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# CATALOG OF SPECULATIVE SUBURBAN FUTURES

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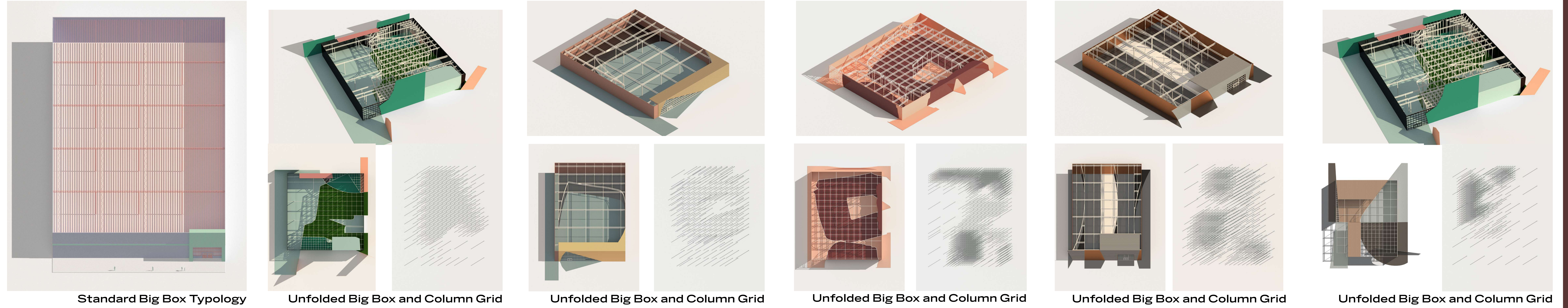
Research conducted Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

This joint creative project examines ordinary suburban architecture through a neutral lens. American suburbs are often a source of vibrant debate in architectural discourse. The goal of this research was not to contribute to the endorsement or condemnation of suburbia, but to instead study the composition of these common place typologies. The three typologies studied in this project were shopping malls, big box stores, and gas station

Each of these has a distinct organization and set of characteristics that separates it from the others. After studying the basic components, interventions were made to transform each building in unique ways. This poster catalogs initial typological studies and their subsequent interventions. We hope that this catalog will provide a different perspective on suburban structures and pave a way for new innovative programs to exist within their walls.



## BIG BOX STORES



Standard Big Box Typology

Unfolded Big Box and Column Grid

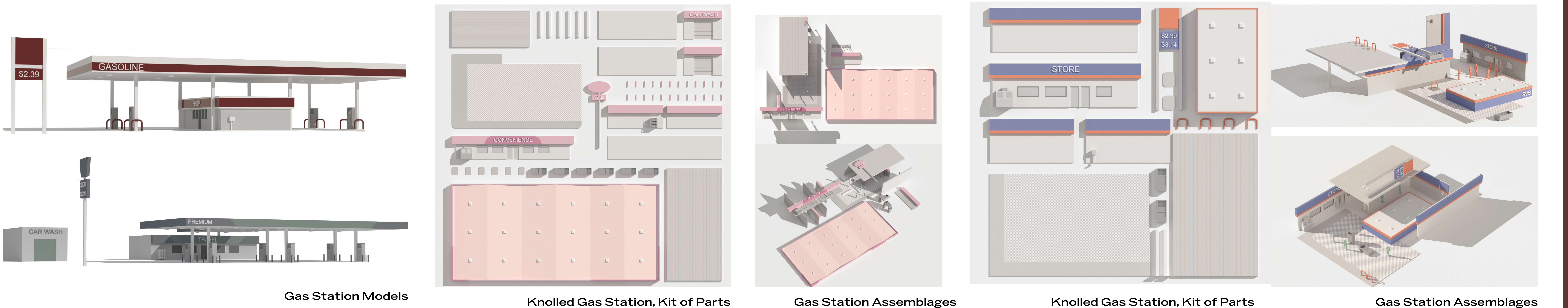
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## GAS STATIONS



Gas Station Models

Knolled Gas Station, Kit of Parts

Gas Station Assemblages

Knolled Gas Station, Kit of Parts

Gas Station Assemblages

## SHOPPING MALLS

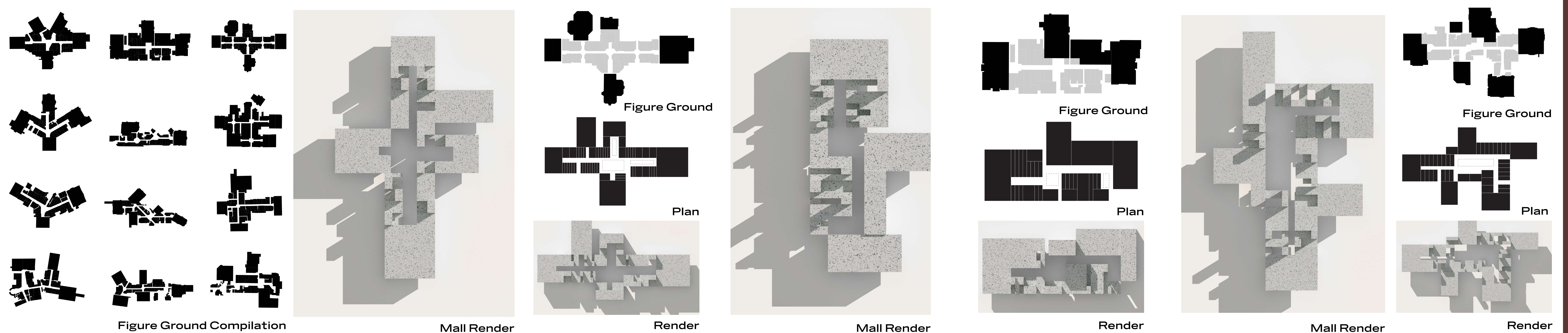


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