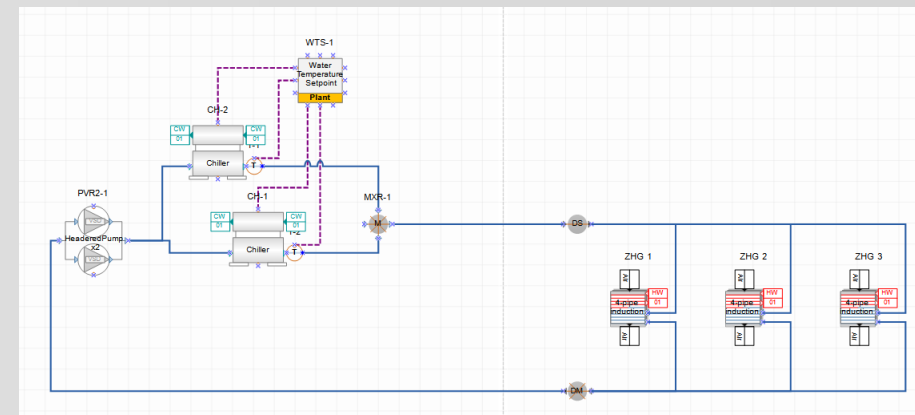
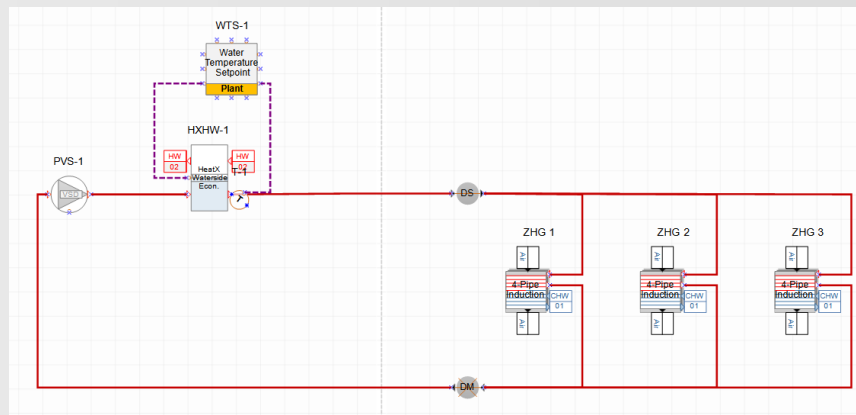
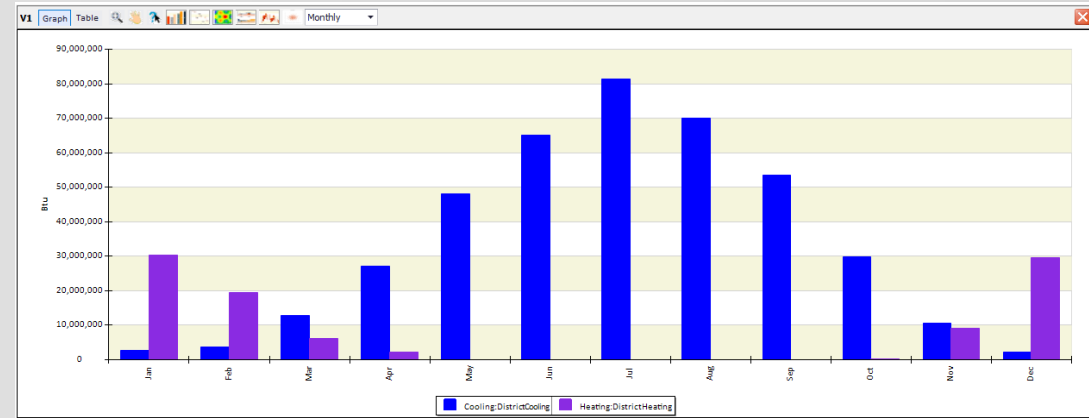
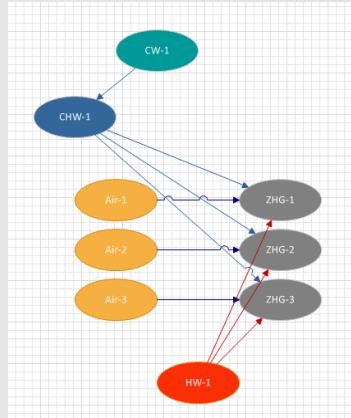


# Simergy 102



## DWG Model-Over Editing HVAC Loops Results Visualization



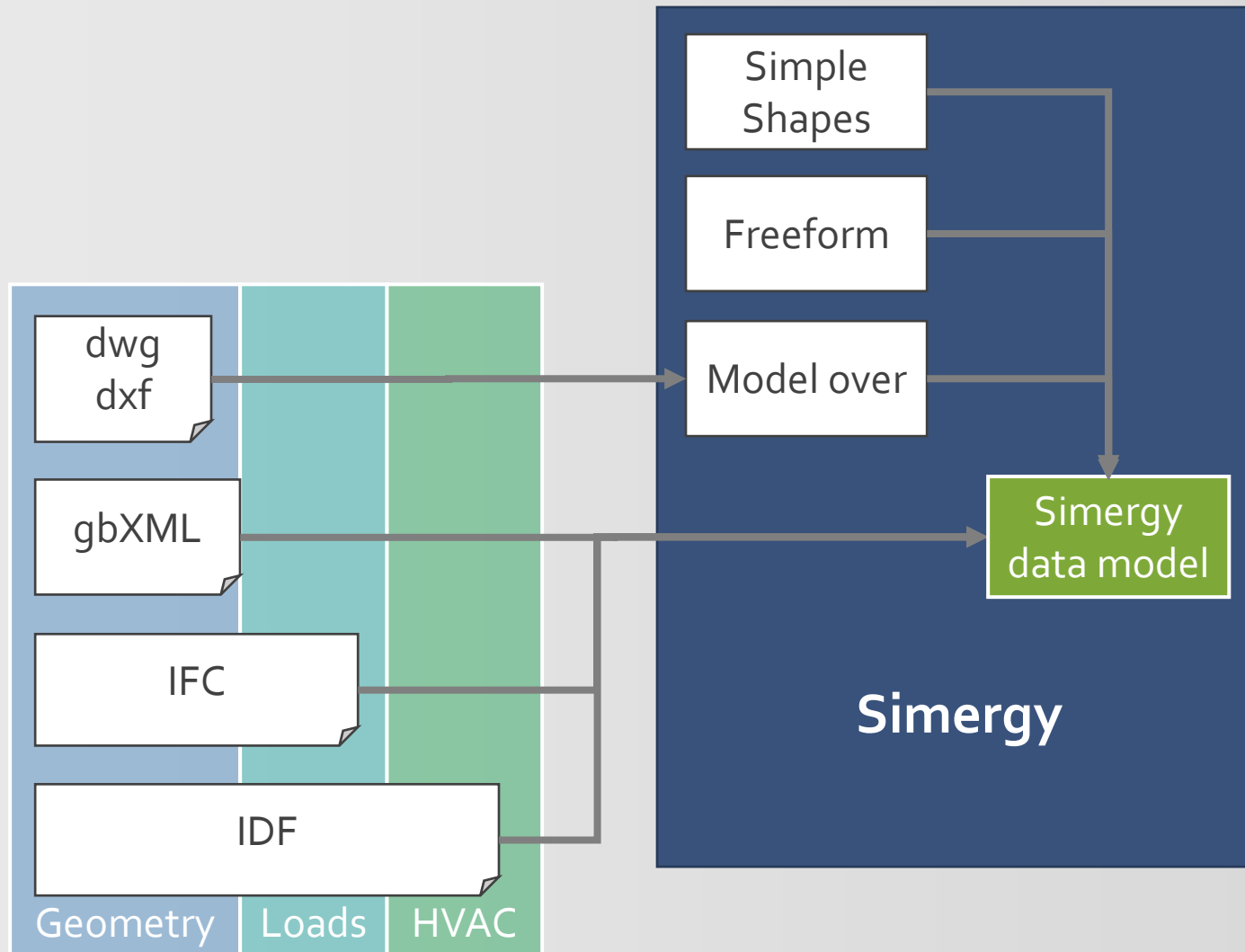
# Agenda

- Introduction (**keep it simple**)
- Simergy concepts
- Lesson 1: DWG Model over – basic geometry
  - **External building elements**
  - **Single zone per story**
- Lesson 2: DWG Model over – simplified geometry
  - **Simple zoning (5 zones per story)**
- Lesson 3: HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (gas heating and dx cooling)
  - **System creator**
- Lesson 4: HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (water heating and cooling)
  - **Creation and editing of HVAC systems**
- Lesson 5: DWG Model over – detailed geometry
  - **Detailed zoning (20 zones)**
- Lesson 6: Result visualization
- Compare results

# How this training works

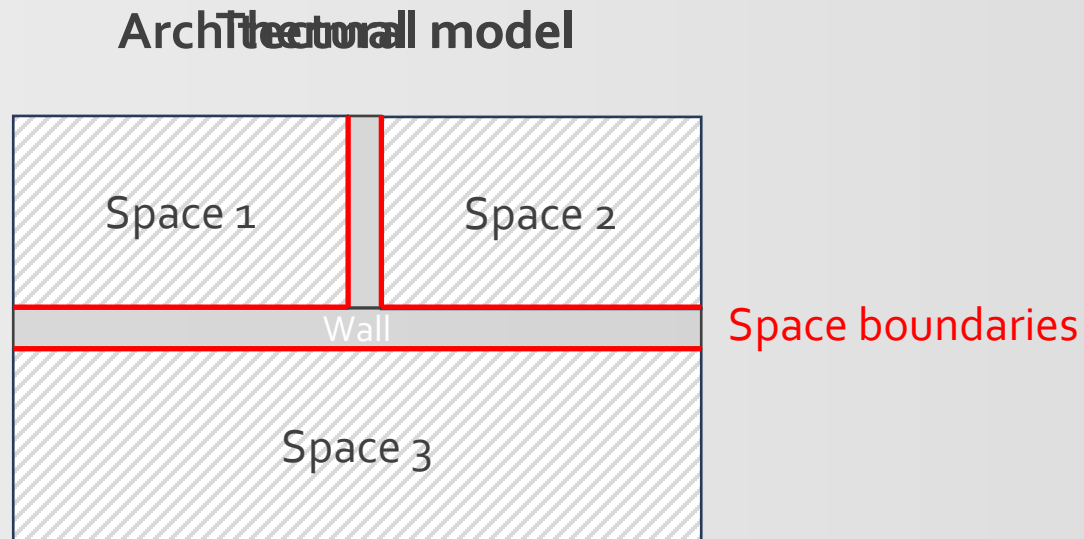
Interactive Training	Self-Paced Training
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# Geometry options in Simergy



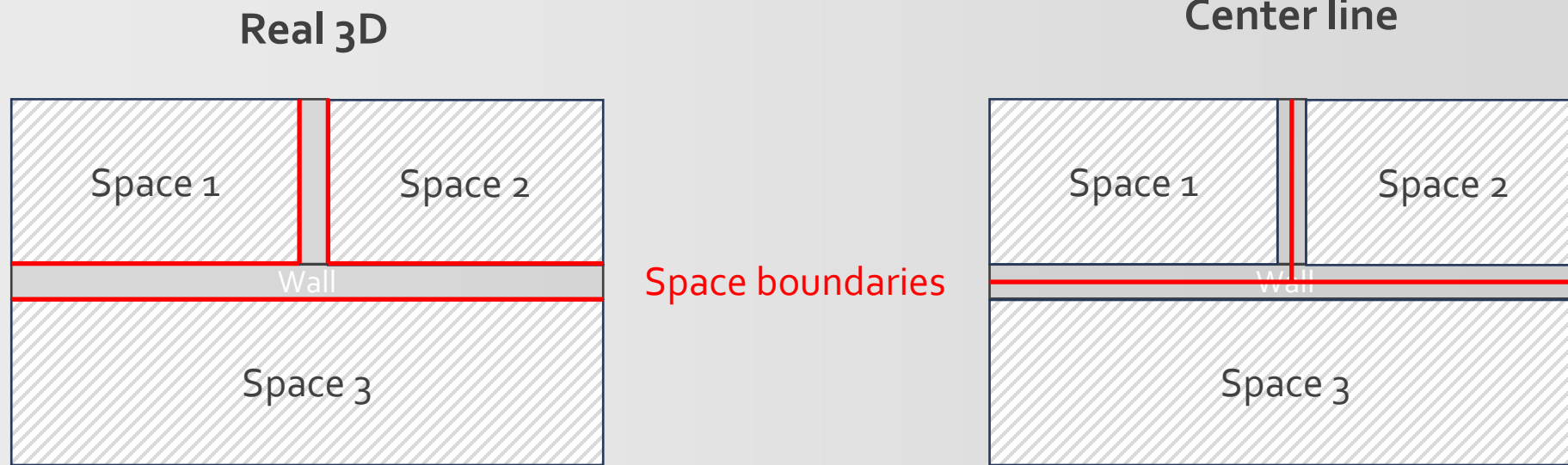
# Heat transfer based on space boundaries

- What are space boundaries?
  - 2D surfaces as basis for 1D heat transfer
- Generation of space boundaries from buildings elements and spaces (just in time or via IFC import)



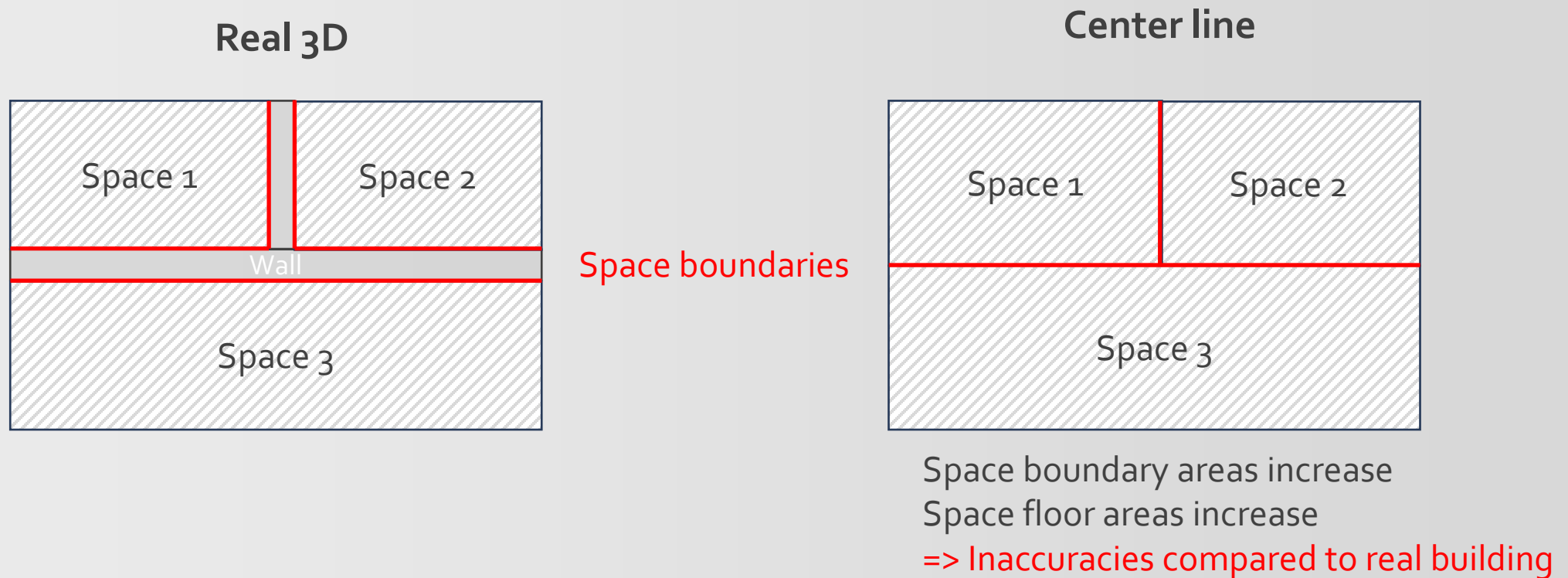
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- Real 3D geometry compared to traditional center line geometry



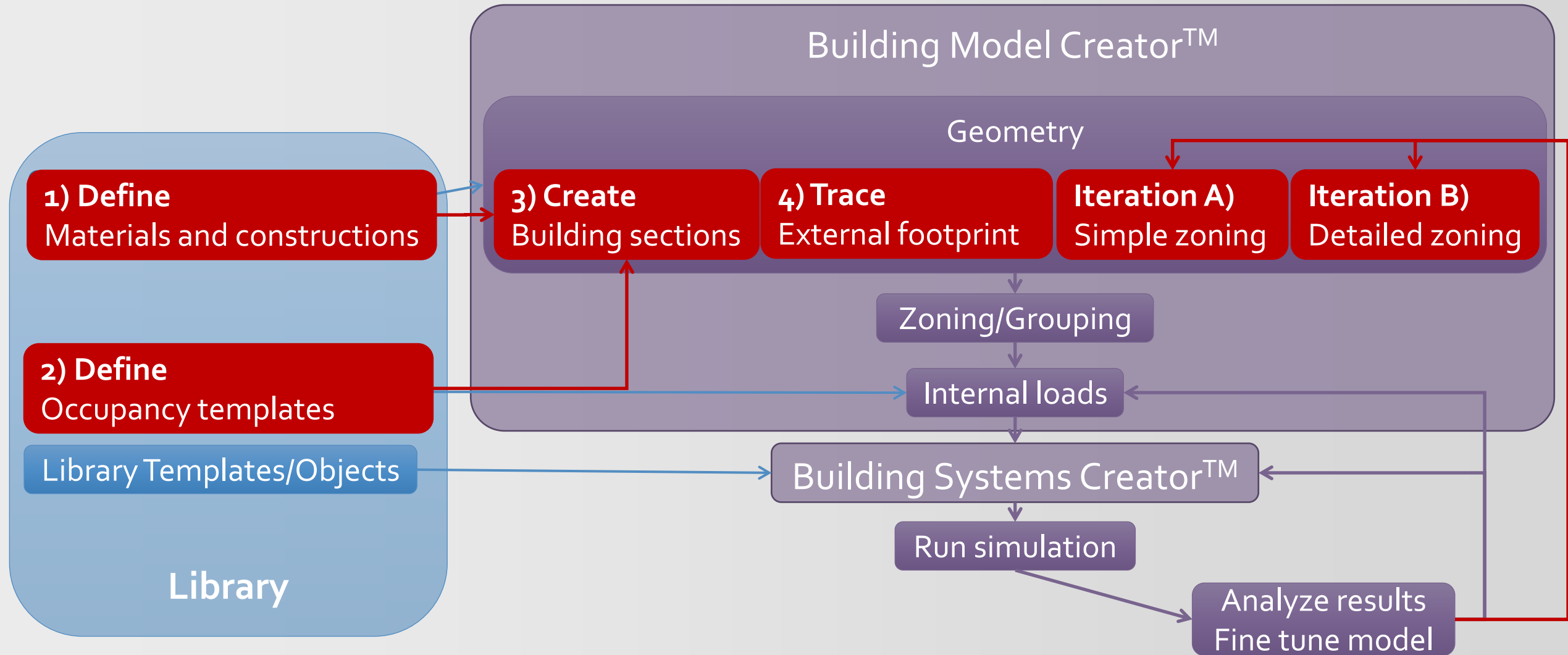
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*Bazjanac et al.: Generation of building geometry for energy performance simulation using Modelica, BauSim 2016*

# DWG model generation workflow – Building Model Creator

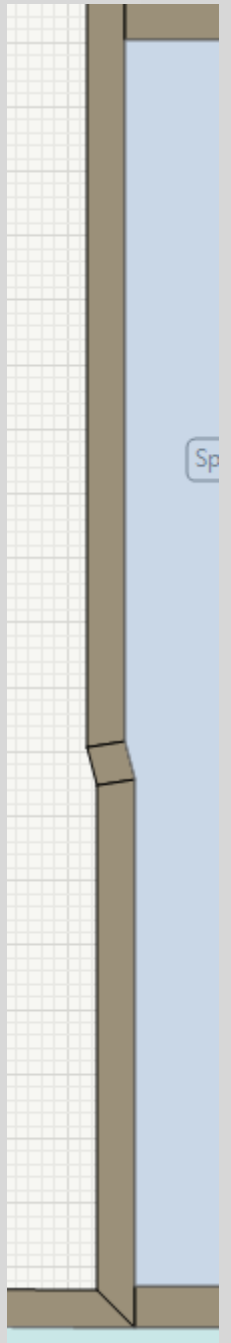
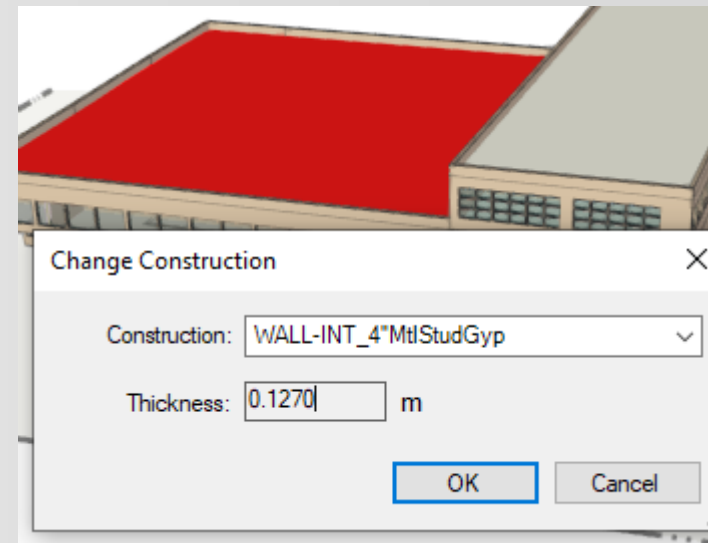
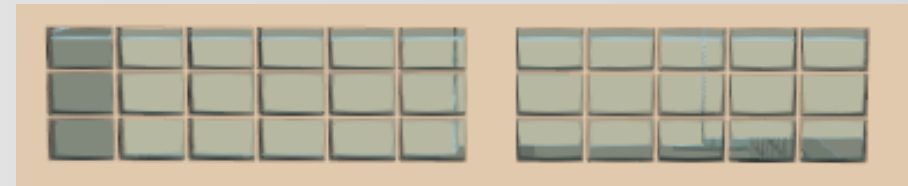
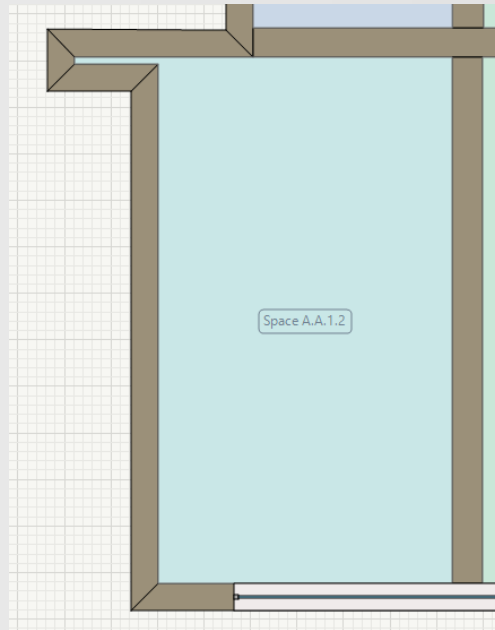
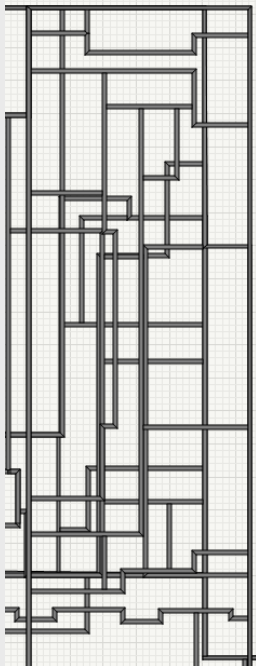
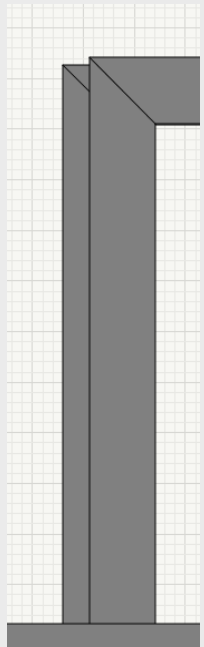
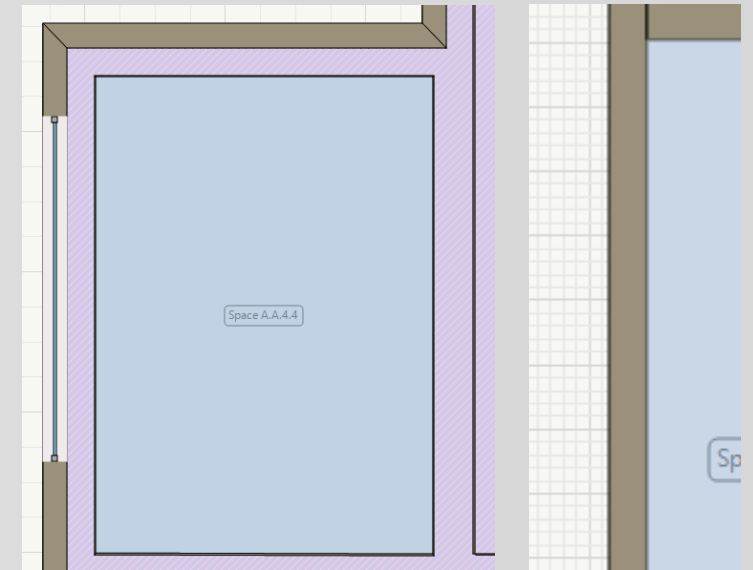




Keep it simple

# Common problems

- Slight offsets between stories
- Too much detail that slows down simulation
- Too detailed geometry modeling that does not add value
- Space configurations that work against thermal simulation



# Results Visualization workspace

## Template configuration

The screenshot displays the Simergy Professional Results Visualization workspace. At the top, the menu bar includes File, Project, Site, Buildings, Systems, Simulate, Reports, Results Visualization, Libraries, and Templates. Below the menu is a toolbar with options like 'New from Scratch', 'New from Template', 'Delete', 'Rename', 'Copy', 'Save', 'Save As Template', and 'Manage Template'. The main workspace is divided into several panels:

- Available Components:** A list of components for selection.
- Available Output Variables:** A table listing variables such as 'tempera', 'Pump Outlet Temperat...', 'Site Outdoor Air Dryb...', and 'Zone Air Temperature'.
- Output Variable Selection:** A panel for selecting variables to display in the current graph.
- Views:** A panel for selecting chart types and layouts.
- Graphs:** Four individual graph windows (V1, V2, V3, V4) showing different data visualizations.

View layout options

Dynamic Zoom

Filter

All available variables

Variables for current graph

Bar chart

Scatter chart

Graphs

Timeseries chart

Surface chart

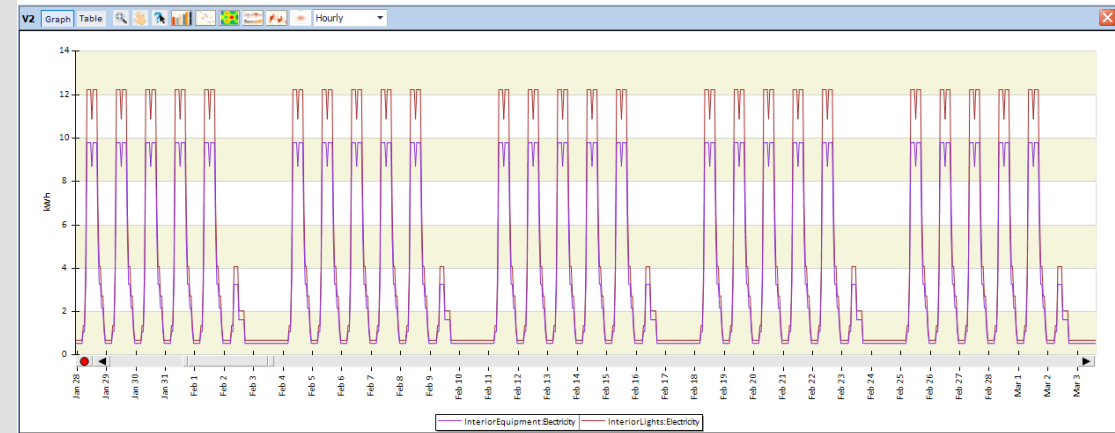
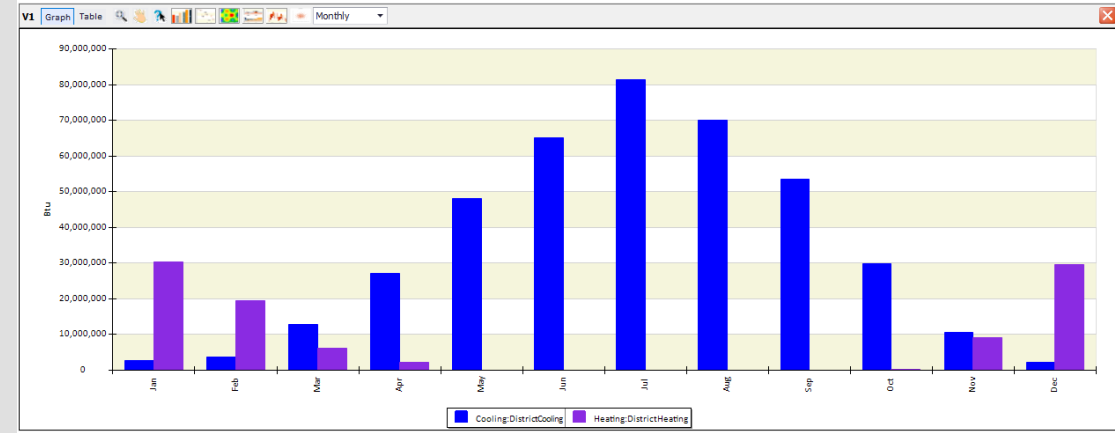
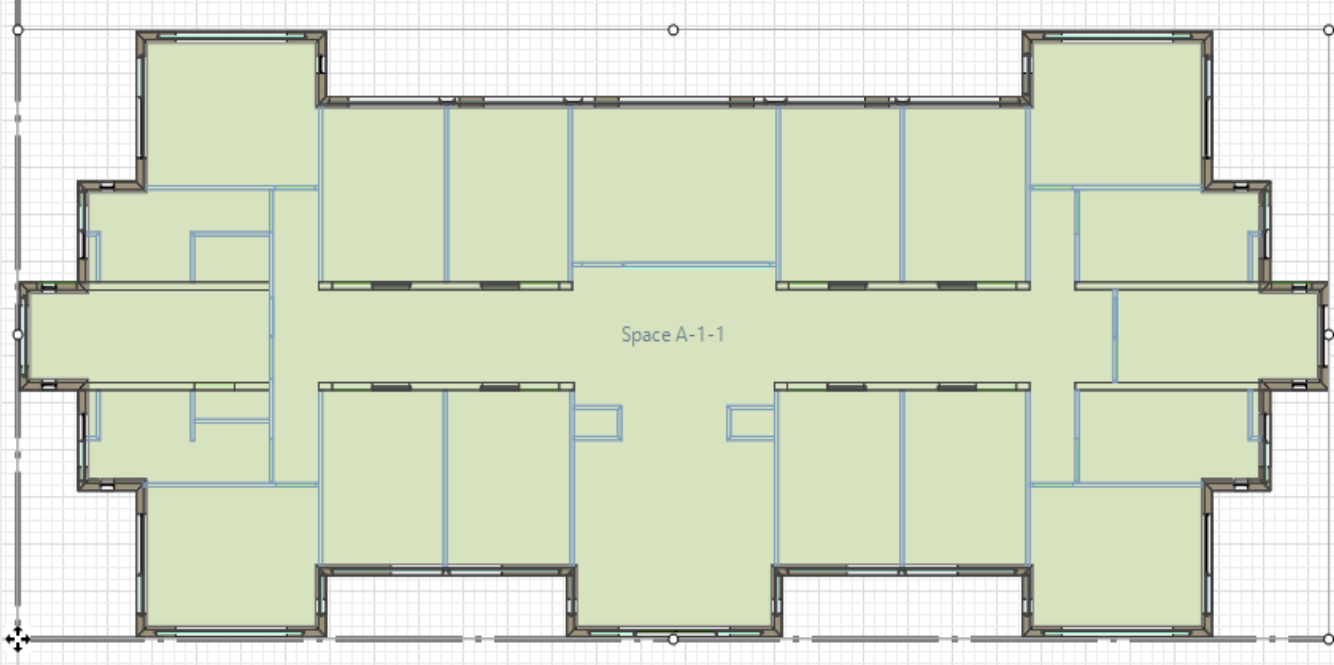
Customizable legends

Dynamic interval

- Chart types:
- Time series
  - Bar
  - Surface
  - Area
  - Scatter (xy)
  - Data table

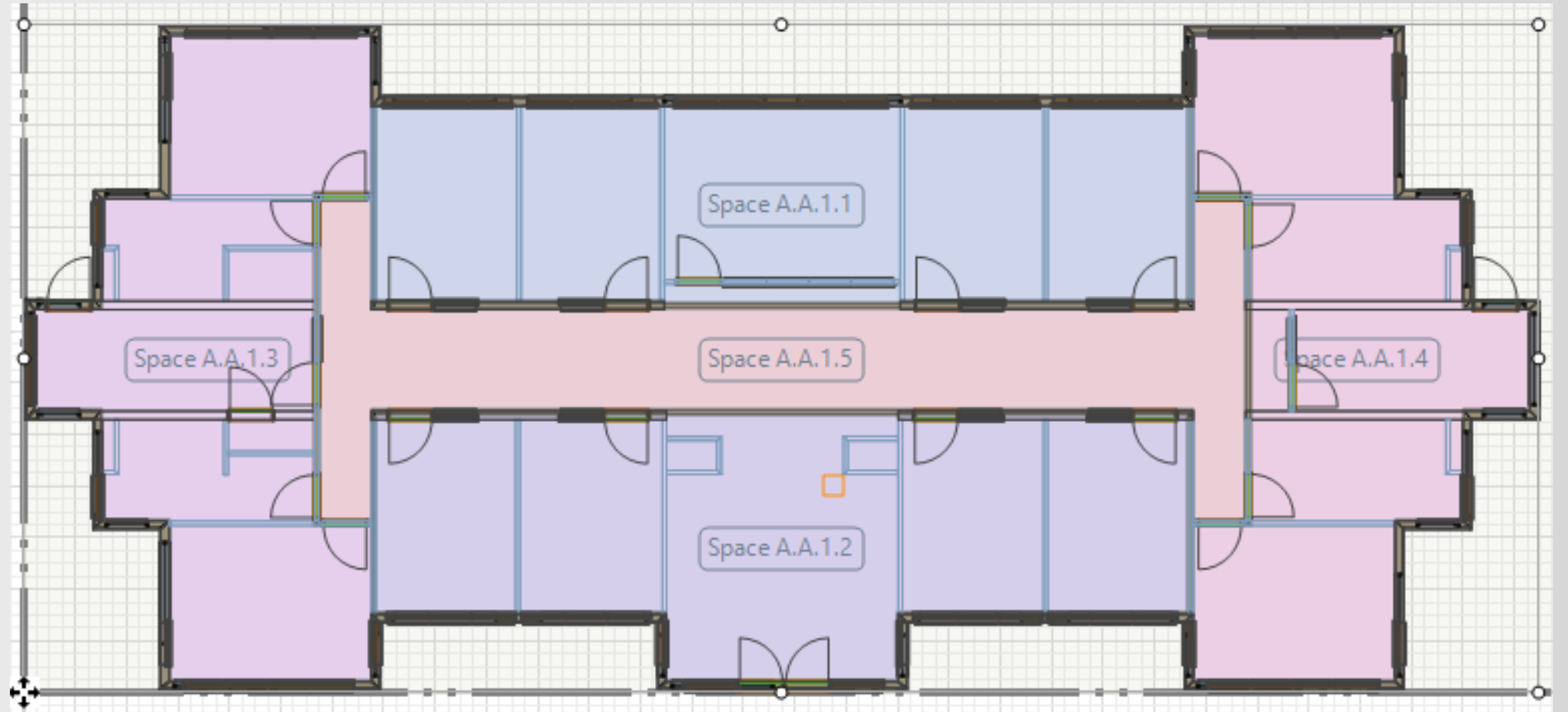
# Lesson 1: DWG Model over – basic geometry

- Focus on **external envelope** (for now)
- 3 identical floors
- Load calculations
- Look at **monthly heating and cooling** as well as **hourly electricity**



# Lesson 2: DWG Model over – simple geometry

- Adding simplified zoning (internal walls and space seeding)
- **Keep it simple** yet meaningful



# Lesson 3: HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (gas heating and dx cooling)

- Use system creator to generate Active Beam system
- Adjust sizing parameters

**Template Name:** ChilledBeam wDOAS dxC gasH Generate Systems Save as Template Delete Systems

**Zone HVAC Group:** AT\_4PipeInduction\_Active  One per building  One per story  One per zone

**SHW Group:** None Selected  One per building  One per story  One per zone

**Air loop:** DOAS\_CAV\_dxC\_gasH\_HR  One per building  One per story  One per zone

**Hot water loop:** Boil(2)\_HW\_VSD(2)\_Radiant One per building

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**Condenser loop:** CoolTwr(2)\_2SP\_VSD One per building

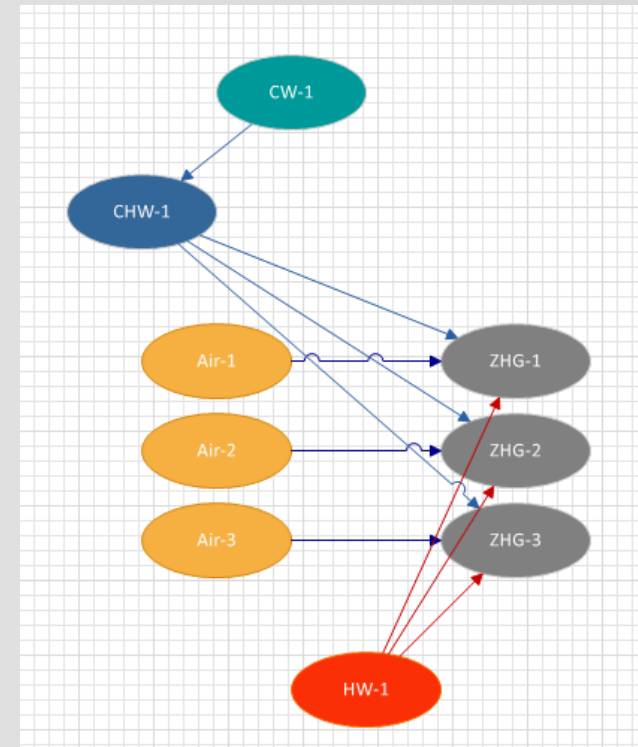
**Mixed water loop:** None Selected One per building

**Steam loop:** None Selected One per building

**VRF loop:** None Selected One per building

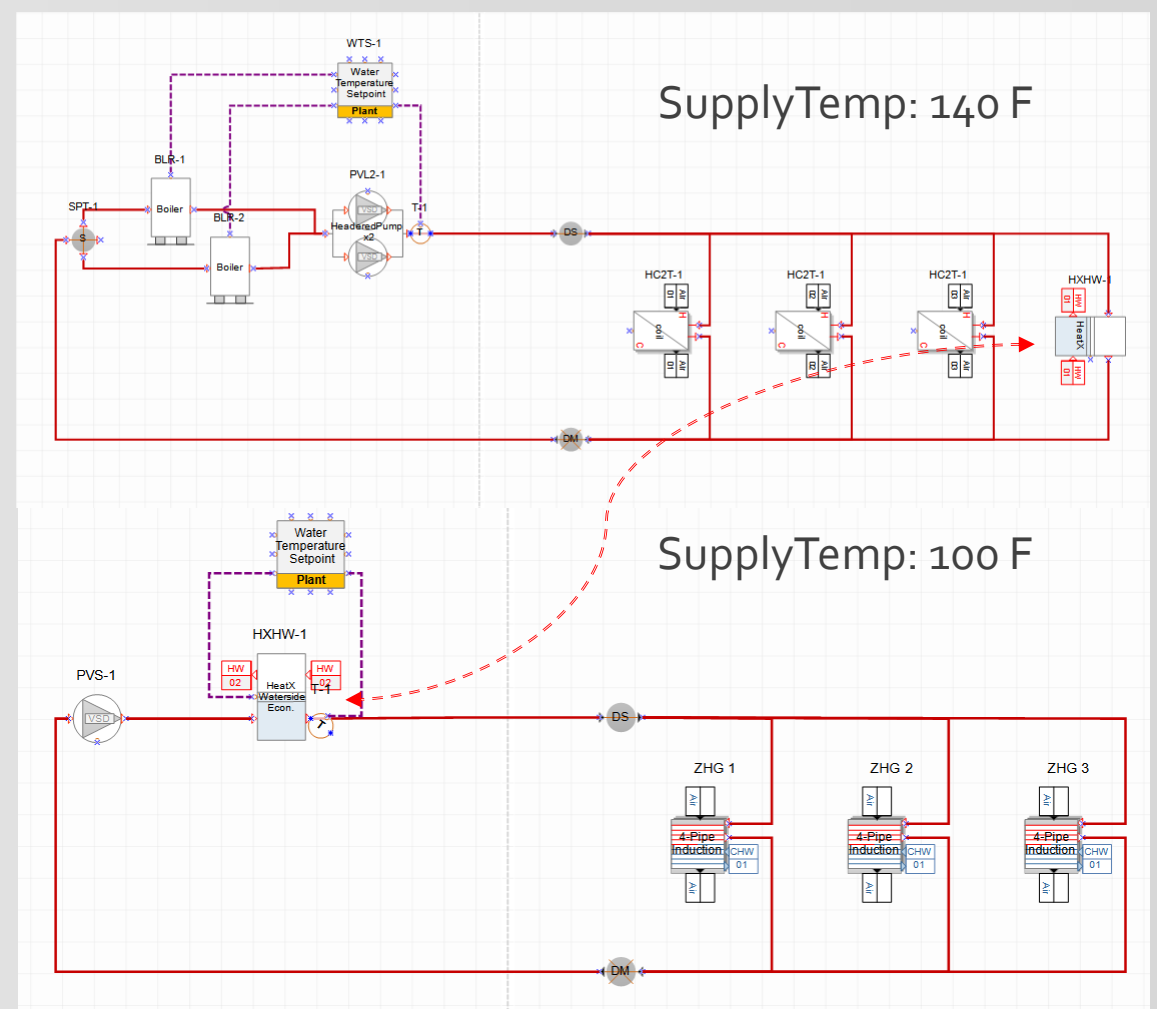
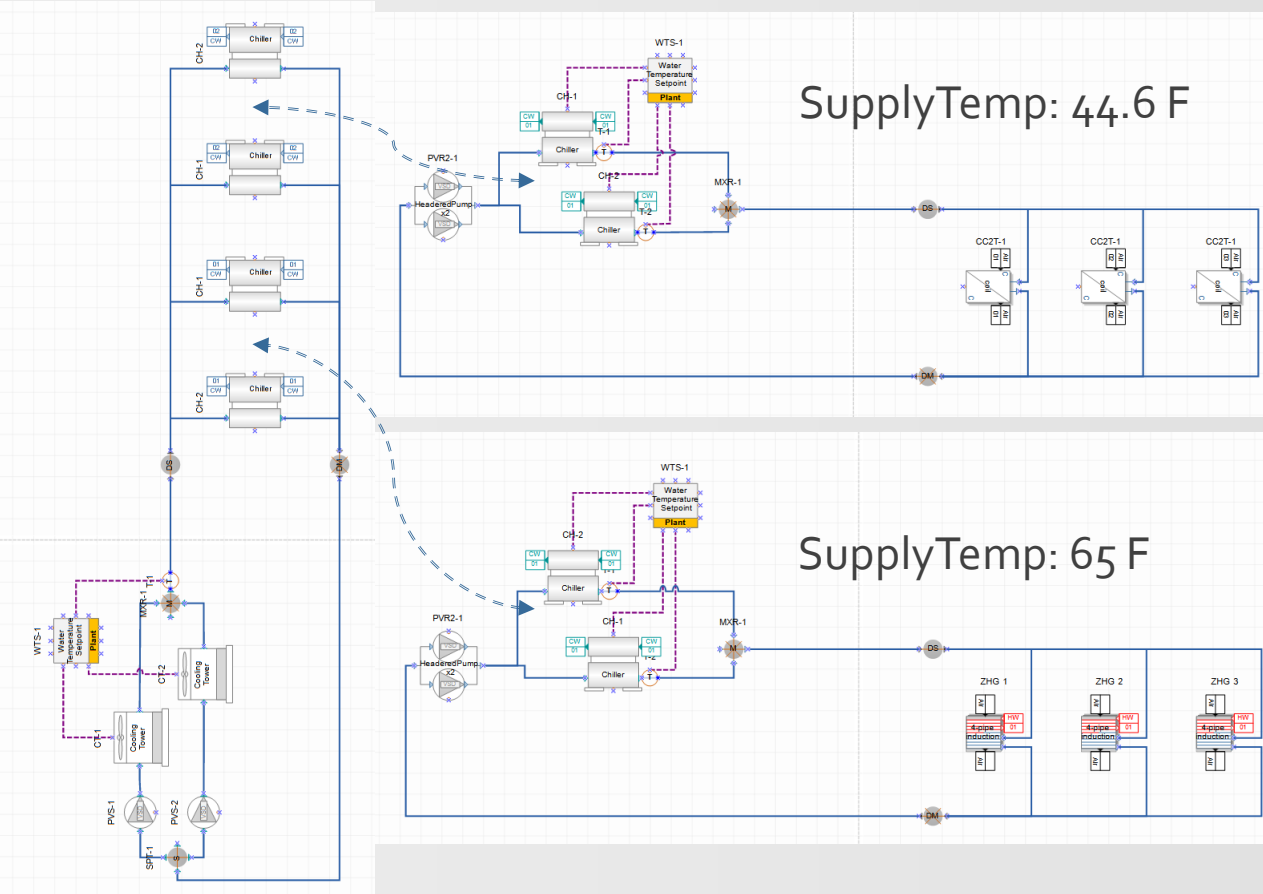
**SHW Loop:** None Selected One per building

*All existing systems will be replaced*



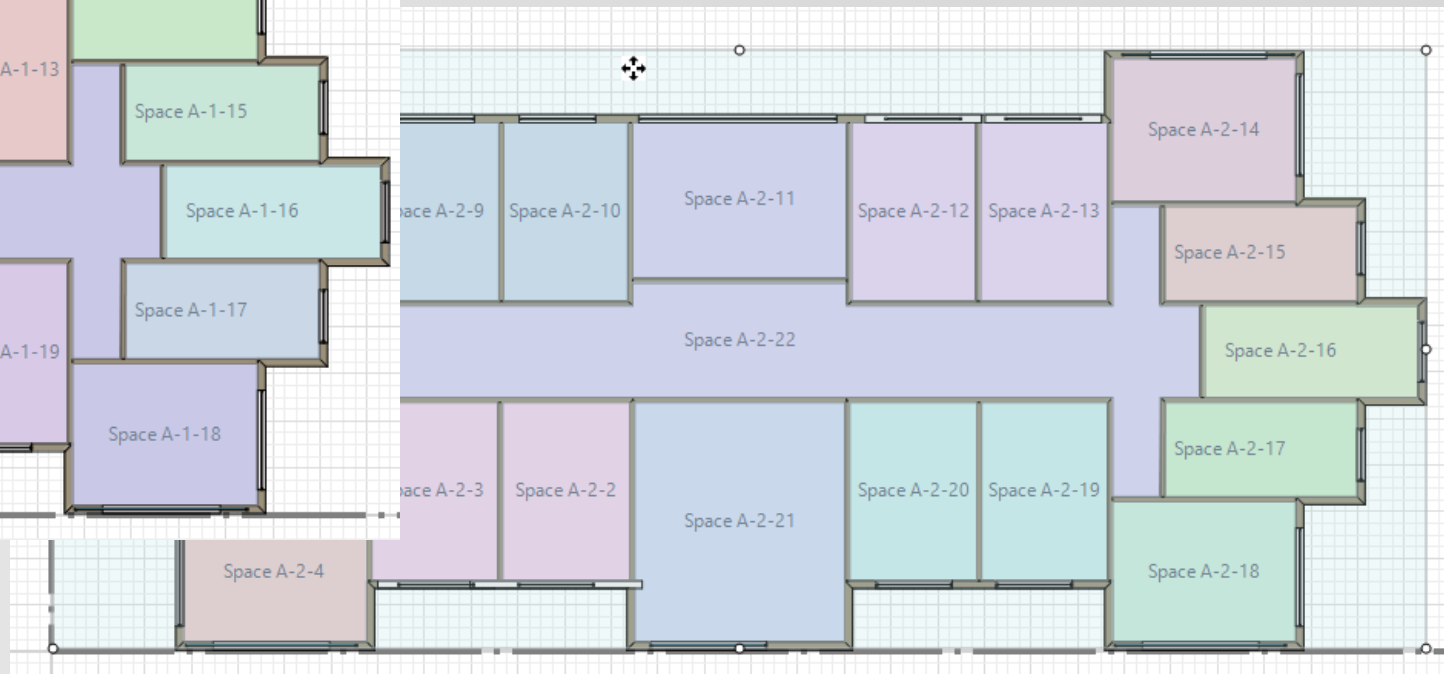
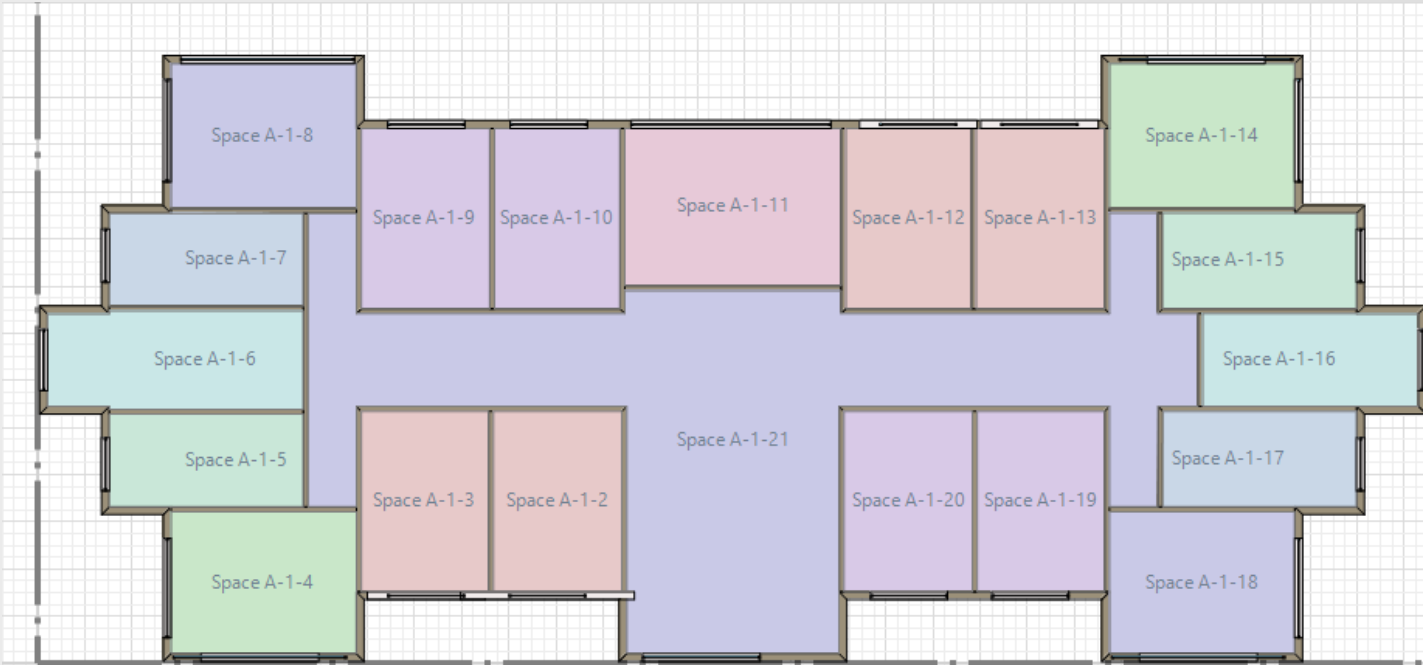
# Lesson 4: HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (water heating and cooling)

- Change DOAS from gas heating and DX cooling to water heating and cooling
- Add two more water loops to enable two different temperature supplies



# Lesson 5: DWG Model over – advanced geometry

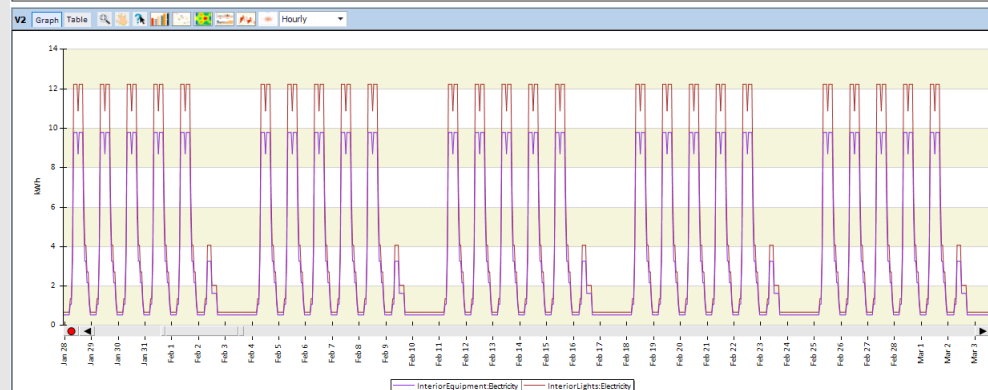
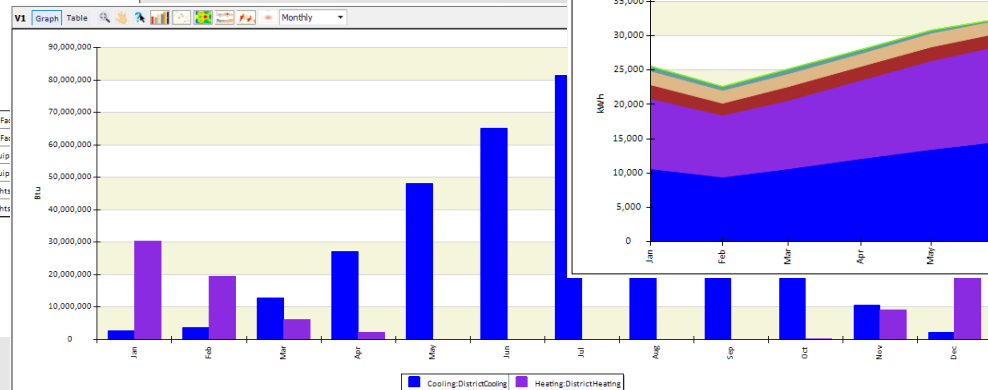
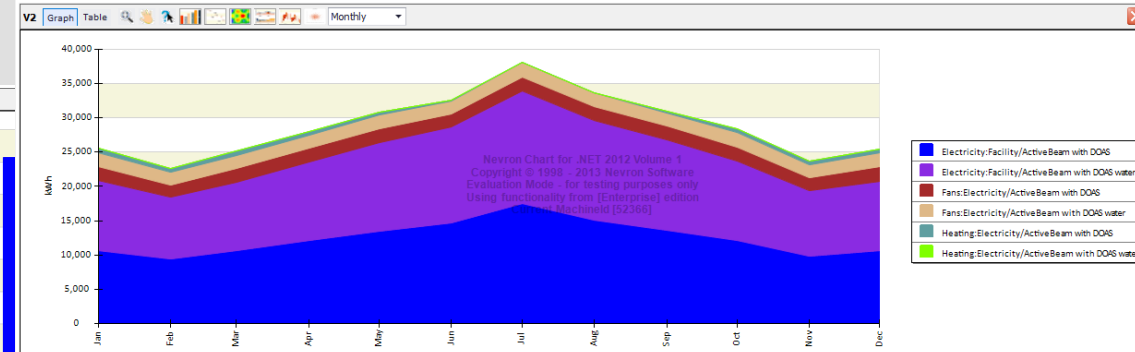
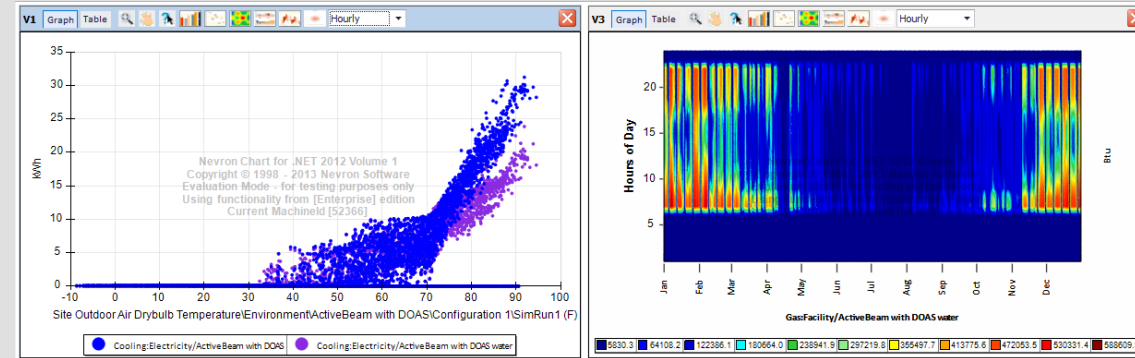
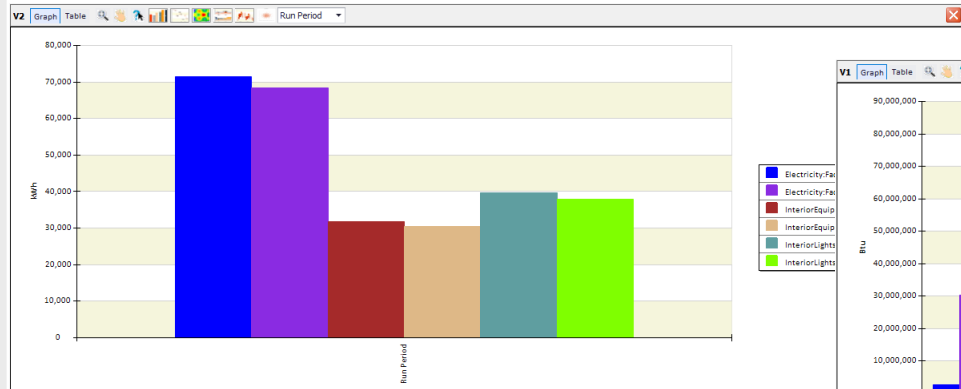
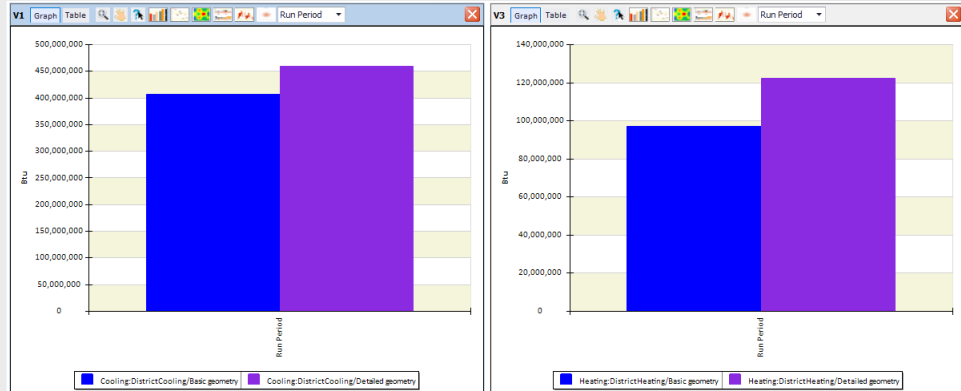
- Adding more detail (internal walls, actual spaces, thermal zoning, windows)
- Ground floor is a little different then the other two floors
- Load calculations

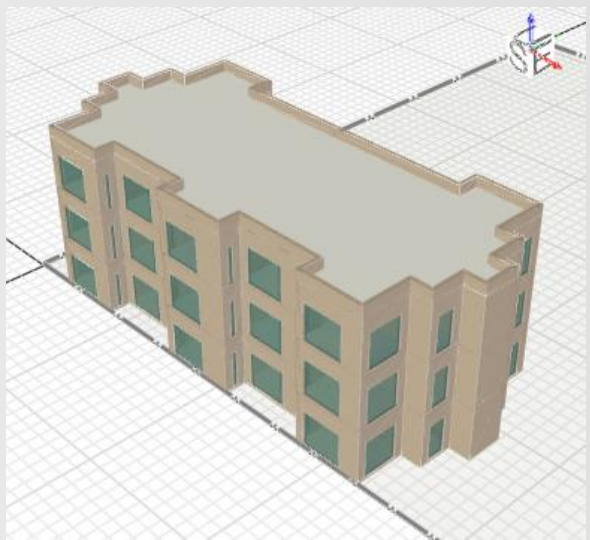




# Lesson 6: Result visualization

- Filtering
- Graph layout
- Legend
- Graph types
- Time interval
- Zoom

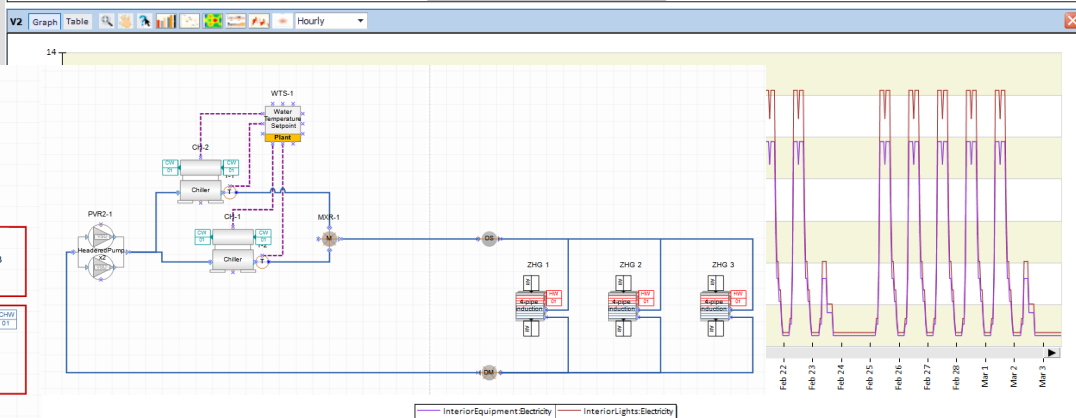
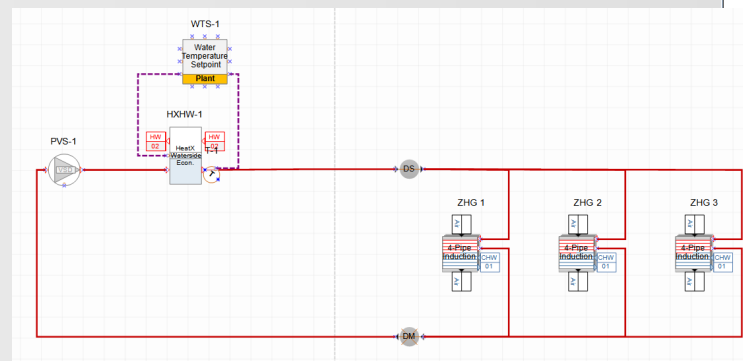
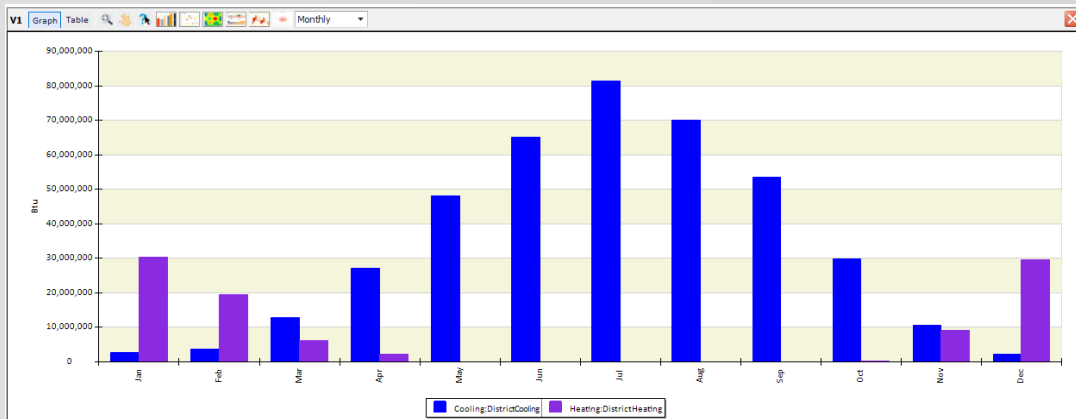
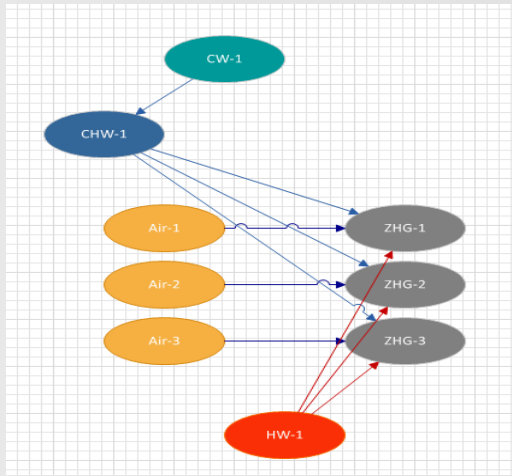


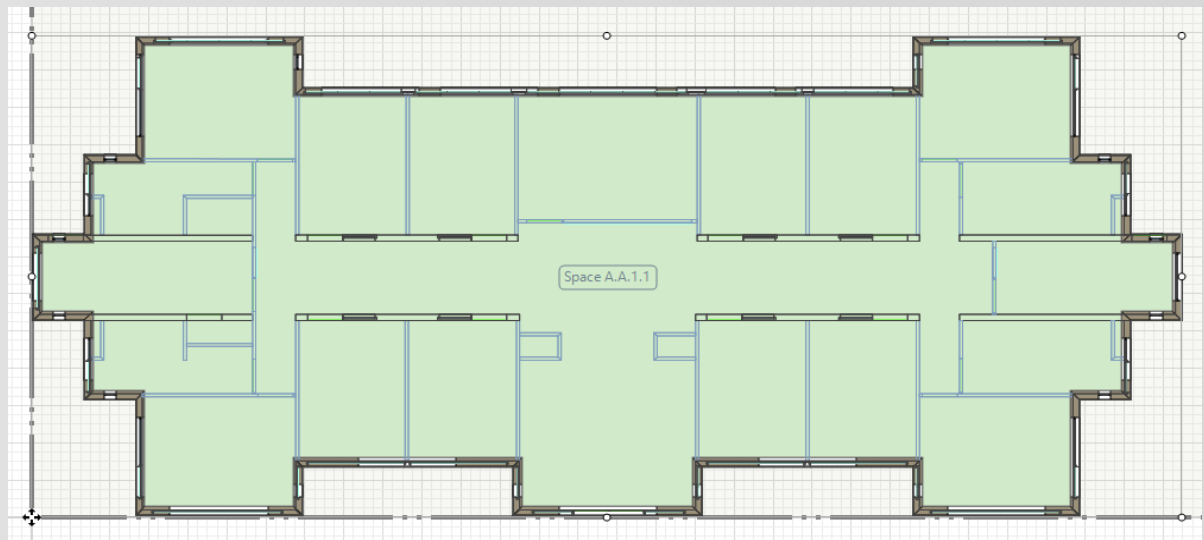
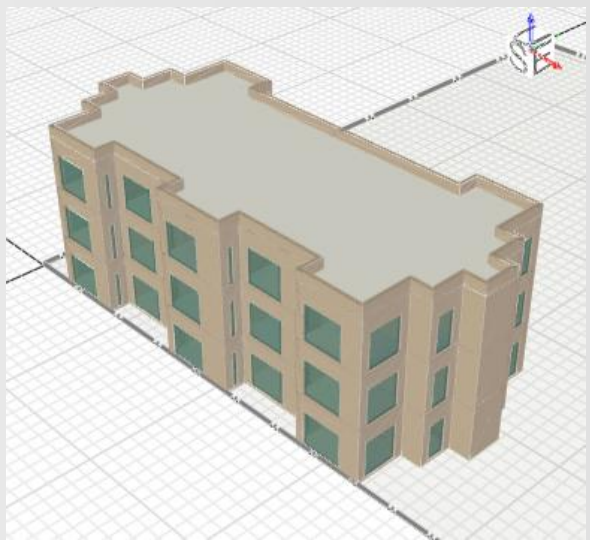


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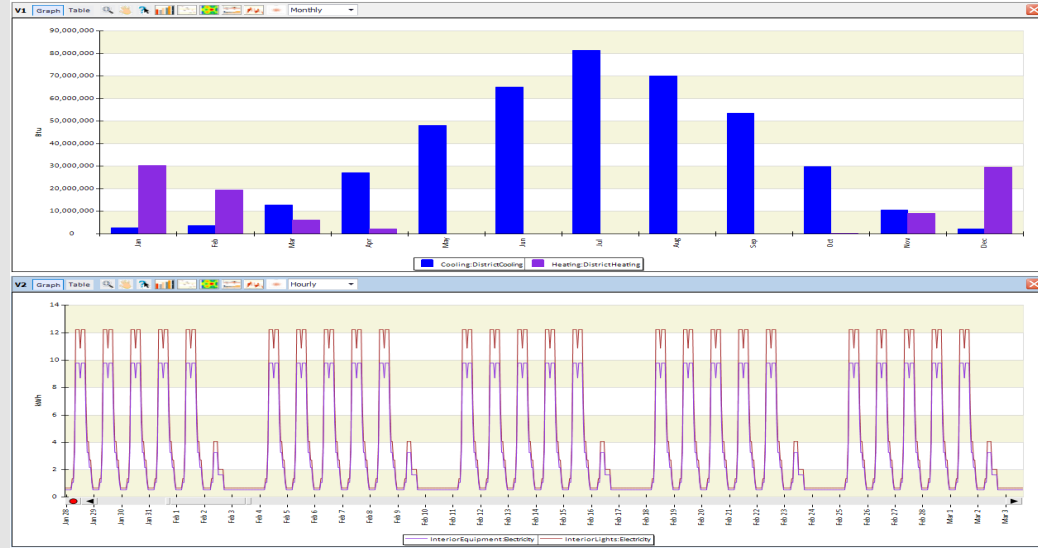
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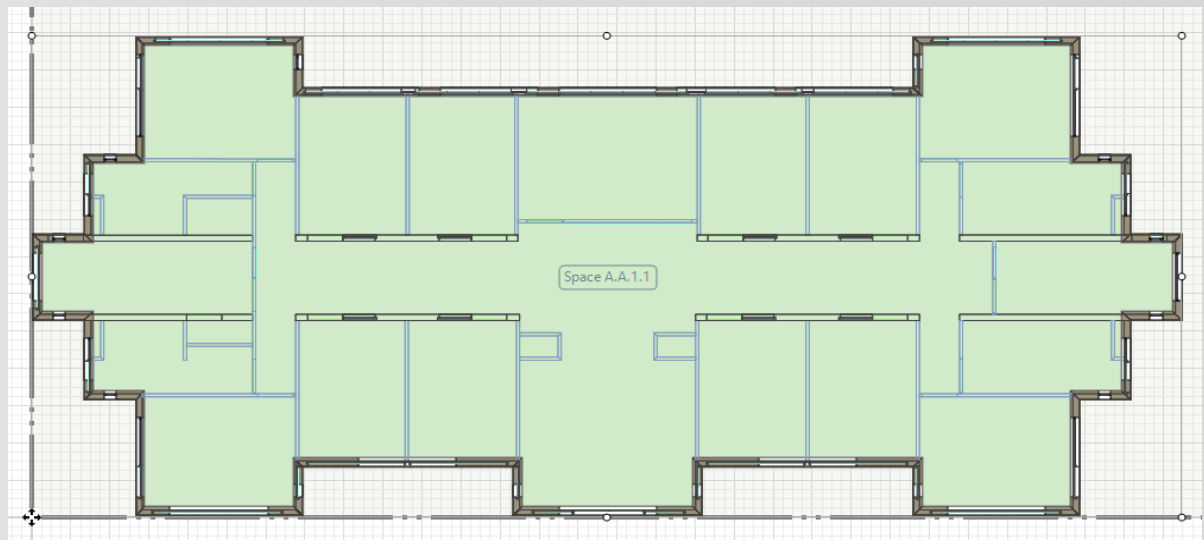
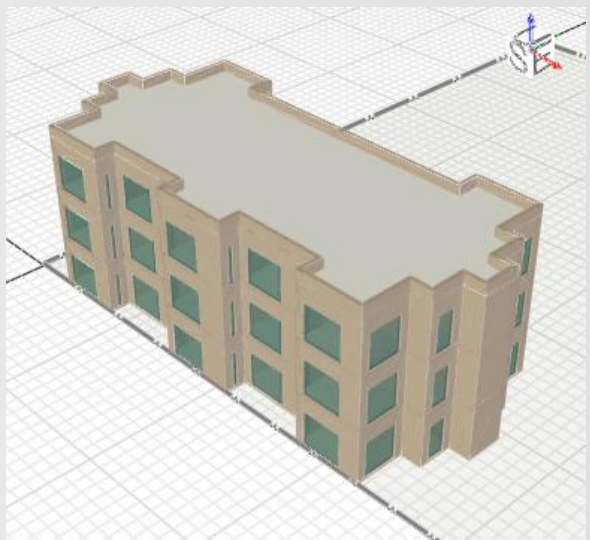
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## Lesson 1

*DWG Model over –  
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- external envelope
- 3 identical floors
- Load calculations
- Look at **monthly heating and cooling** as well as **hourly electricity**





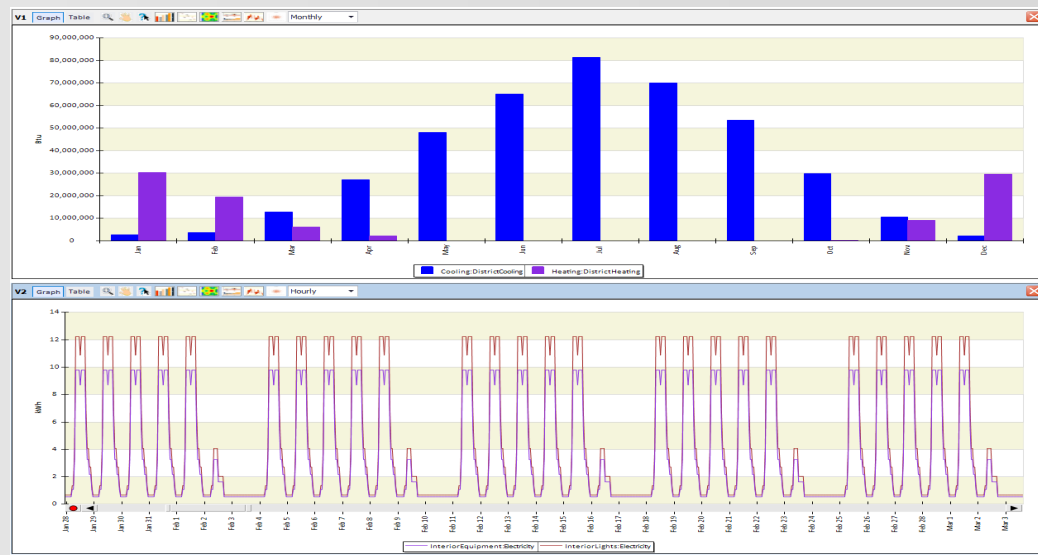
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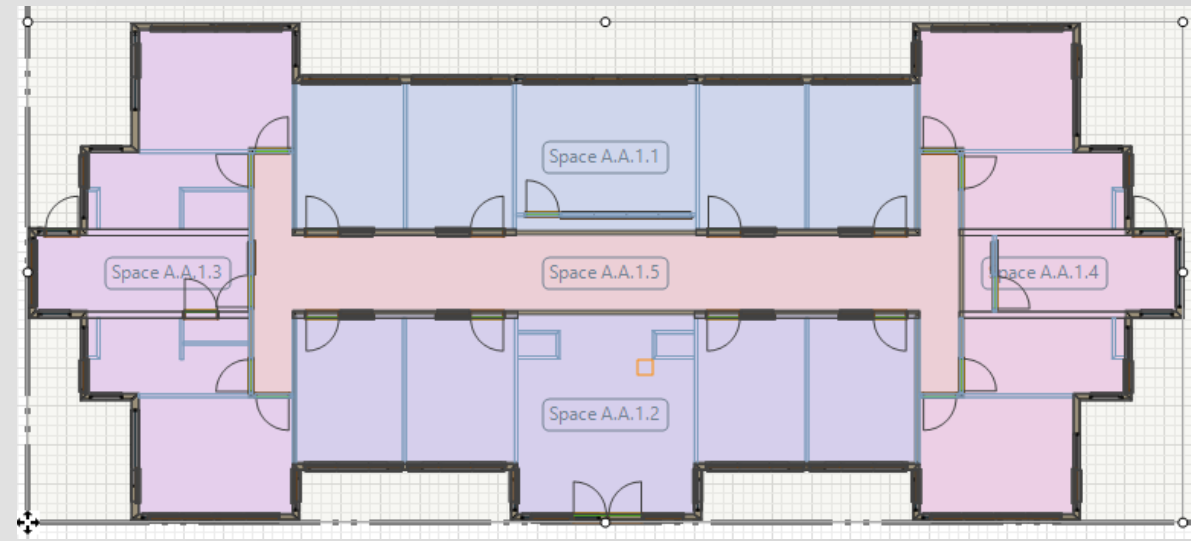
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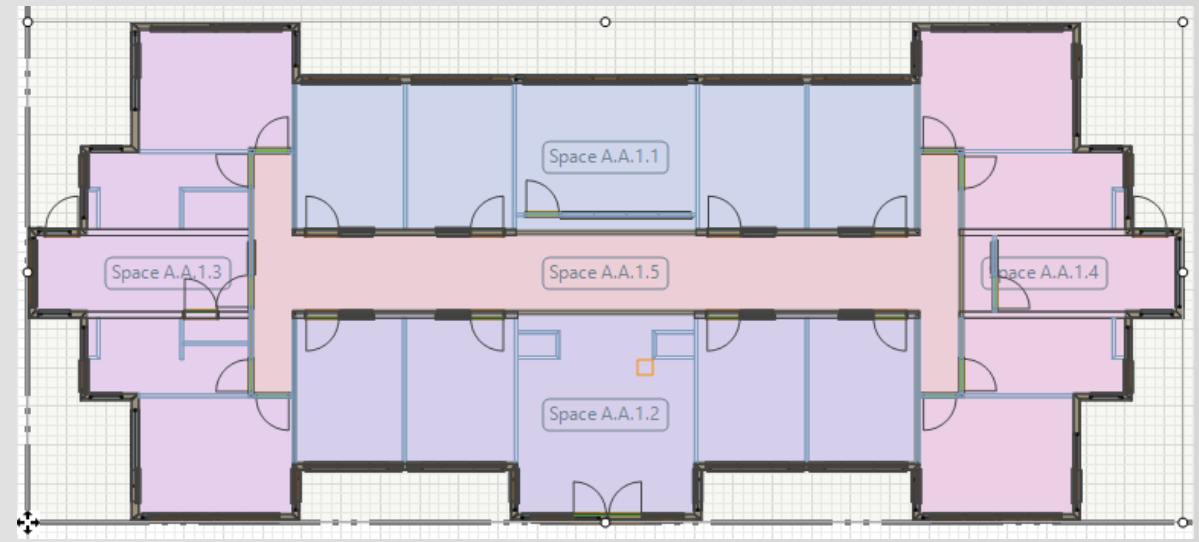
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## *Lesson 2*

*DWG Model over –  
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- Adding simplified zoning (internal walls and space seeding)
- Keep it simple yet meaningful

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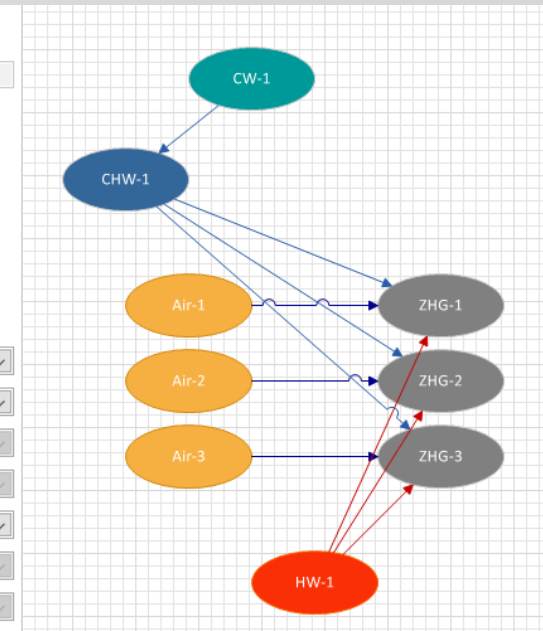
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## *DWG Model-Over Editing HVAC Loops Results Visualization*

### *Lesson 3*

### *Simple HVAC: Active beam DOAS*

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## HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (gas heating and dx cooling)

- Use system creator to generate Active Beam system

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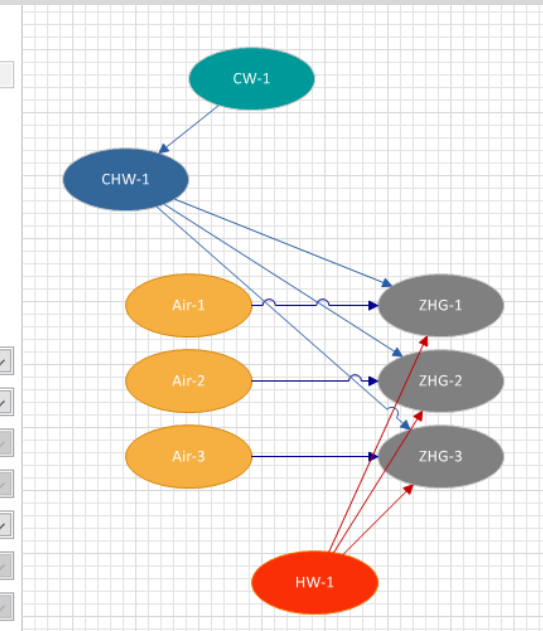
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# HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (water heating and cooling)

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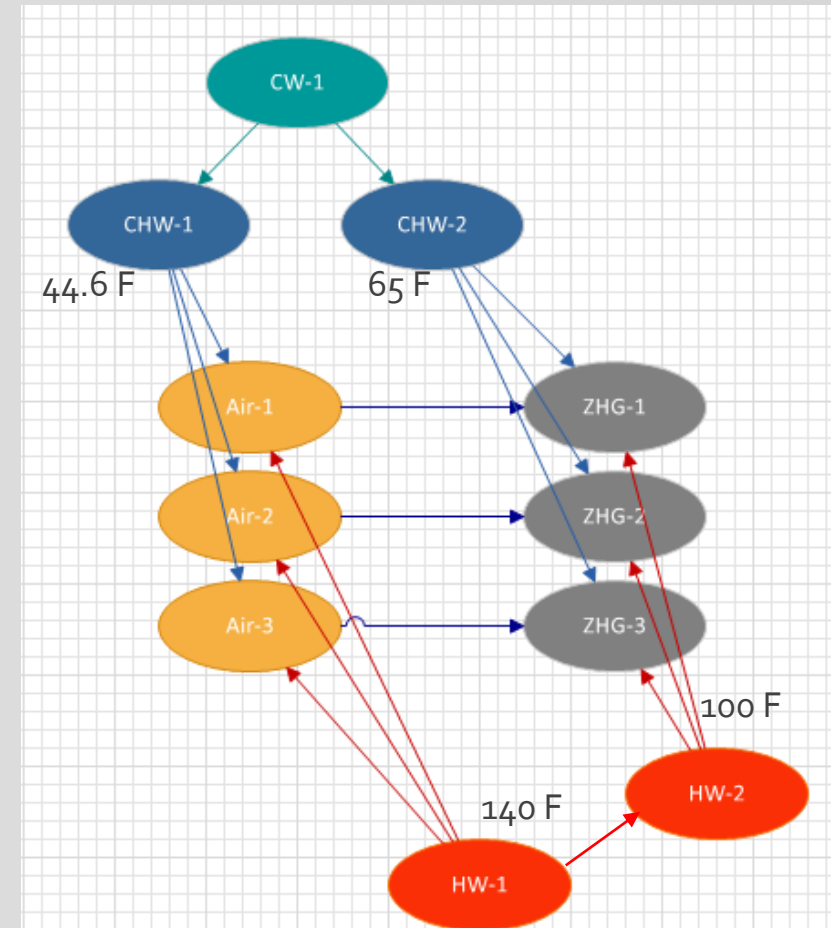
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### Lesson 4

*Detailed HVAC:  
Active beam DOAS*

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- Change DOAS from
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  - DX to water cooling
- Add two more water loops



# HVAC system: Active beam with DOAS (water heating and cooling)

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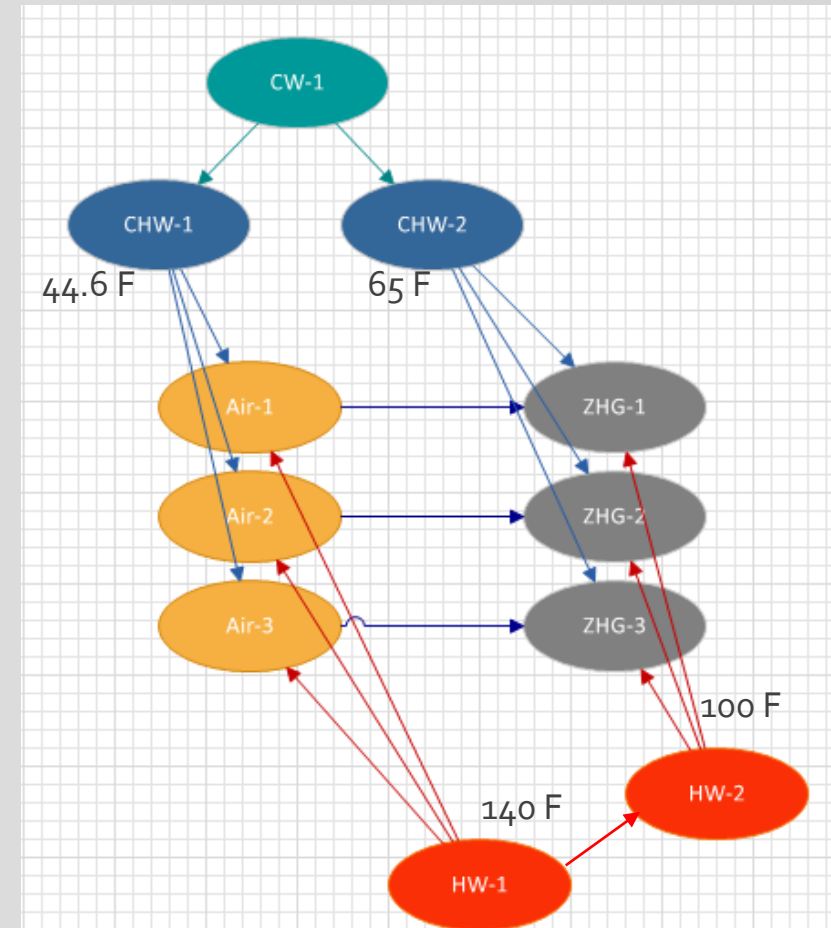
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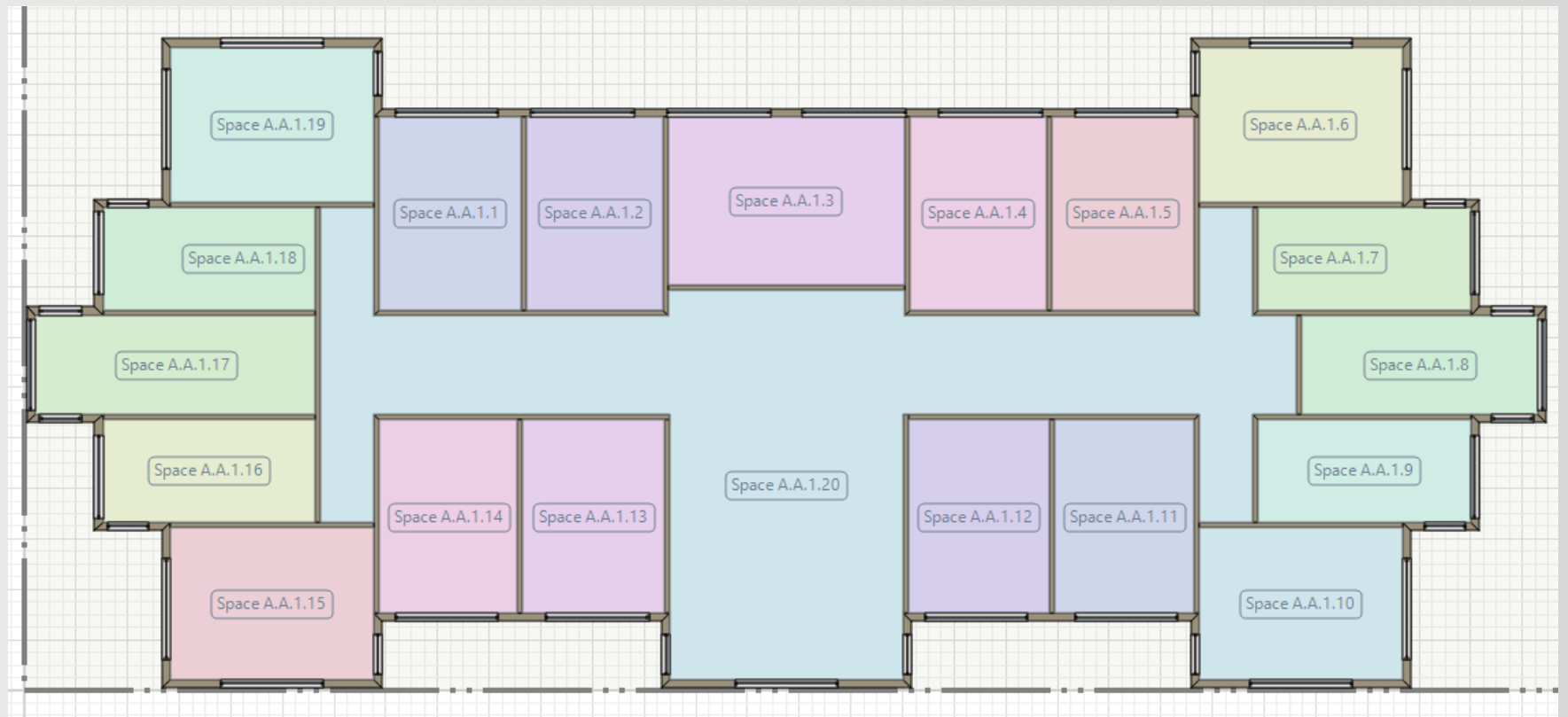
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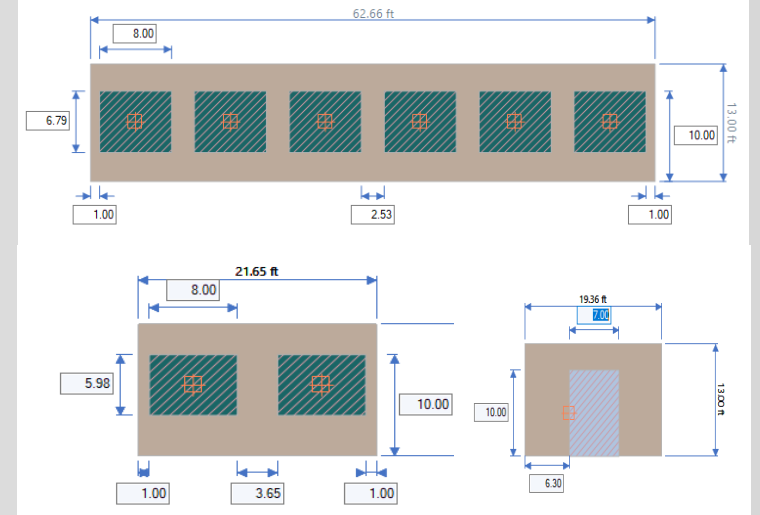
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*DWG Model over –  
advanced geometry*

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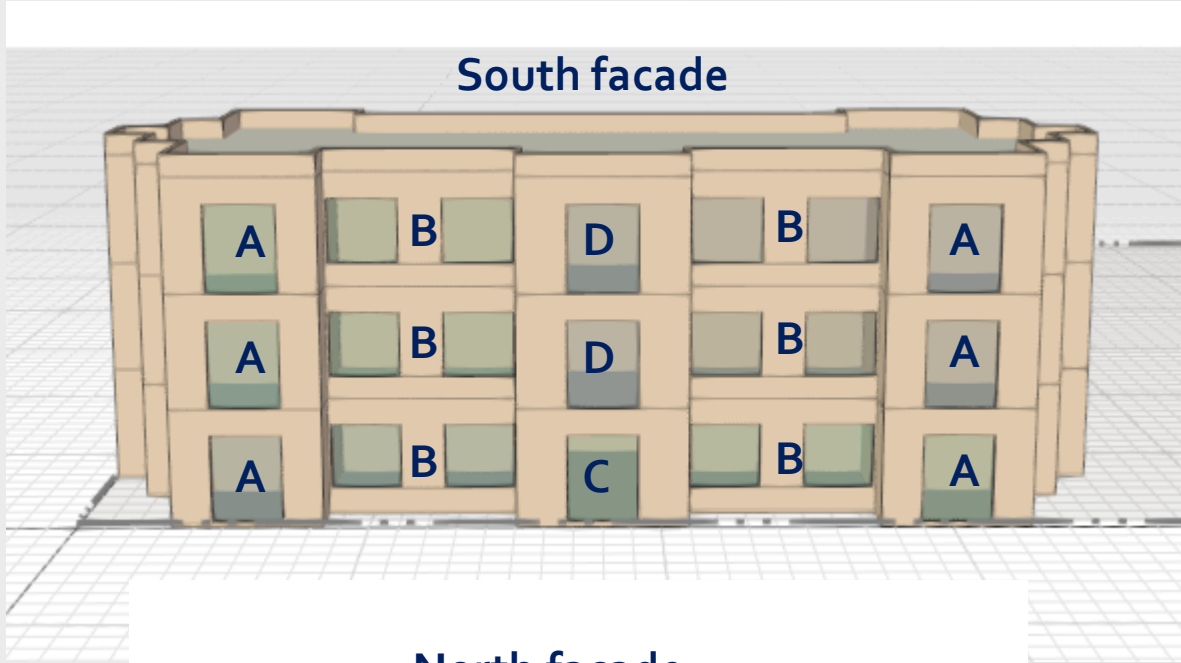


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  - zoning
  - two different floor layouts
- 2. Detailed openings**
  - windows and doors

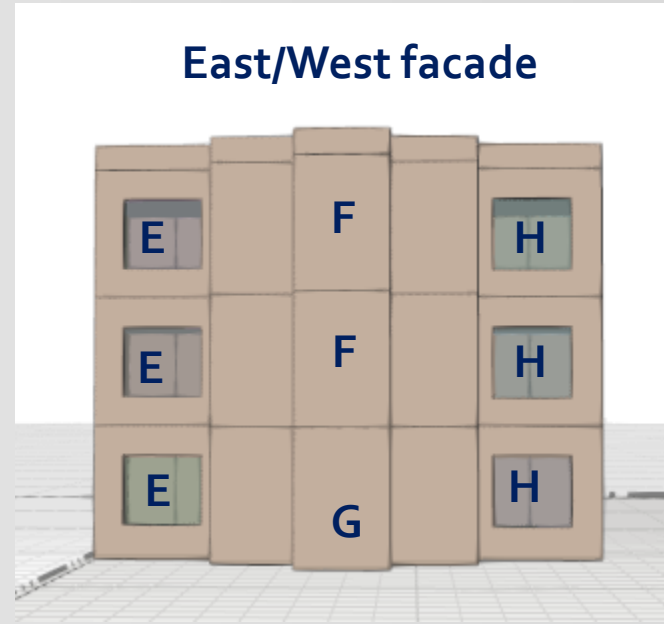


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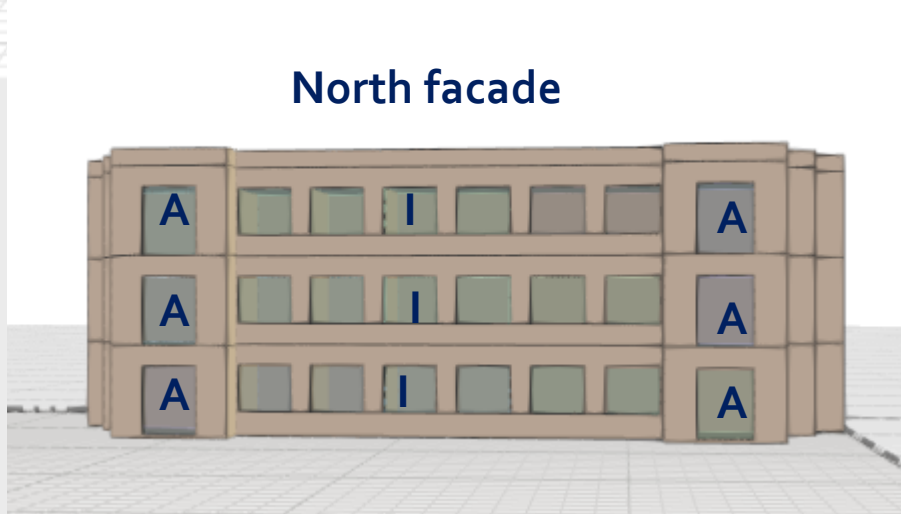
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East/West facade



North facade



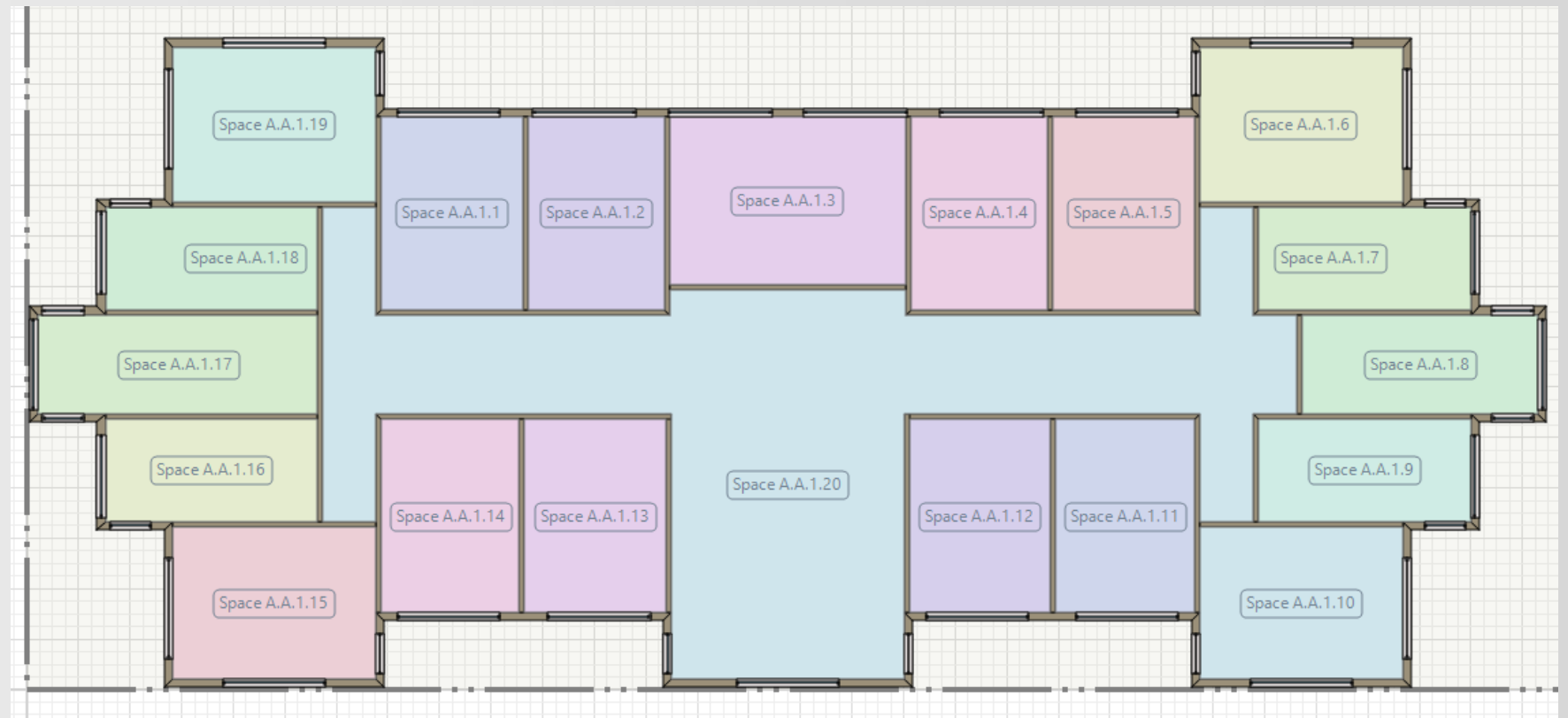
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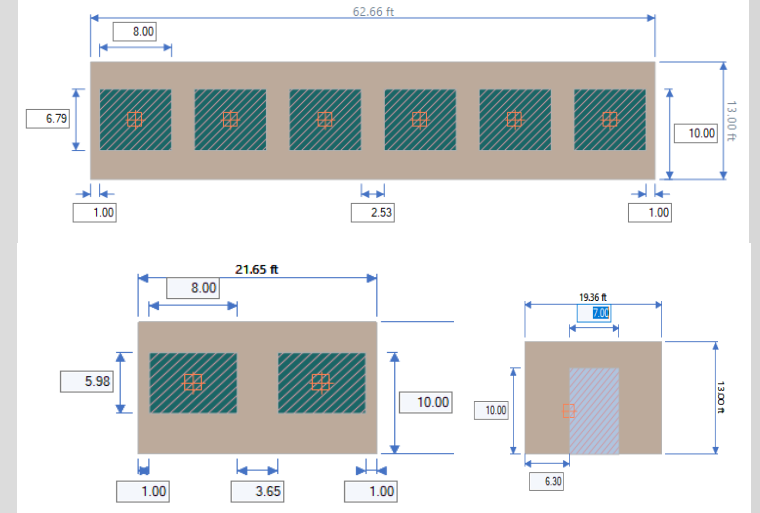
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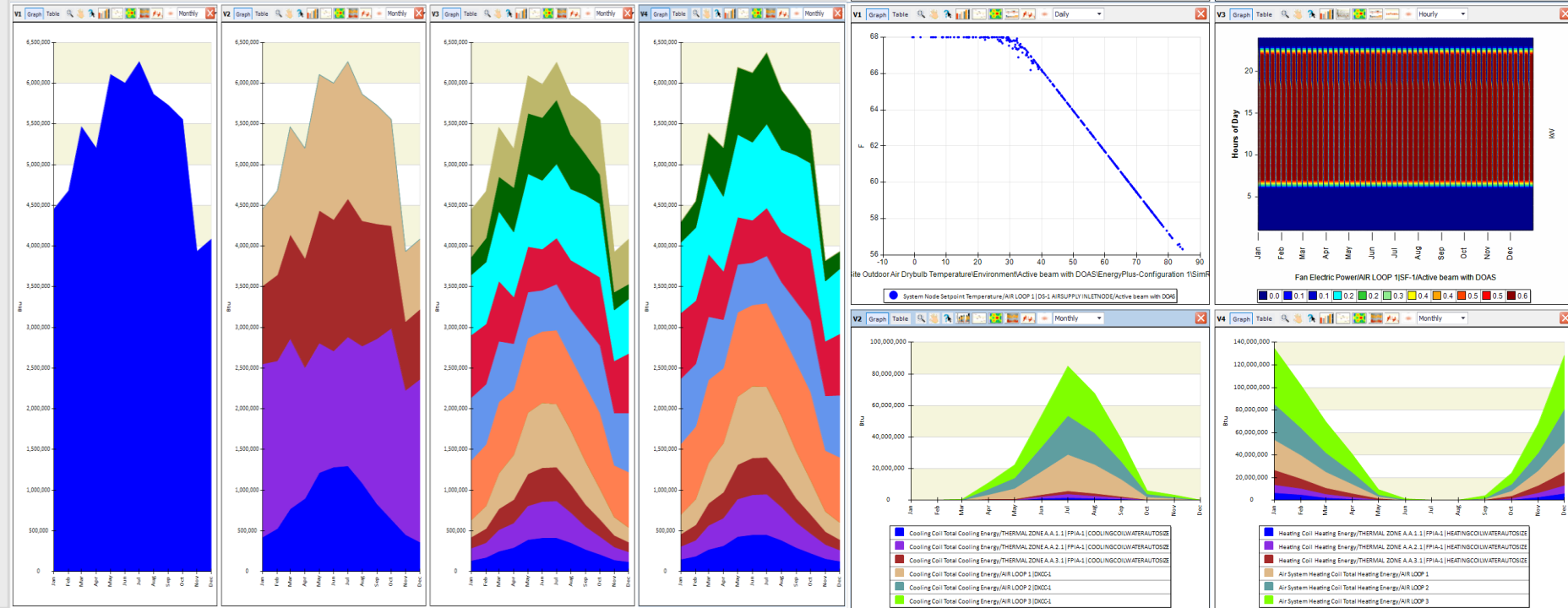
## Lesson 6

*Results visualization*

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# Result visualization

1. How do the different geometry models compare?
2. Is there a difference in solar radiation between the 4 geometric alternatives?
3. Are the air loops working as expected in the active beam system?
4. Are the water loops behaving as anticipated in the water-based system?



# Result visualization

Create

- Bar charts
- Surface plots
- Area plots
- Line plots
- Carpet plots
- Etc.

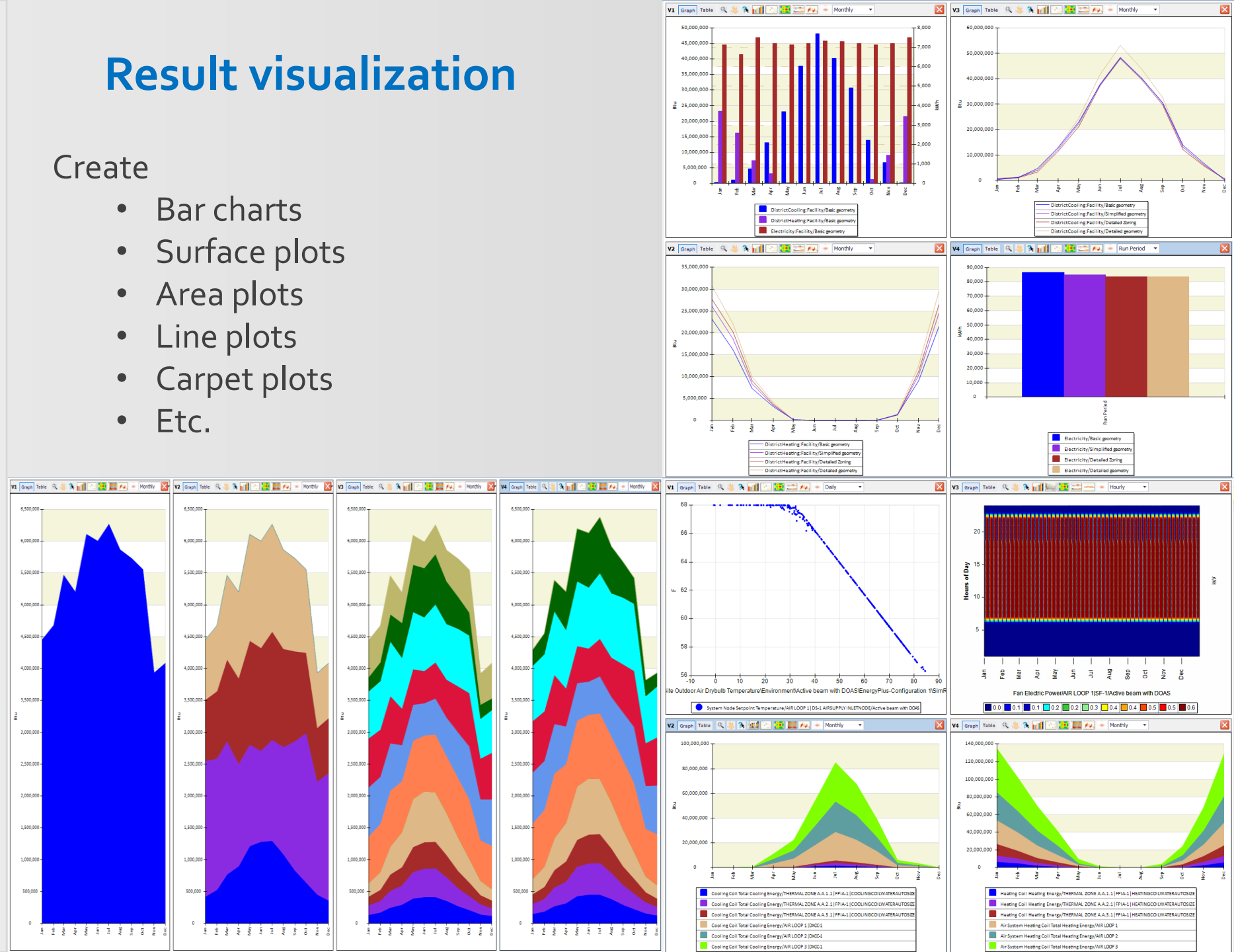
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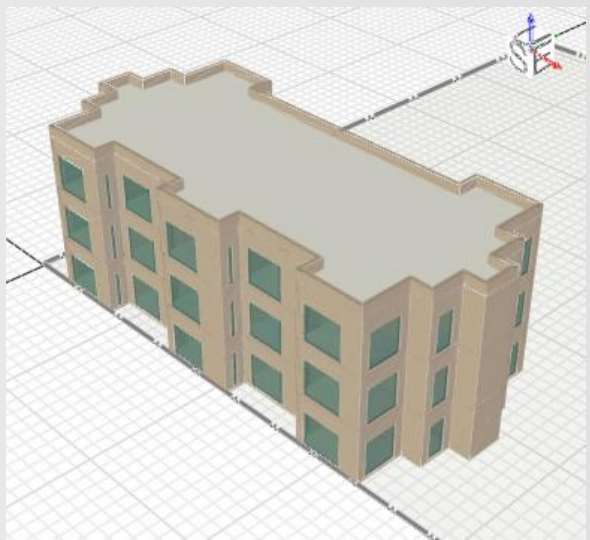
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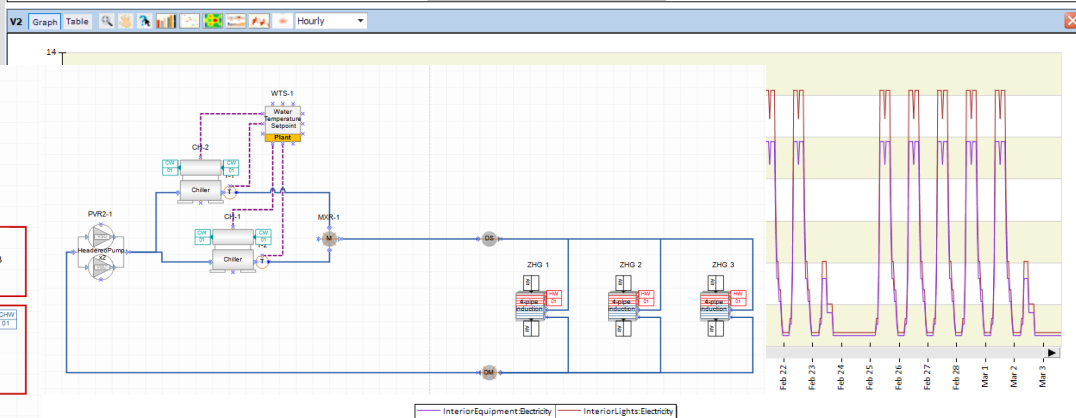
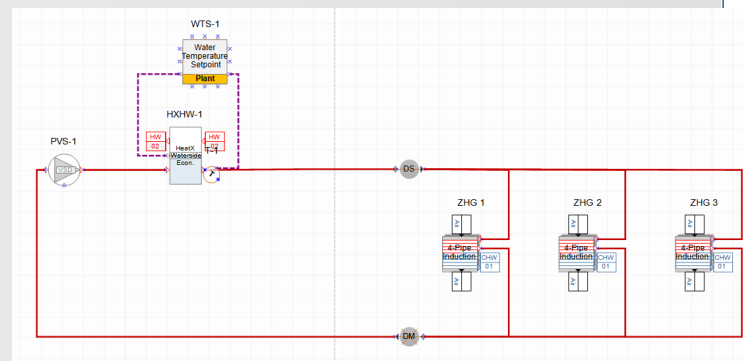
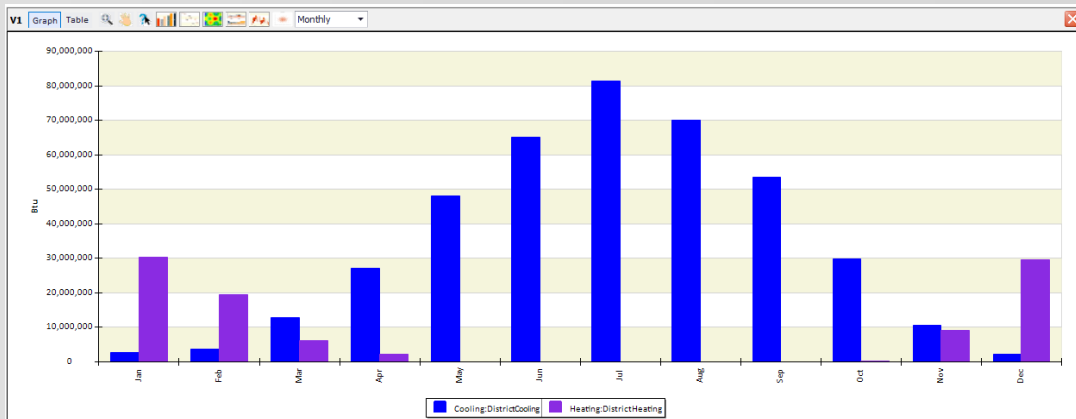
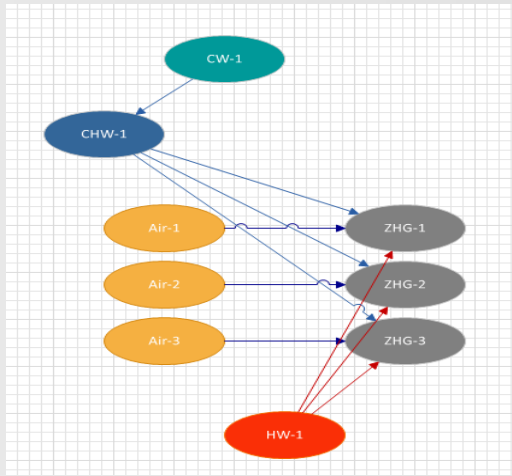




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# New features in Simergy 4.0

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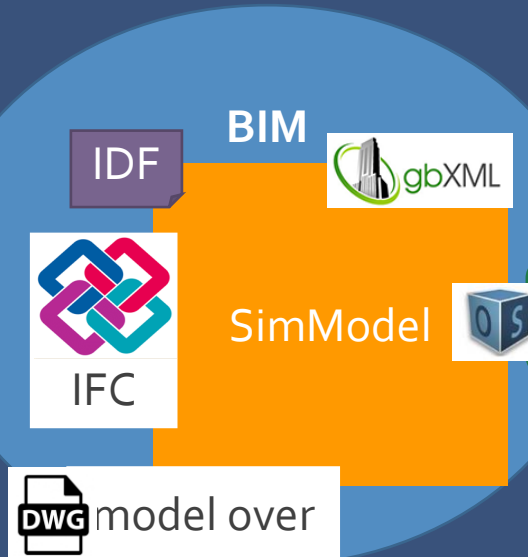
Parametric model creation with

Building Model Creator™

Multiple Buildings

Occupancy templ.

Building Systems Creator™



predicting building performance through



Energy simulation

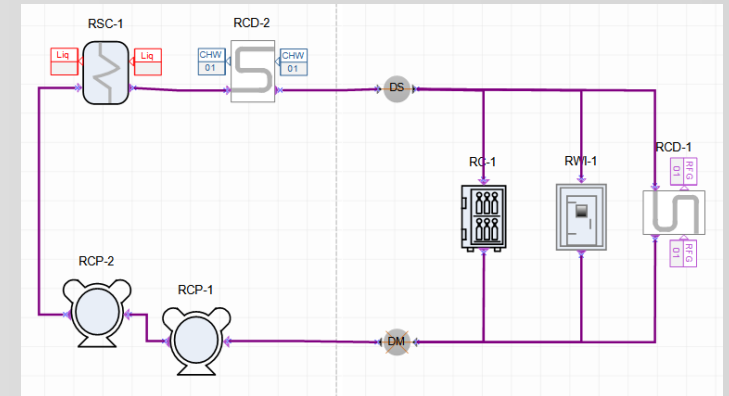


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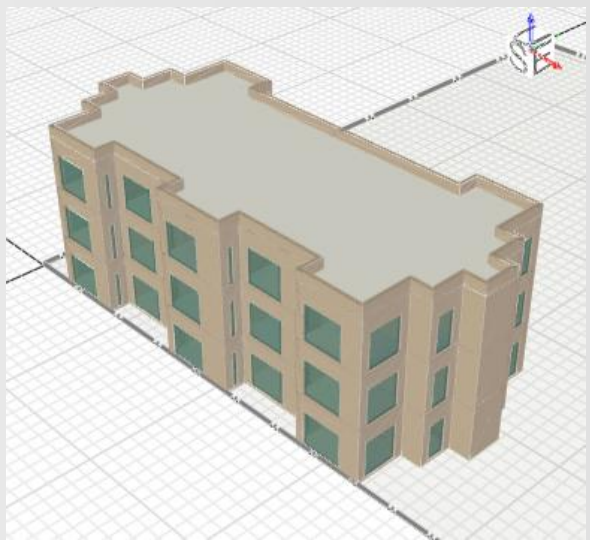
Title24 certification

1. Support for EnergyPlus V9.2
2. Support for additional HVAC components (e.g., more heat exchanger)
3. Support for refrigeration loops



4. Improved and faster IDF import
5. Improved Building Creator (e.g., zone ceiling/floor configurations)
6. Improved startup time/dashboard
7. Improved unit testing
8. Enhanced System Creator (sec. loops)
9. Location driven construction (based on climate zone)
10. More online content (e.g., FAQs)





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**You have completed  
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Congratulations.**

