



ESBG 2015

EUROPEAN STRAWBALE GATHERING MONTARGIS | PARIS



AN ECO VILLAGE FROM SCRATCH

Introduction

Summary

Why an eco village?

What is an eco village?

How to build an eco village from scratch

Lowbudget strawbale house

Improved version

Why an eco village ?

Why a change is needed

How did I get to this point?

The need for experiments

What is an eco village ?

Features

A society in miniature

Small enough to be manageable

Big enough for specializations / local economy

No Guru or spiritual dogma

Eco village from scratch

Traditional startup

Social problems, forming a group

Financial problems, finding a terrain

Regulations, permits and papers

Waiting, waiting.....



Eco village from scratch

Different approach

Keep it simple

Build a strawbale holiday house

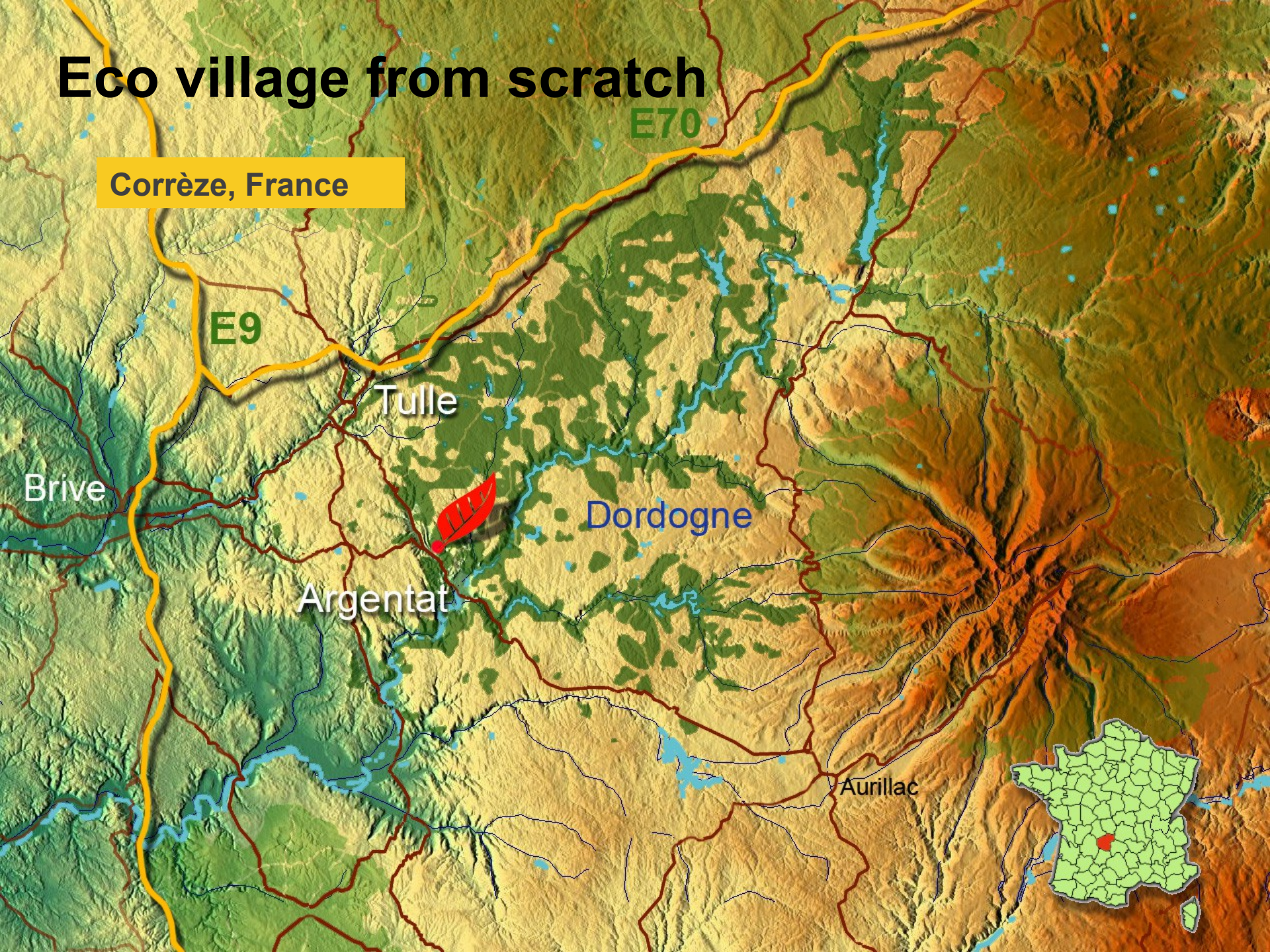
Form a network of houses

Build a local economy

Let local people join

Eco village from scratch

Corrèze, France



E70

E9

Tulle

Brive

Dordogne

Argentat

Aurillac

Strawbale-clay house

Features

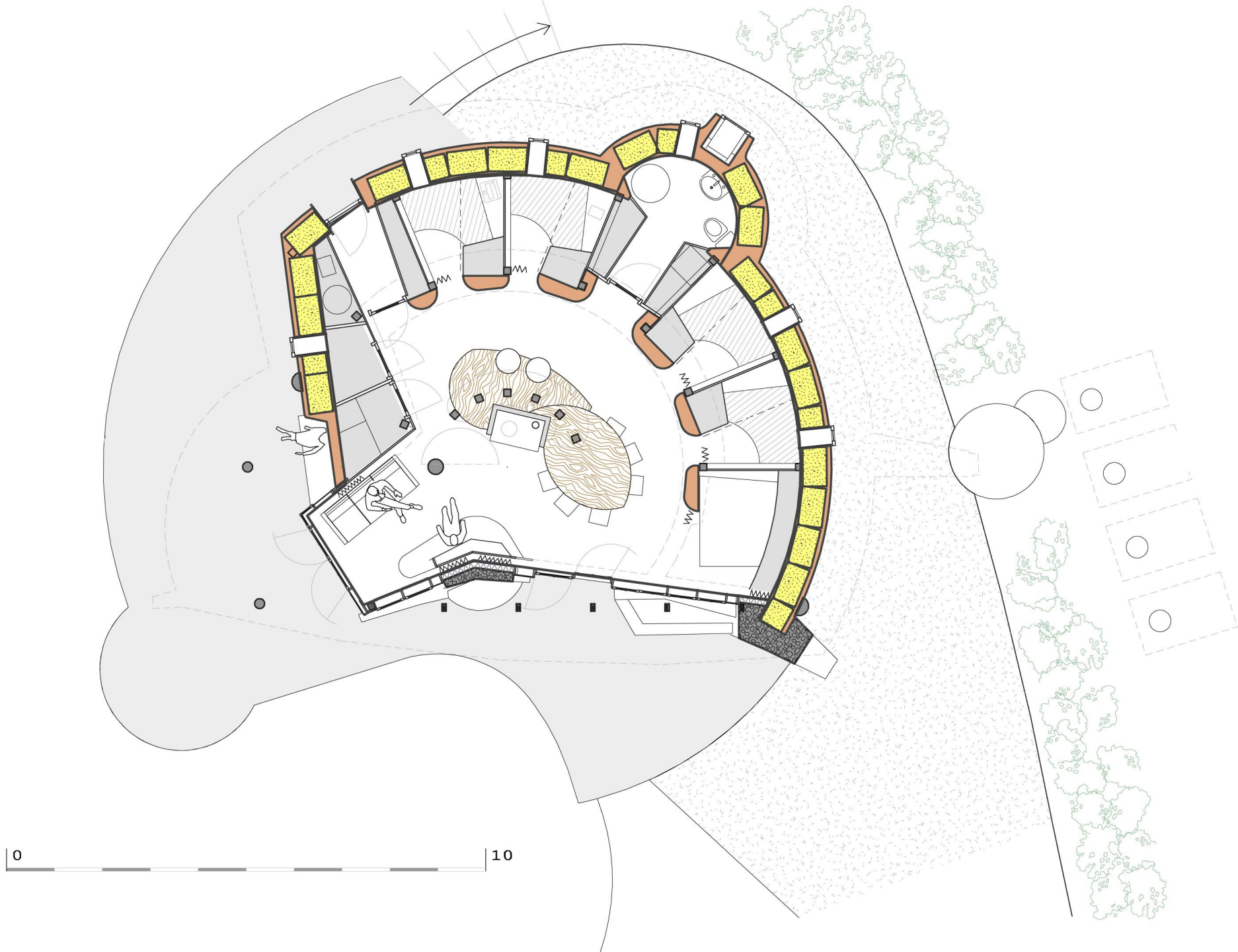
Compact, 77m² with 5 bedrooms

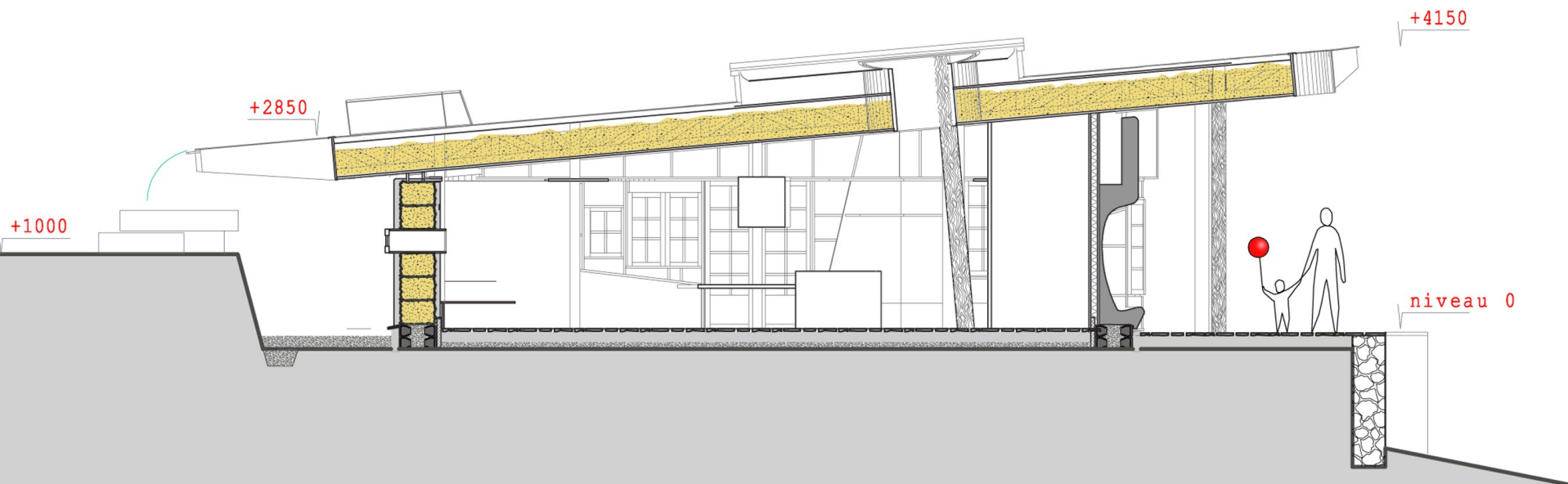
Cheap, self-build for 10.000 €

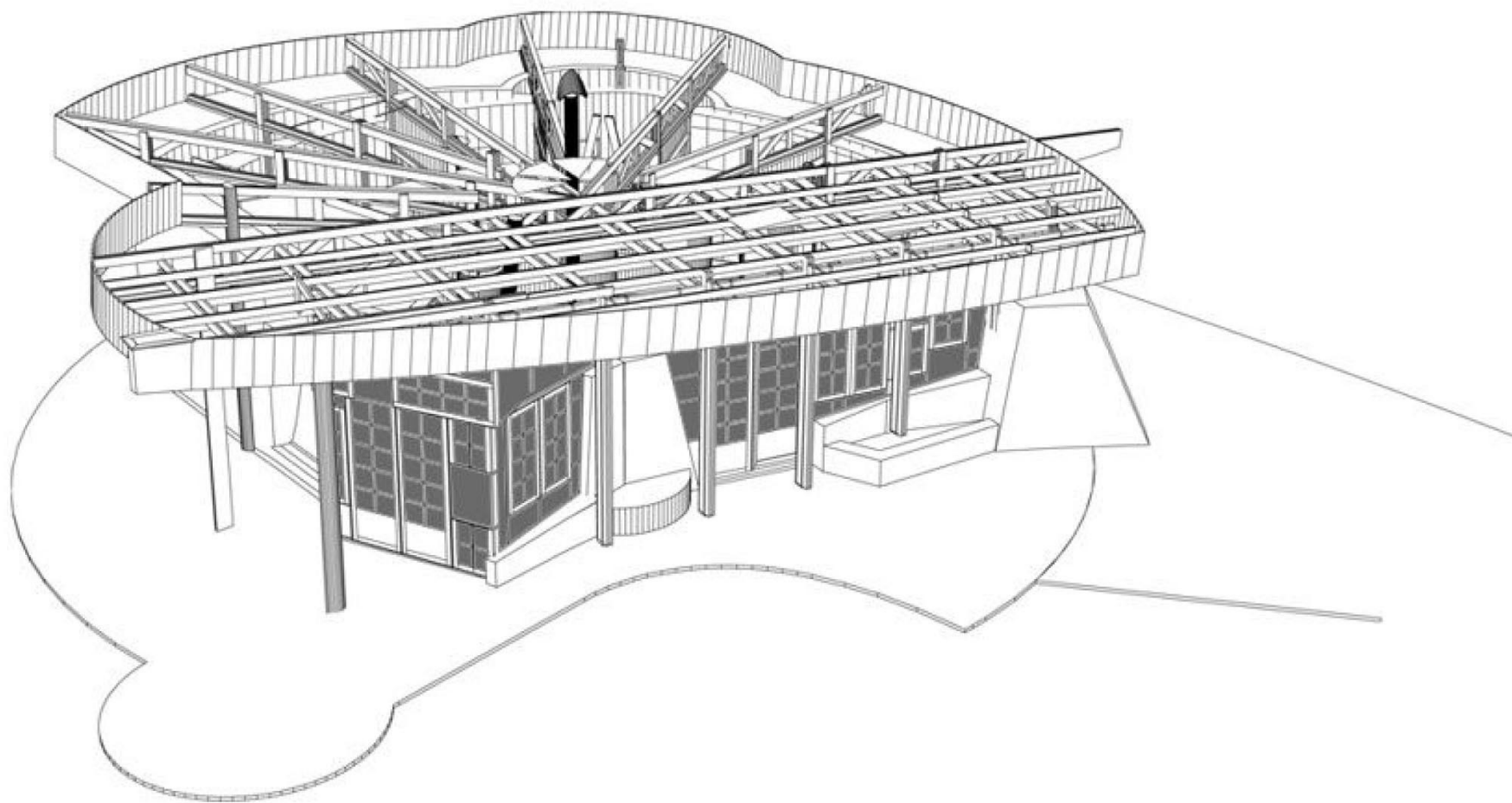
Easy to build, prefab planks only

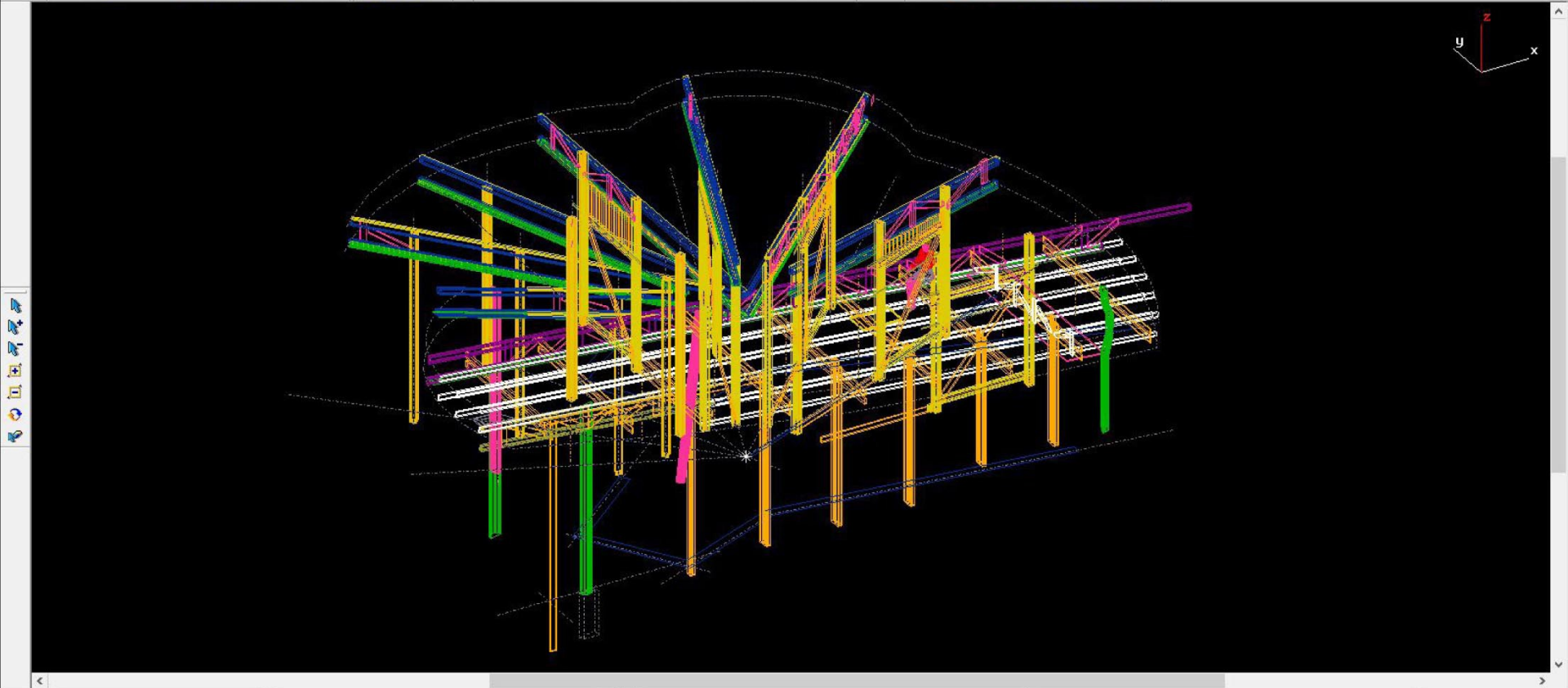
Natural materials

Rental, experience a different life for 3 weeks







































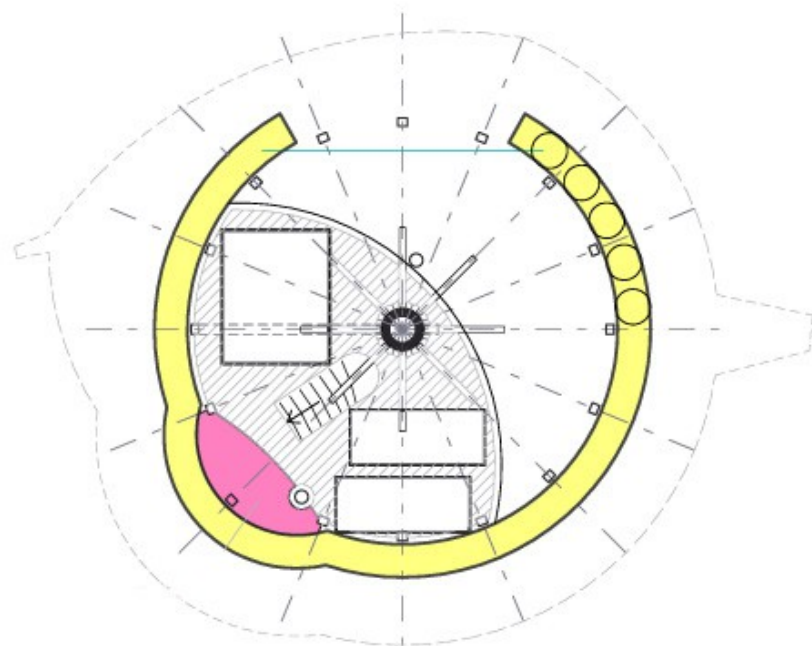
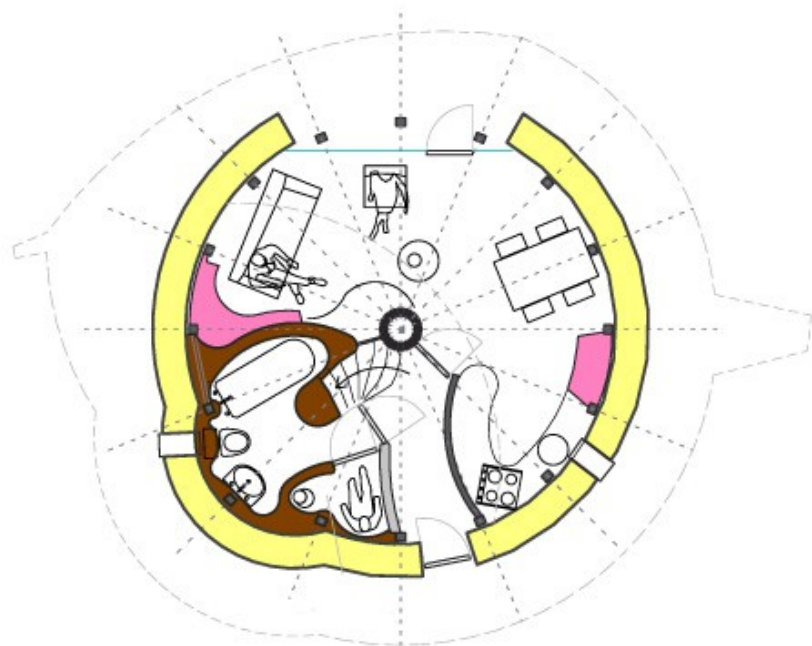
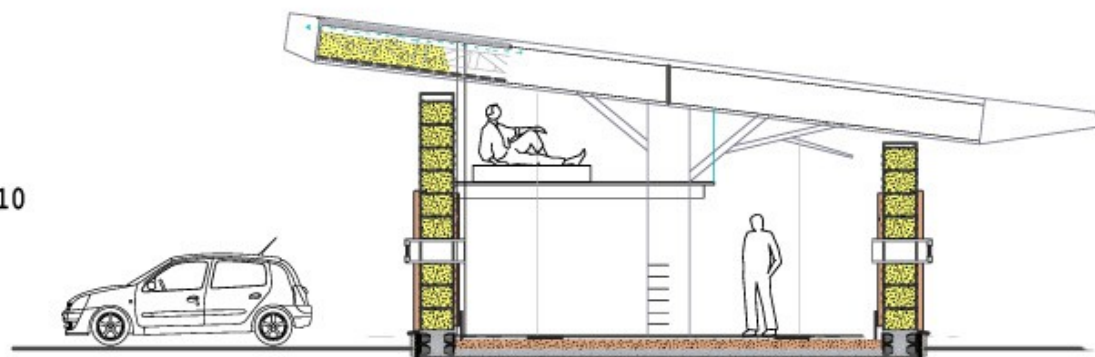
Improved strawbale house

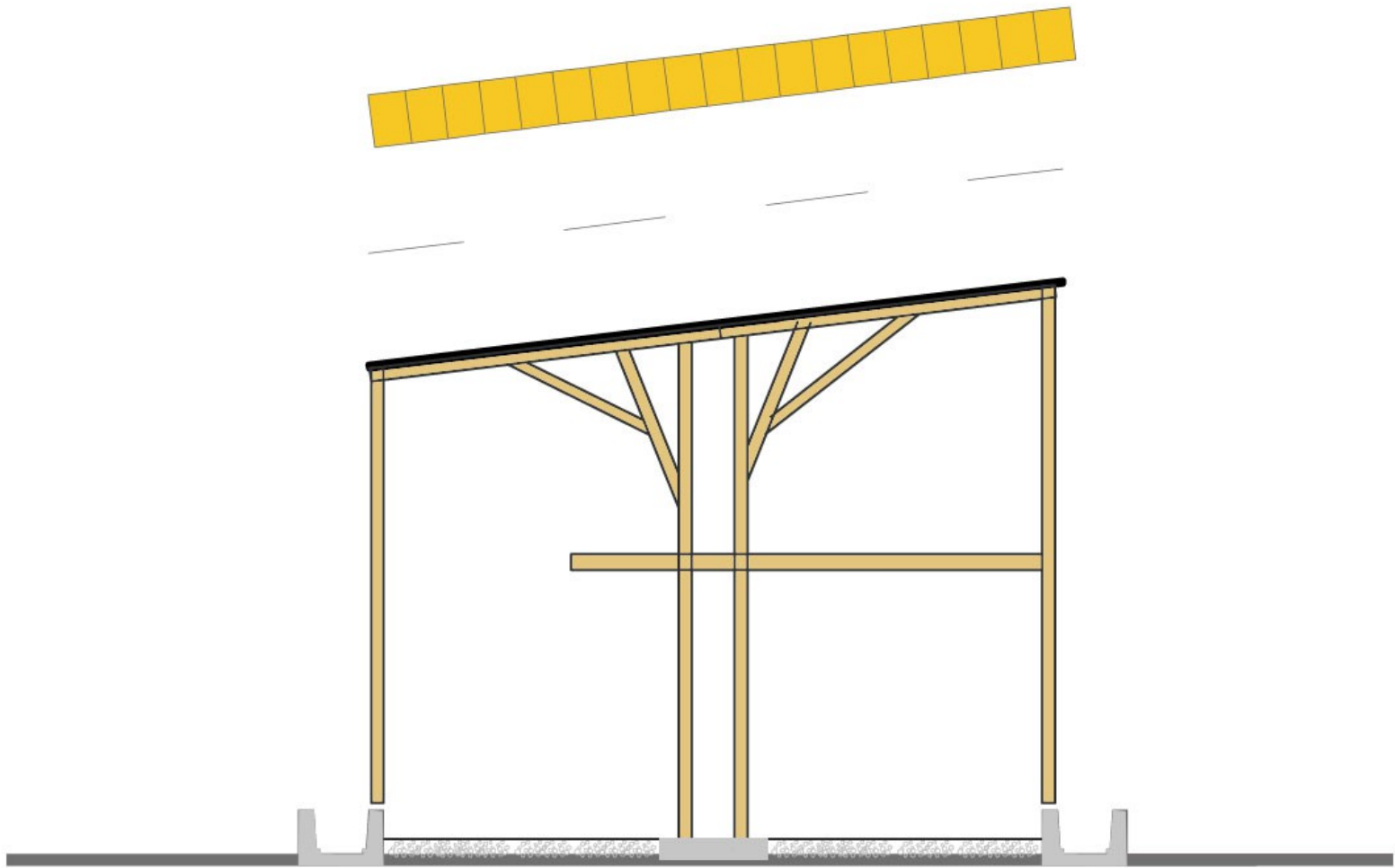
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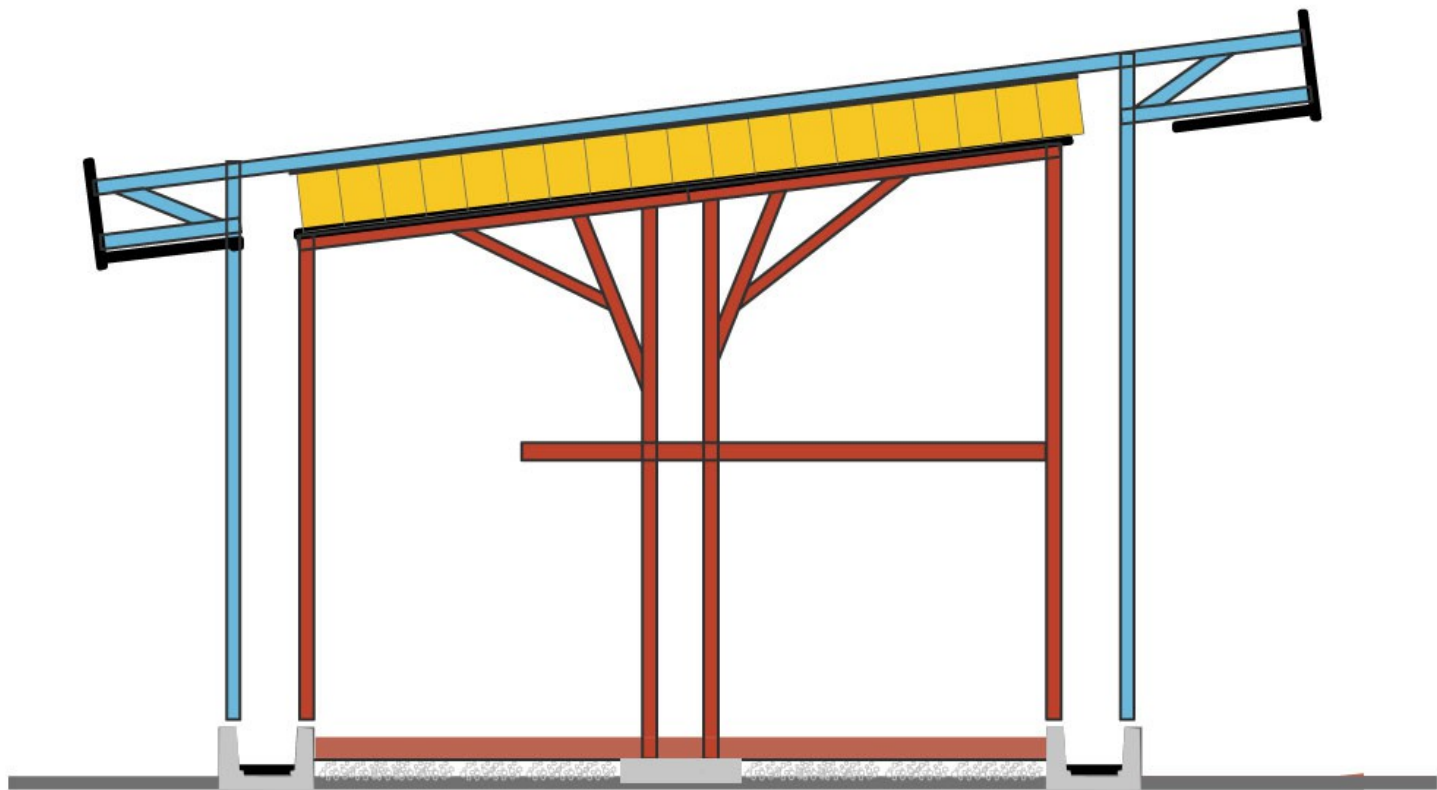
Even more compact, 35m² ground surface

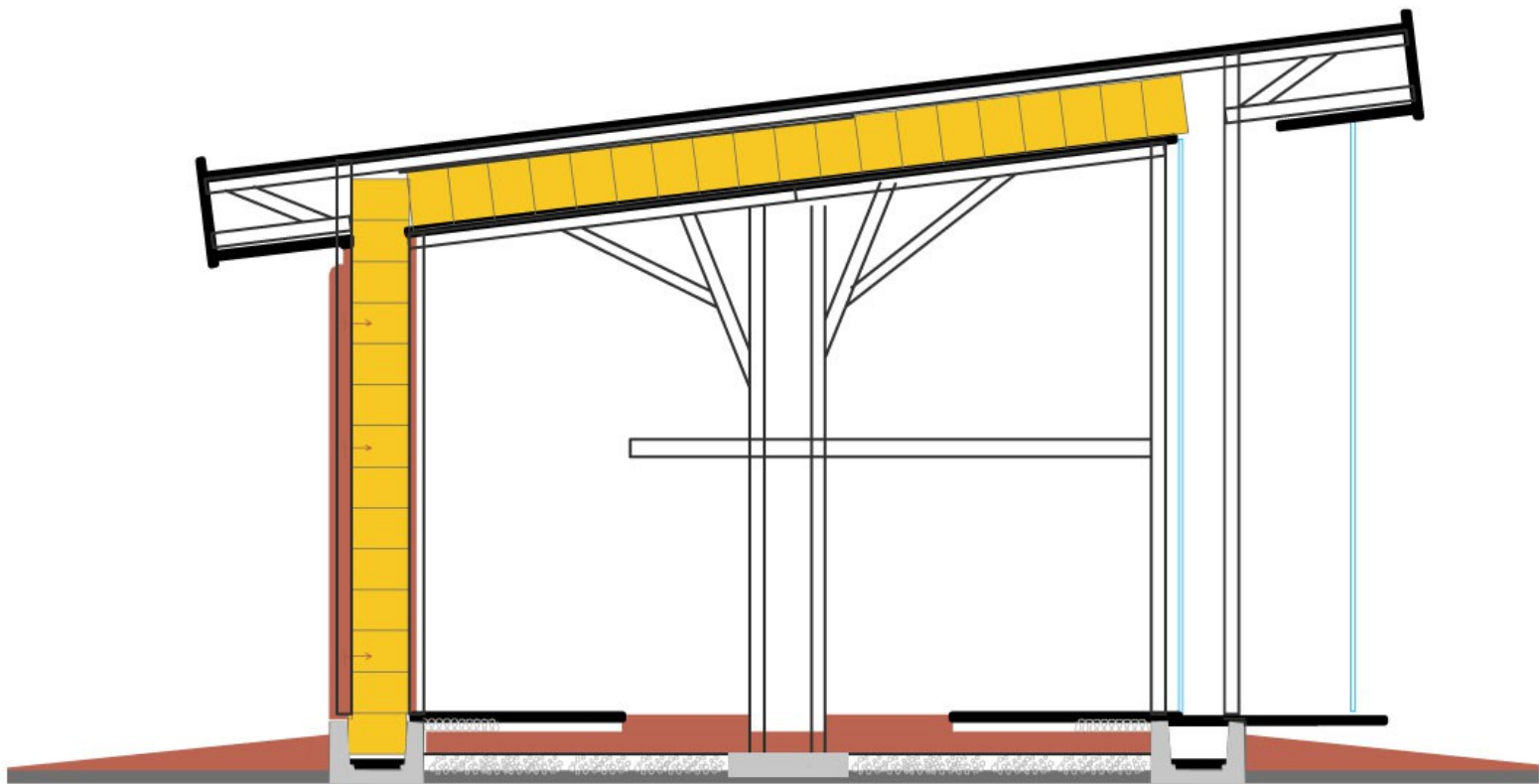
Even more cheap, self-build 5.000 €

Even more easy to build, prefab and no improvising









Features

Builders

Holiday home owners

Pioneers

Holiday home rental

Network

