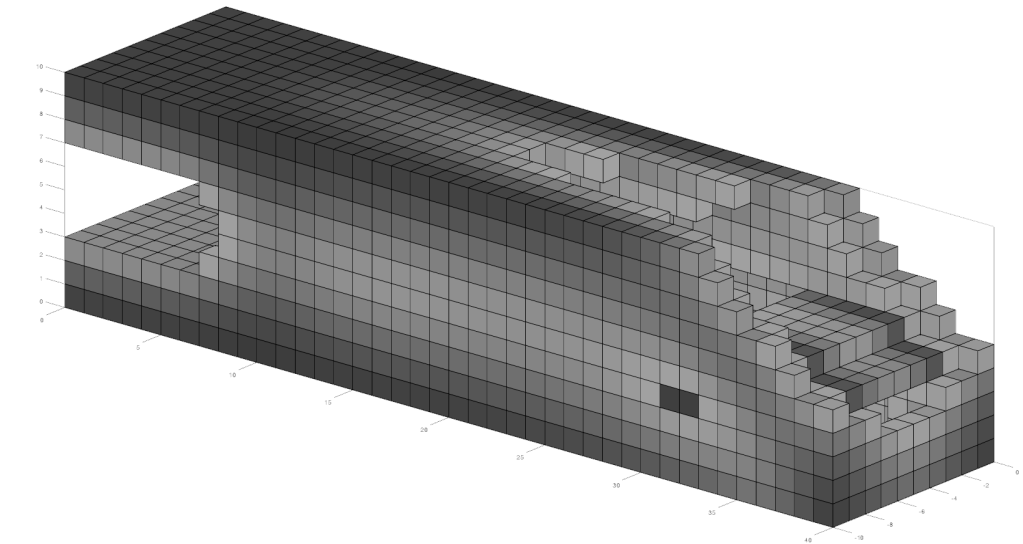
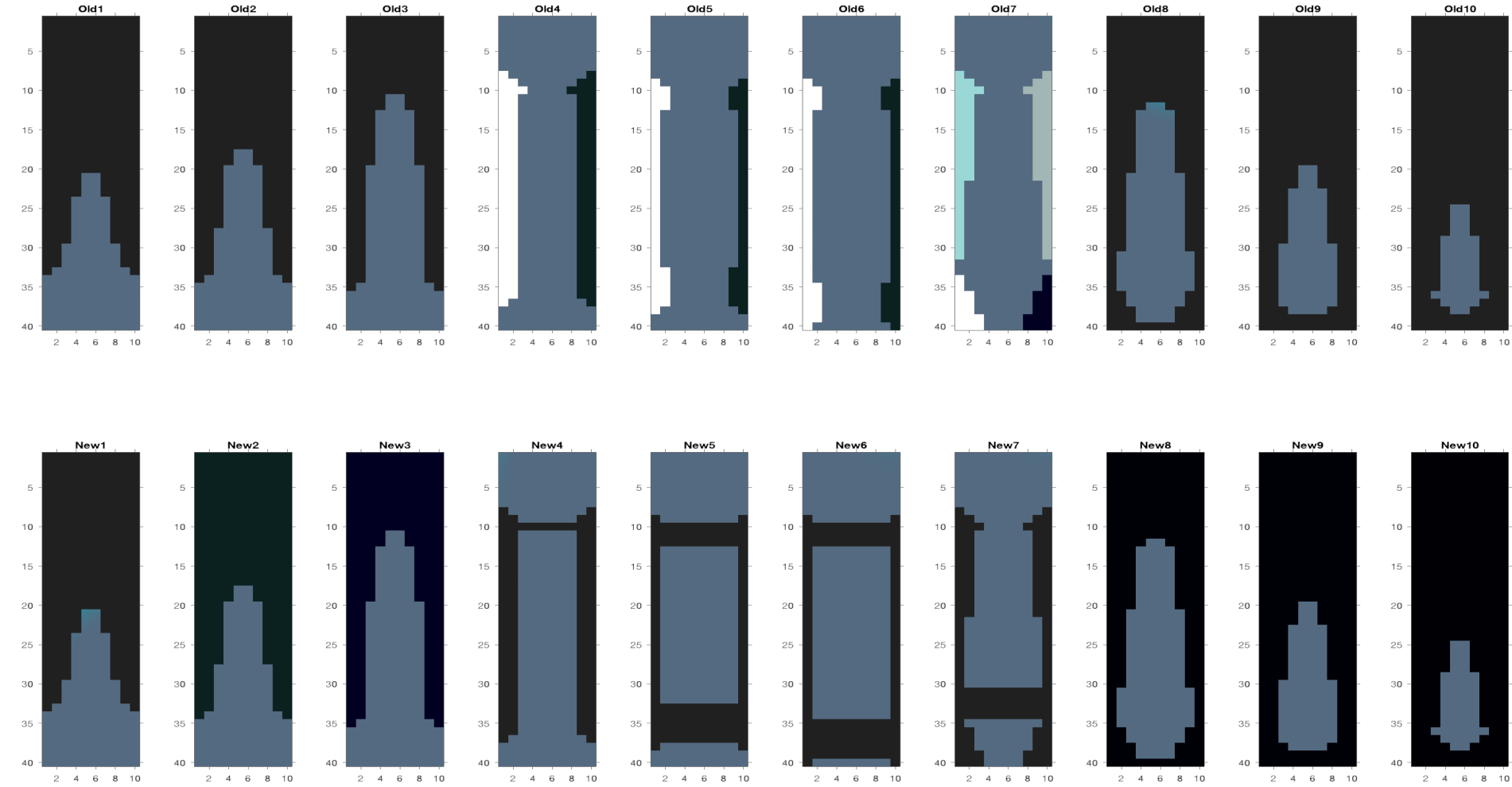
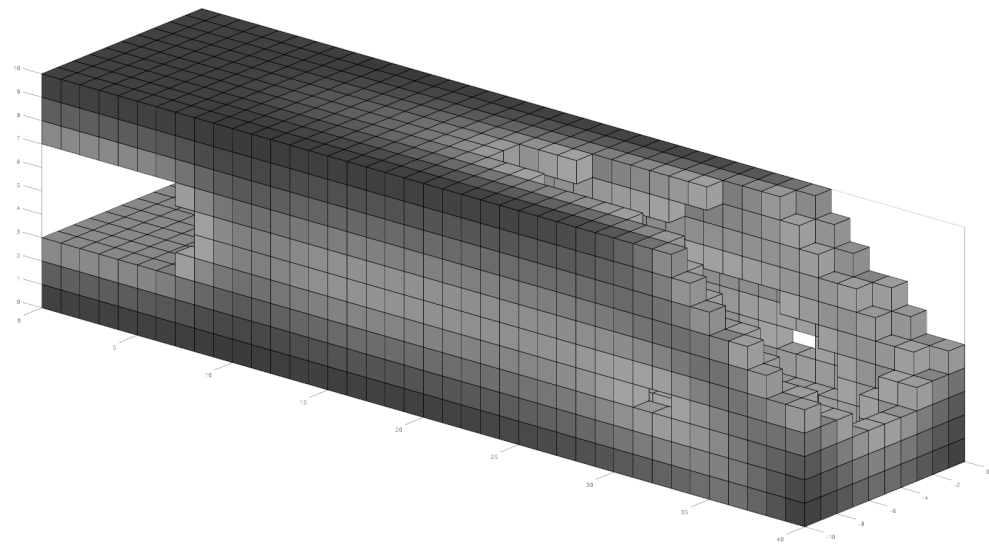


Fig. 3. Demonstration of how the shortest possible route is found within the potential area for reconnection: (a) the distance map of region A; (b) the distance map of region B; (c) the sum of the two distance maps; the shortest connection route is located by adding elements with the lowest summed distance value.

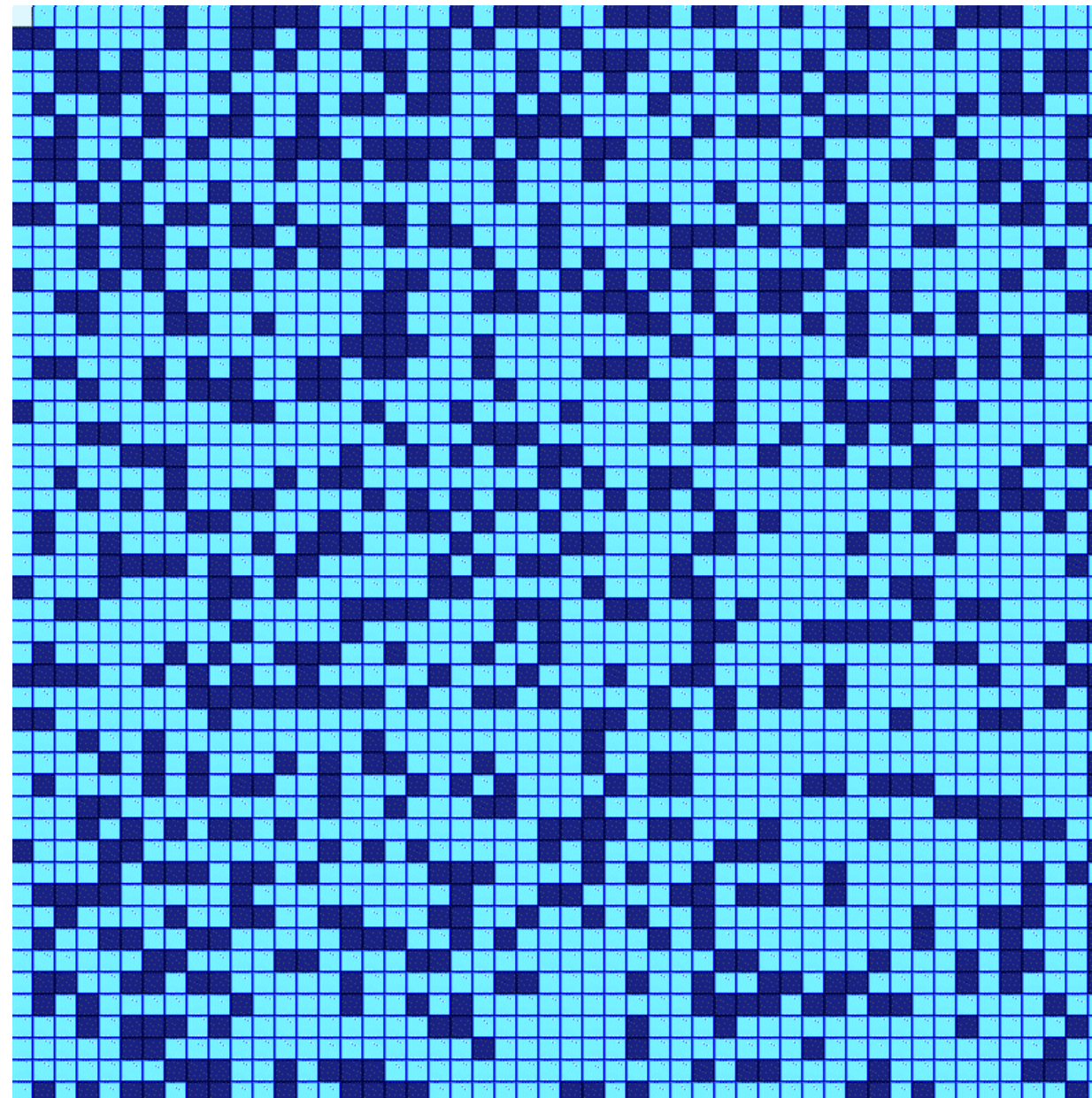


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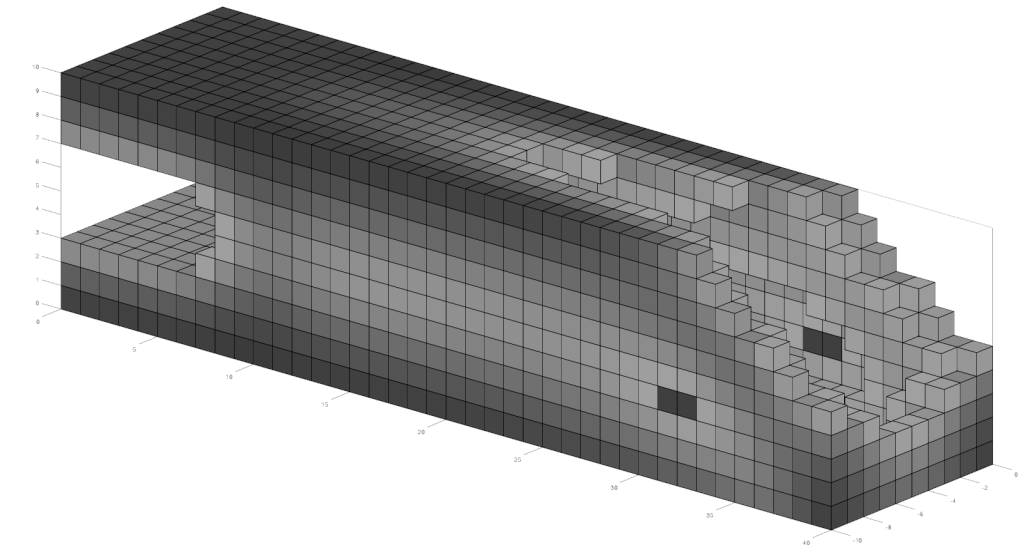
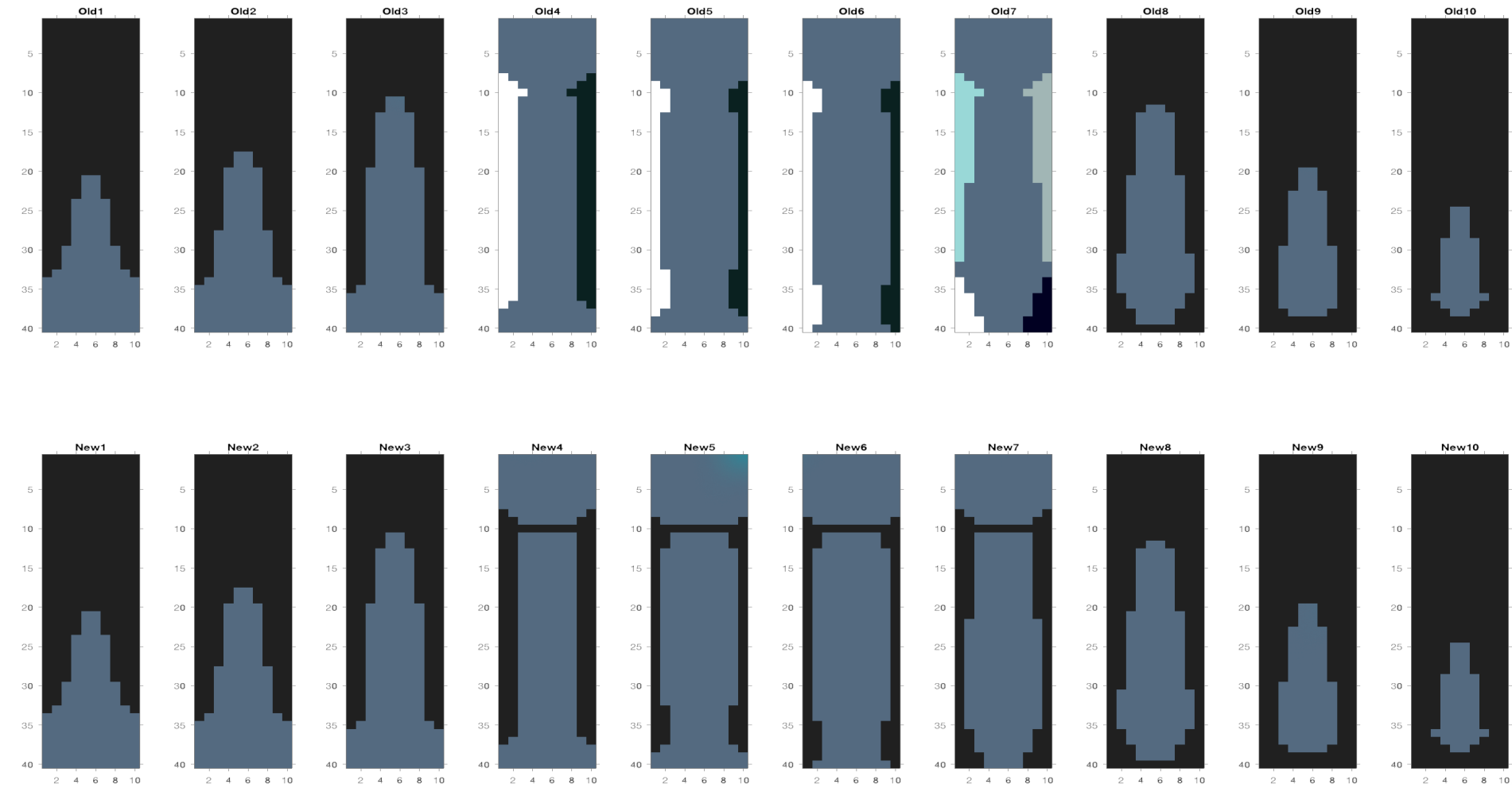
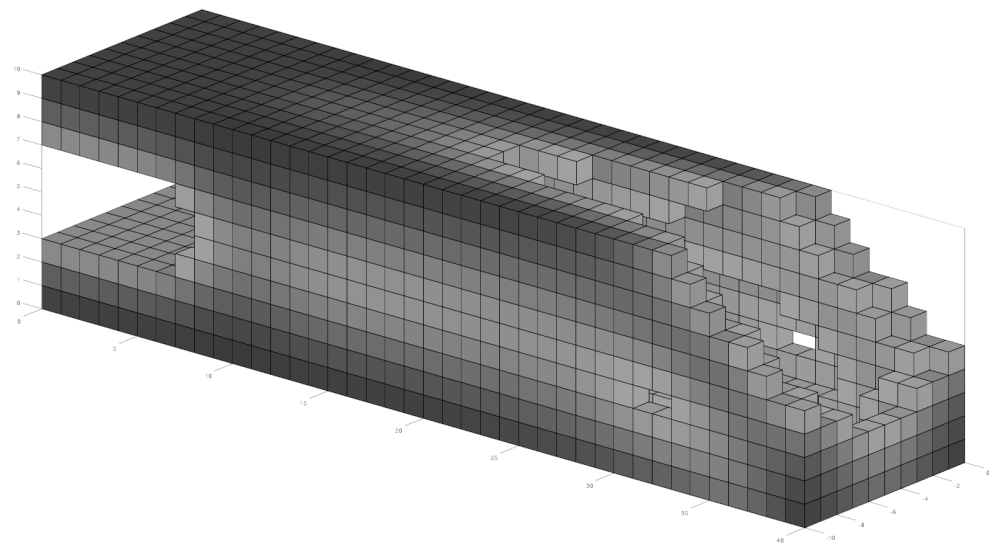
Islanding function

Dijkstra's Algorithm
Bellman-Ford Algorithm
Floyd-Warshall Algorithm
A* Search Algorithm
Bidirectional Search Algorithm
Johnson's Algorithm
Depth-First Search (DFS)
Breadth-First Search (BFS)

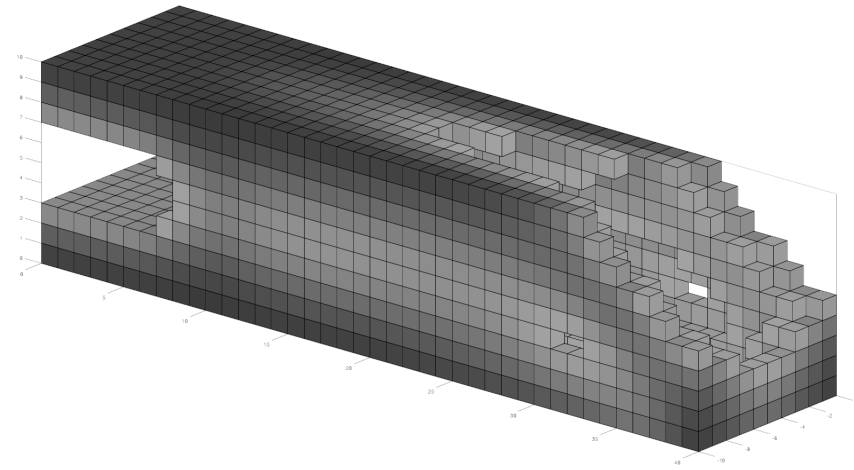


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[N, M] = size(map);
endpoints = [];
for i = 1:N
    for j = 1:M
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            if i-1 < 1 || map(i-1, j) == 0
                waters = waters + 1;
            end
            if i+1 > N || map(i+1, j) == 0
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            end
            if j-1 < 1 || map(i, j-1) == 0
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            end
            if j+1 > M || map(i, j+1) == 0
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                endpoints = [endpoints; [i, j]];
            end
        end
    end
end
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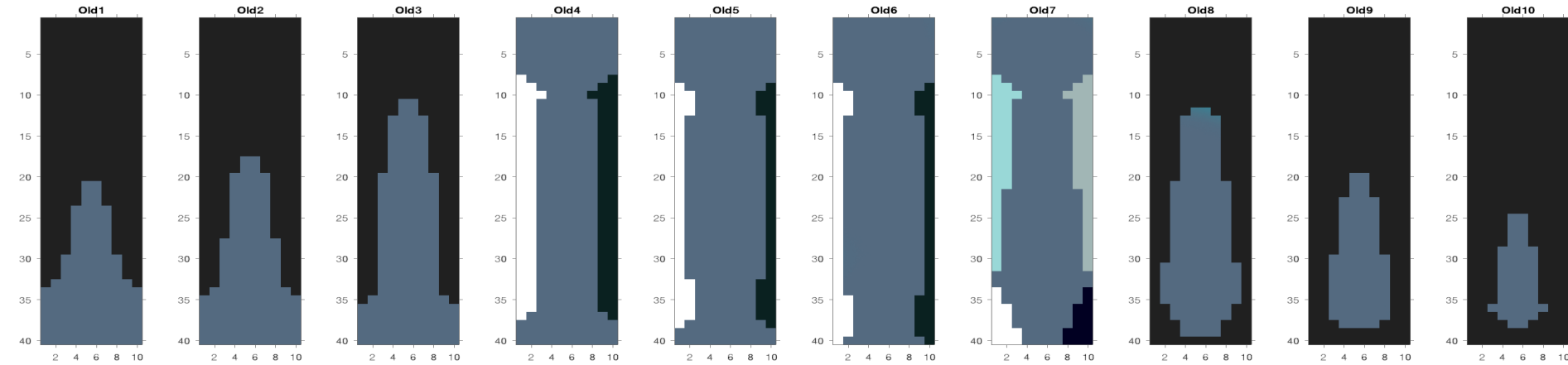
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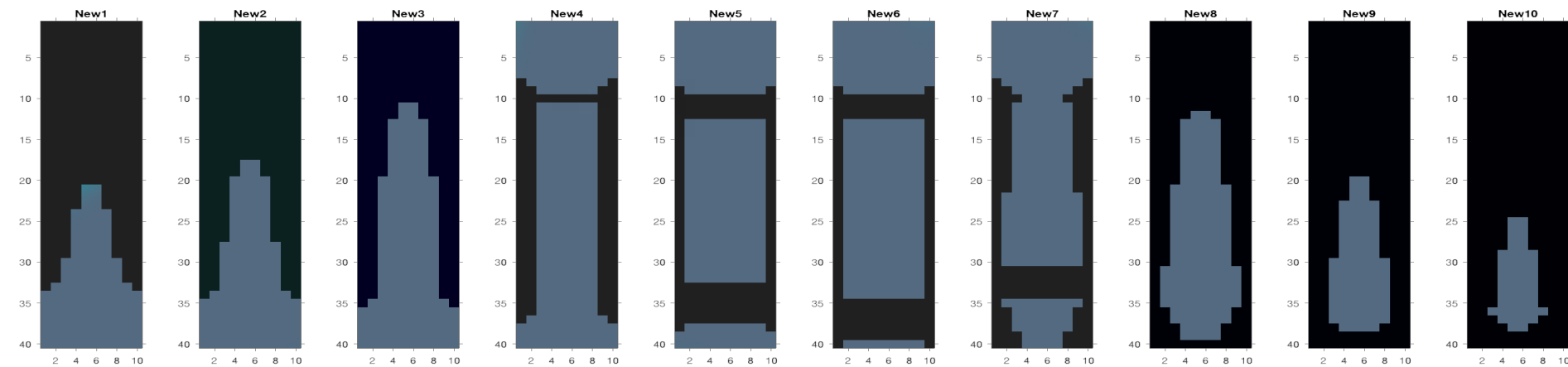
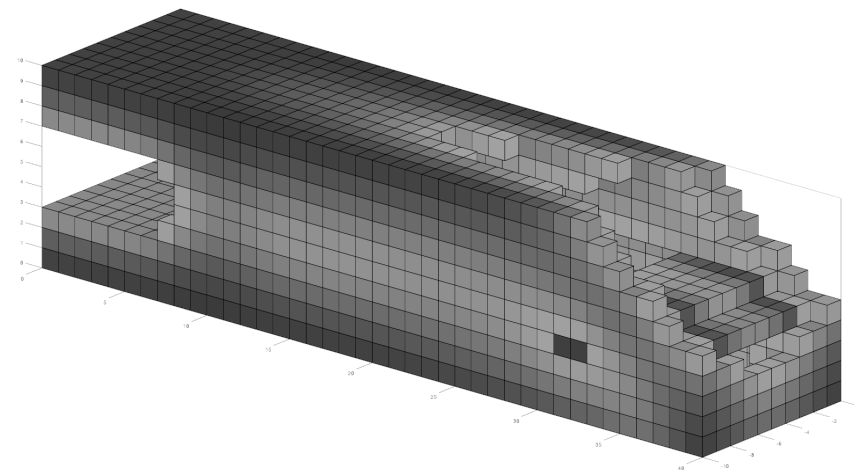
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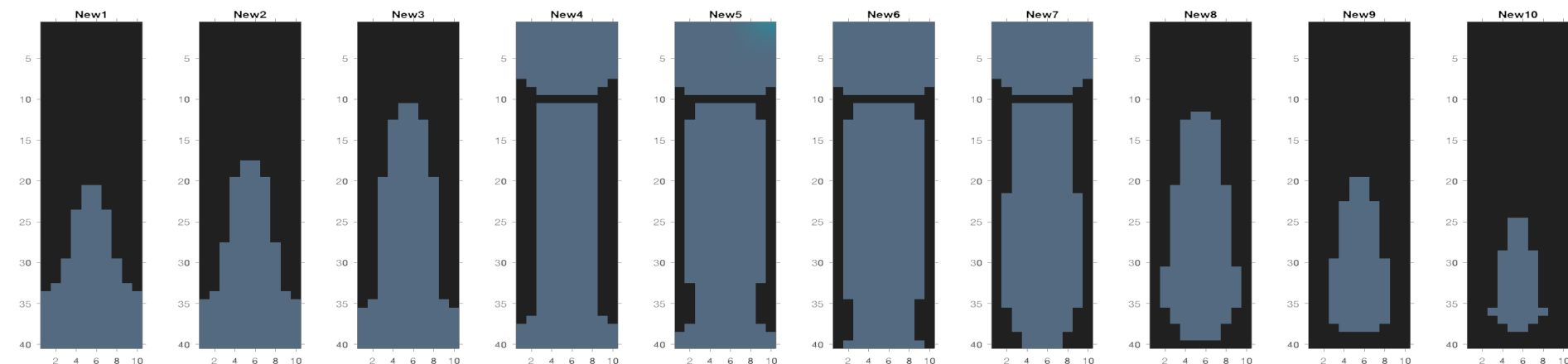
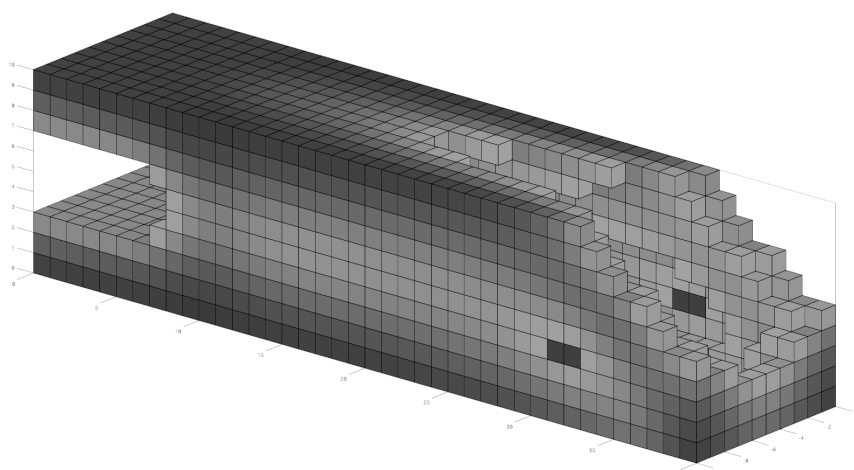
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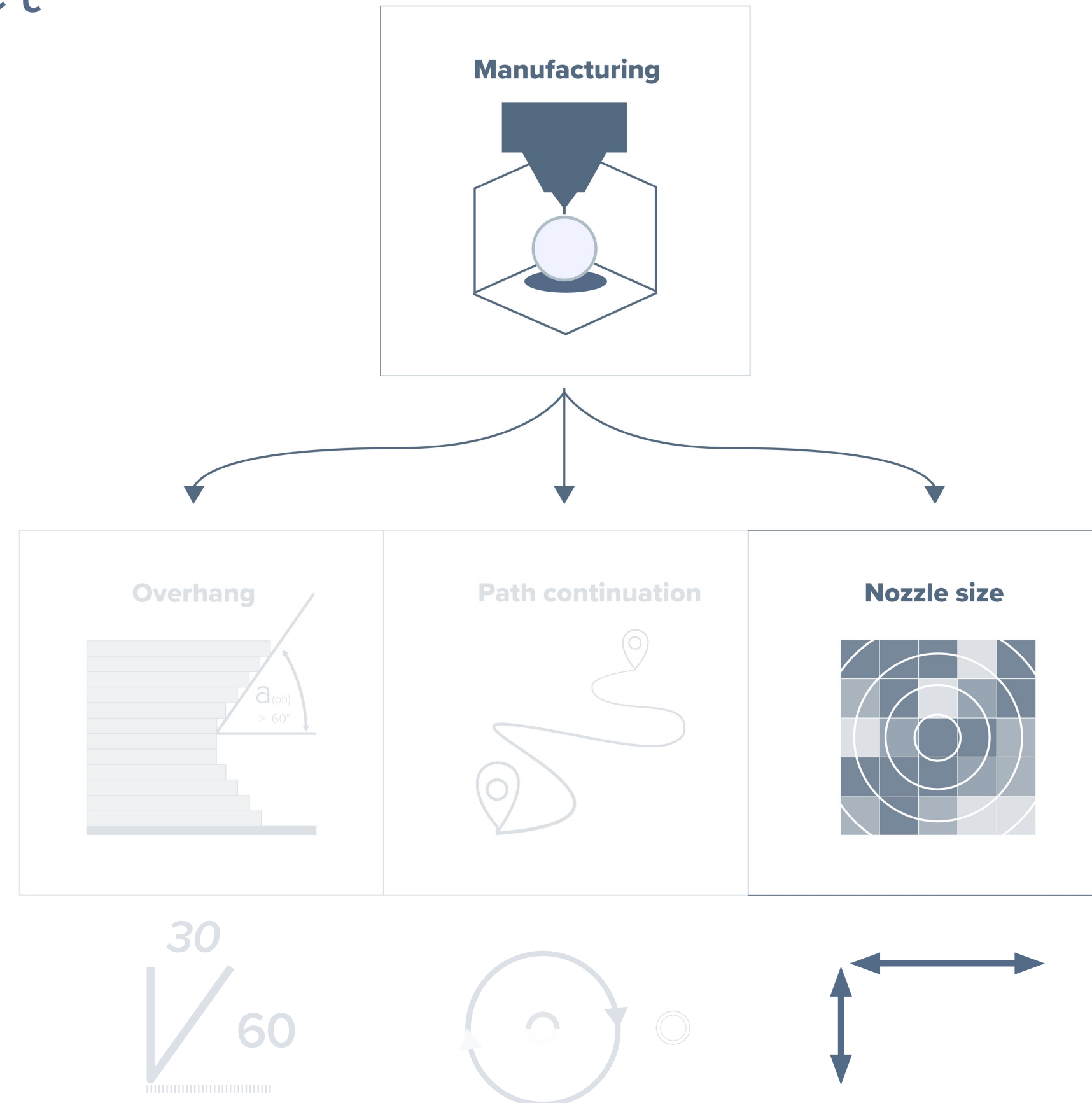
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Dijkstra function

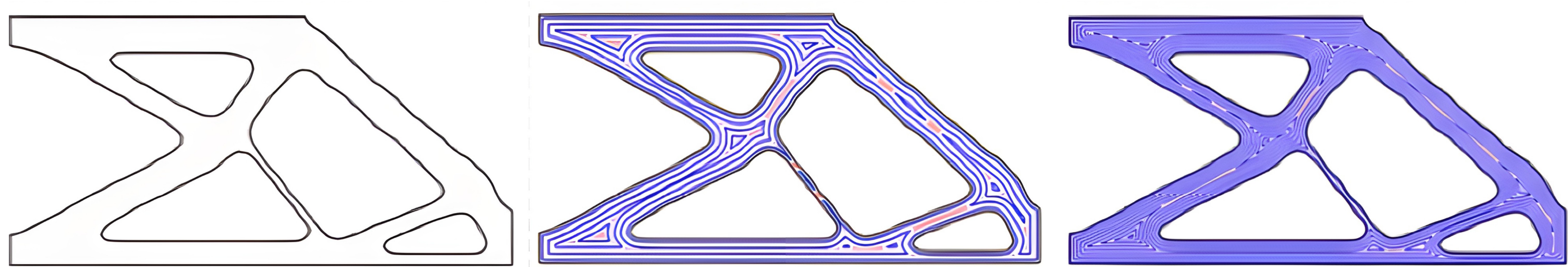


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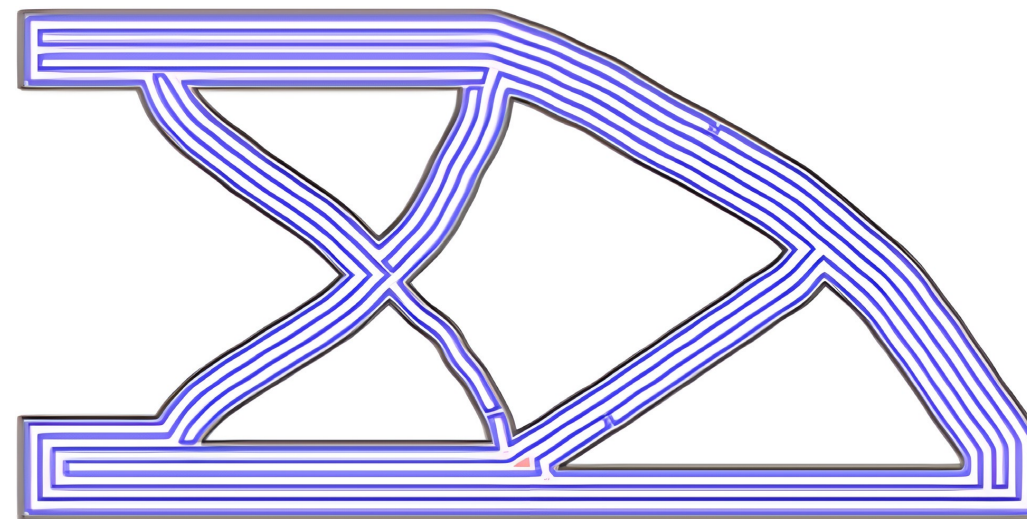


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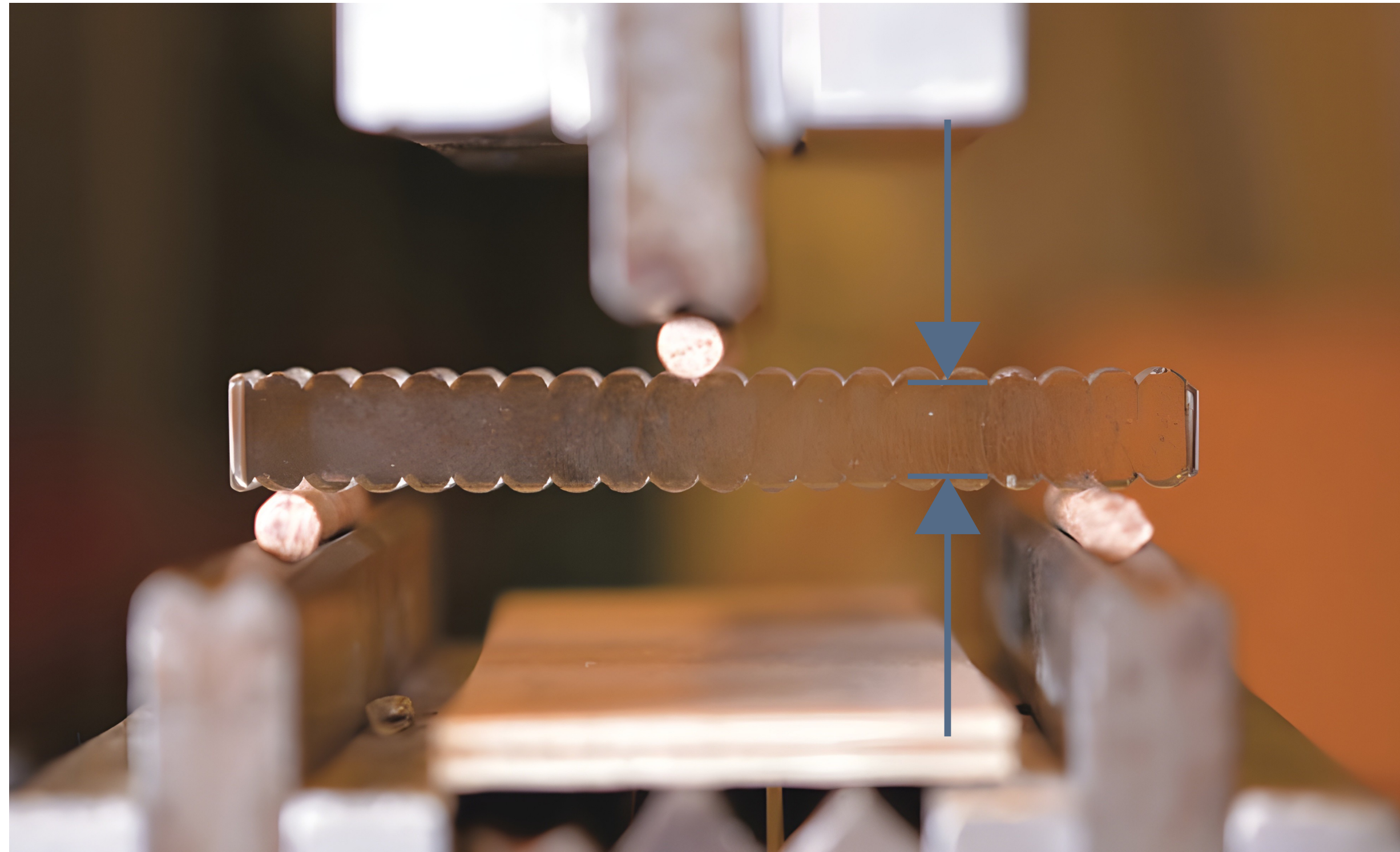
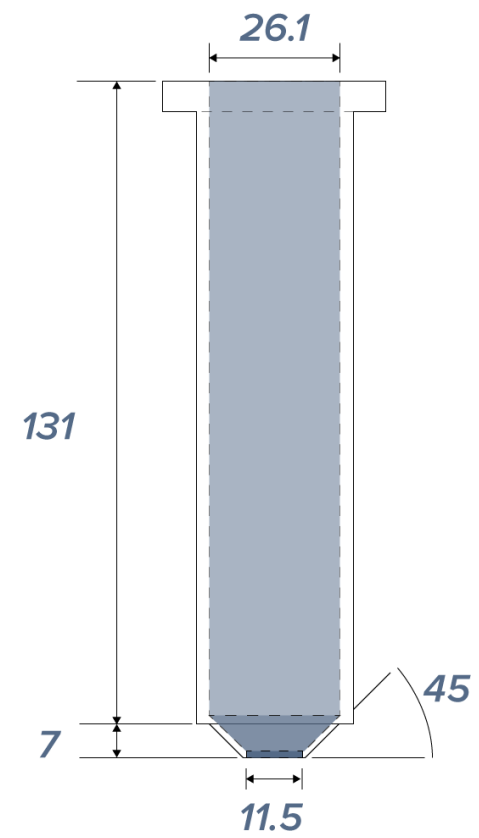
Toolpath generation and planning post-topology optimization



Toolpath generation integrated post-topology optimization

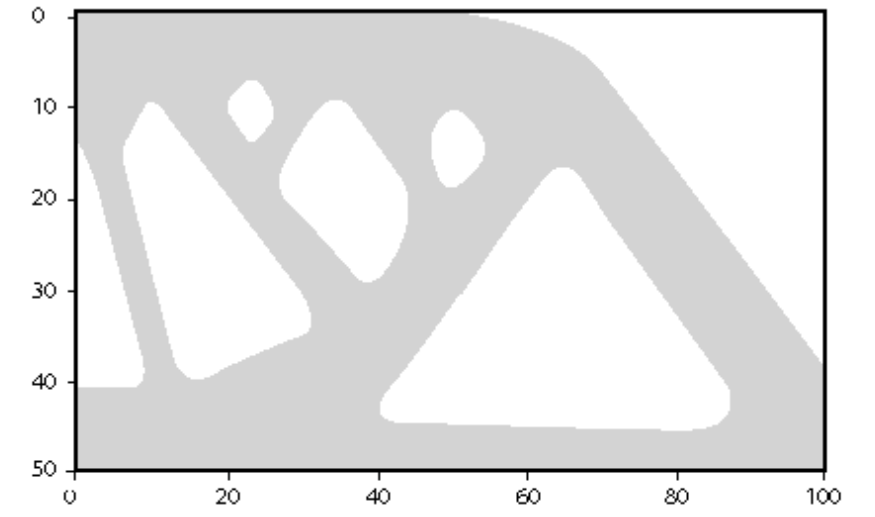
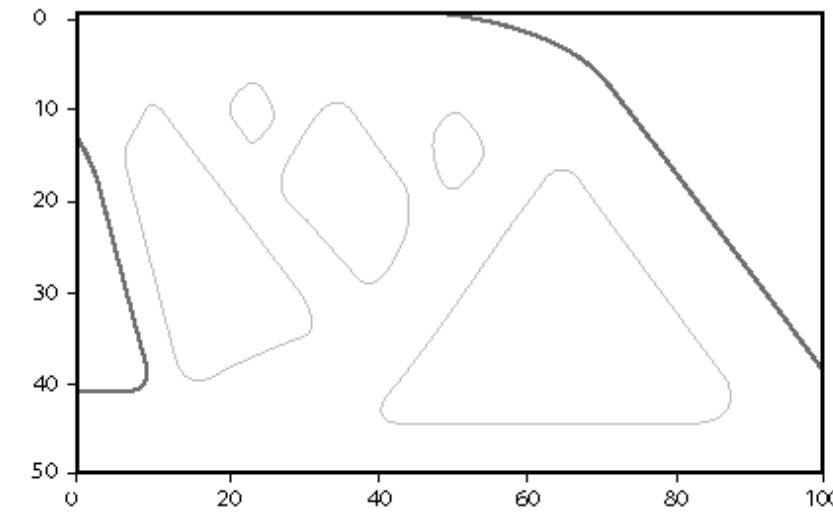
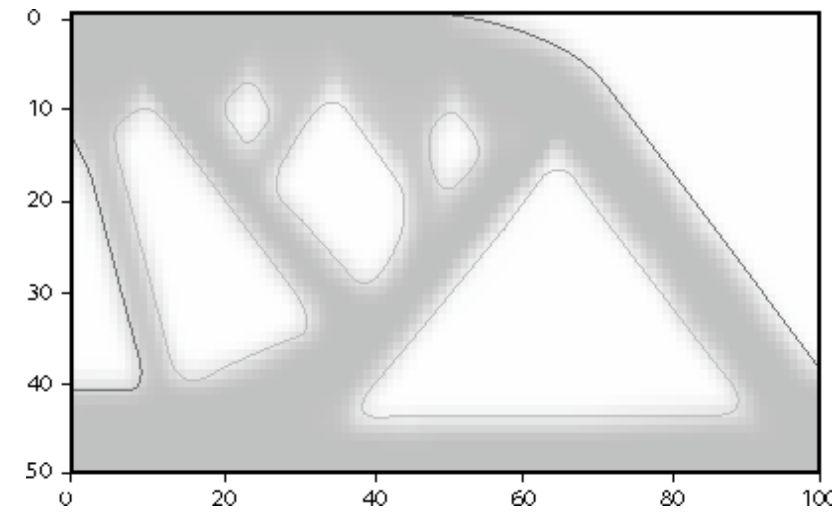
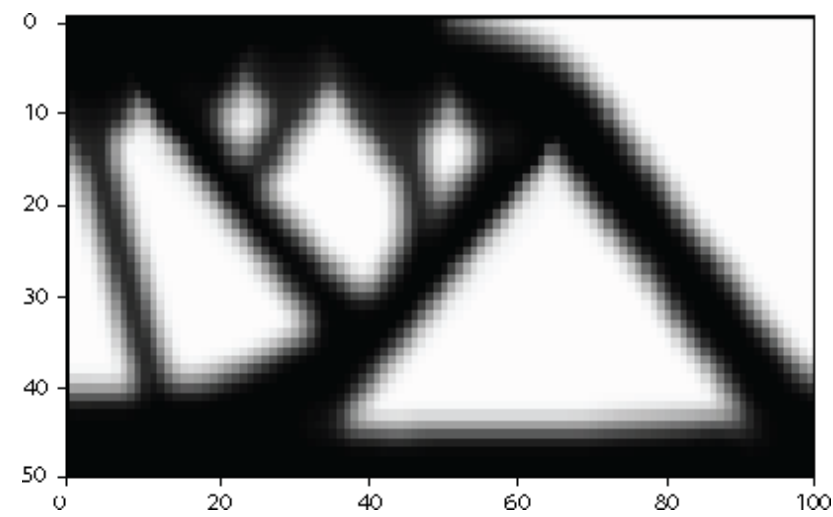


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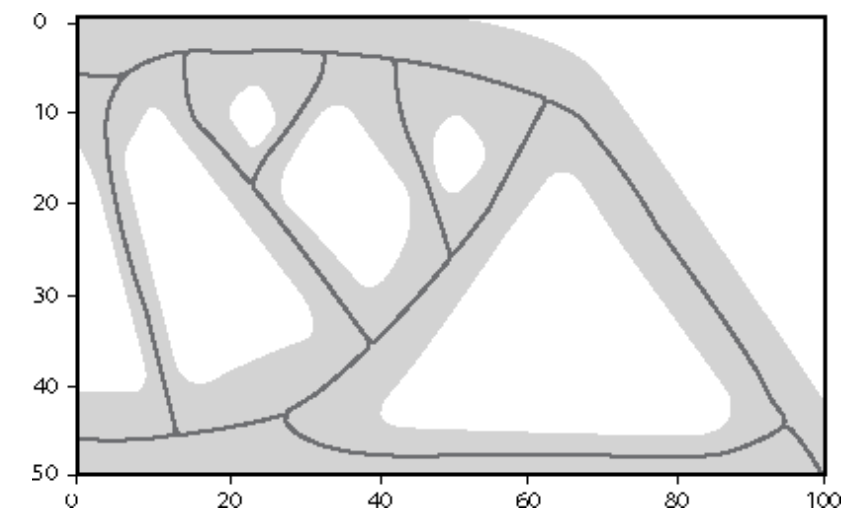


Nozzle and 3 point testing
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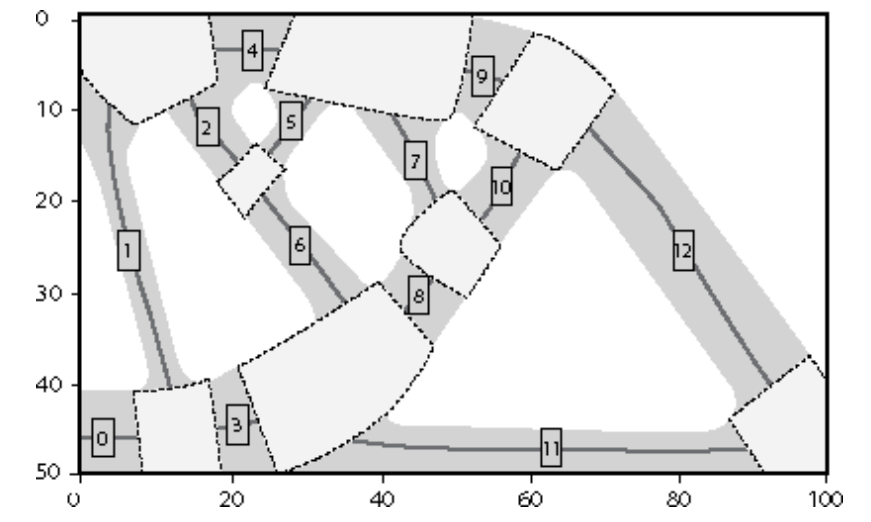
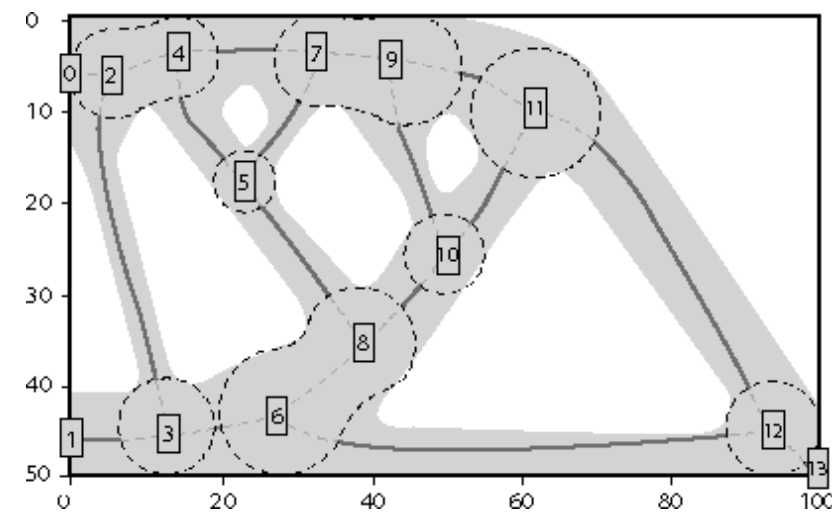
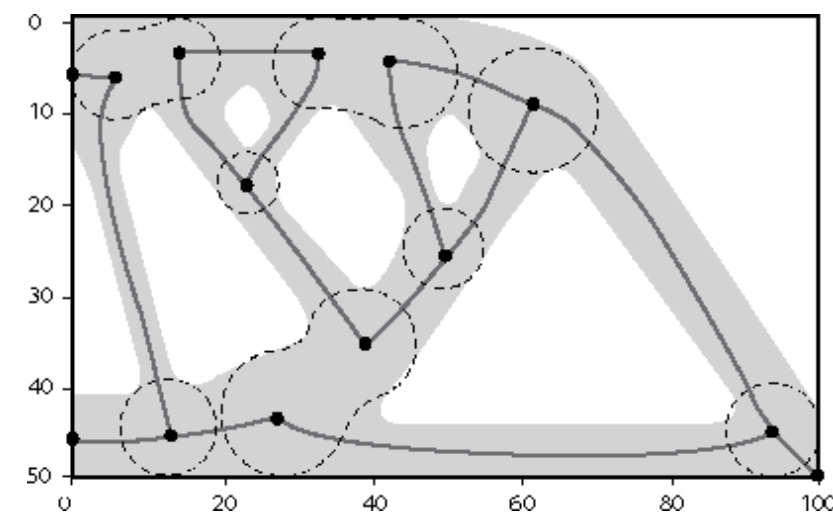
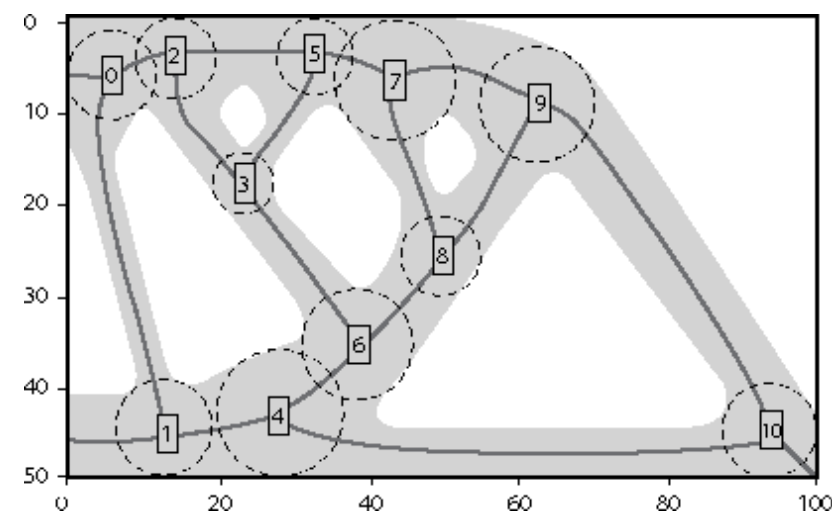
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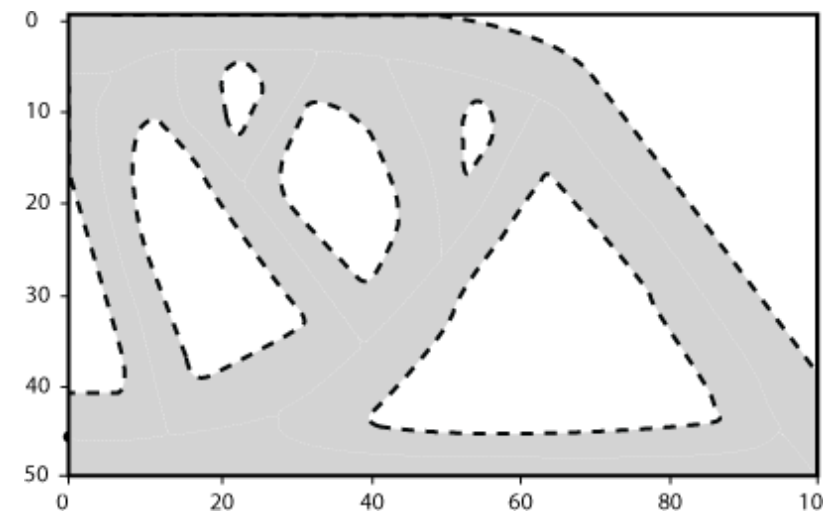
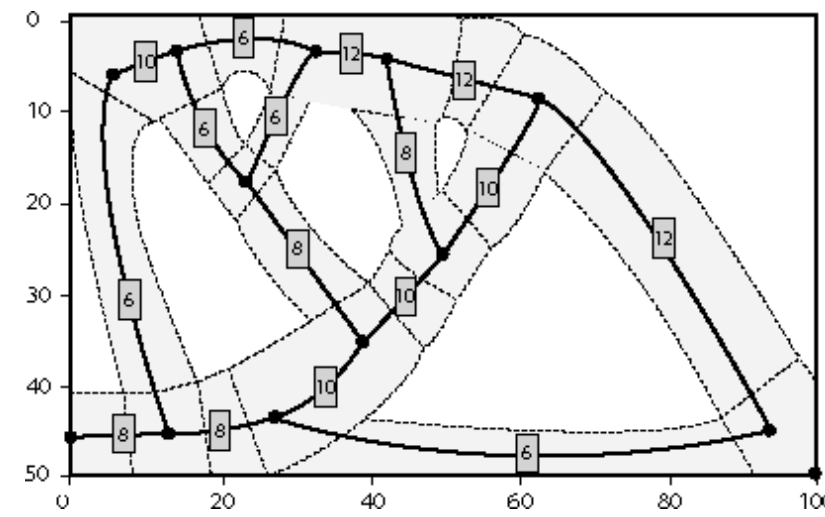
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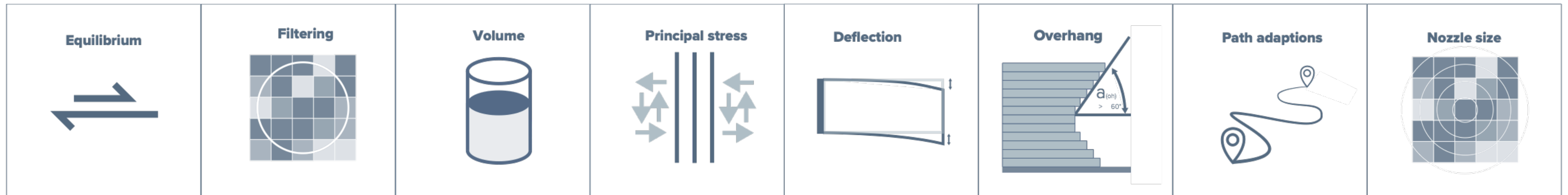


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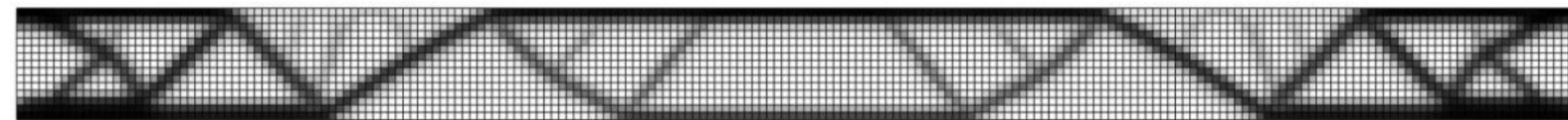
Final output

Compliance
Minimize the sum of all deformations


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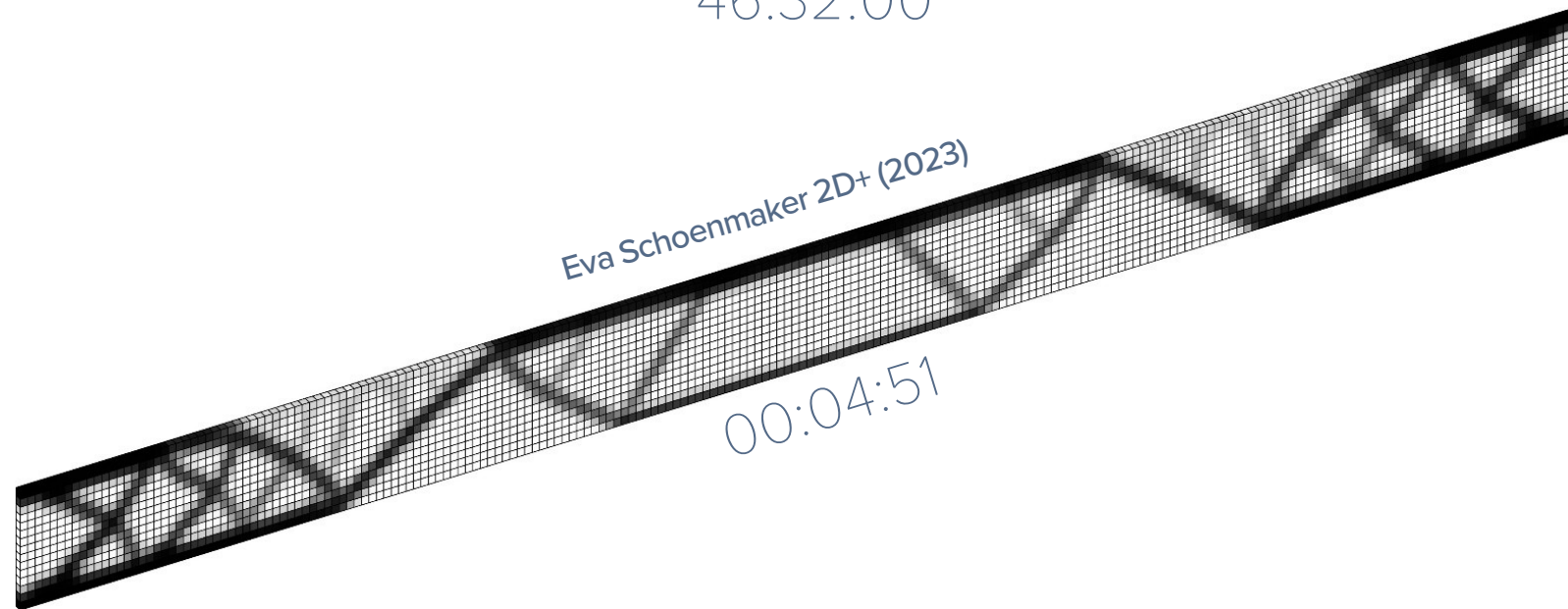
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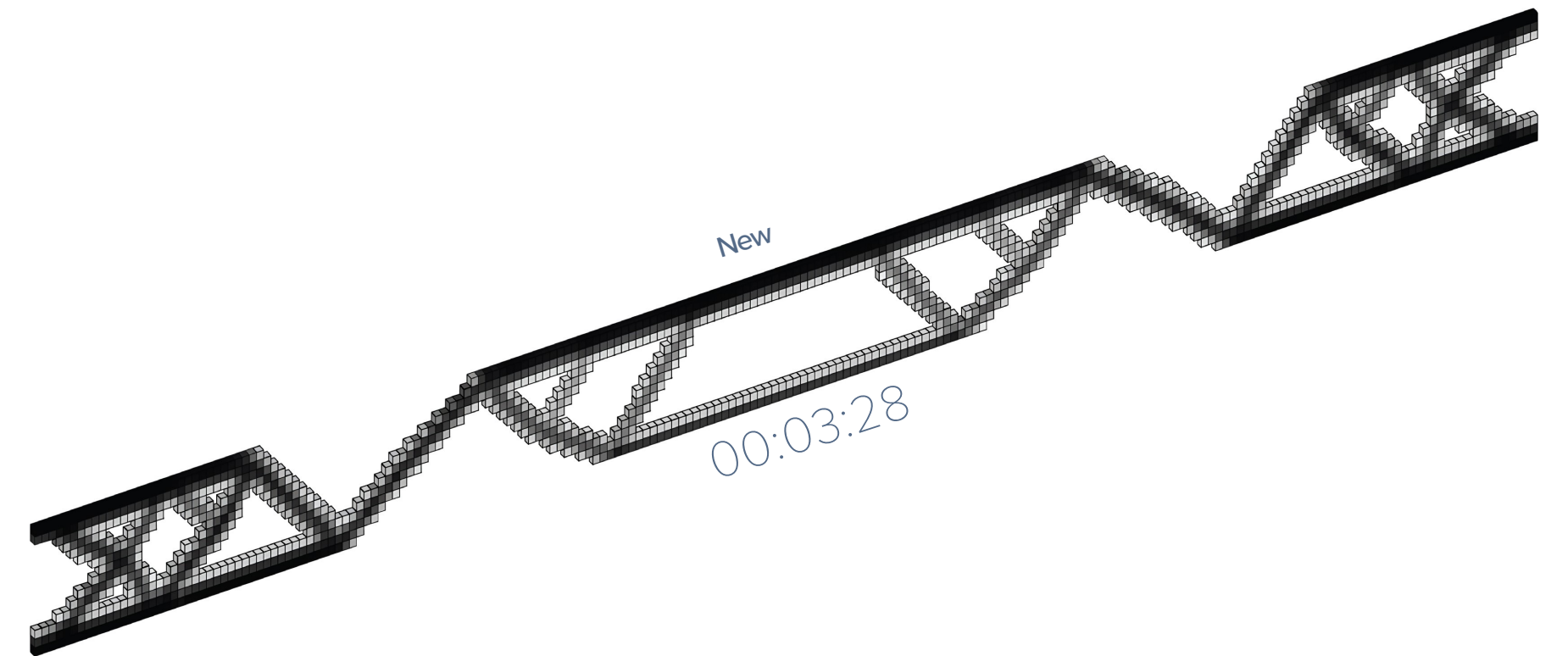


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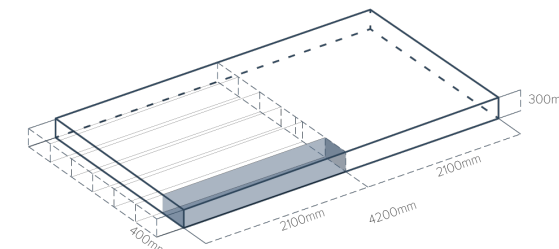
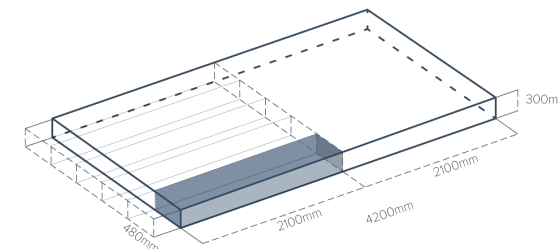
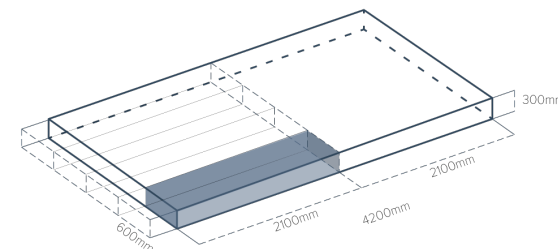
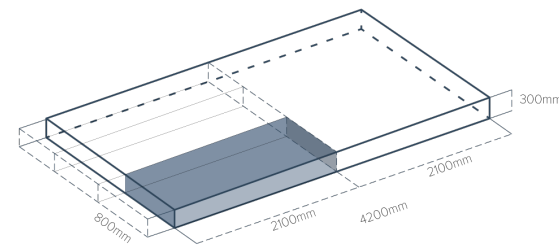
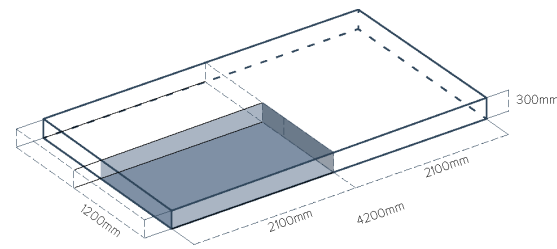
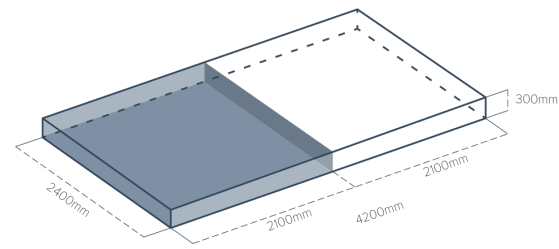
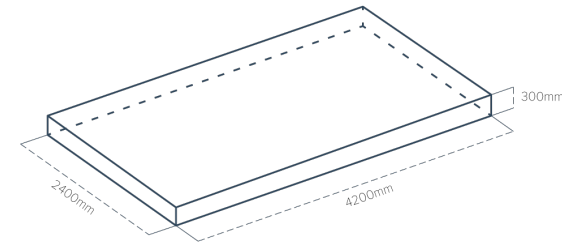
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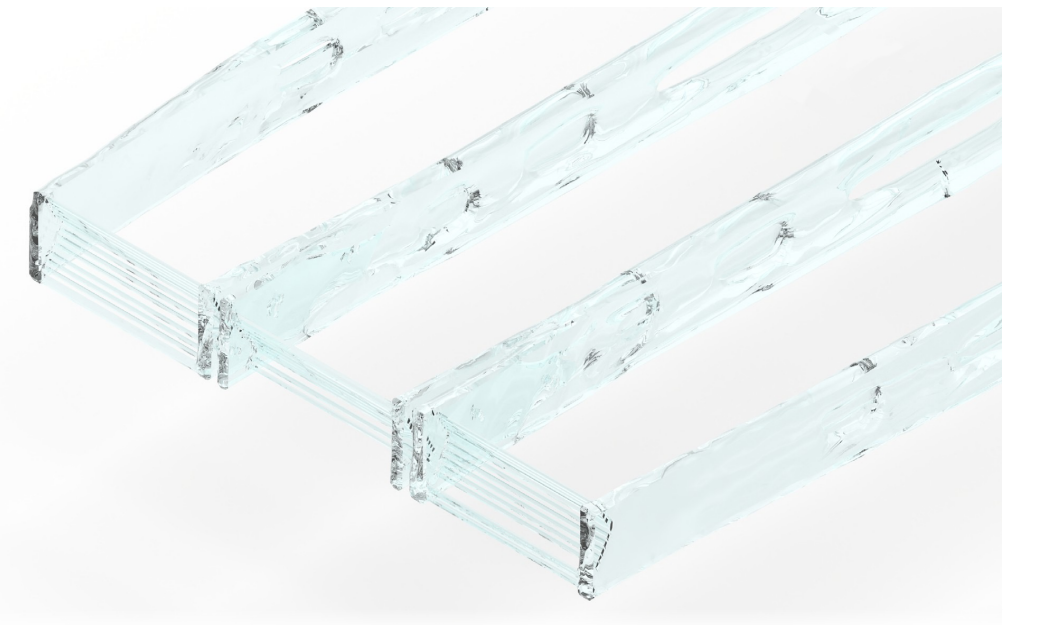
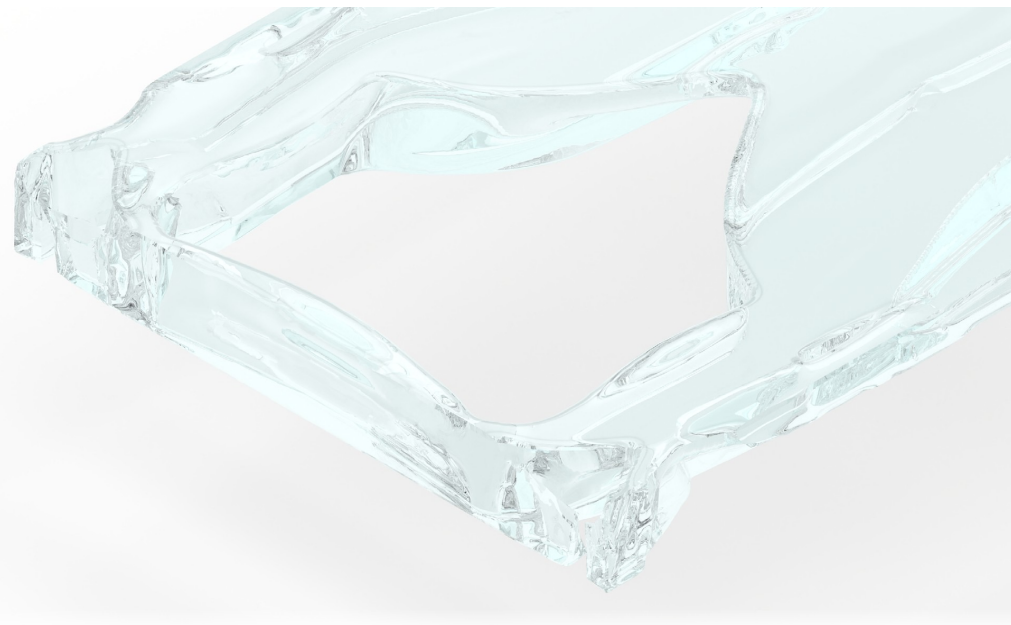
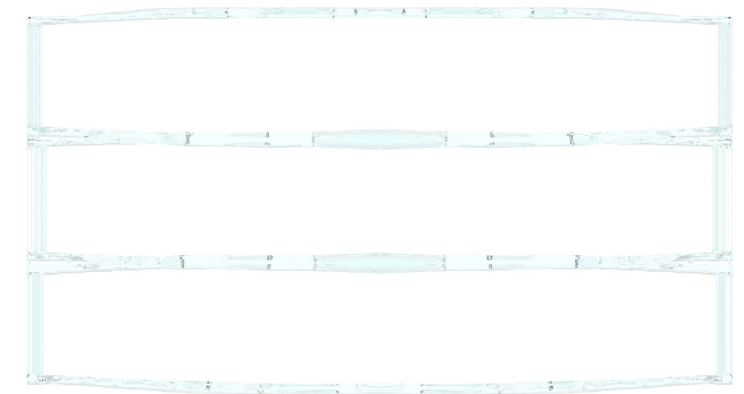
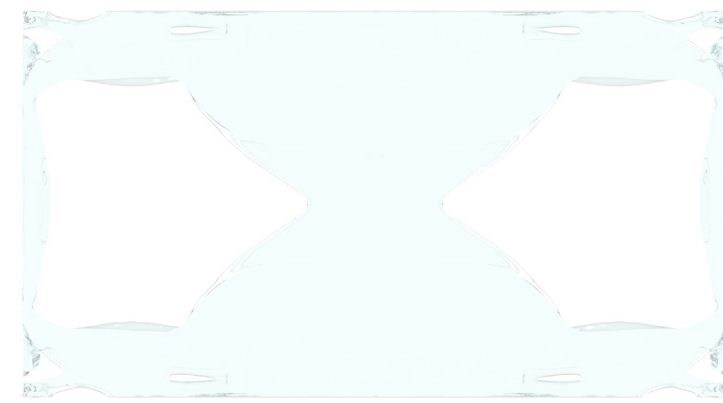
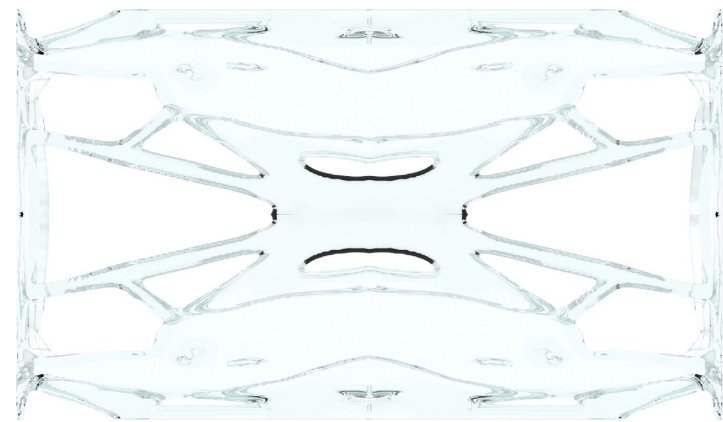
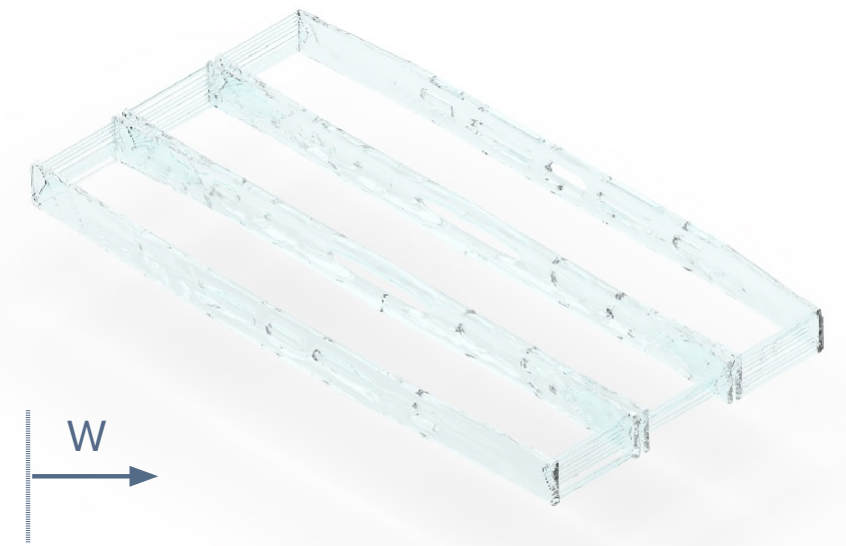
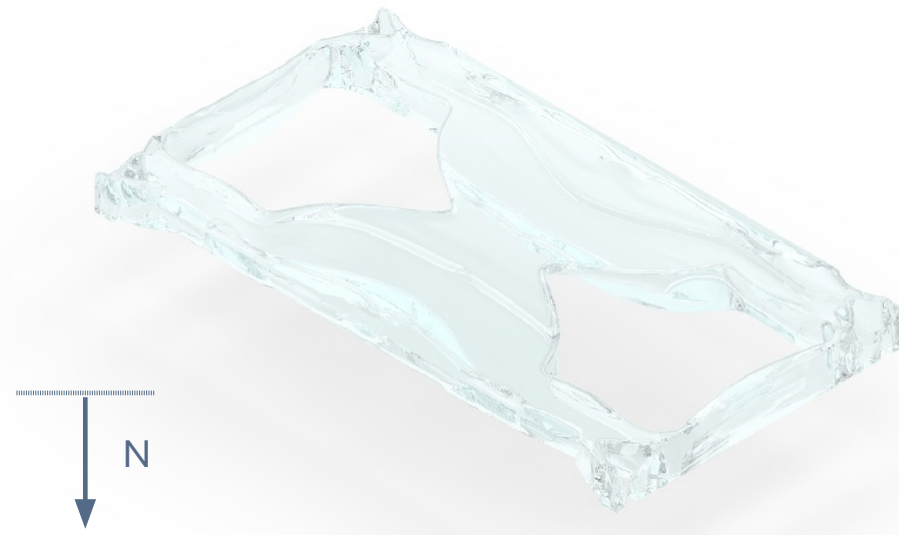
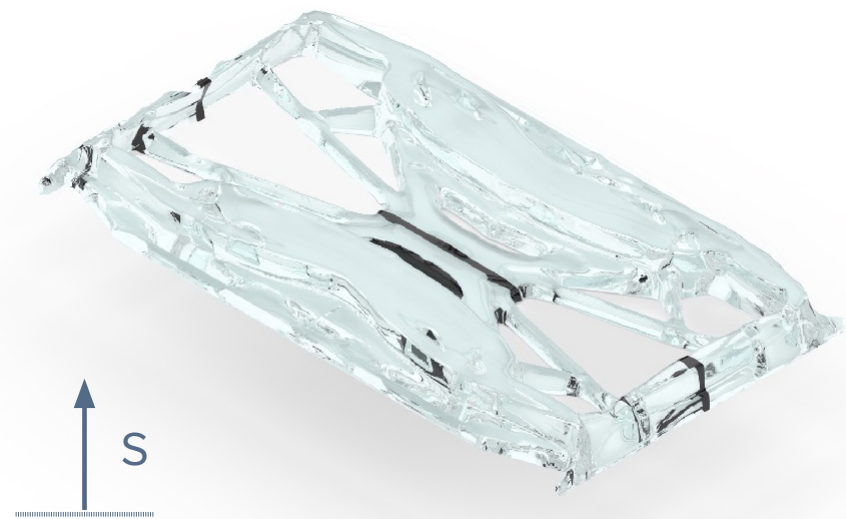
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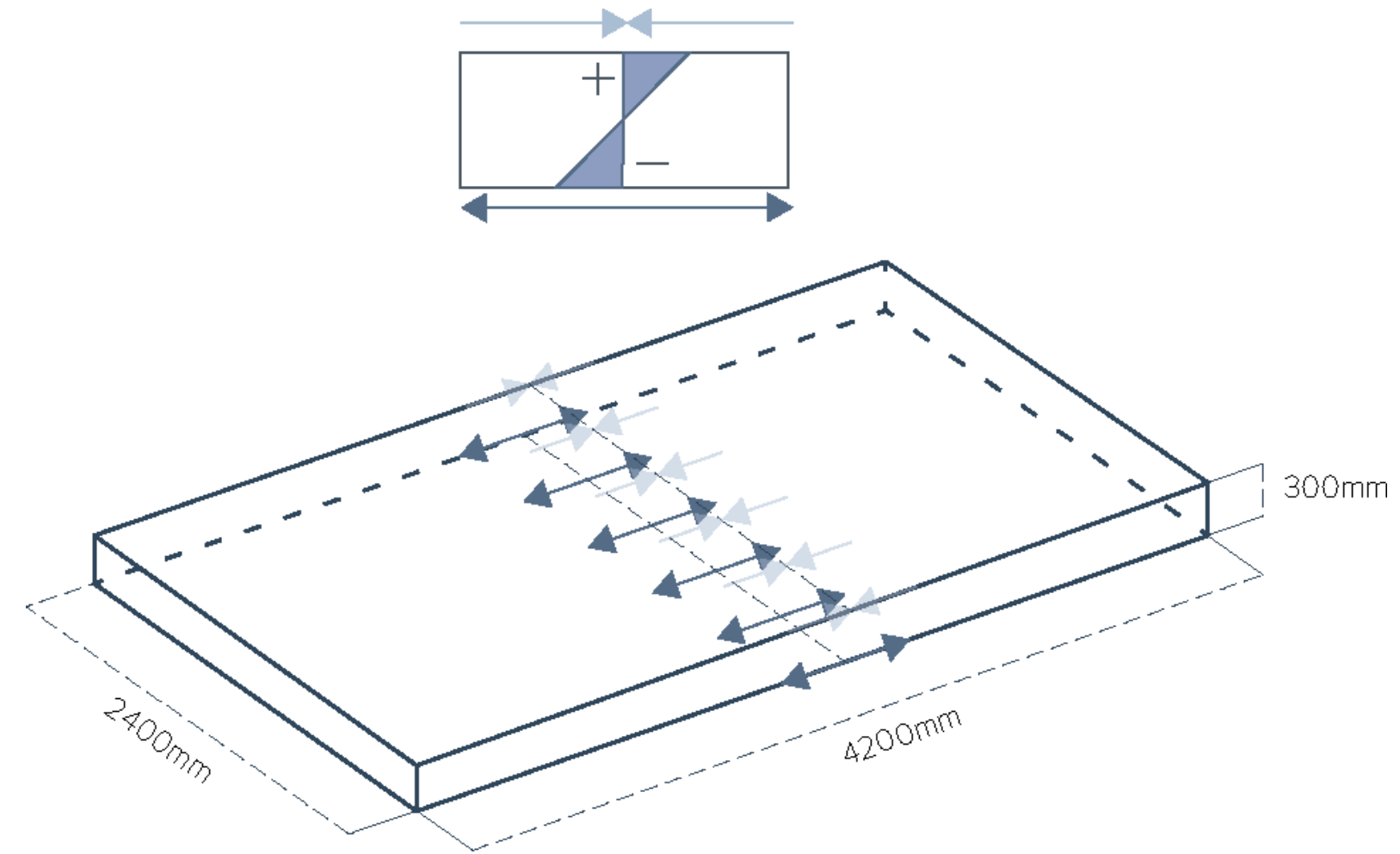
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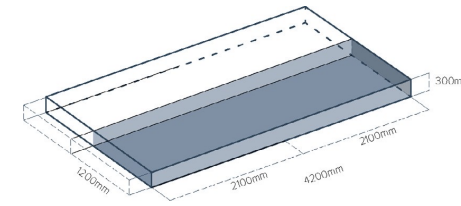
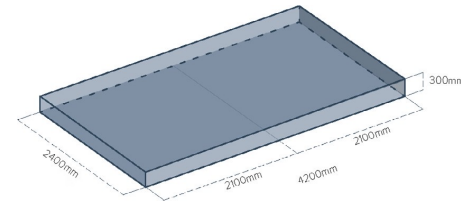
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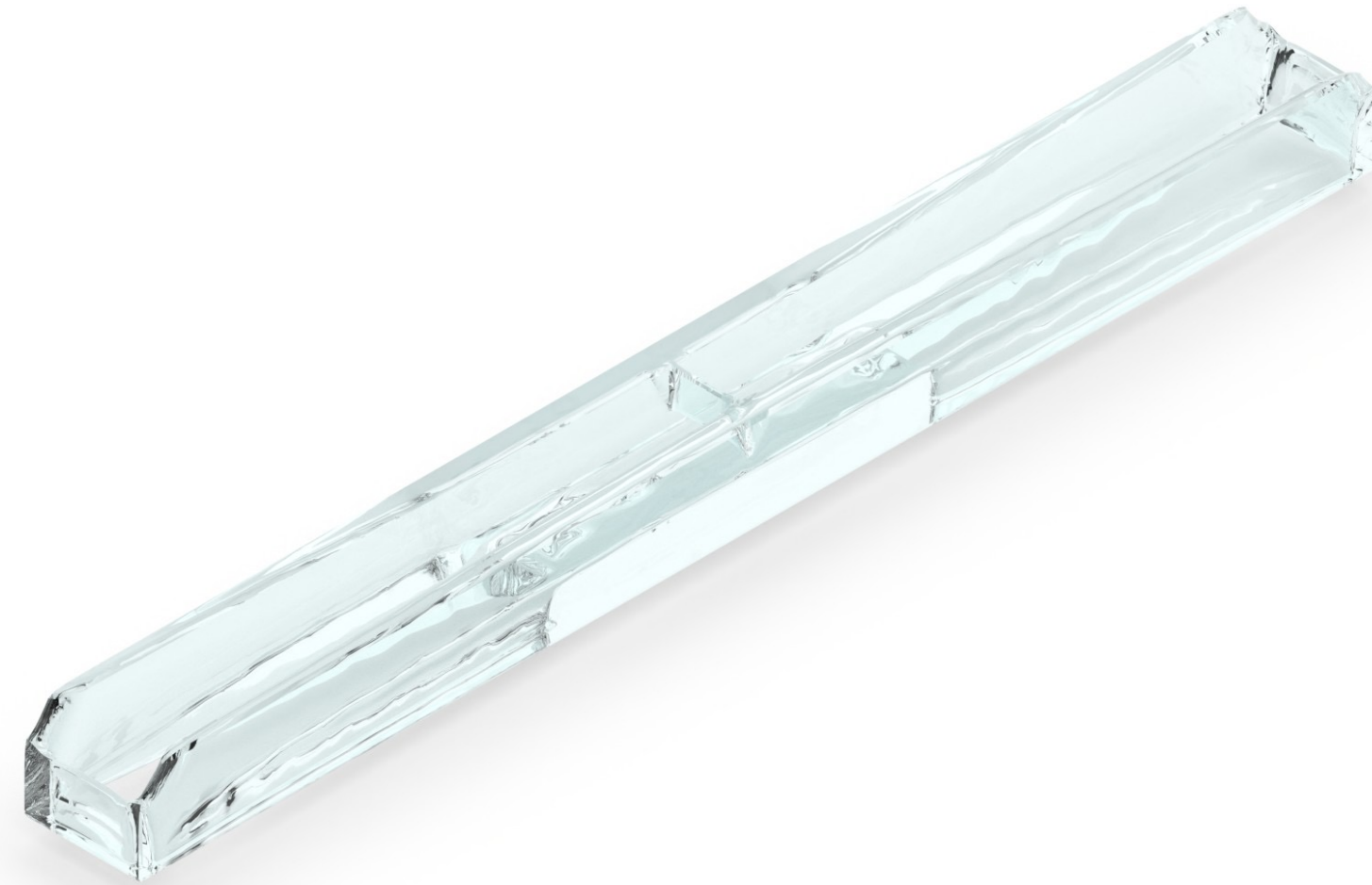
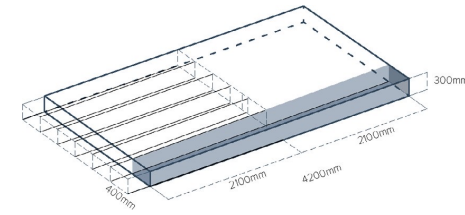
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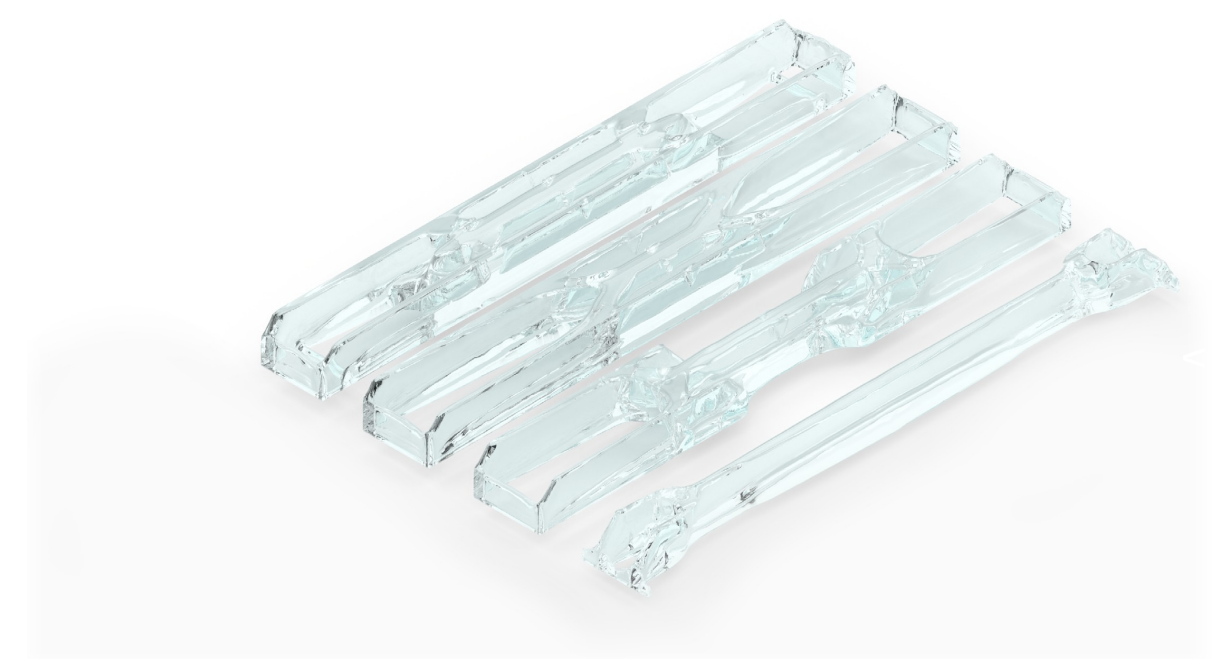
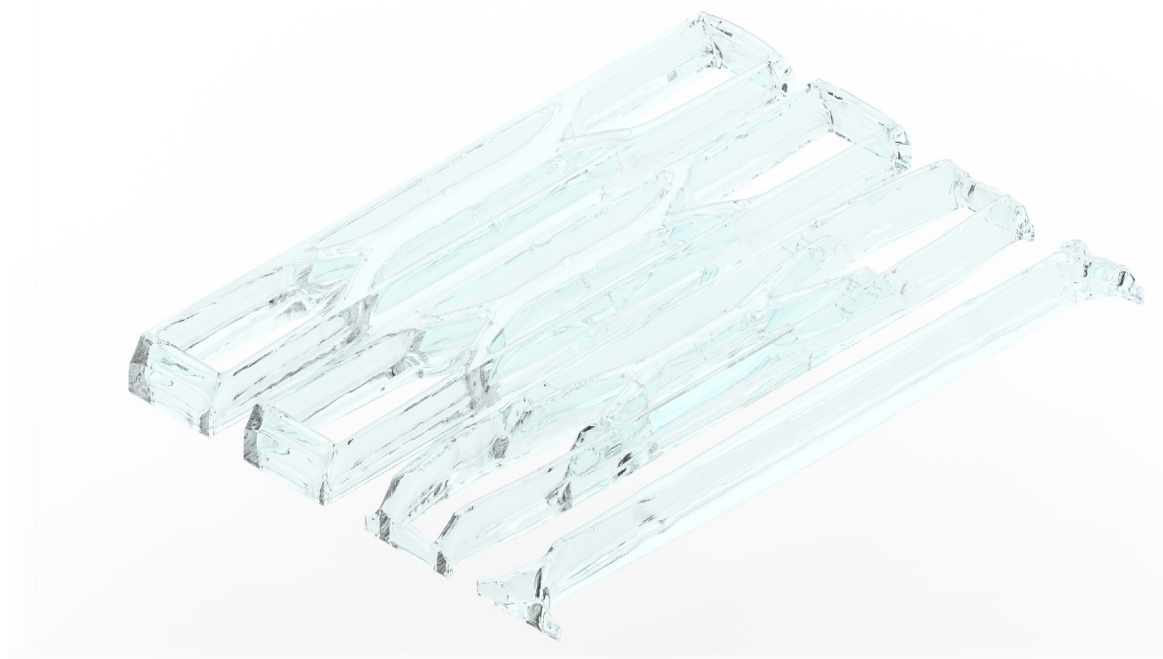
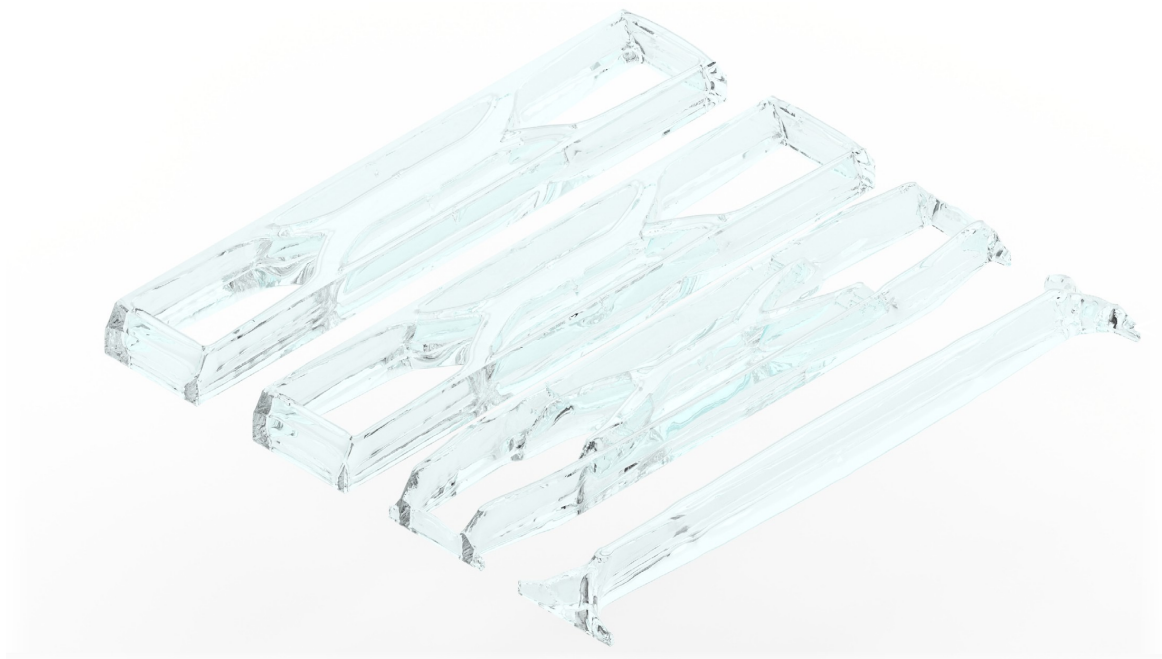
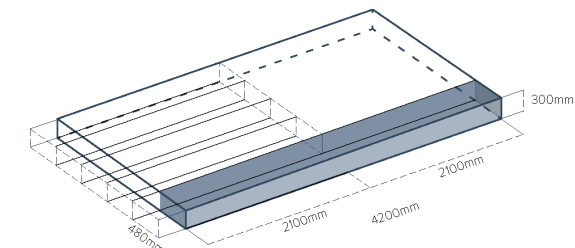
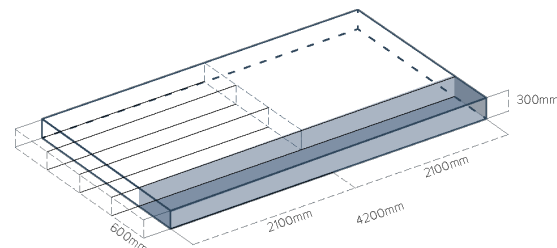
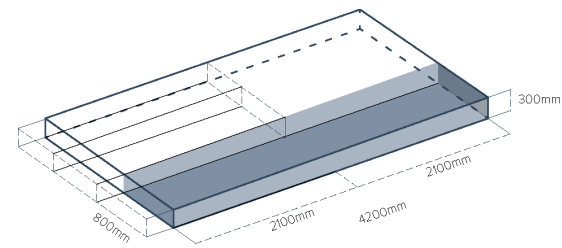
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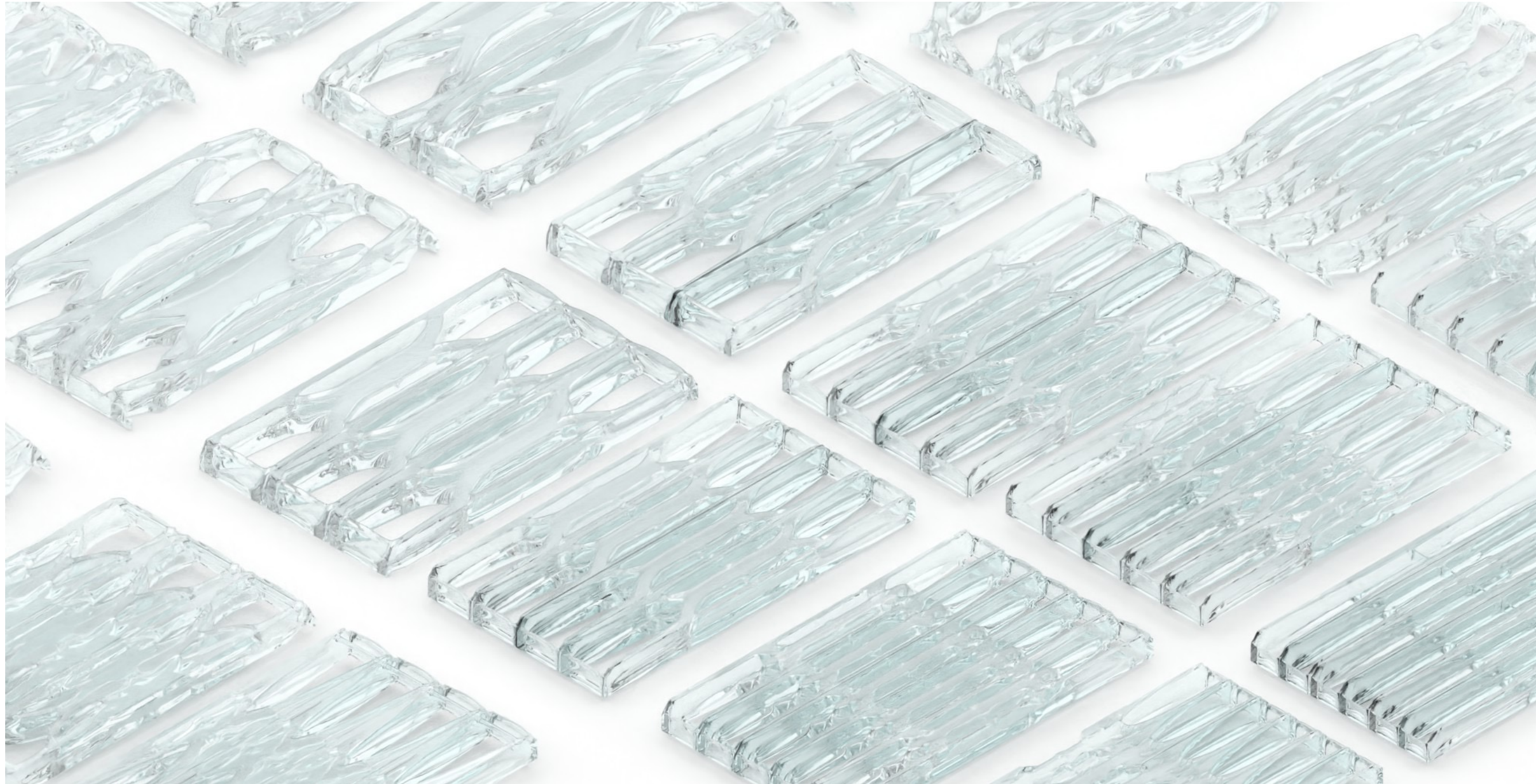
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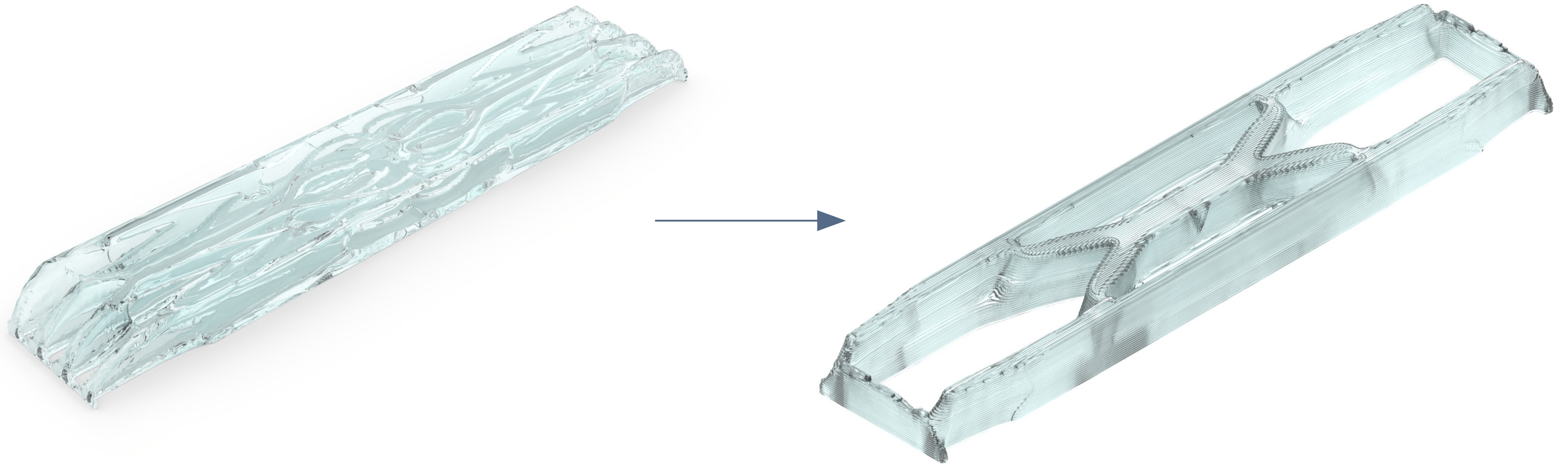


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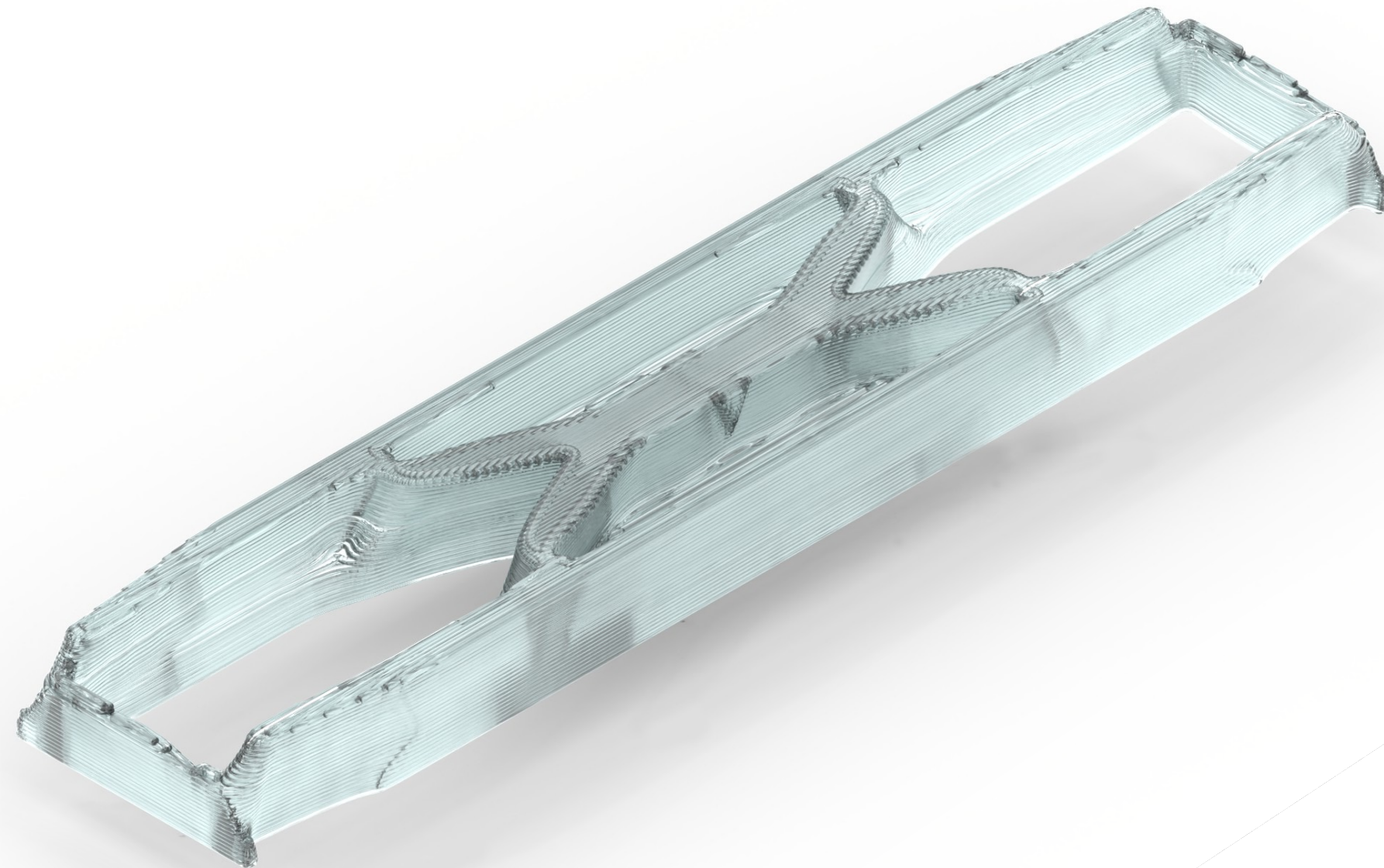
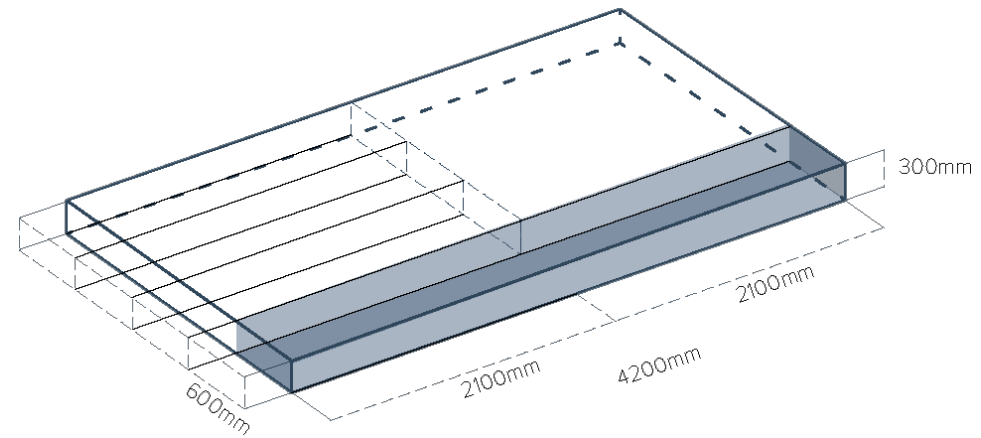


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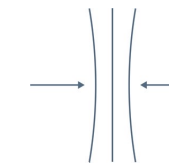
Final output



Final output



Vol 0.3
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vol 0.37



- 4.8N/mm²

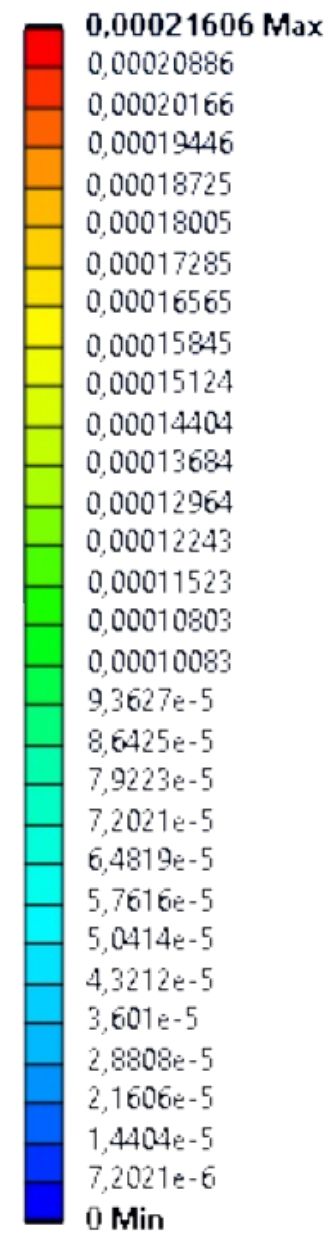


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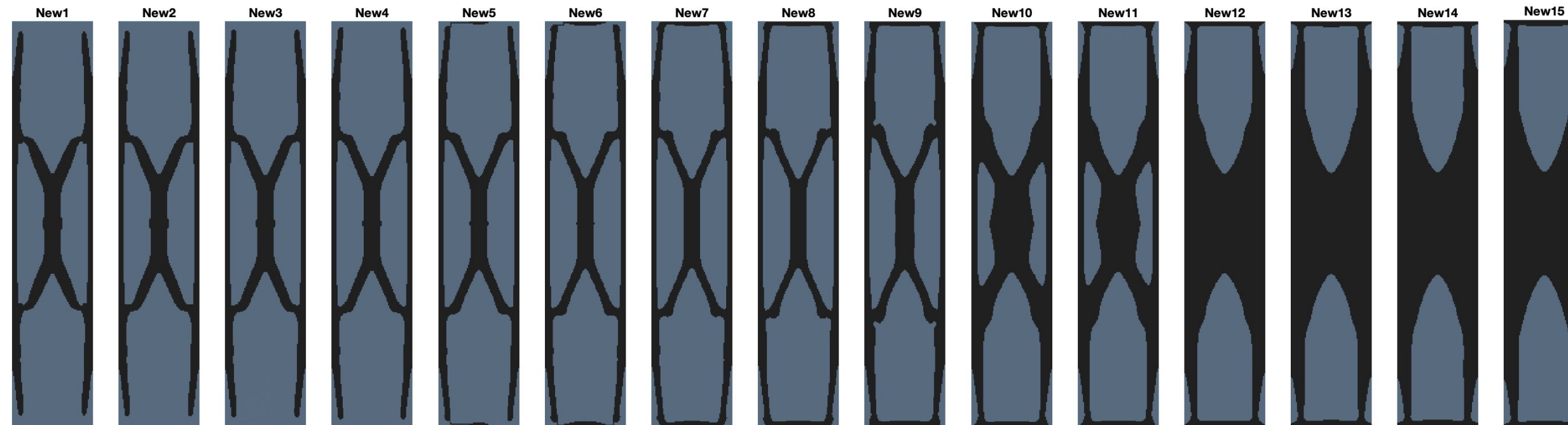
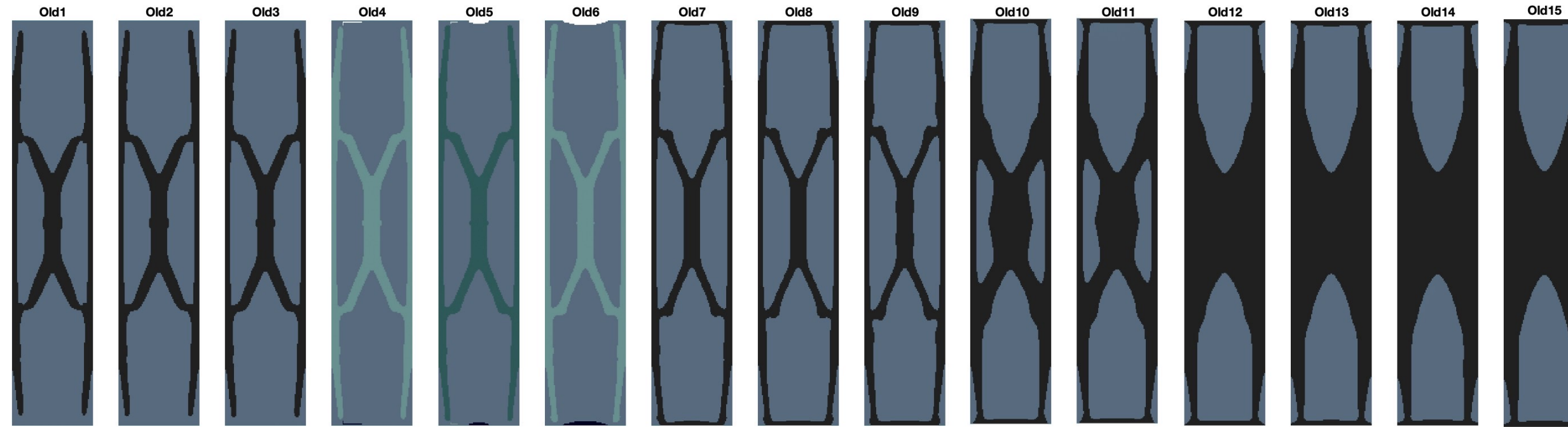


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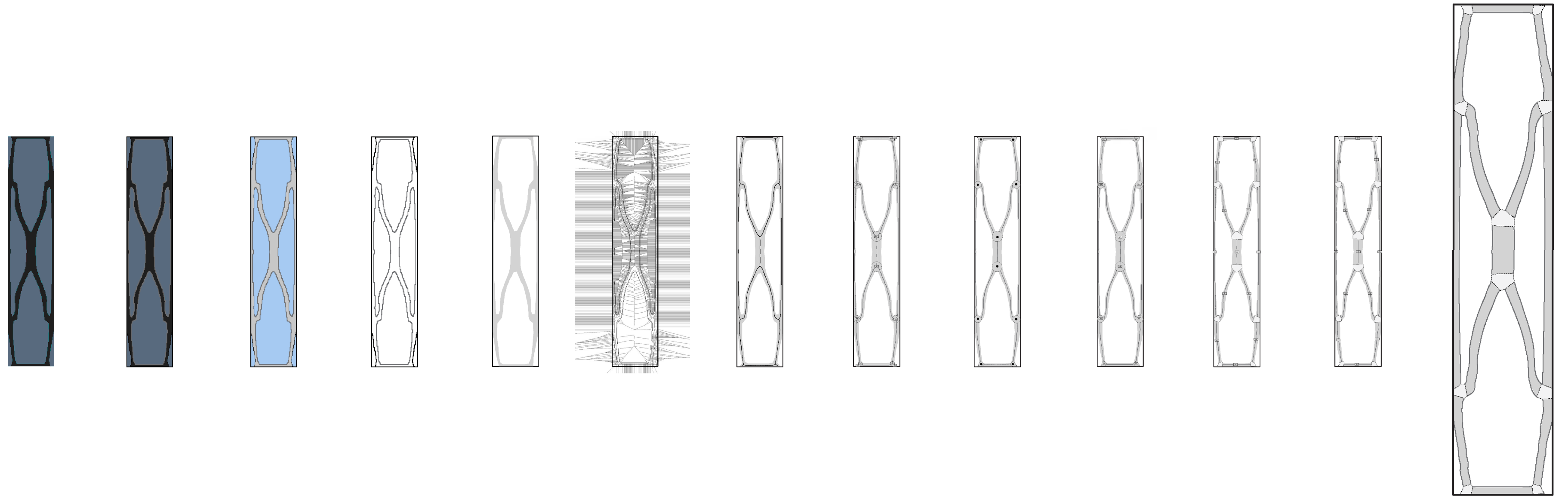
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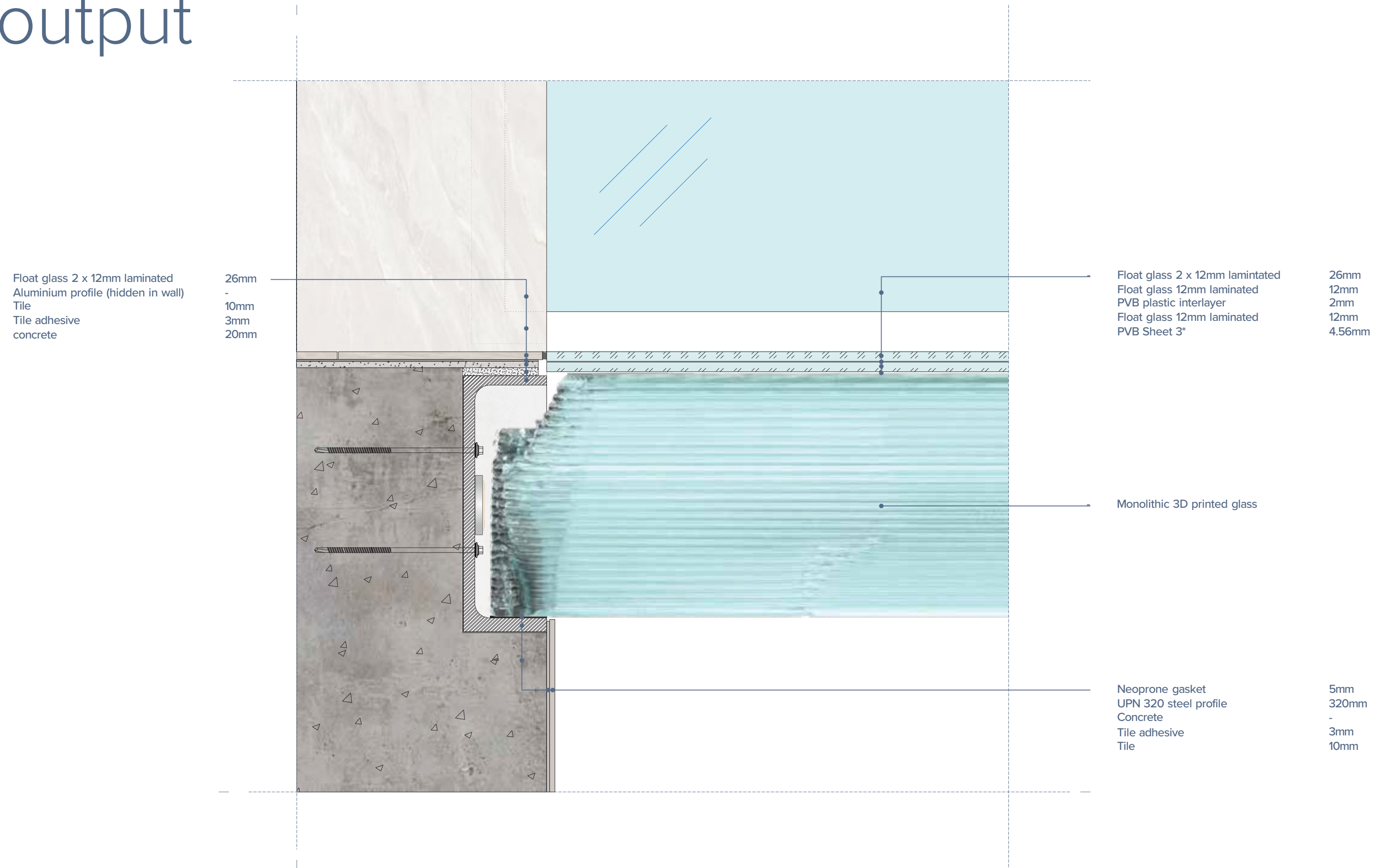
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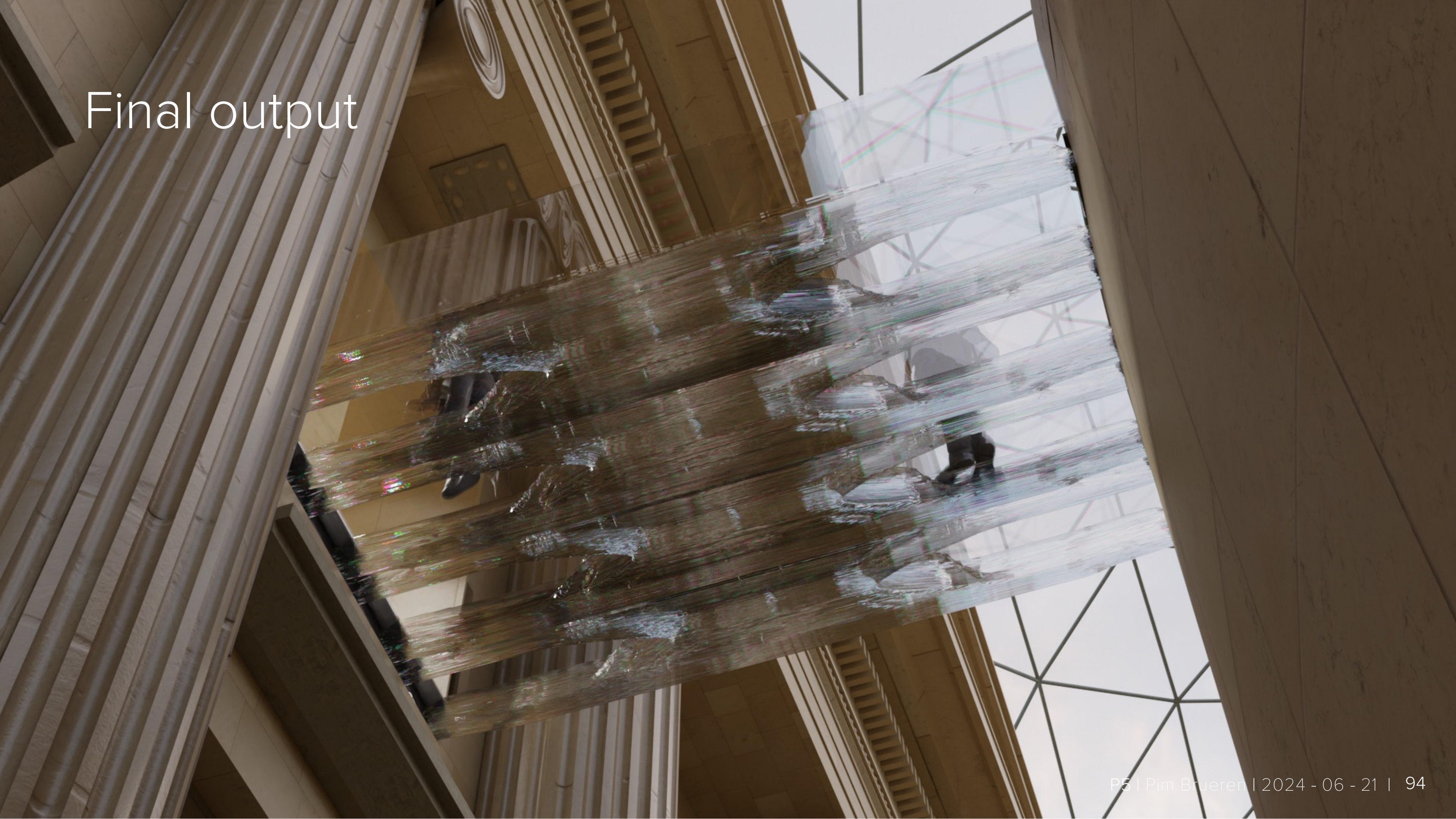
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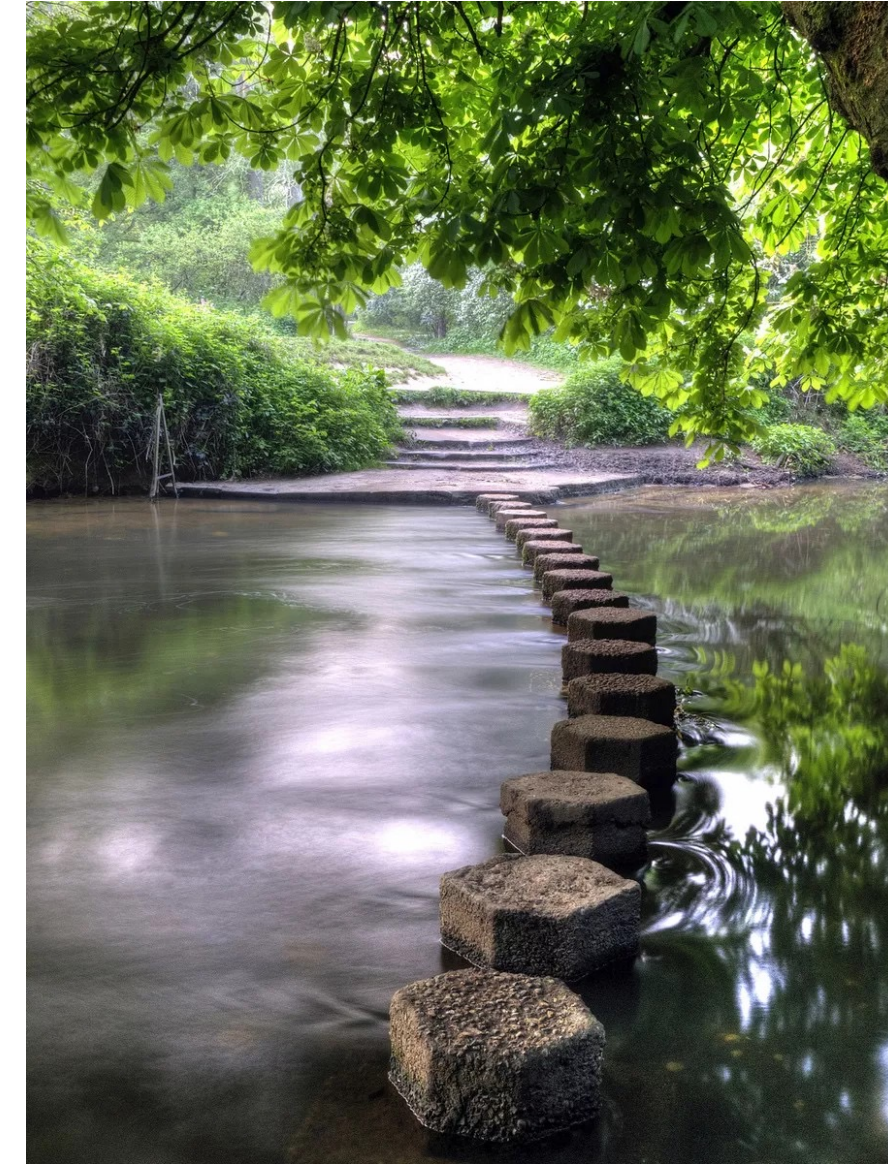
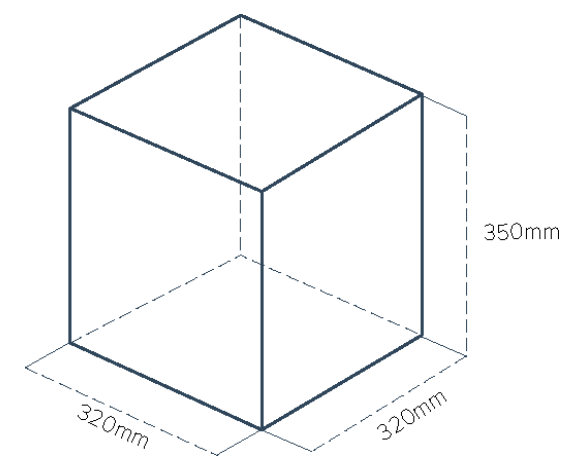
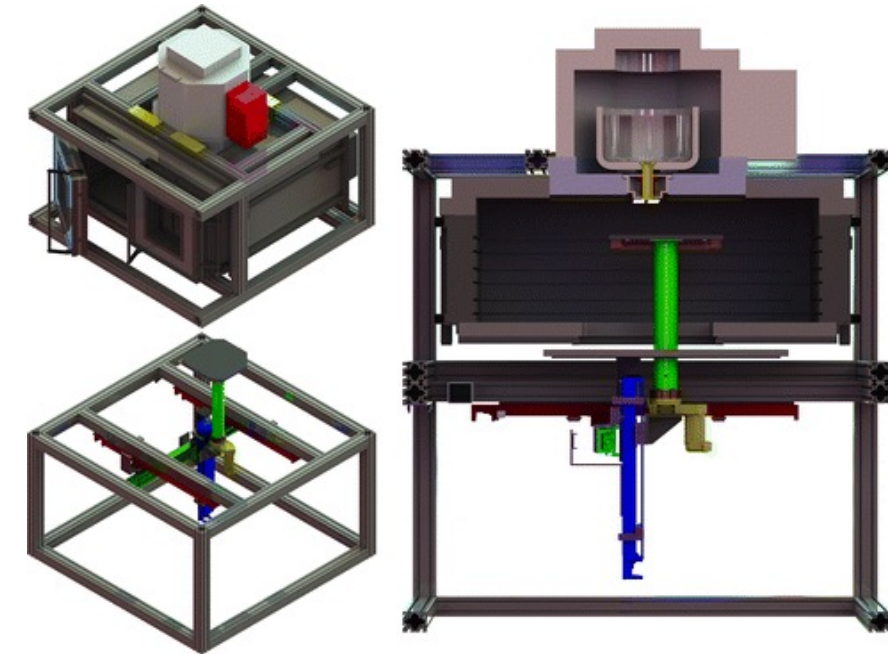


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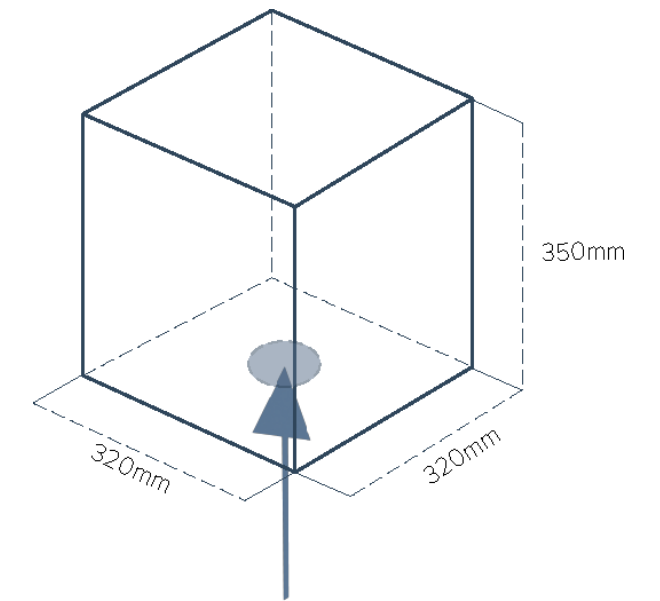
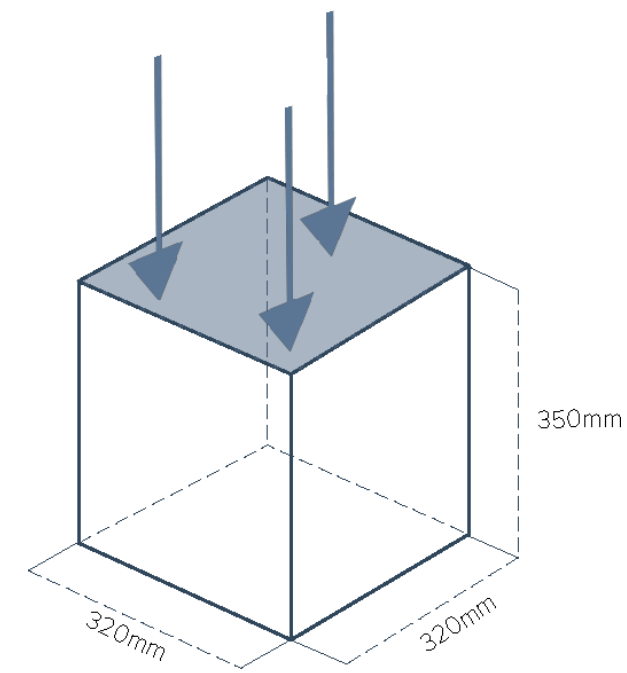
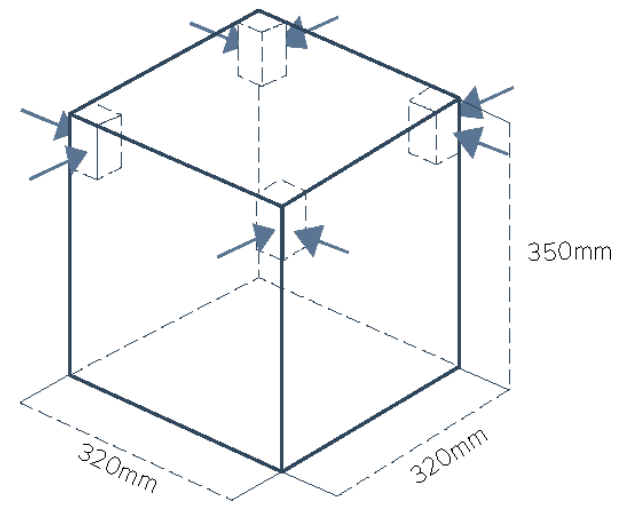
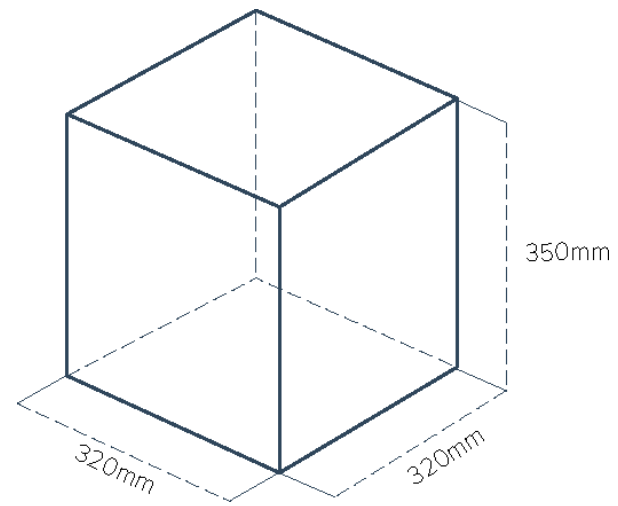
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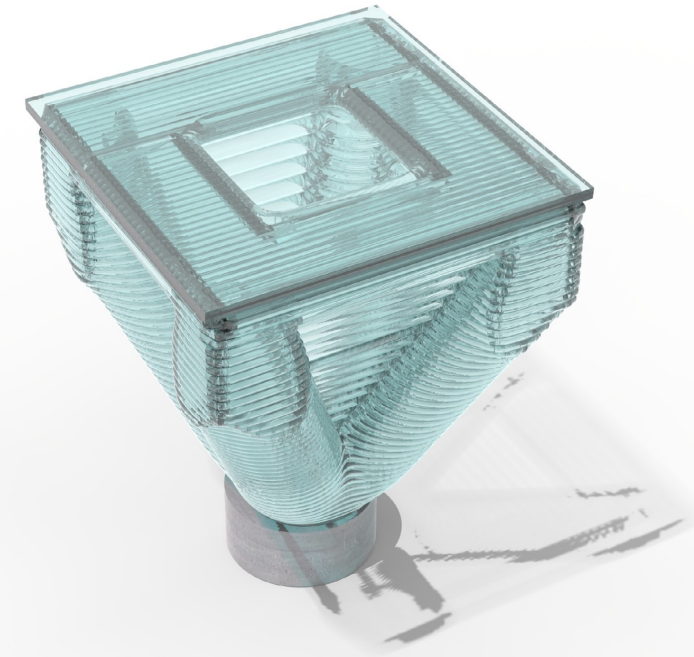
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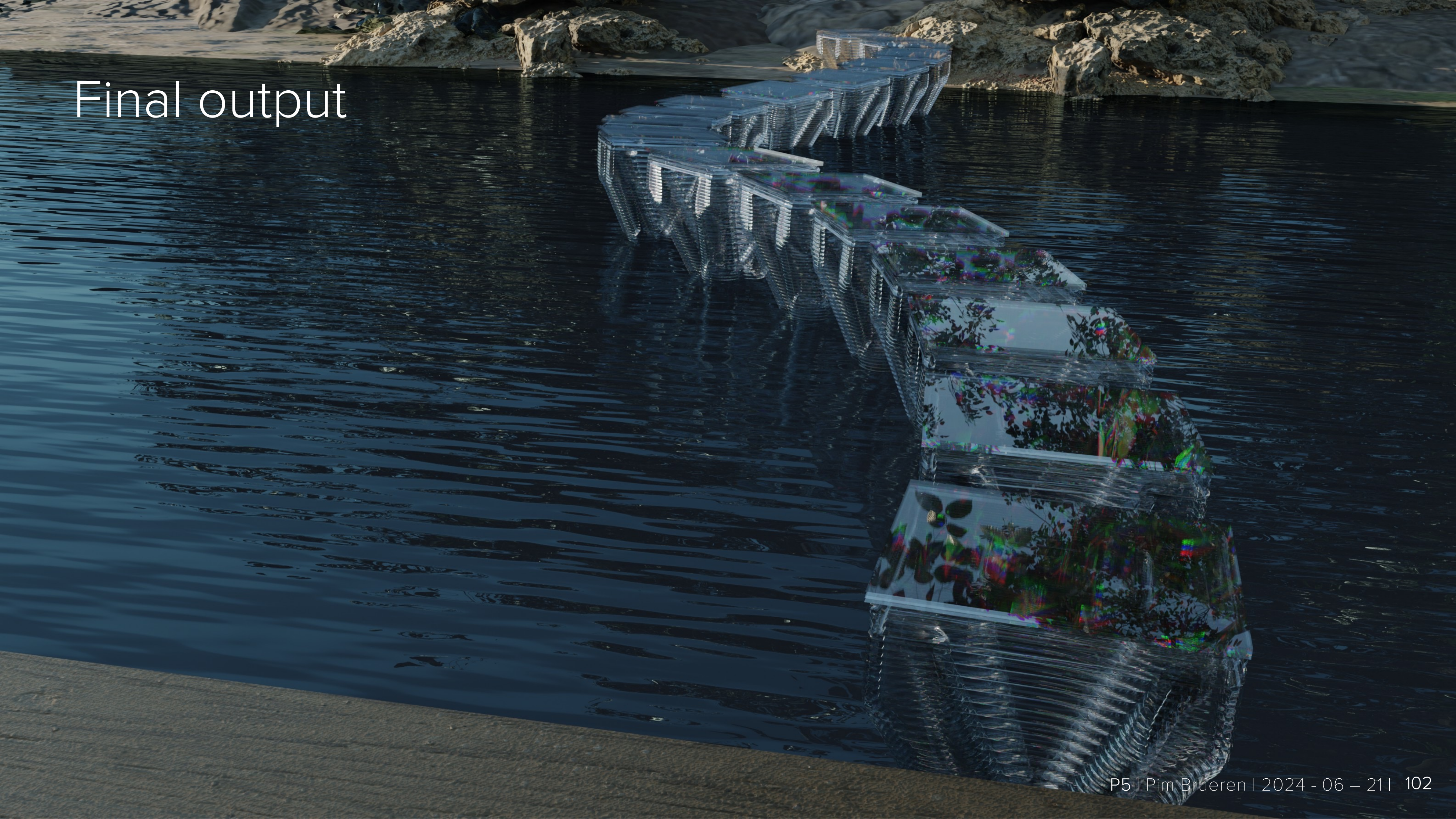


Stepping stones

Final output



Final output



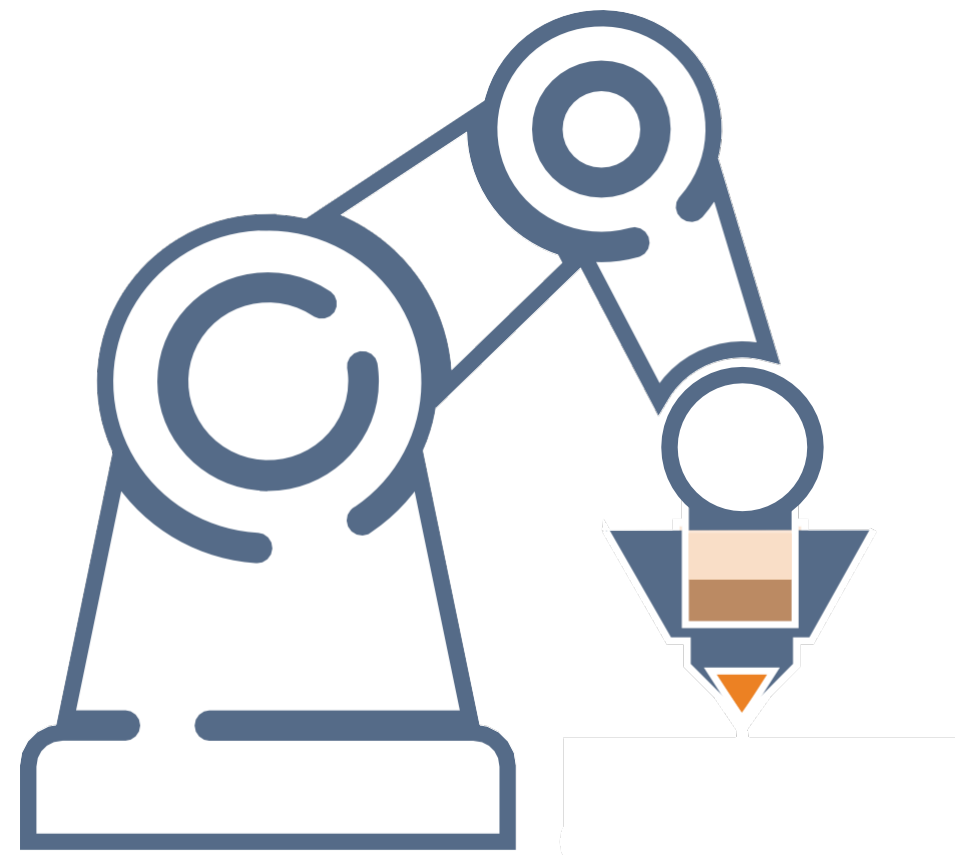
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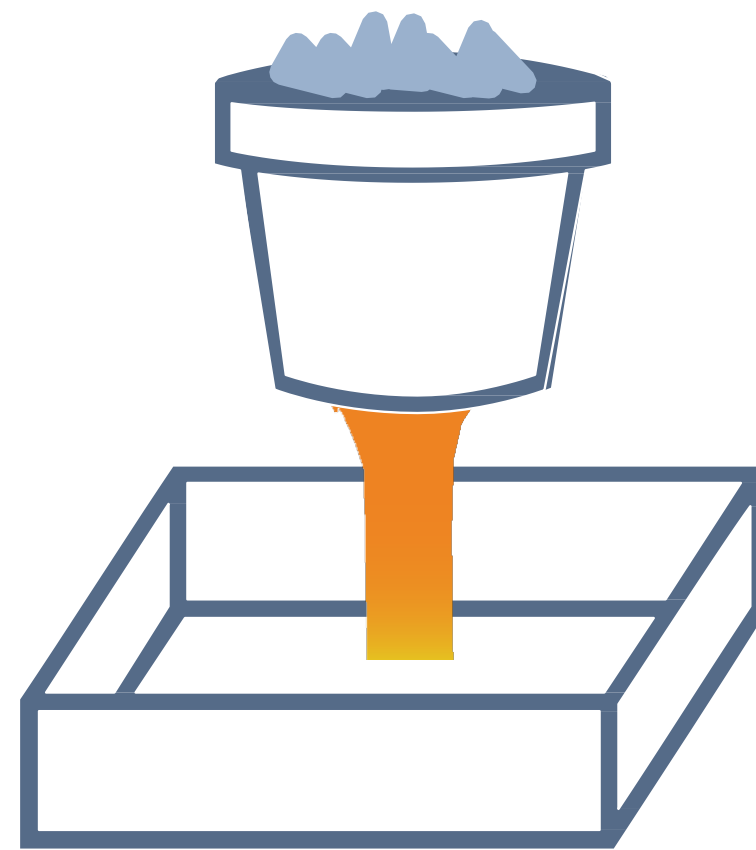
Yeah, cool, so...

Can we make a prototype out of **glass**?

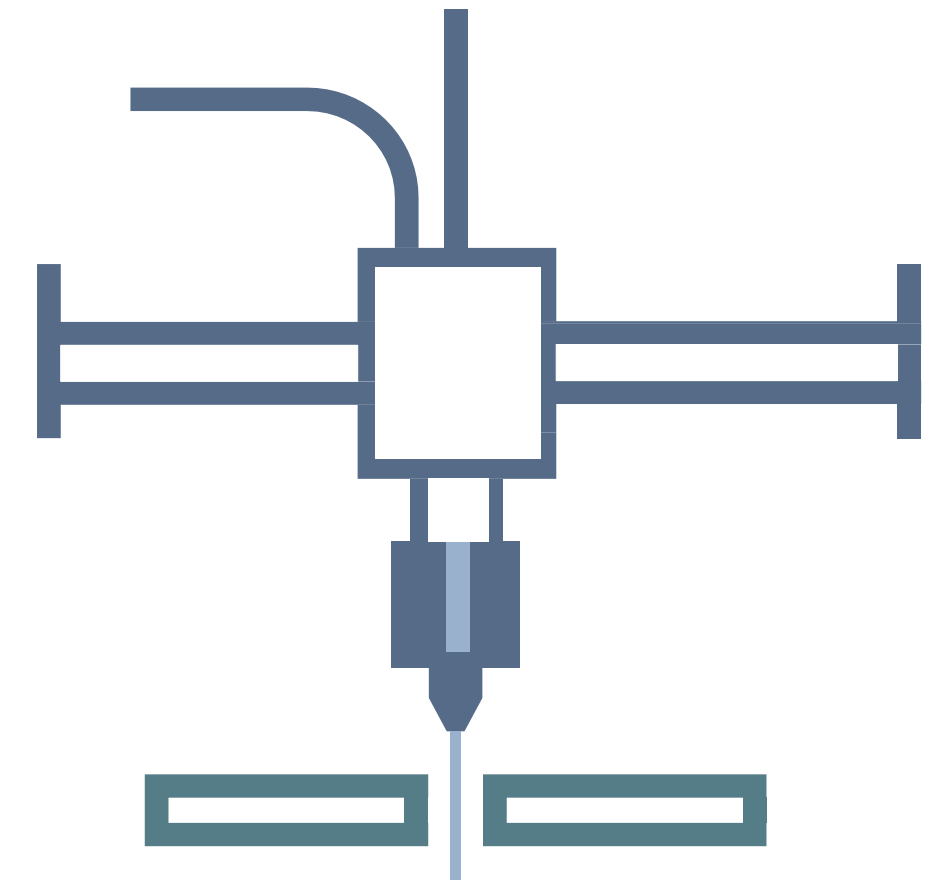
Production



Large scale 3D printer (plastic)

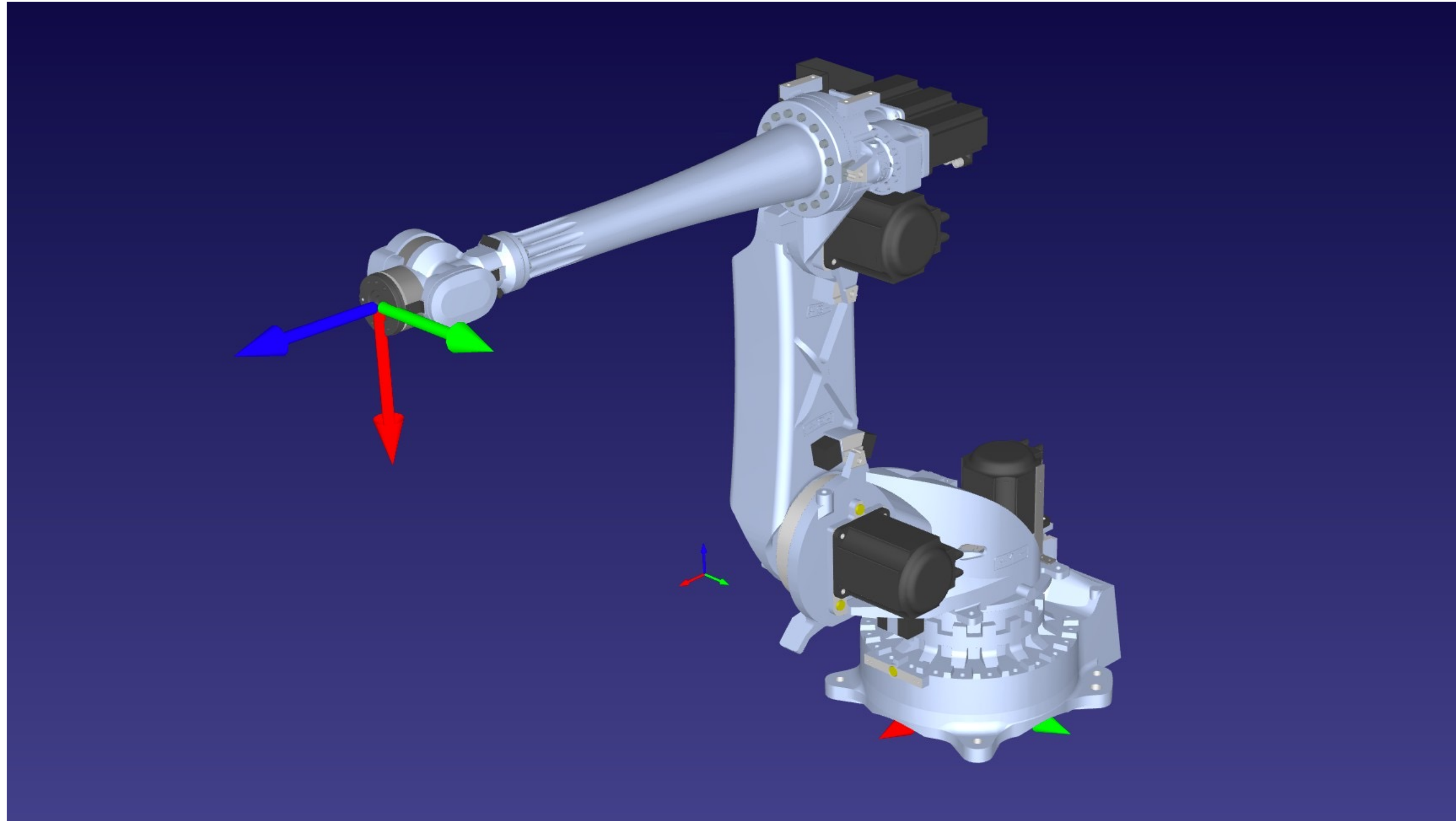


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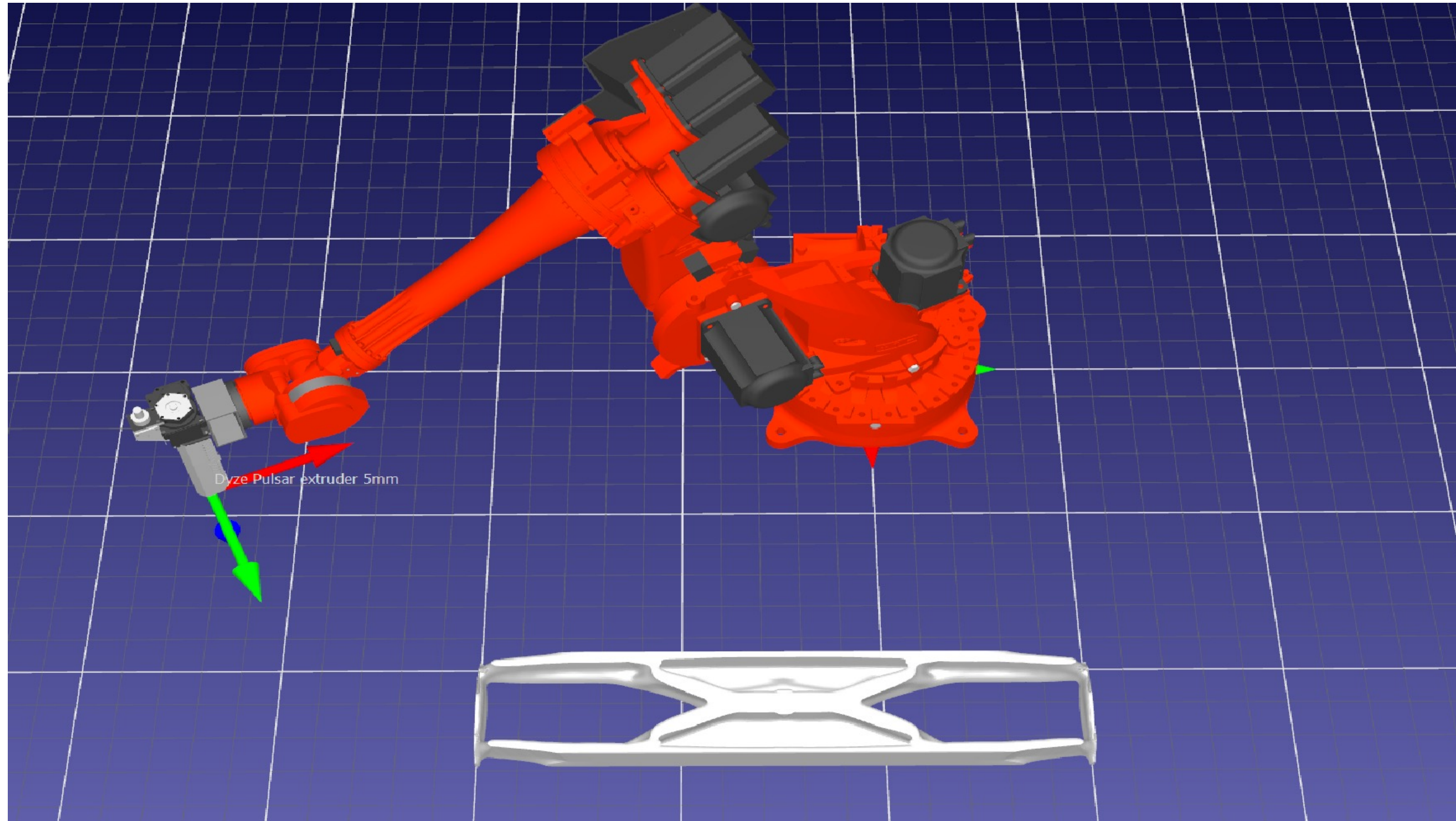
Waterjet cutting

Production



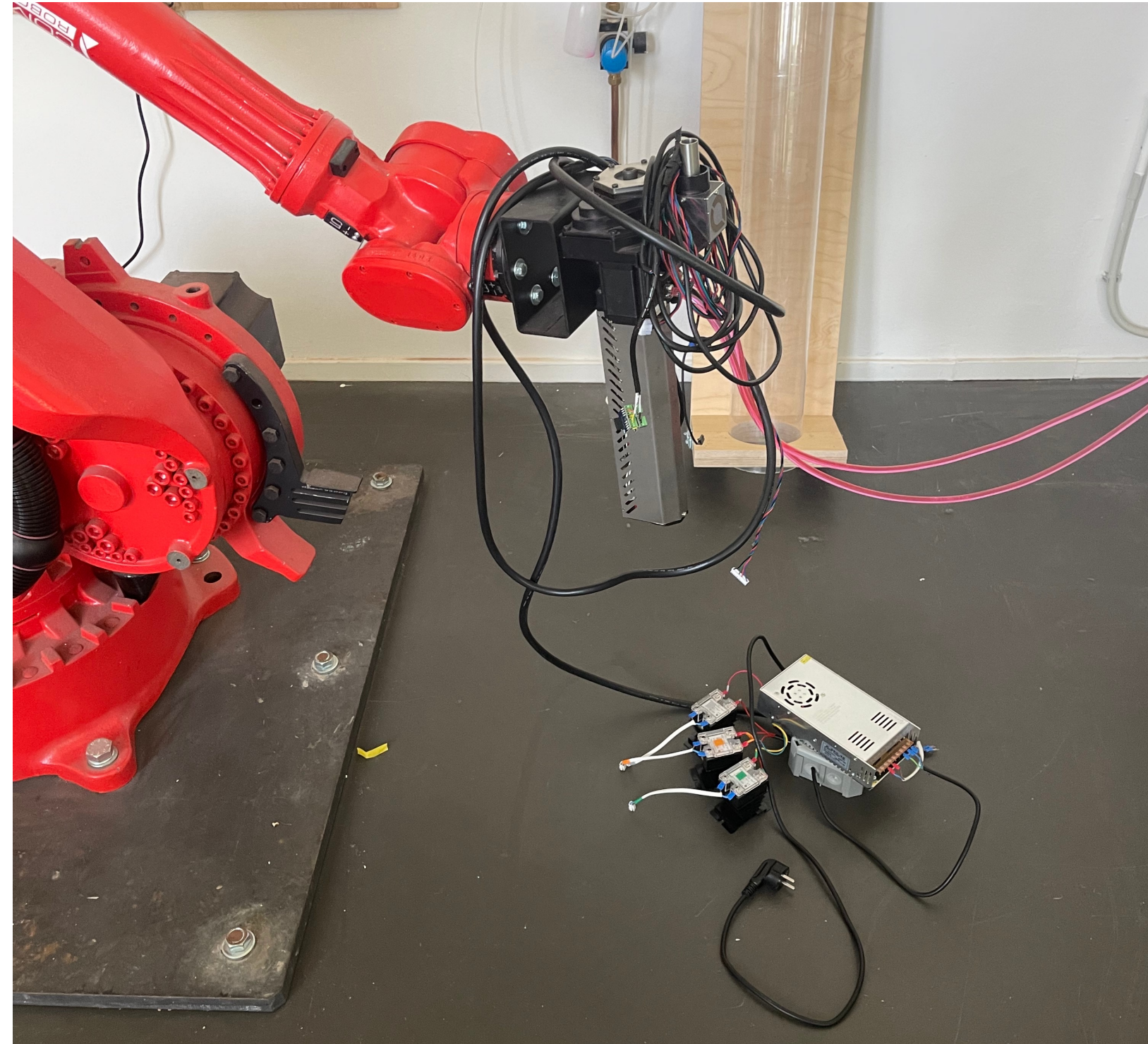
Starting with ROBODK

Production



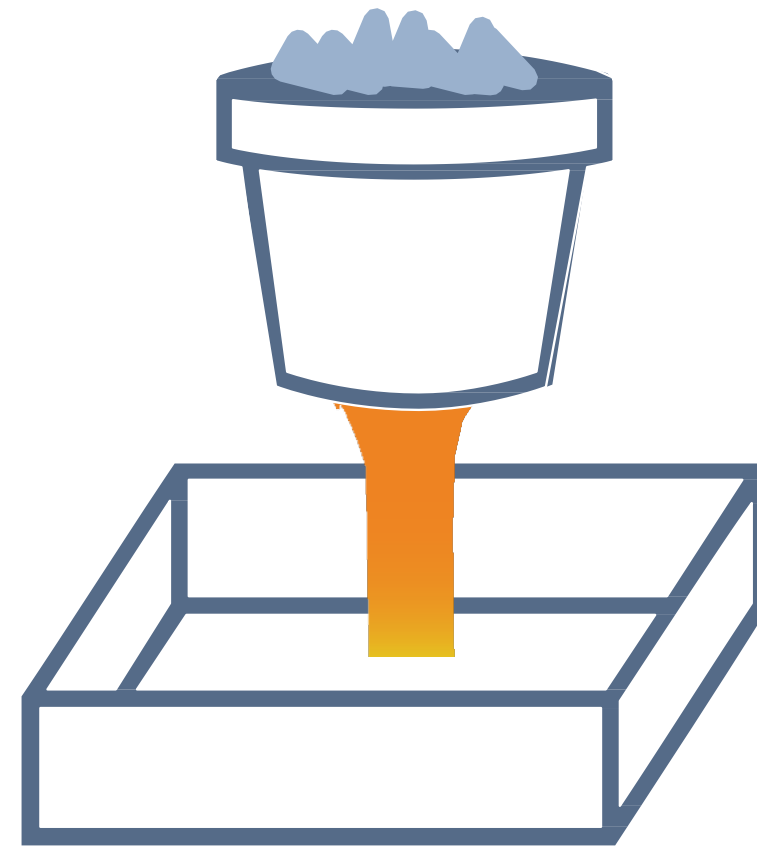
Total setup ROBODK, ready for printing

Production



Comau robot with broken Dyze extruder

Production



Casting

Production

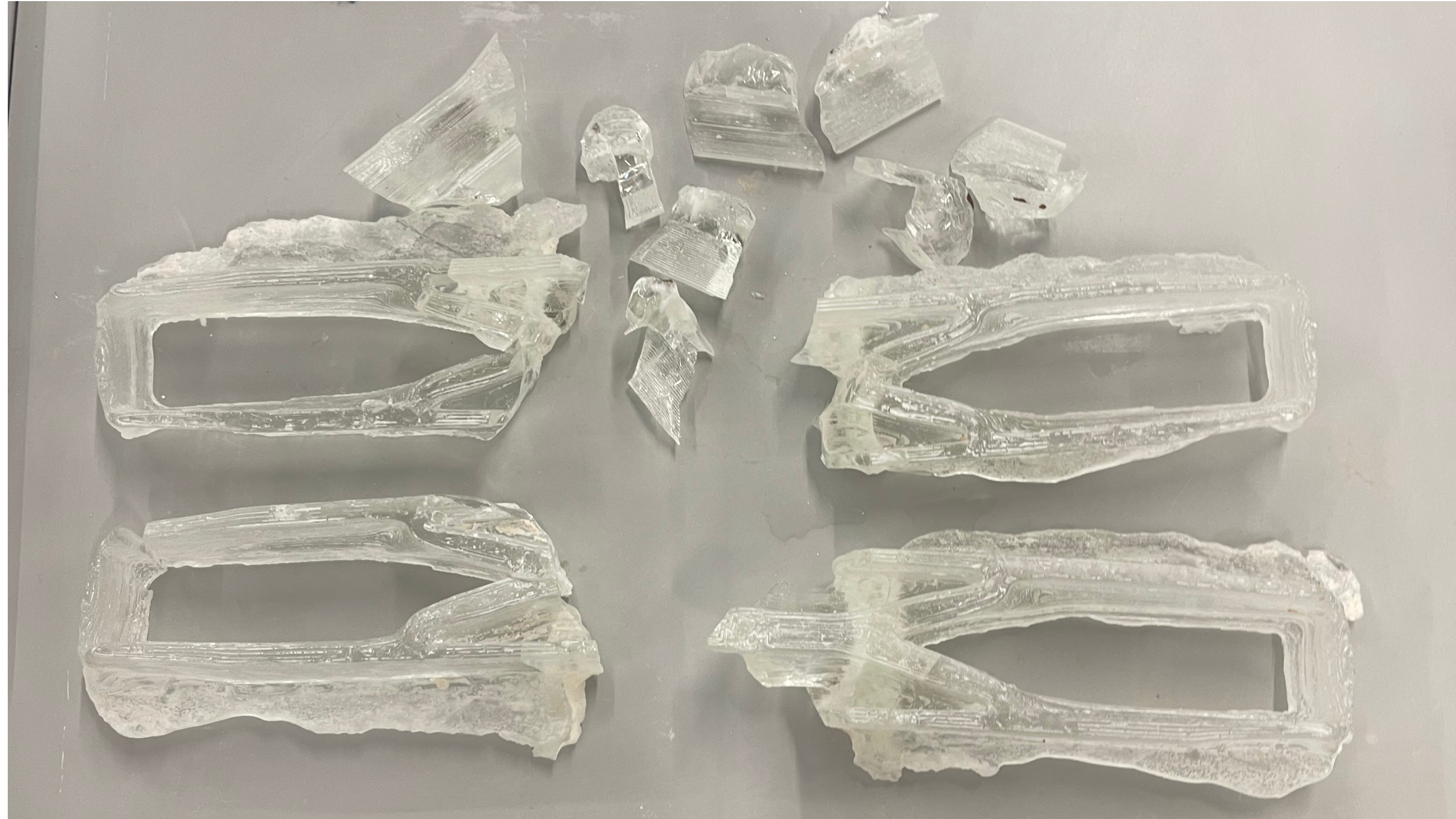


Production



Flowerpots broken into the glass prototype

Production



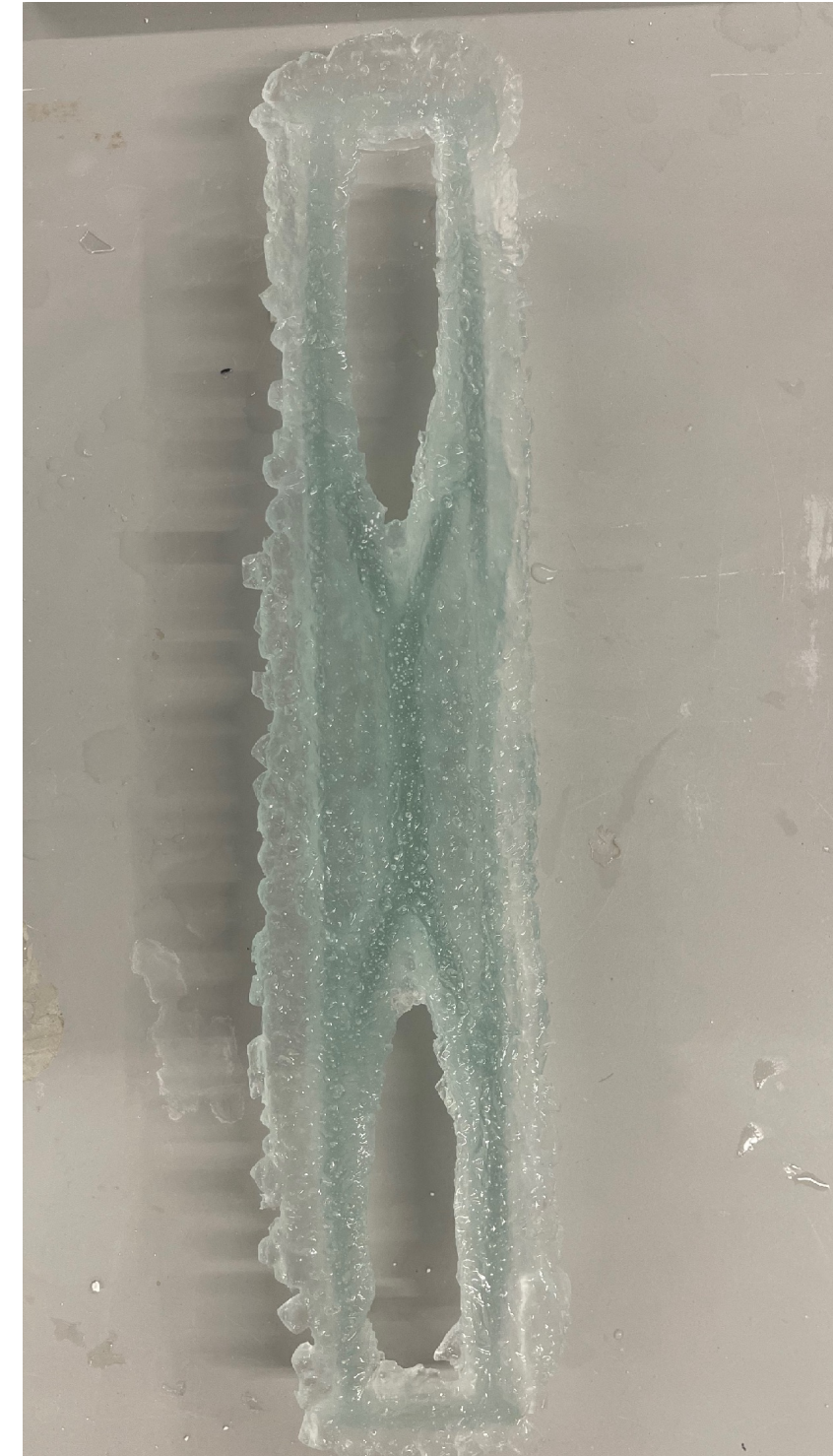
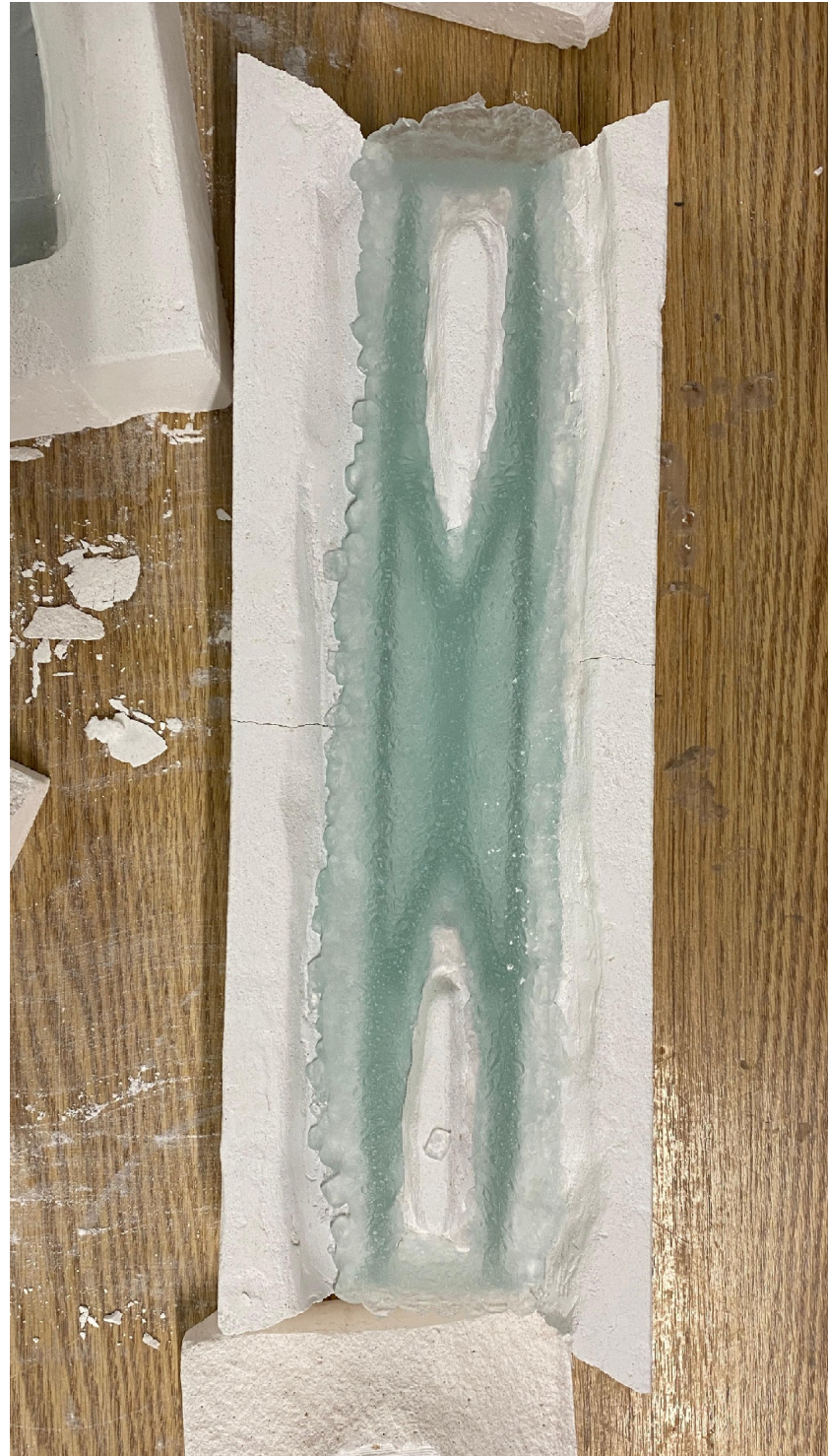
The remaining pieces of the prototype

Production



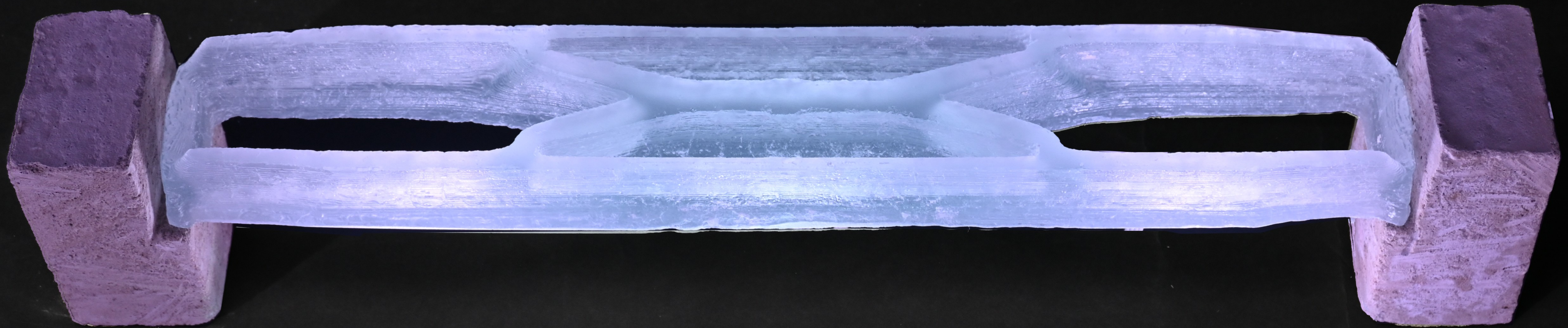
The new float glass prototype with all glass inside the mold

Production

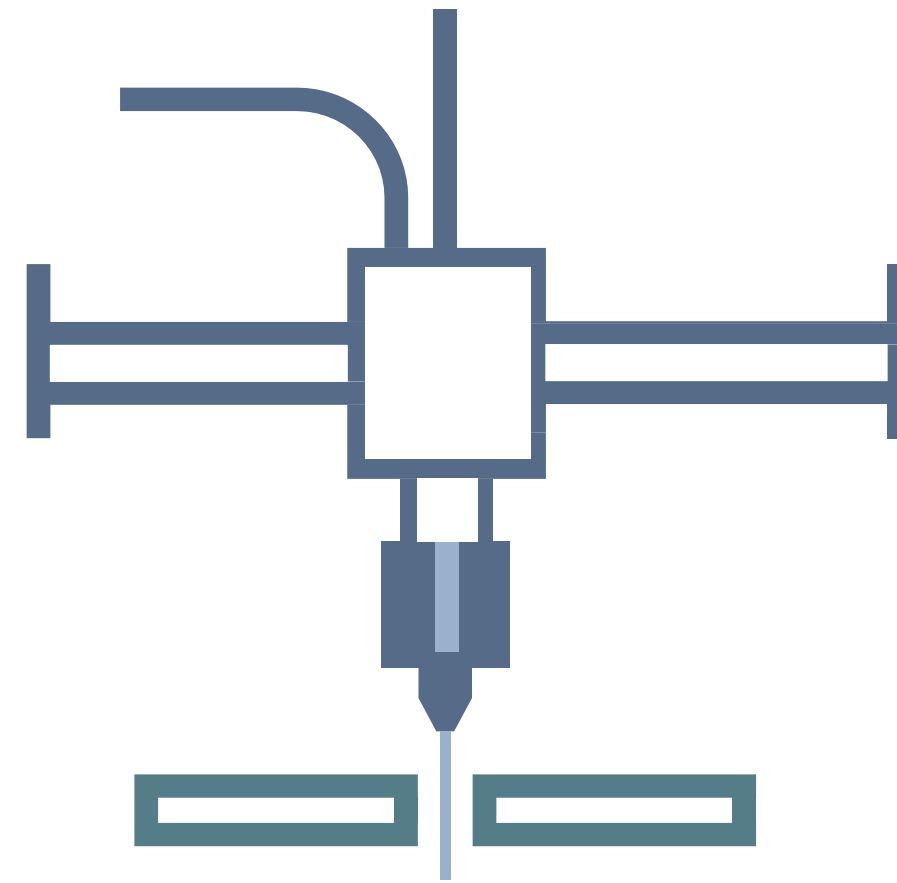


Preparing the mold for final shape

Production



Production



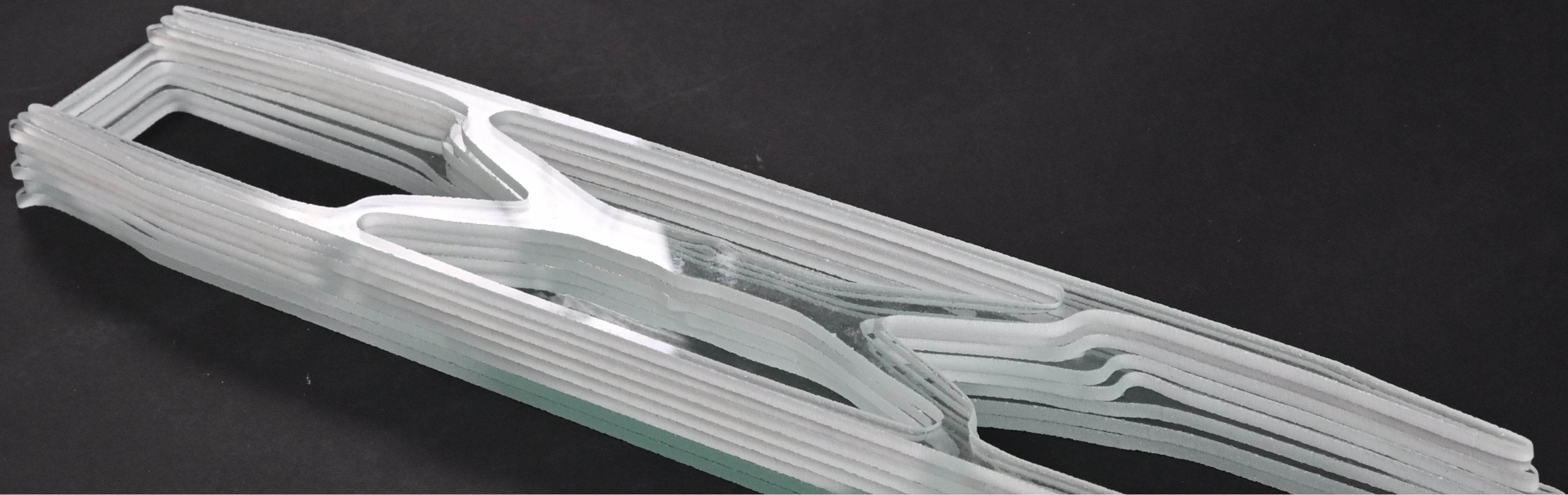
Waterjet cutting

Production



Waterjet Cutter in action

Production



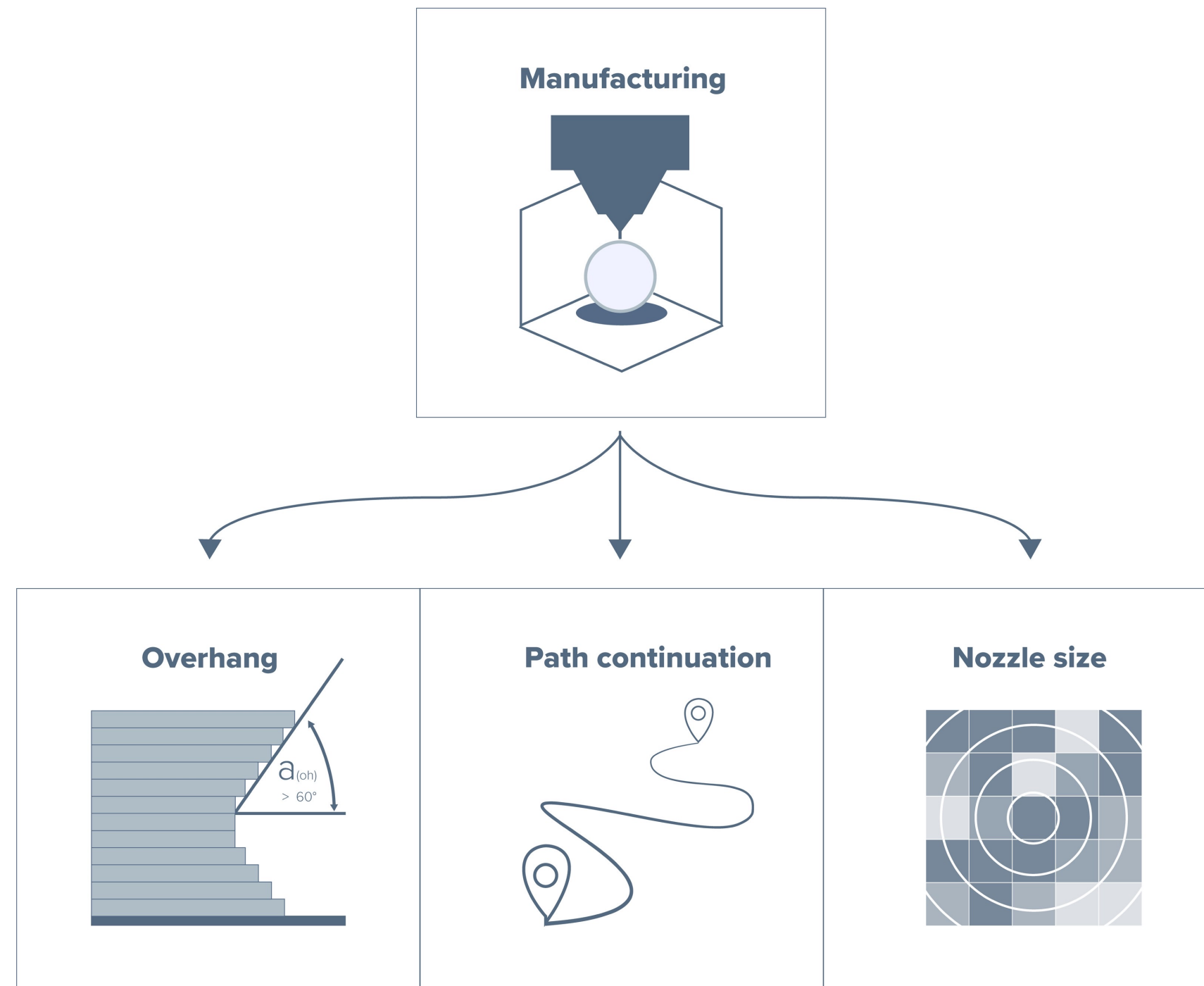
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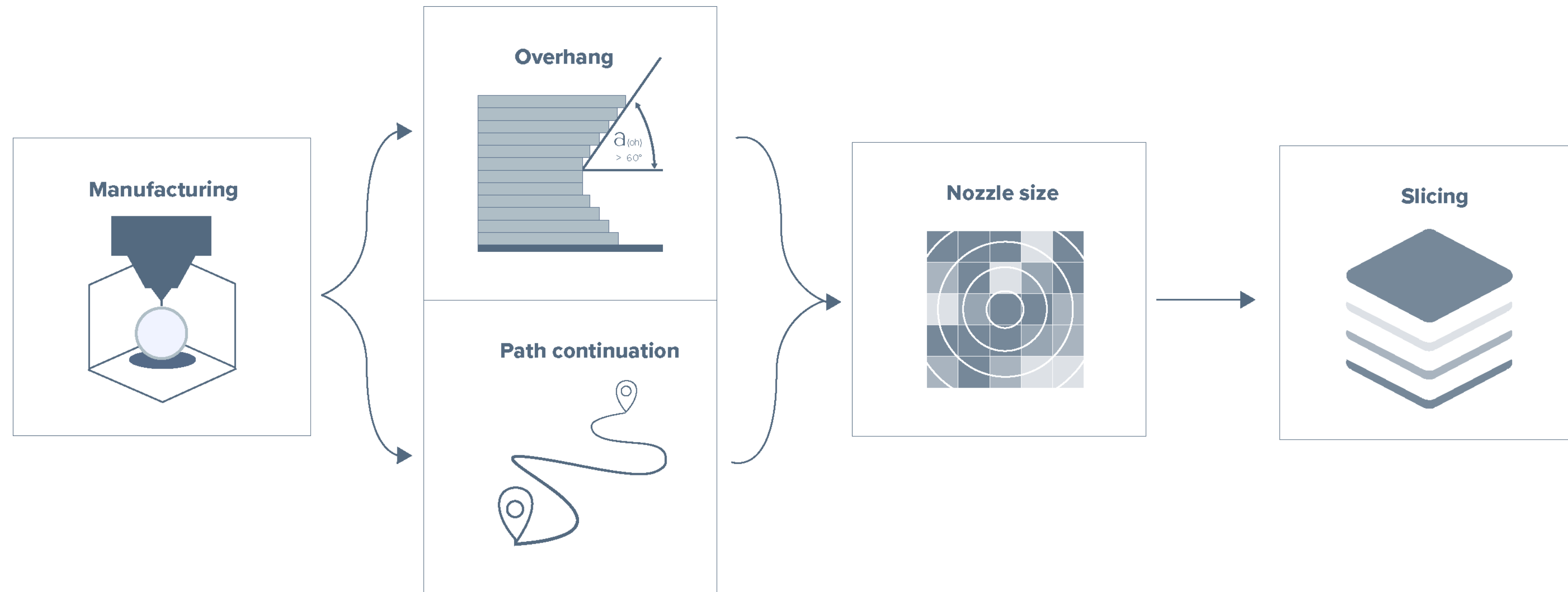
Research question - Concluding

How can the **manufacturing** process be **tailored** to fabricate a **topology-optimized monolithic 3D printed glass structure** while ensuring **effective production** constraints?

Ensuring effective production

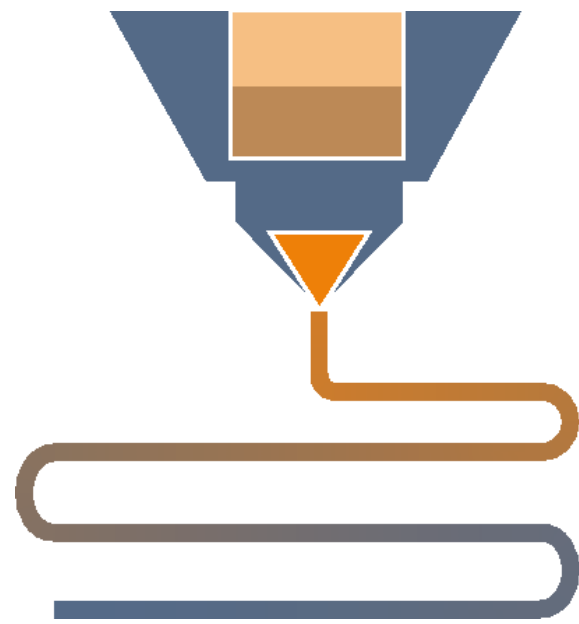


Ensuring effective production



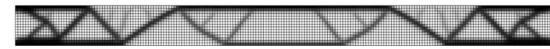
Upsides

manufacturability

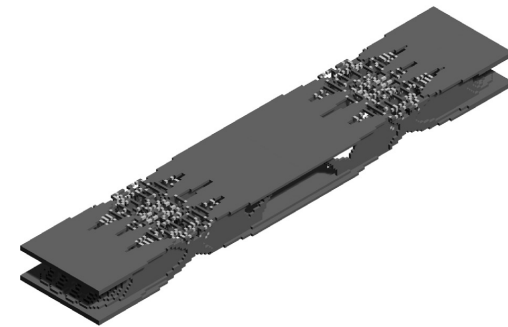


No need for post processing

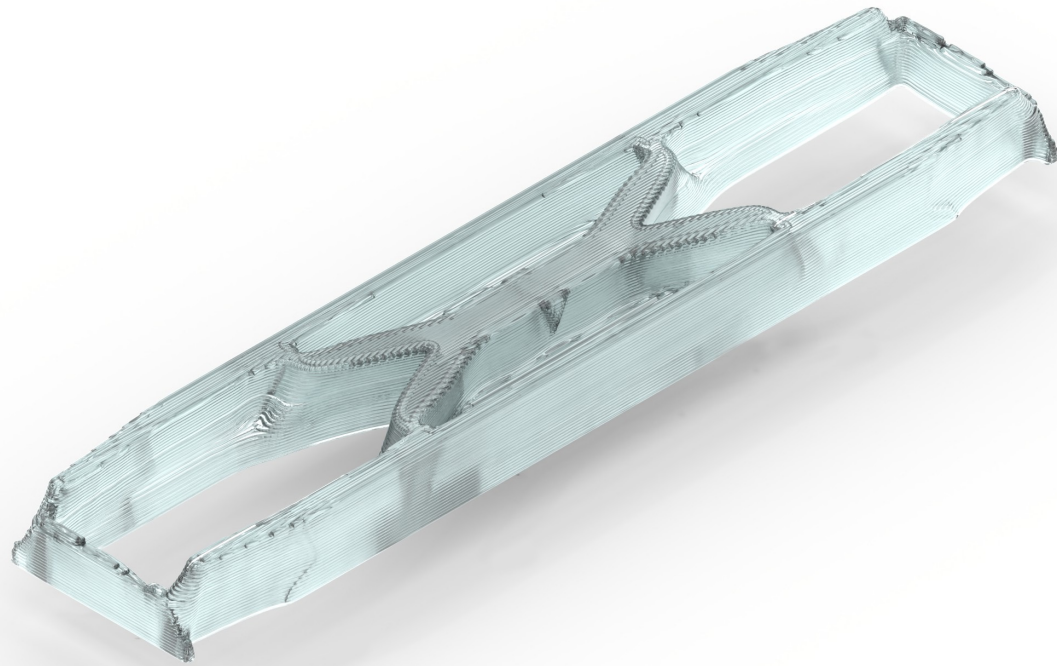
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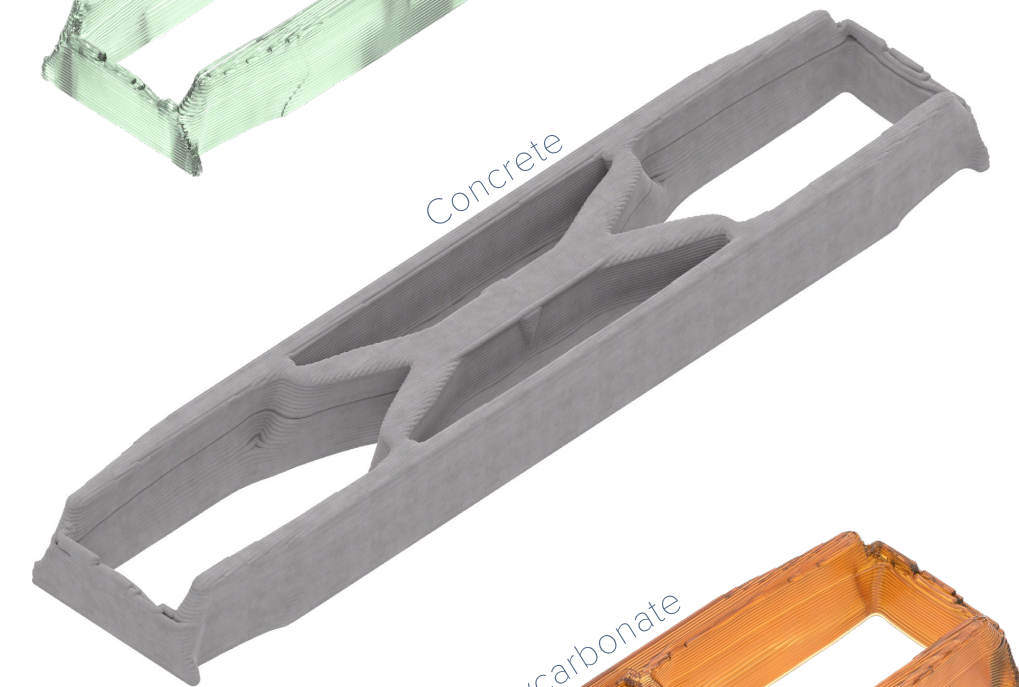
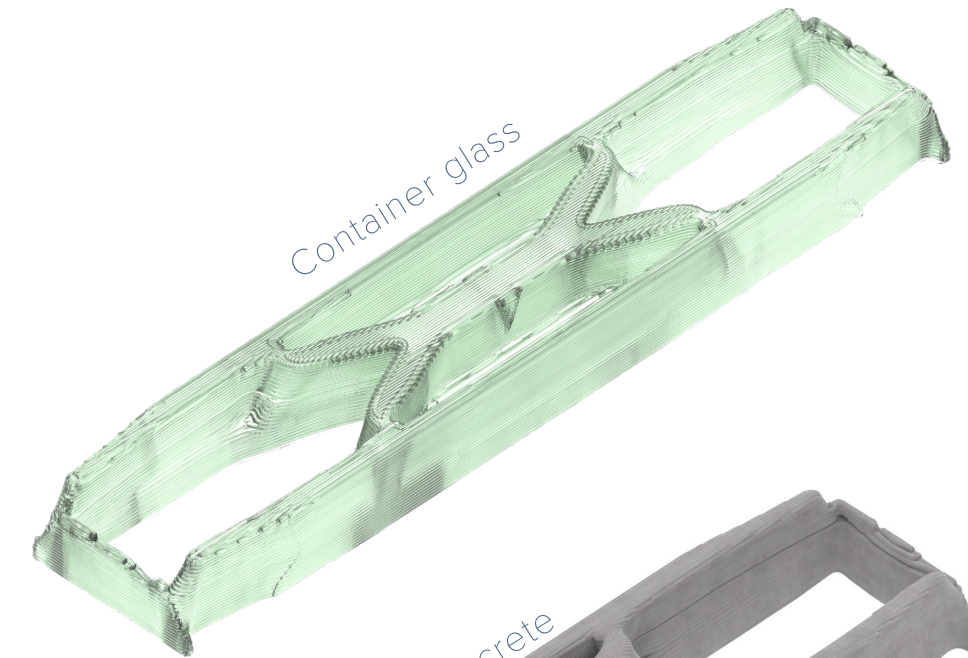
36.000 elements



1.008.000 elements



Not limited to soda-lime glass



Limitations

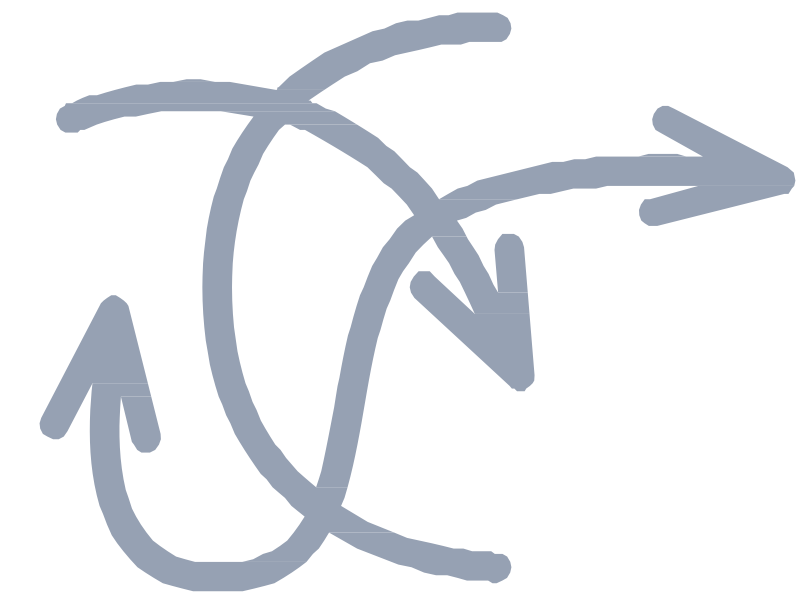
Computational time



More expertise needed to provide the right input



Introduction of more steps, more complex



Future research

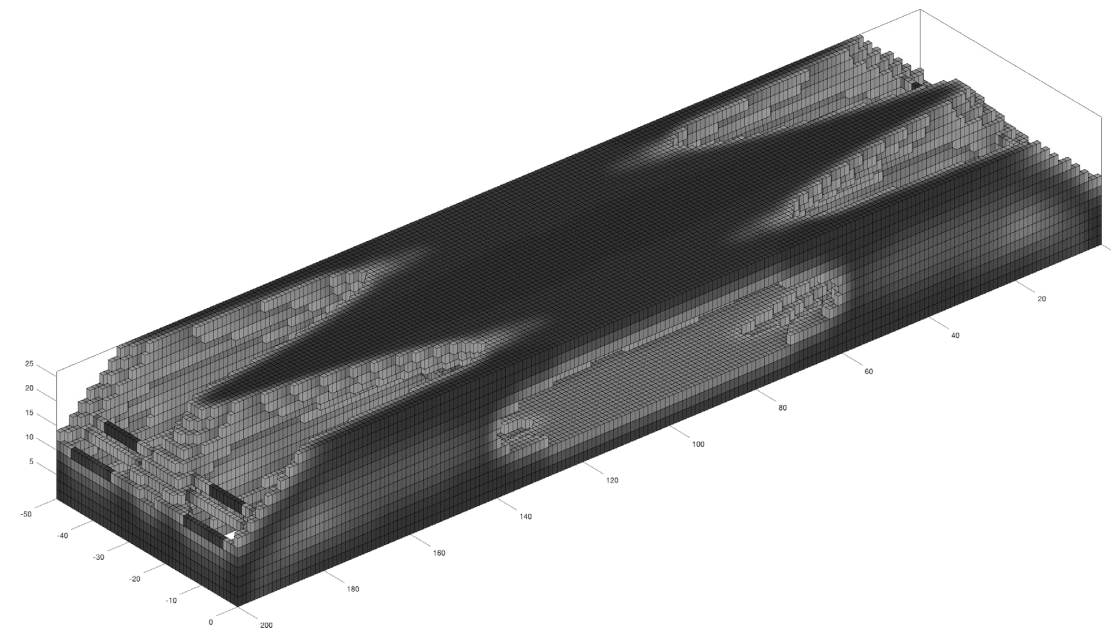


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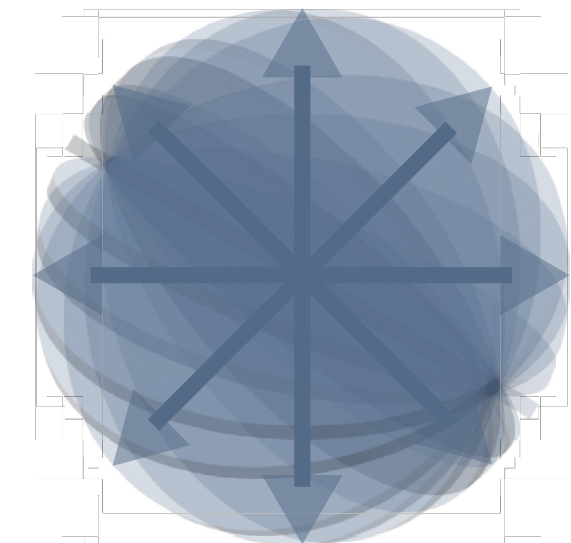
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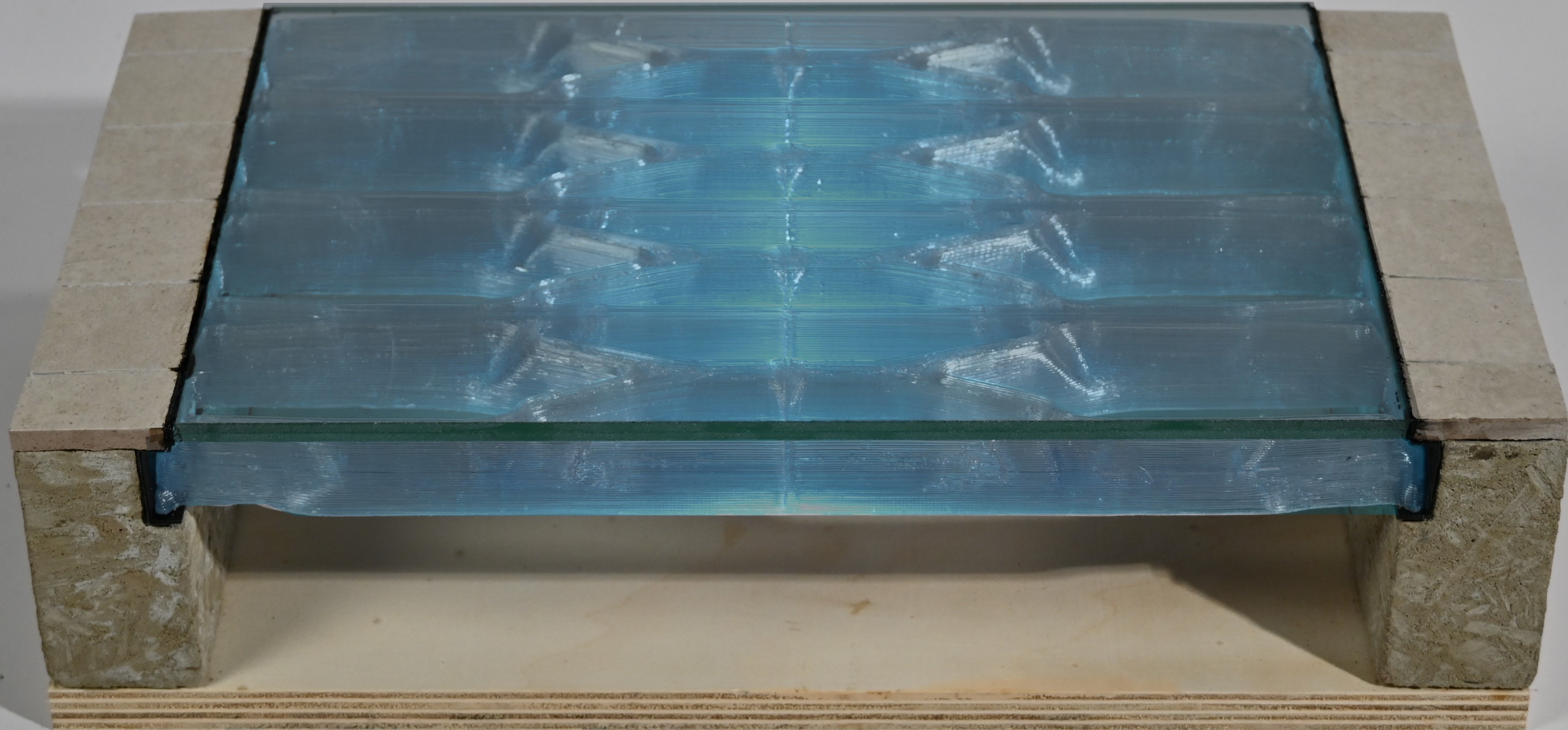
Lost of information due to amount of elements



Anisotropic



Thanks for your attention



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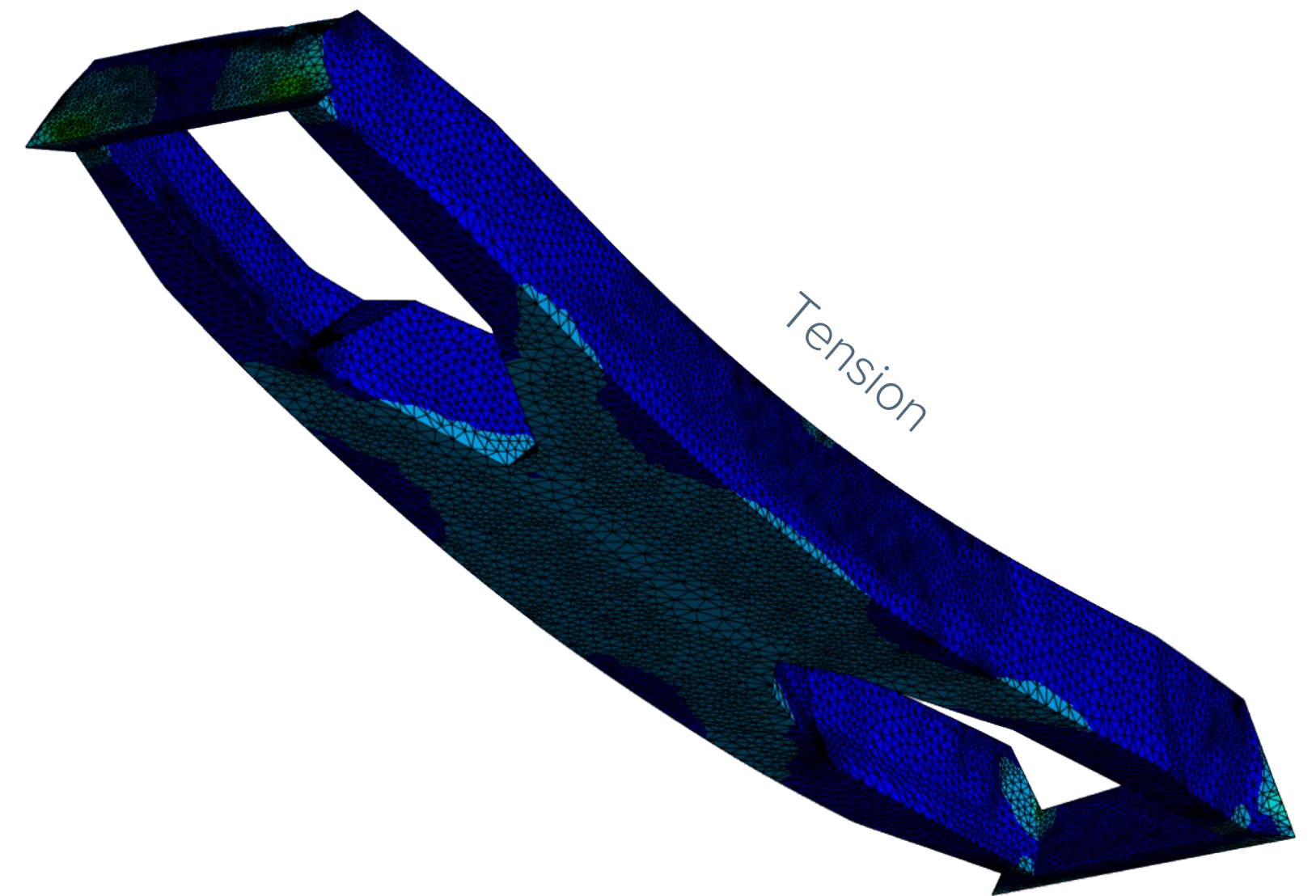
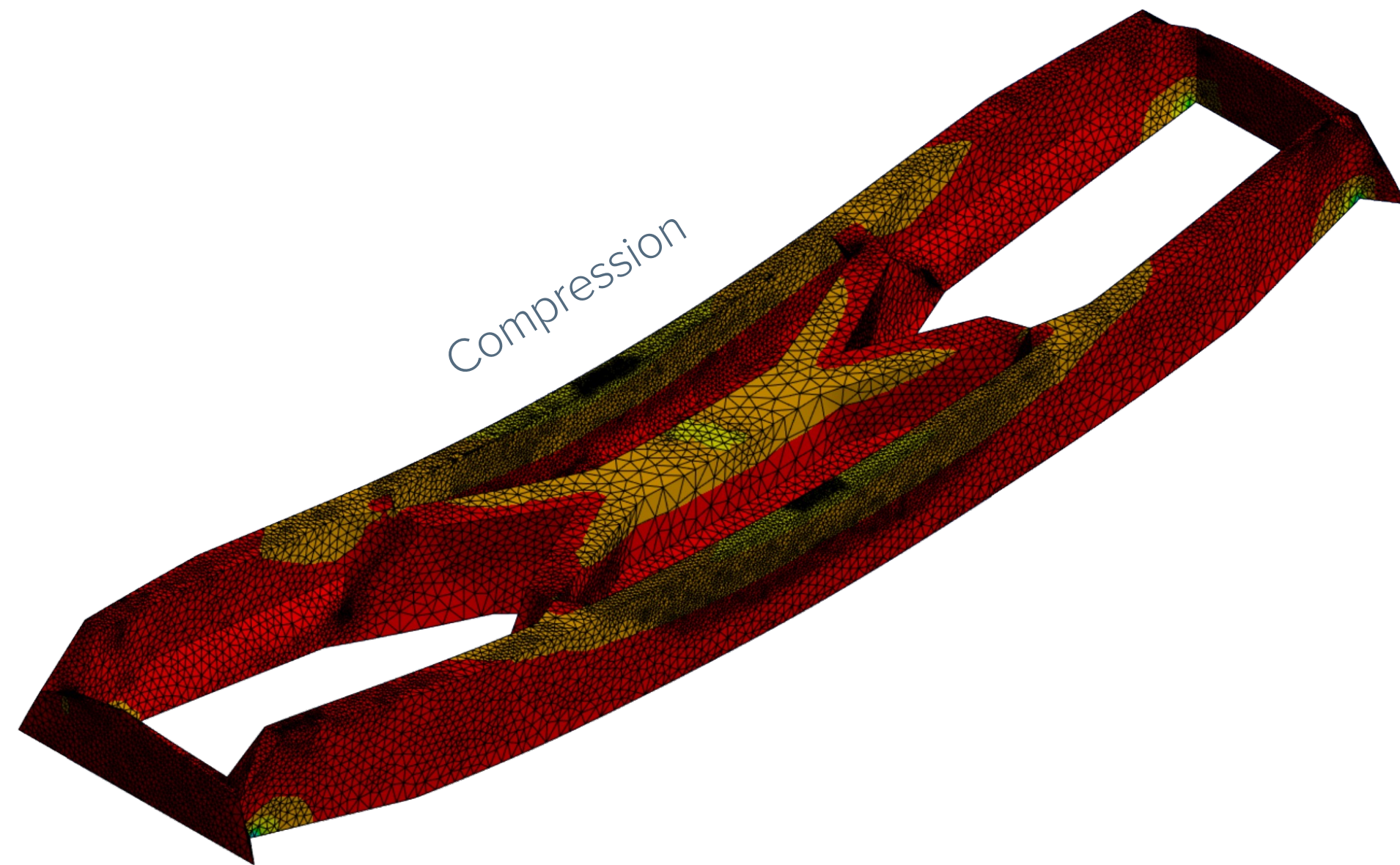
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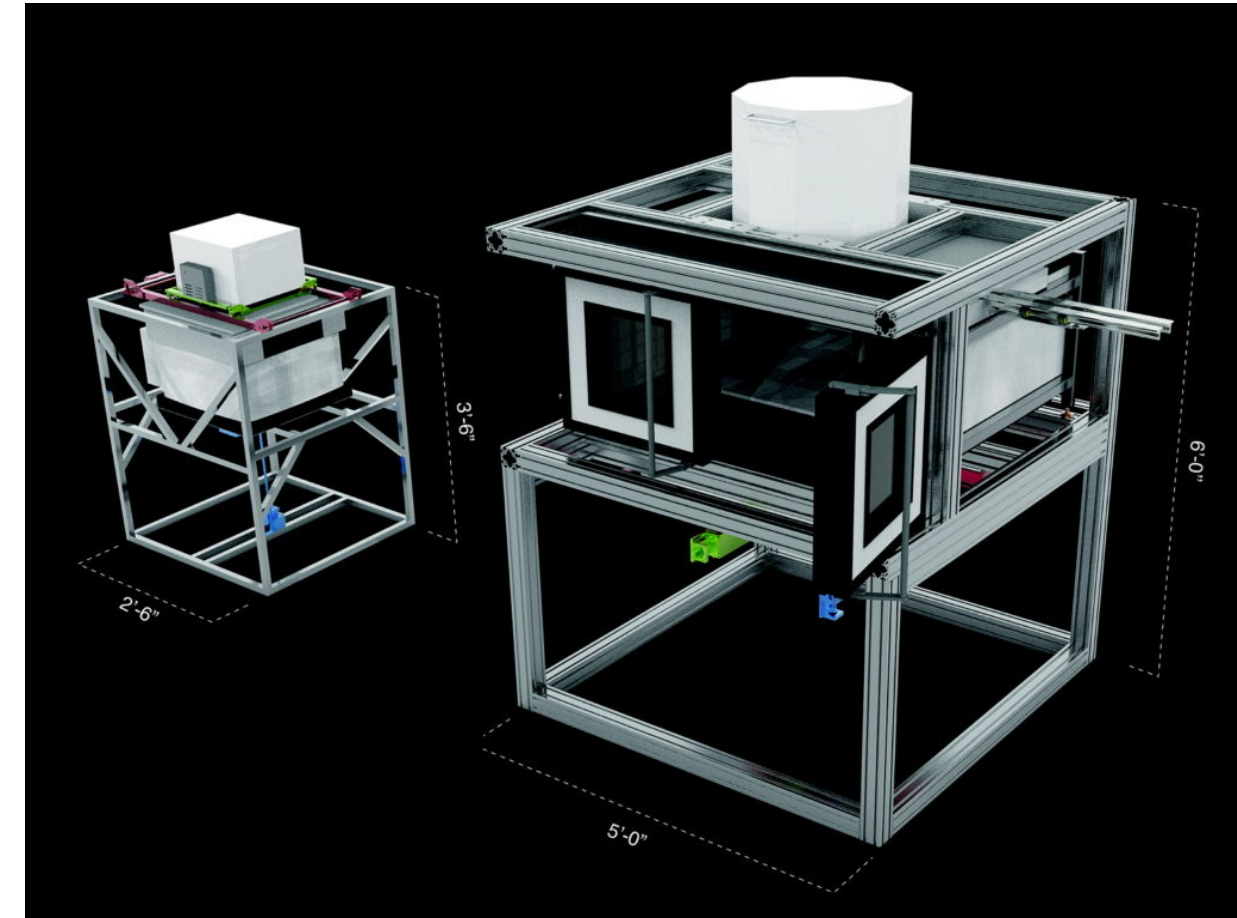


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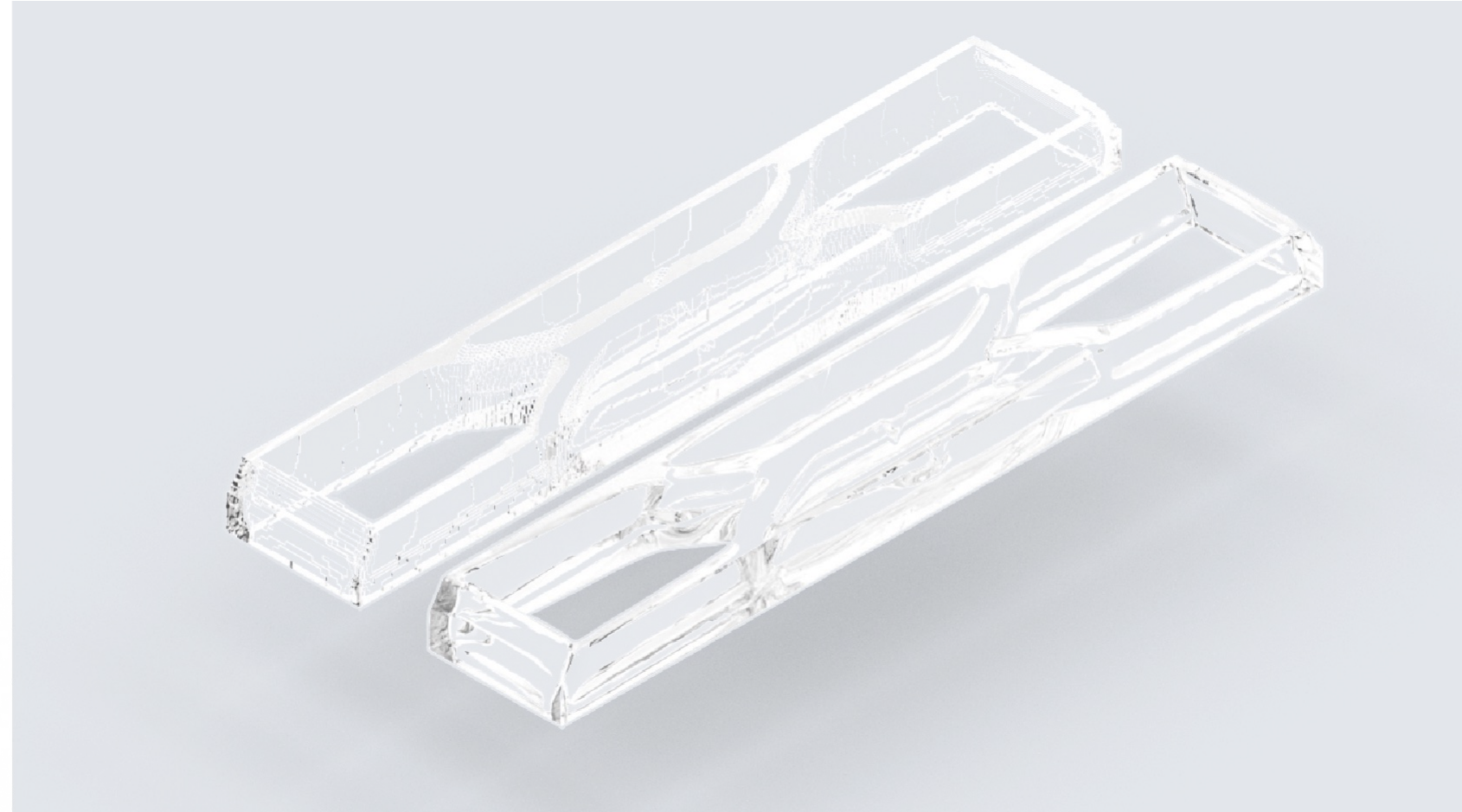
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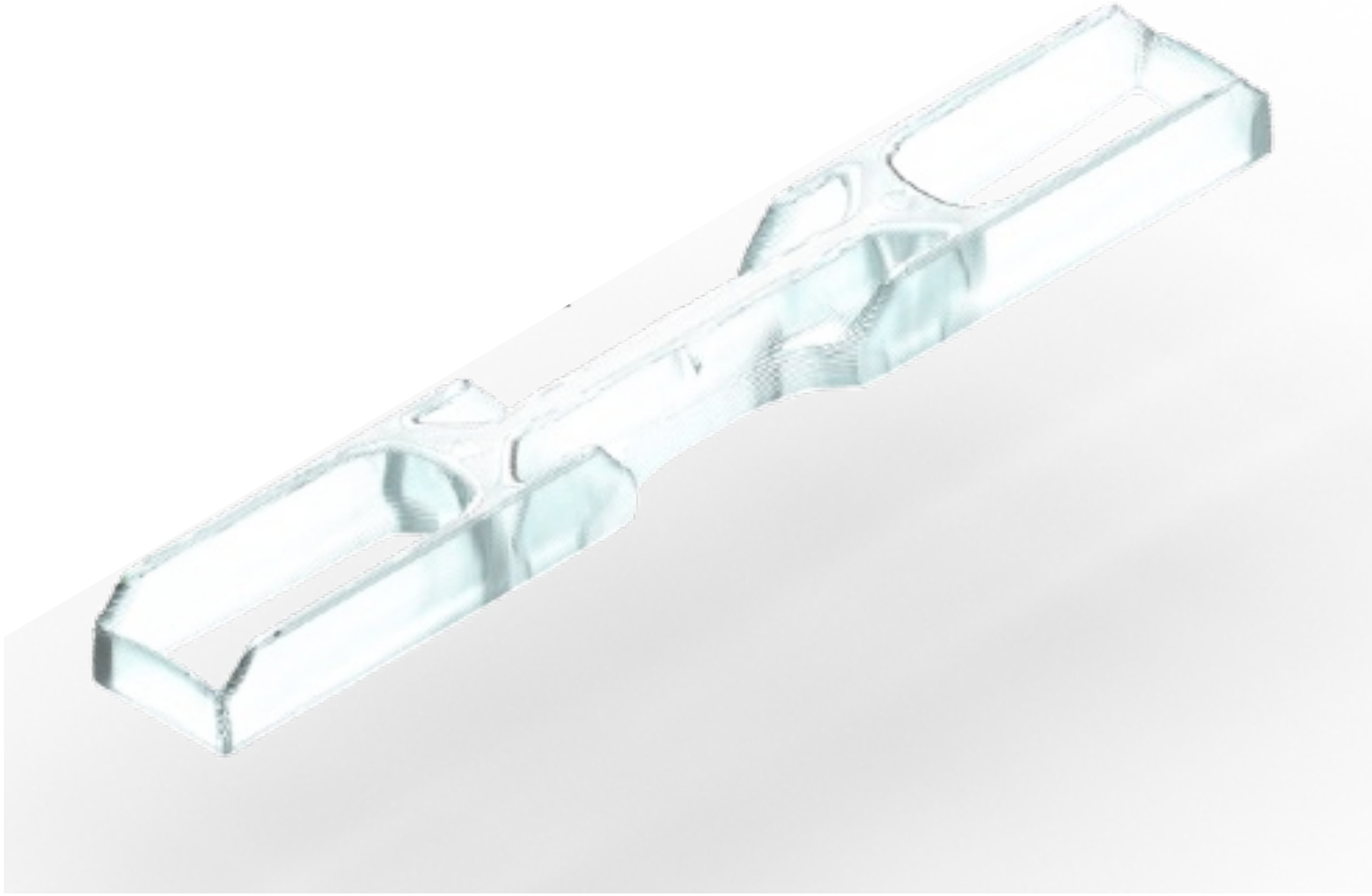
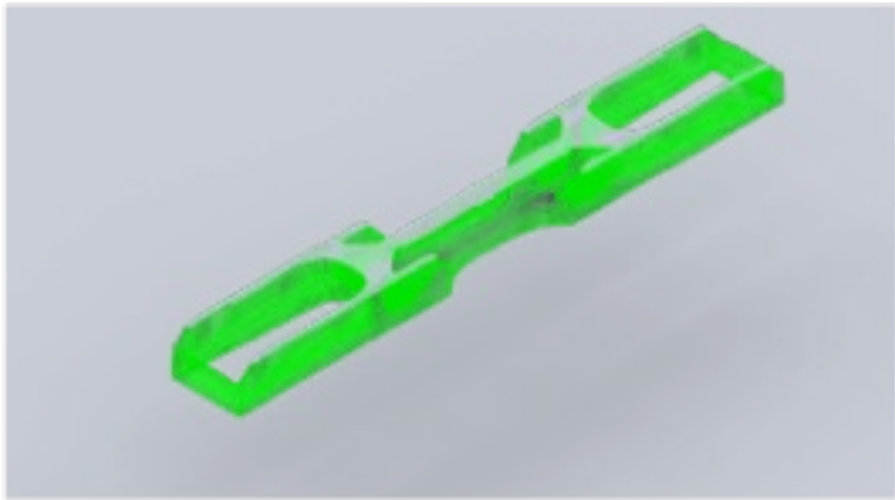
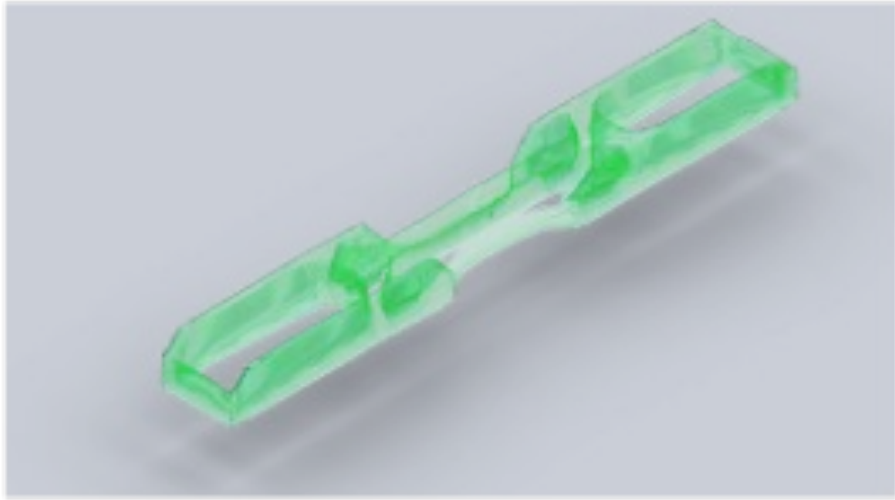
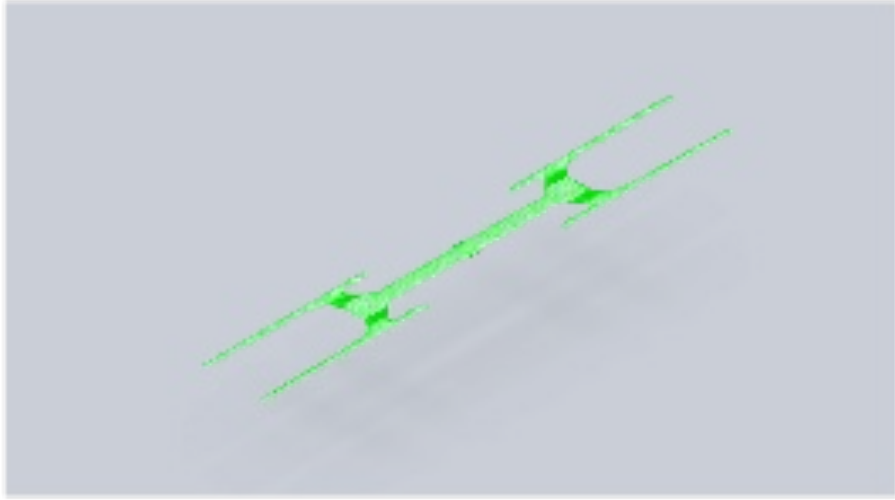
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Nodes: 1
Cores per node: 24
CPU Utilized: 6-07:51:16
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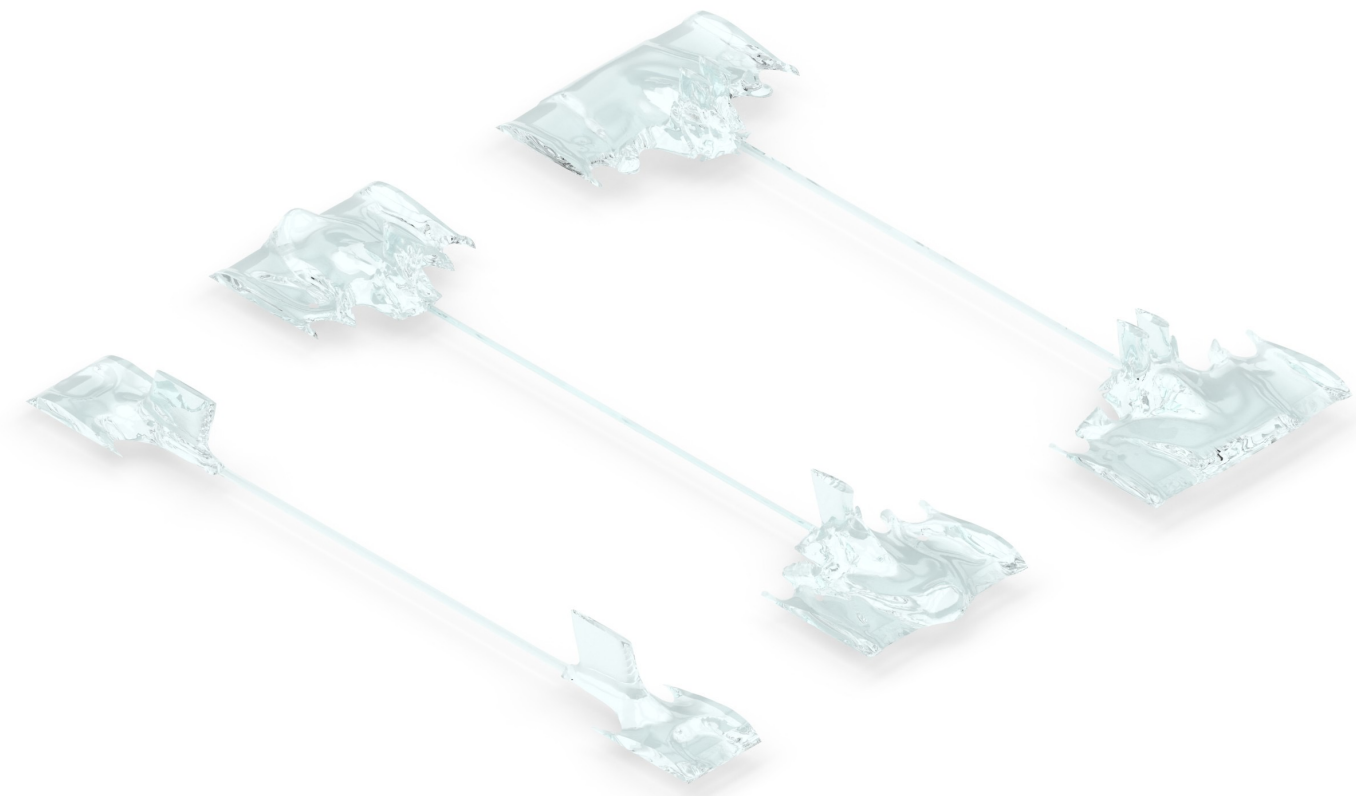
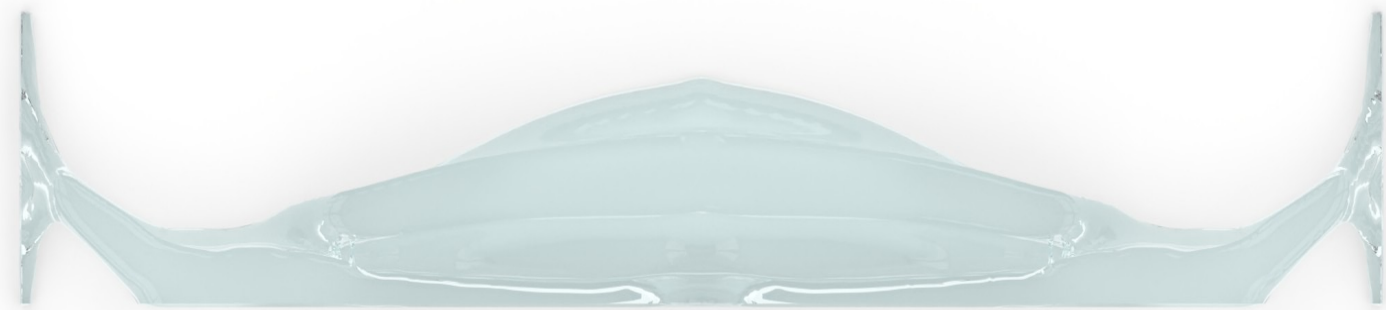
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Memory Utilized: 450.85 GB
Memory Efficiency: 60.11% of 750.00 GB
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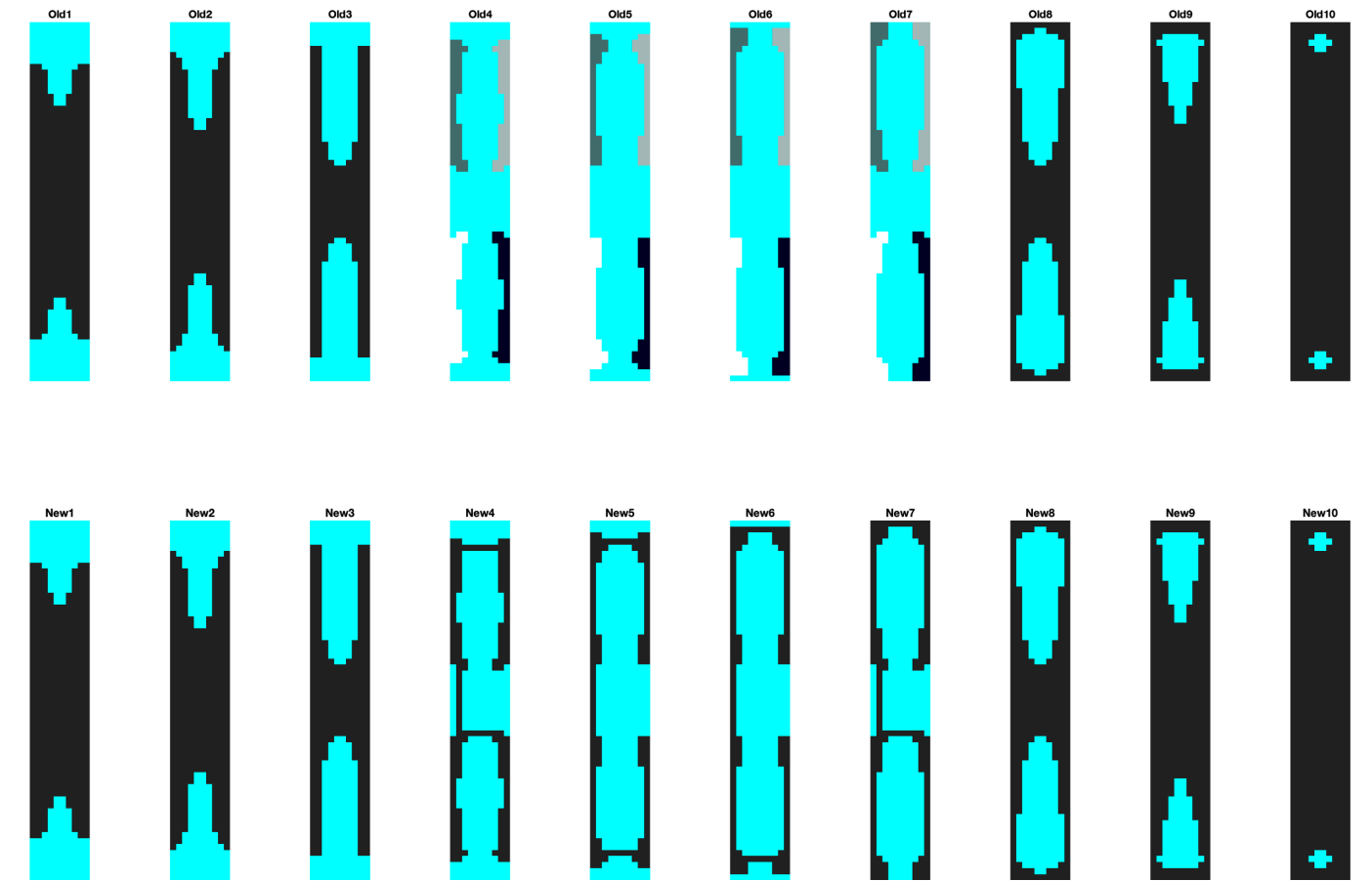
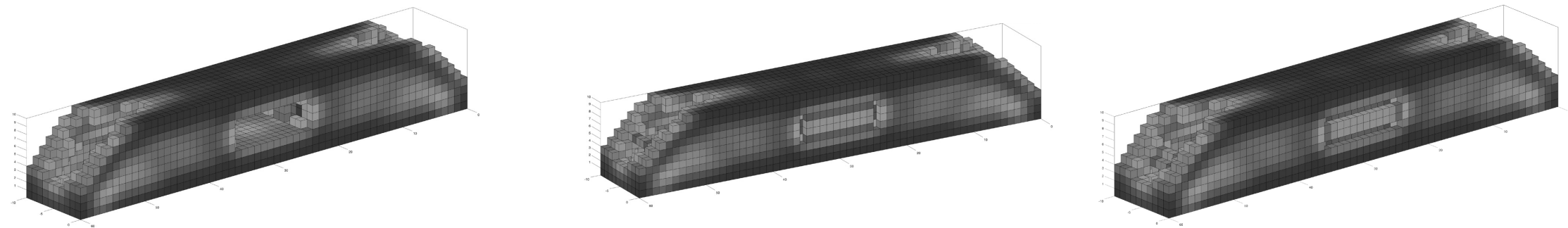
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CPU Efficiency: 78.06% of 36-00:05:24 core-walltime
Job Wall-clock time: 1-00:00:09
Memory Utilized: 474.52 GB
Memory Efficiency: 63.27% of 750.00 GB
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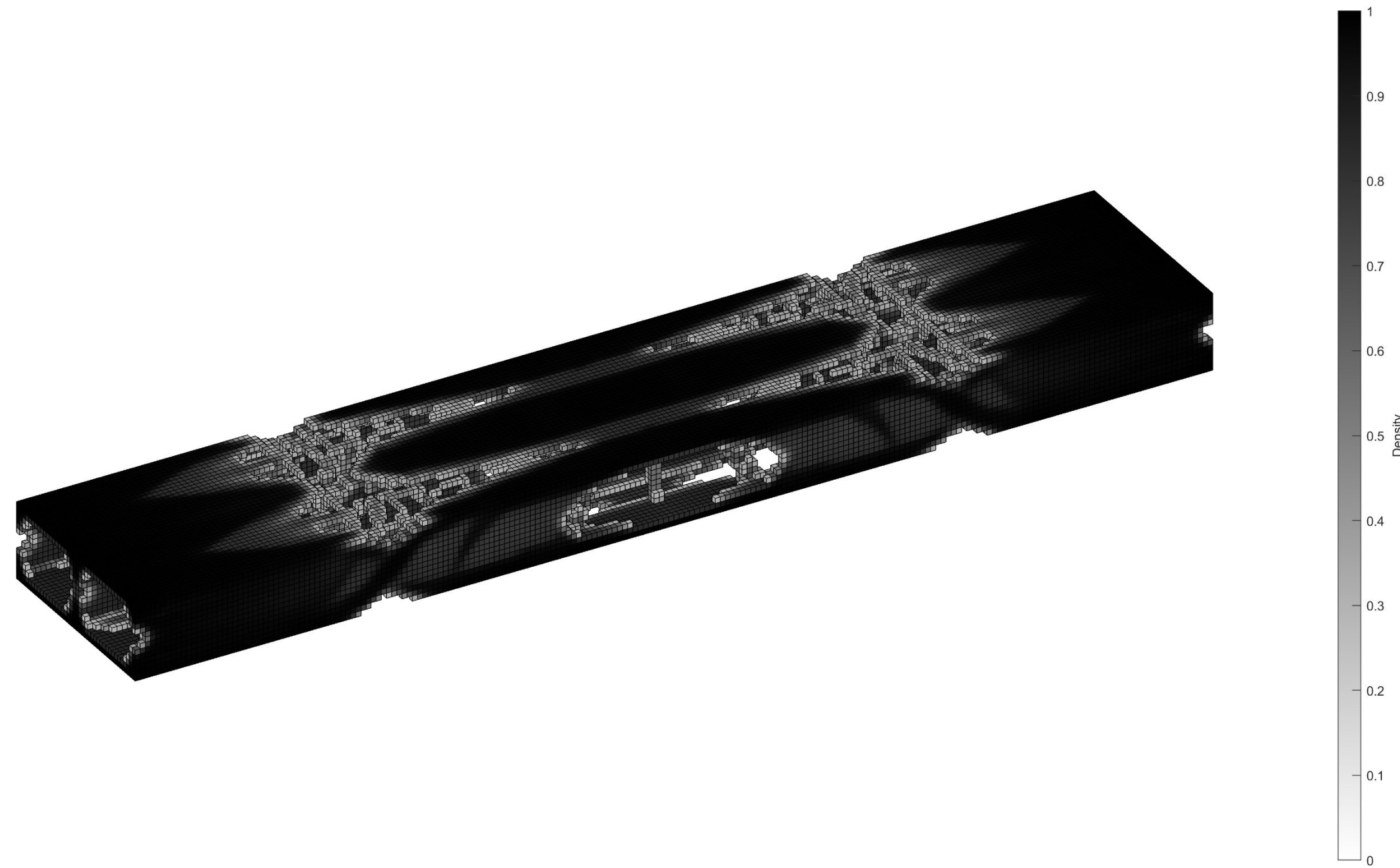


Figure 7.5: Result Compliance Optimization, split domain