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Introduction

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Metro Project

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Tel Aviv Metropolis

The Tel Aviv Metropolitan area is the country's business and financial heart and the center of a significant part of the economic activity responsible for most of Israel's national product.



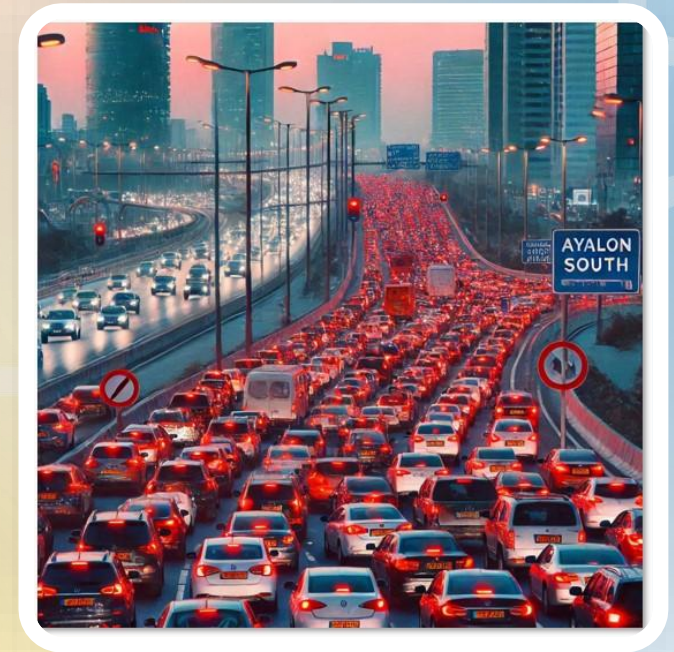
44%
of the
population
in Israel



50%
of jobs



62%
of Business
product



Facts and Figures

The largest and most complex project ever delivered in Israel!

\$40-50bn
Estimated cost

\$8.5bn
Economic
benefits

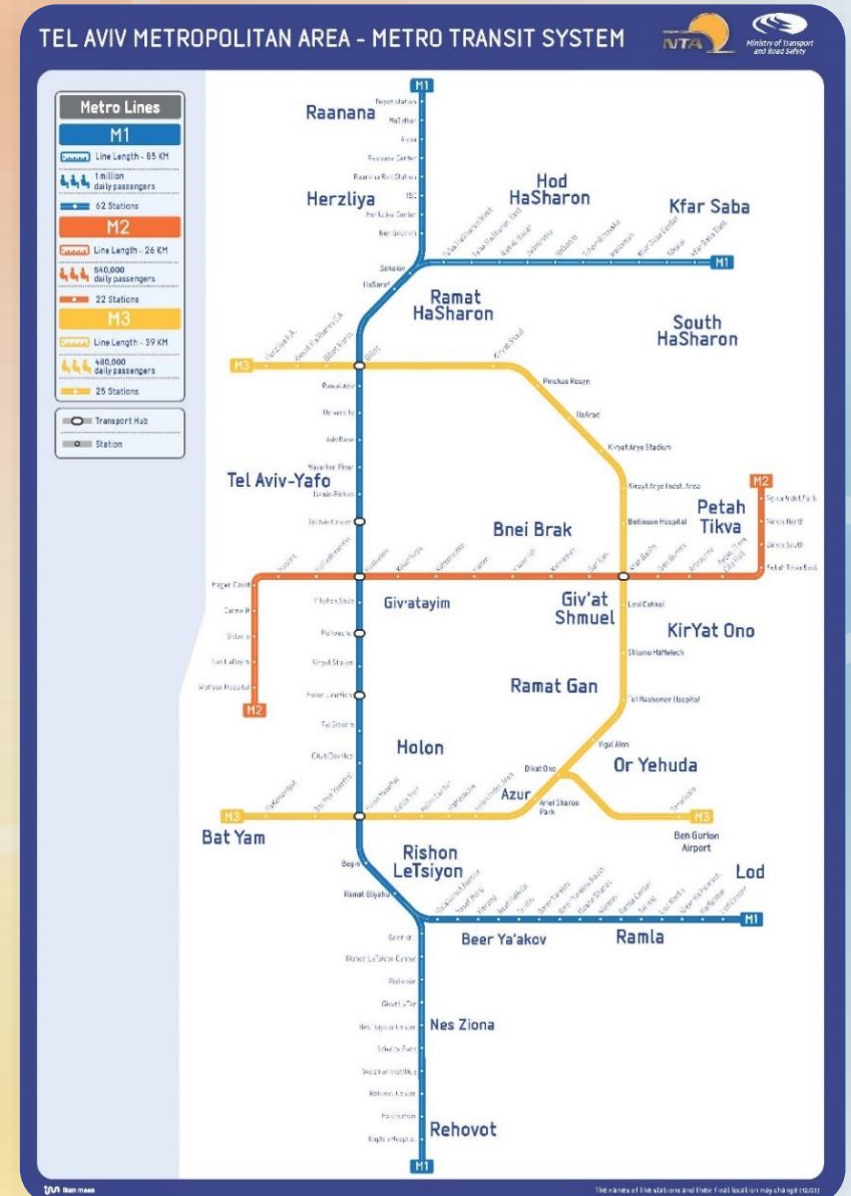
2037
Stage A –
Operation

+30%
Increase use of
Public transport

2 mil
Passengers
per day

General Overview

- 3 Lines (M1/M2/M3)
- 150 km Underground Network (double tunneling)
- 109 Stations
- 24 Municipalities
- 4 Depots
- 7 Transportation Hubs

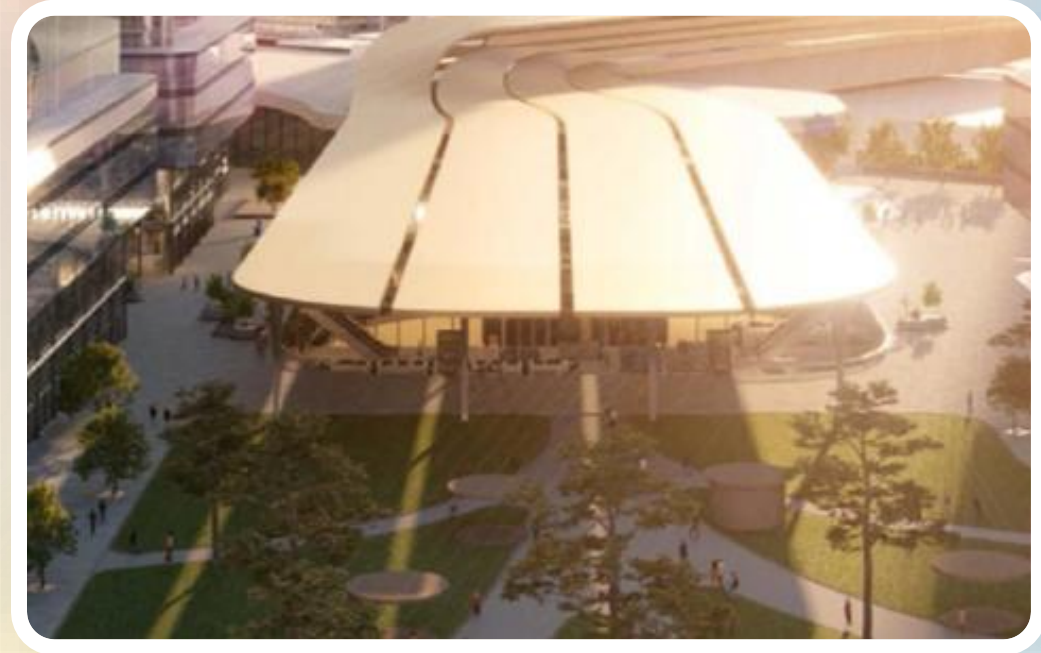


LVC (Land Value Capture)

Development Above Stations



Glilot
Gordon Architects



TLV Center
HQ Architects

Managerial Structure



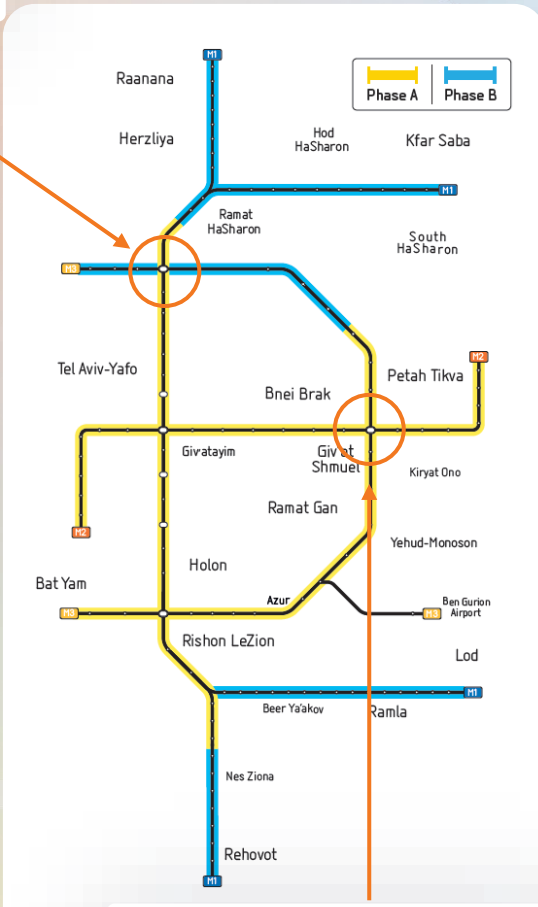
Project Staging

The Metro Project is divided into two main execution stages:

Stage Execution	Track Length	M1	M2	M3	Total network
1	stations	28 km	26 km	24 km	78 km
	Depots	20	22	17	59 Stations
		Rishonim	Sgula	Mesubim	3 Depots
2	Track Length	58 km	-	11 km + 5 km to airport	74 km
	stations	42	-	7 km + 1 km to airport	50 Stations
	Depots	Ra'anana	-	-	1 Depot
		85 km	26 km	39 km	

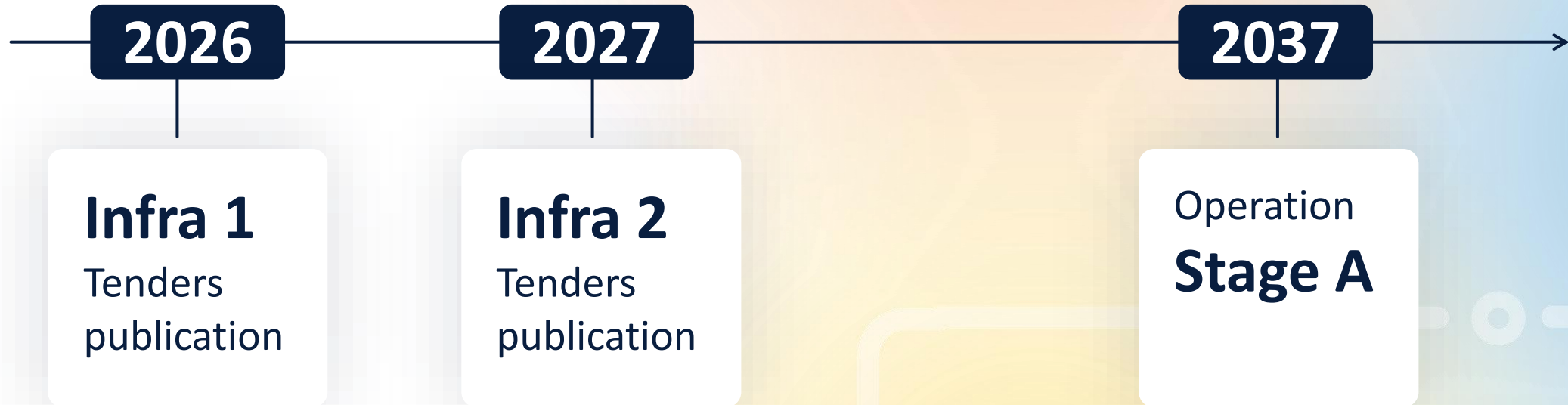
Total: 150 km, 109 Stations

M1-M3
Connection (Gilot)



M1-M3
Connection (Kfar Ganim)

Major Milestones



Line M1

Kobby Ben Atar

VP, Head of Metro Line M1

M1

M1 Highlights

85 km
Length

62
stations

2
Depots

15 Transfer
Stations

14
Municipalities



Project Staging – Stage 1

M1 Line is divided into two main execution stages

Track Length

28 km

Depots

Rishonim

stations

20

Operational Elements

10

- Starts From Rishon Le Zion HaRishonim including the Depot until Gilit
- Execution Stage 1 is divided into 3 Sub-stages of operation as follows:
 - **Sub-stage 1** – Rishonim to Holon Junction
 - **Sub-stage 2** – Holon Junction to Namir Pinkas
 - **Sub-stage 3** – Namir Pinkas to Gilit



Project Staging – Stage 2

Track Length

57 km

Depots

Ra'anana

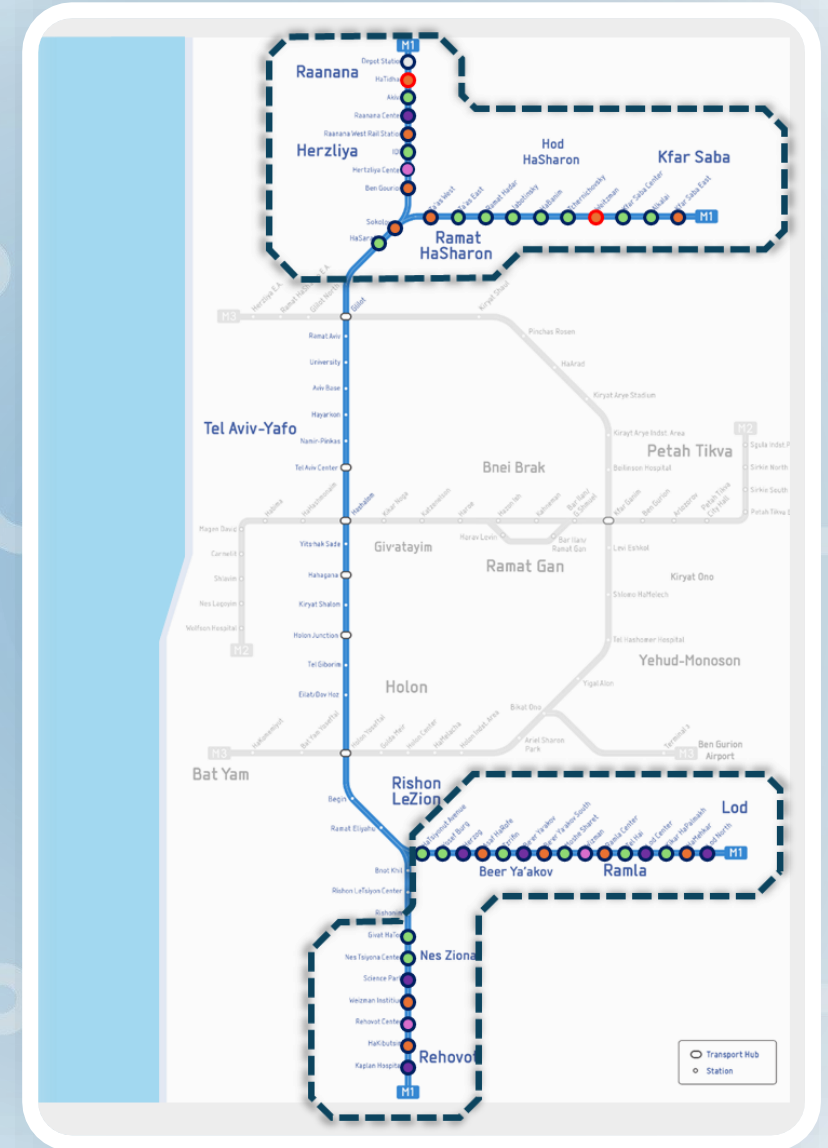
stations

42

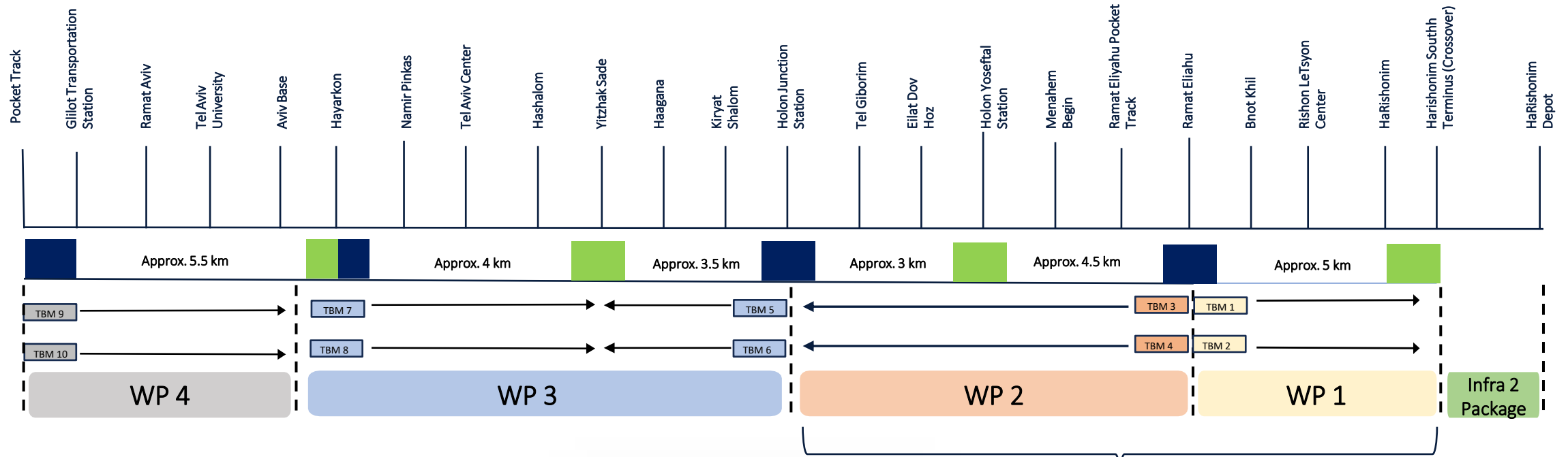
Operational Elements

15

- Execution stage 2 is divided into **Southern Branches** and **Northern Branches**:
 - The Southern Branches start from Lod in the east and Rehovot in the south (29 Km)
 - The Northern Branches include the continuation from Gilot to Kfar Saba in the east and Ra'anana in the north including Ra'anana Depot (28 Km)



Packaging Strategy



Optional as One Package

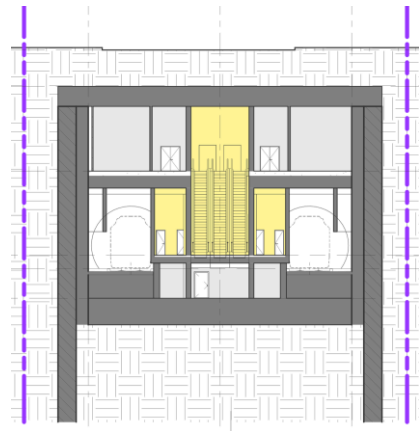
Work Packages	No. of C&C Stations
Package 1	4
Package 2	5
Package 3	7
Package 4	4
Total	20

Launching Shaft
 Retrieval Shaft

TBM drive
 TBM

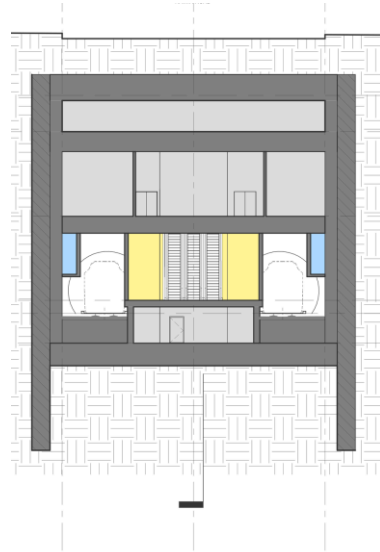
Typical Stations – M1

There are 4 types of stations in M1 Line:



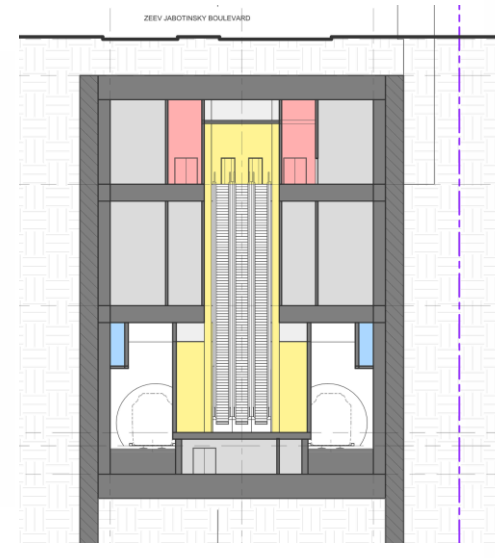
2 Level Station

Depth - ~24m
Length - ~226m
Width - ~22m



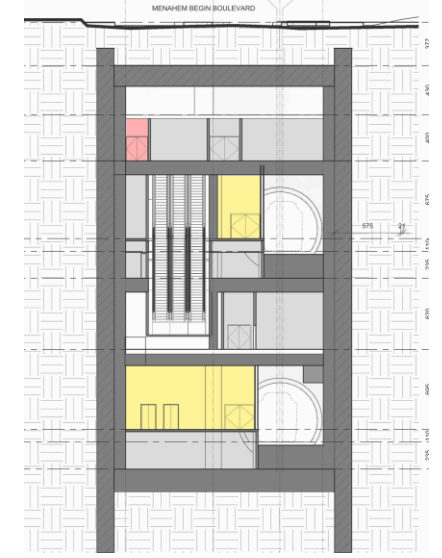
2 Level + Crossover

Depth - ~25m
Length - ~225m
+ ~100m Crossover
Width - ~22m



3 Level Station

Depth - ~37m
Length - ~193m
Width - ~21m



Narrow Station

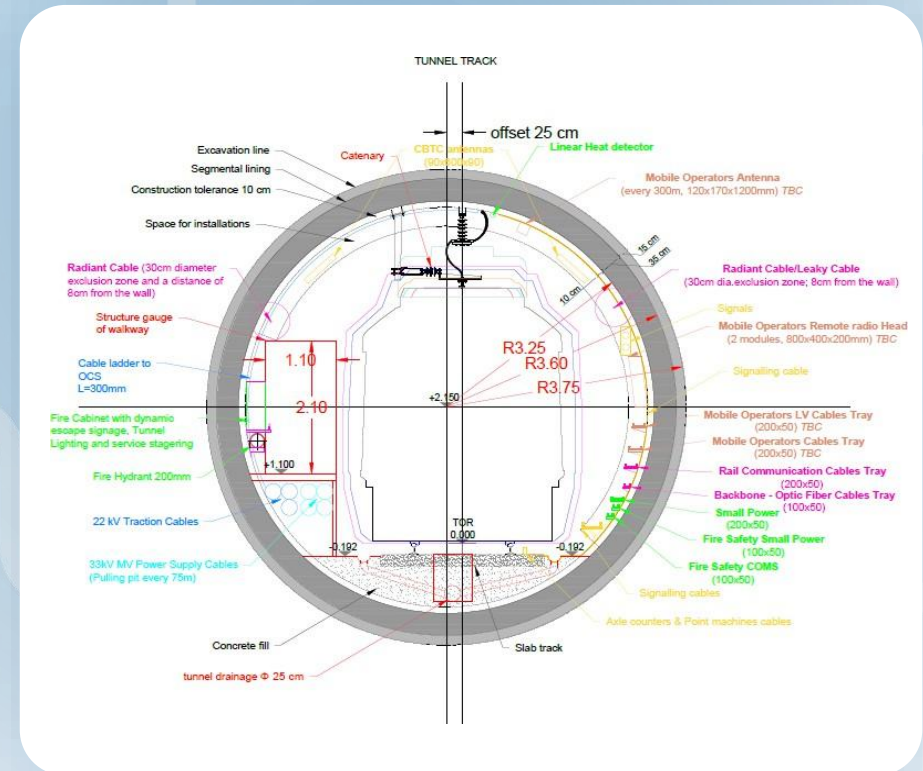
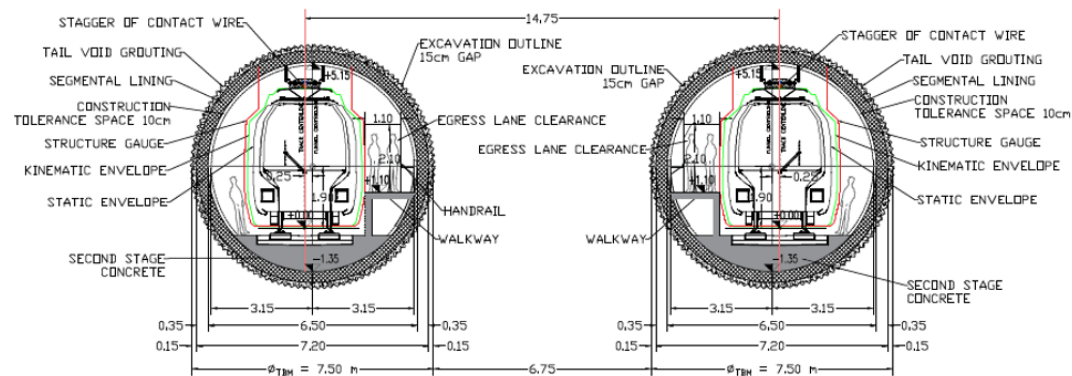
Depth - ~40m
Length - ~190m
Width - ~17m

Tunnel- M1

- It is defined a universal type of ring 5+1 configuration with no screwed bolts between segments.
- Inner tunnel diameter 6.5 meters, outer tunnel diameter 7.5 meters.
- Twin tunnels with one track per tunnel.

TUNNEL SECTION - INNER DIAMETER 6.50m


A_{EXCAVATION} = 44+44 m²

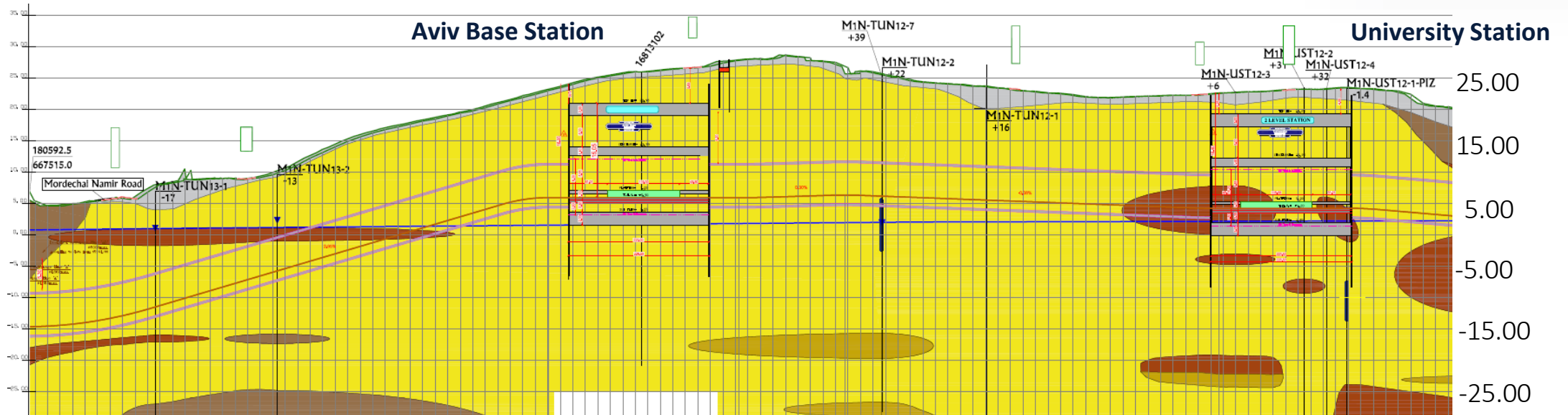


Geological Cross Section

- M1 Line is characterized by dominance of fine sand and loose Kurkar (yellow), with discontinuous layers of Clay and “Hamra”.
- There are places along the M1 Line, in few stations, such as the Hagana station that are located in clayey terrain (as in areas like the Ayalon and Yarkon Rivers), but most of the ground along the line is sandy.

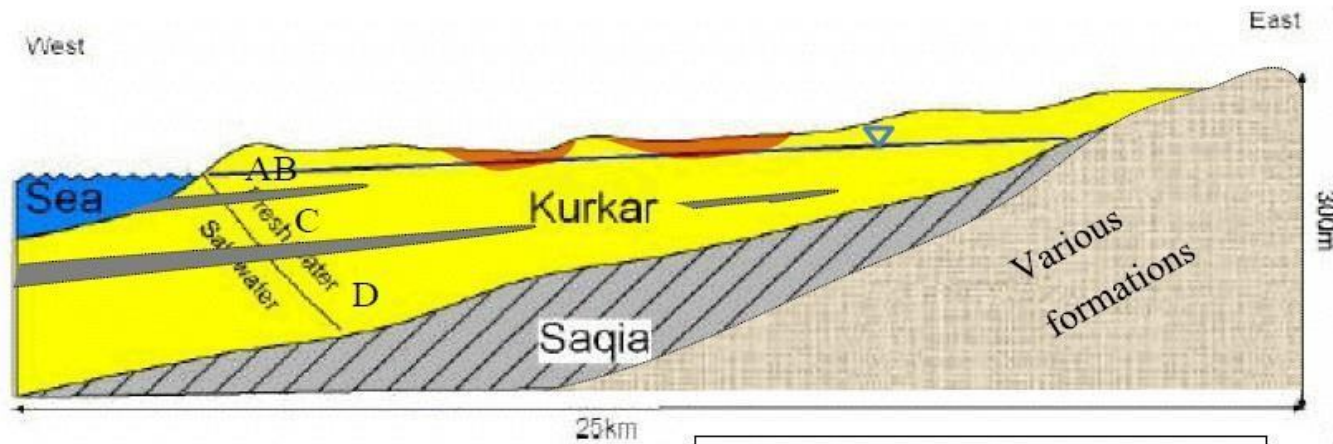
Legend






	Artificial filling
	Clay
	Clayey sand and sandy clay (Hamra)
	Fine Sand and Loose Kurkar (K1, K2)
	Cemented Kurkar (K3, K4)



Hydro - Geology

- The Metro tunnels pass through the Coastal Aquifer - a porous, Phreatic Aquifer.
- Going eastwards from the sea, the Aquifer gets thinner, groundwater level rises and hydraulic conductivity decreases.
- The general flow direction is seawards.
- The Aquifer is polluted in places and is heavily exploited for drinking and irrigation.
- Most of the tunnels would be submerged under groundwater.



Sand+Kurkar+Hamra	
Alluvium	
Marine Clay lenses	
Saqia Group (Clays)	
Previous Sedimentary rocks	

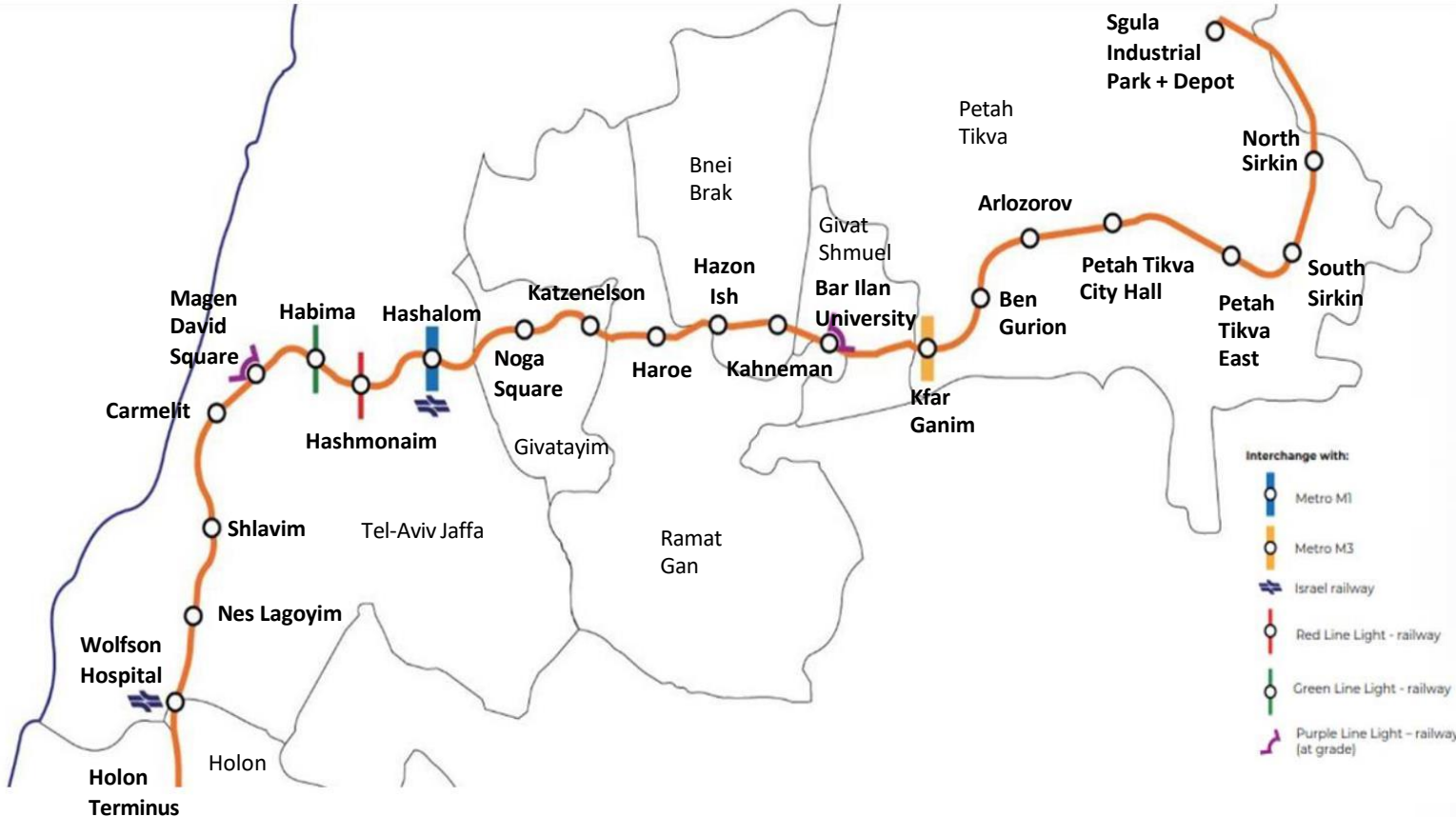
Line M2

Adi Kain Carni

VP, Head of Metro Line M2

M2

Overview



26 Km Length

22 stations

7 Municipalities

1 Depot

2 Interchange Stations

Project Scope

Advanced Works

(by local Contractors)

- Enabling Works including Utilities diversion
- Acoustic protection
- Launching Shafts (2)

Infra #1

- Launching Shafts (2)
- 23 km of Tunnelling
- 19 x Underground Stations
- 1 x At Grade Station
 - 2 Hubs (by others)
 - crossovers
- Eastern Portal, Terminus

Infra #2

- Fit out & Station MEP Systems
- Rolling Stock
- Track & Power
- Operations & Maintenance

Segula Depot

Depot early works
(site preparation and earth works)

Infra #1: Bridges and structures that are not Rail Systems-dependent

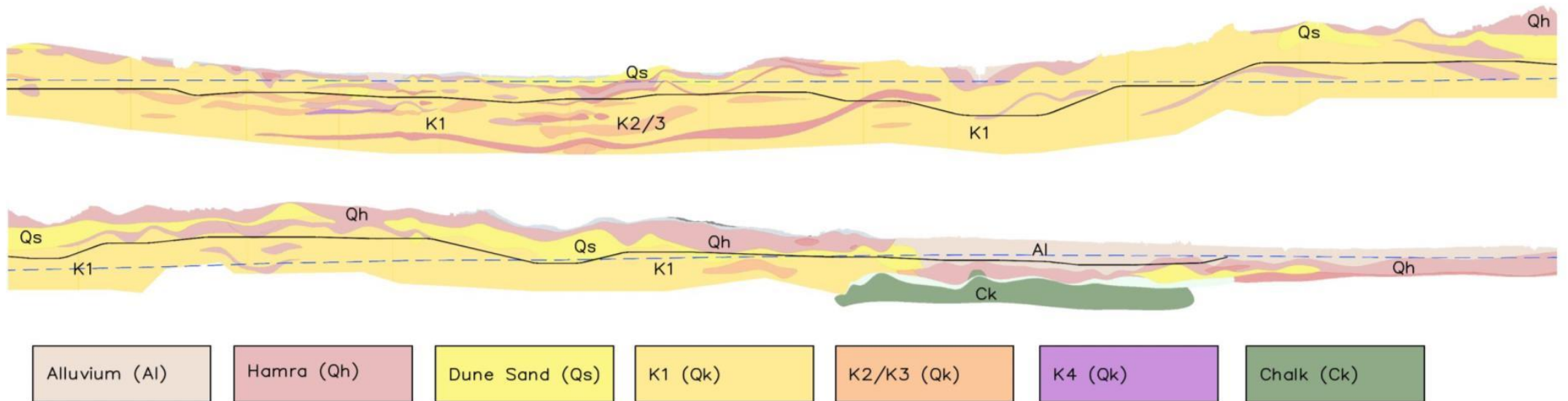
Infra #2: Test track, Power, Rail Systems, communications and fit out

Sample section – Haroe to HaShalom



- Urban environment
- Depth of stations across M2 line:
~ 25m to 38m (from ground level to top of rail)

Geotechnical Conditions



- Majority of TBM & mined excavation in Dune Sand to K2 Material
- Blue dashed line - water level
- Black line - alignment

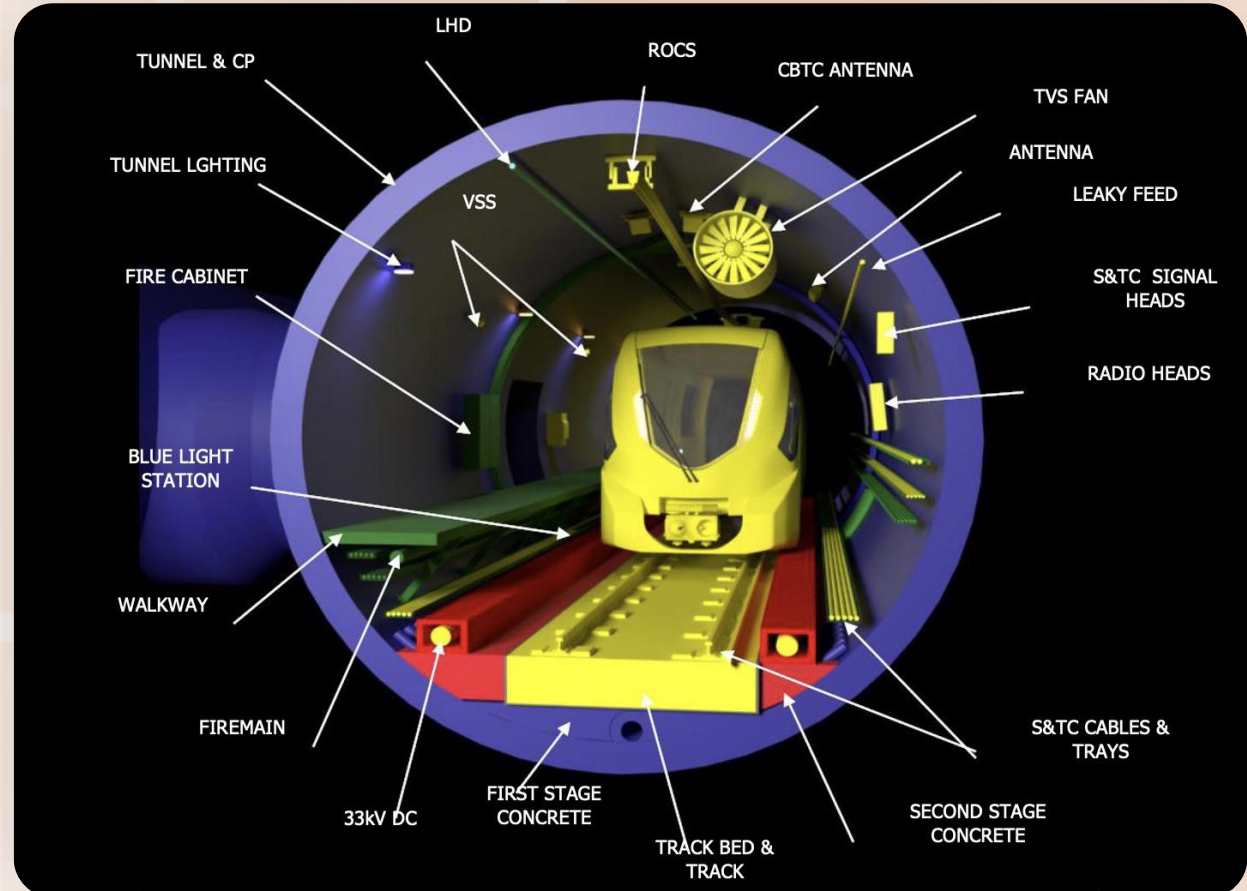
Indicative Tunnel Layout by Package

INFRA 1: CIVILS

INFRA 2: CIVILS

INFRA 2: ARC & MEP

INFRA 2: RAIL SYSTEMS



Indicative Cut & Cover Station Layout

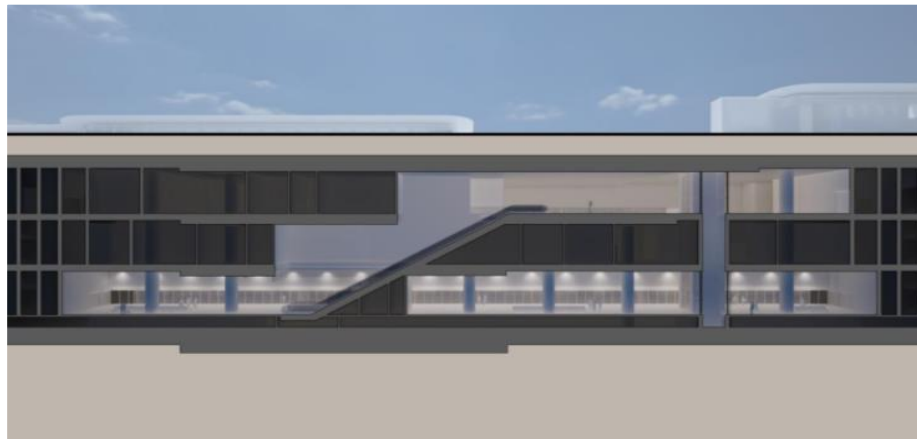
11 Cut & Cover stations Dimensions:

~ 180m long

~ 23m wide



Long. Section 3 level C&C station

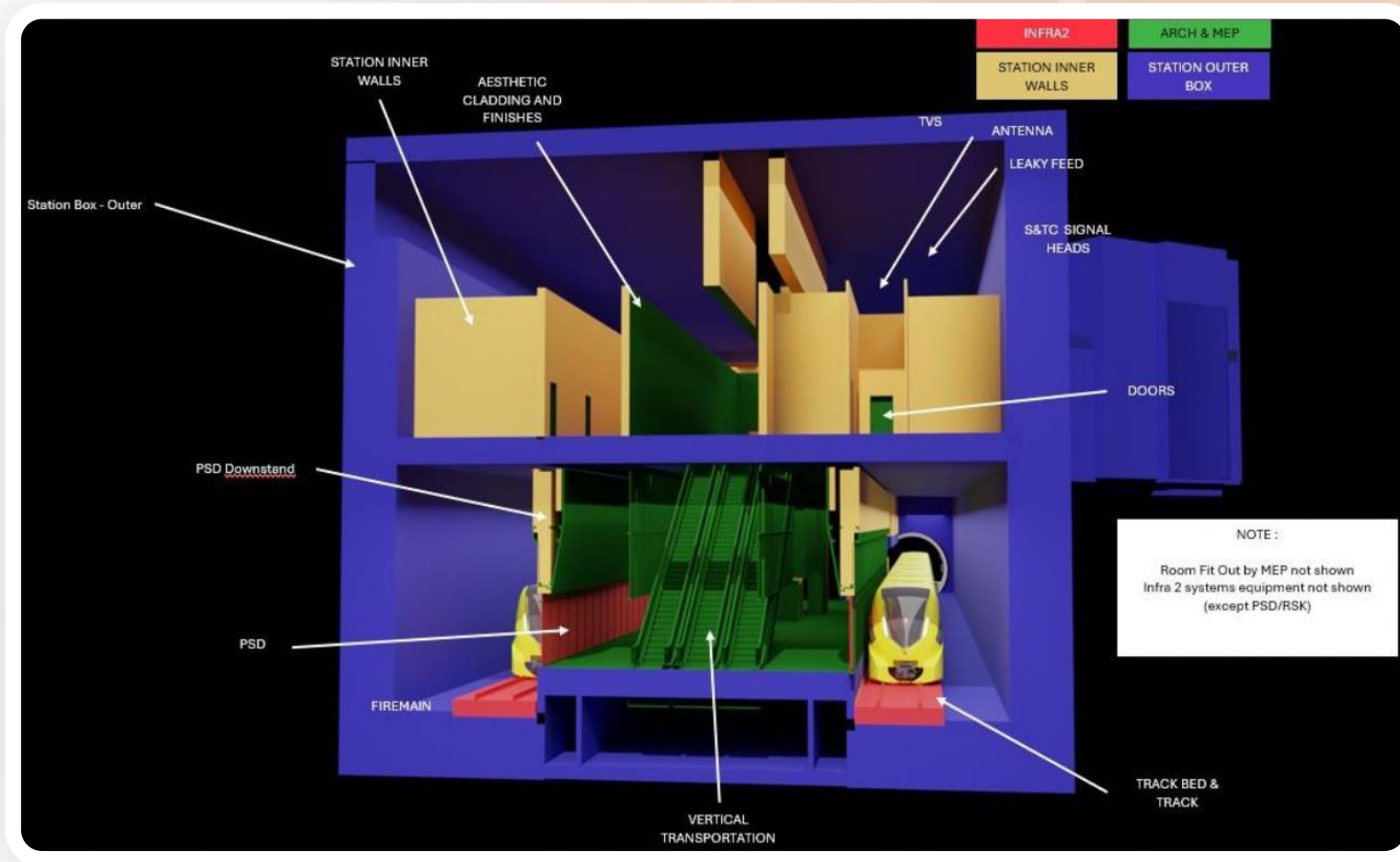


Sectional view, typical C&C station



View of Platform, typical C&C station

Indicative Cut & Cover Station by Package

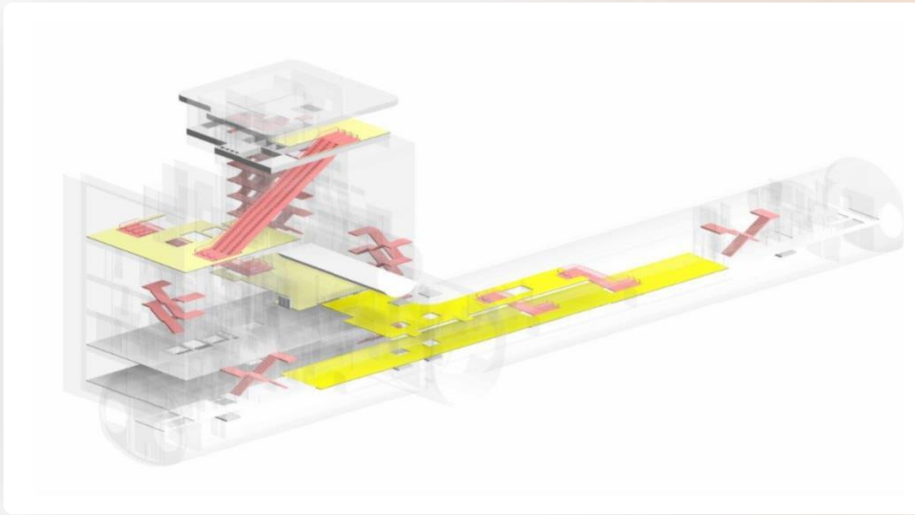


Indicative Mined (NATM) Station Layout

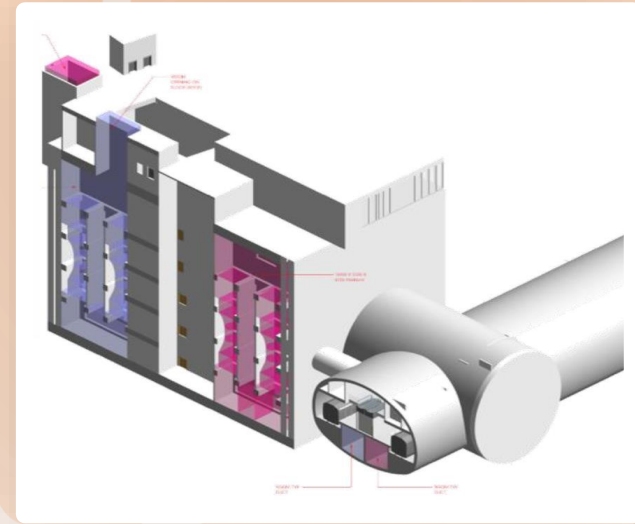
8 Mined (NATM) stations Dimensions:

Cavern cross-section: ~ 21.6m wide x 16.8m high

Station length: ~170m



Axo view of mined station Public routes



Cutaway view of TVS in mined station

Indicative Mined (NATM) Station by Package

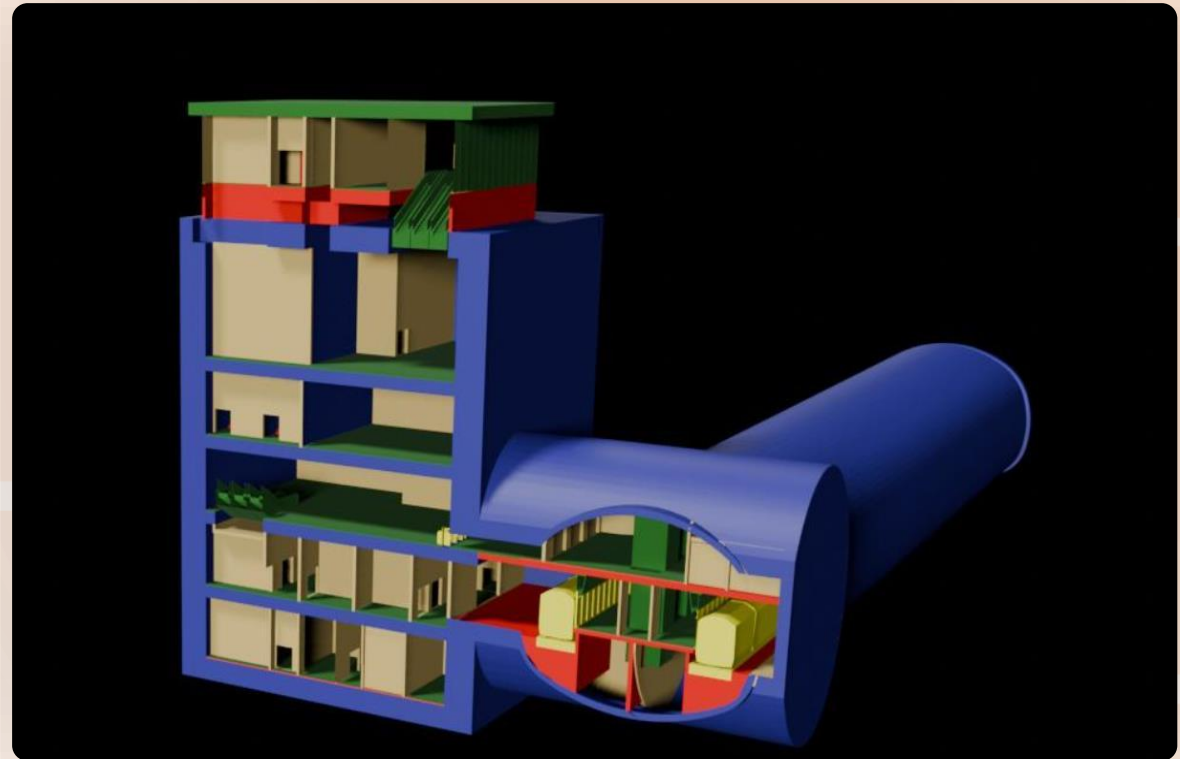
INFRA 1: CIVILS

INFRA 2: CIVILS

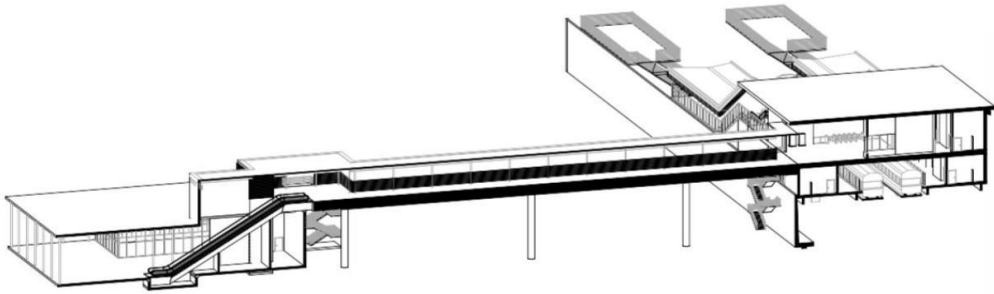
INFRA 2: PARTITION WALLS

INFRA 2: ARC & MEP

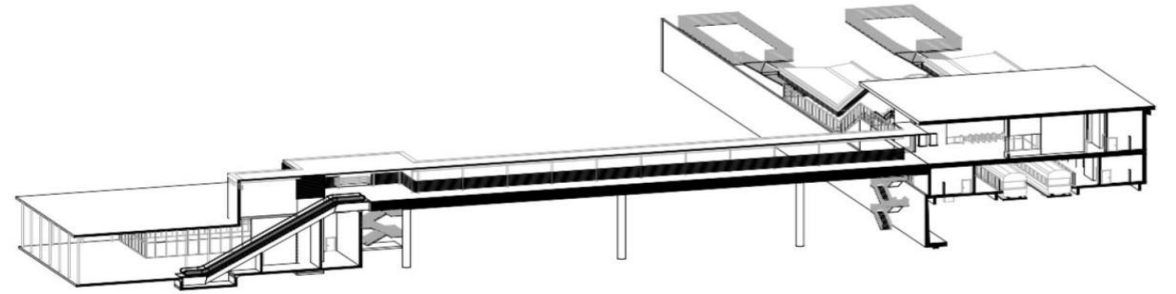
INFRA 2: RAIL SYSTEMS



Indicative At Grade Station Layout



Axo view of at grade station



Section through at grade station

Indicative Depot Layout by Package

ADVANCED WORKS (SUB SURFACE)

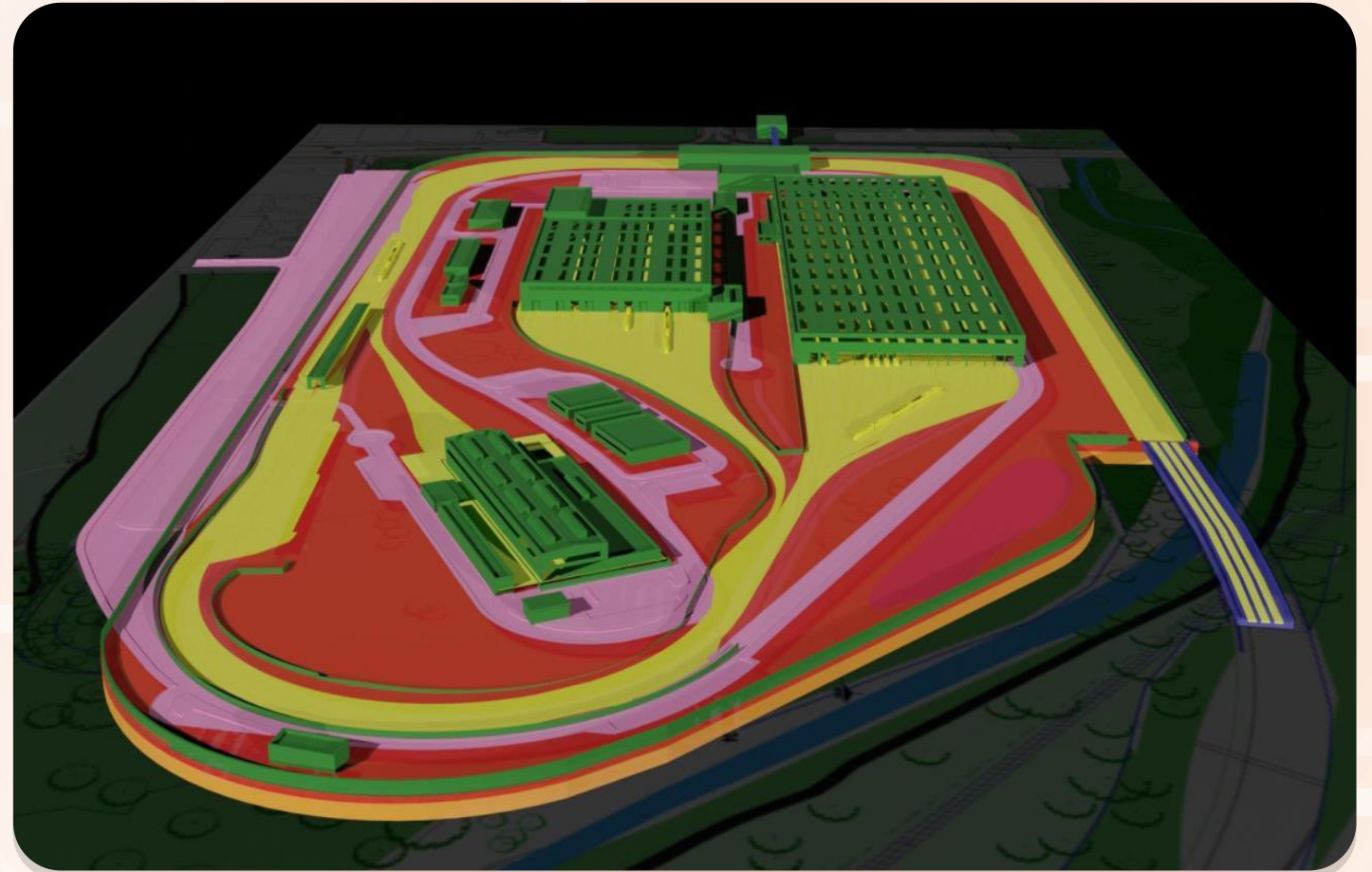
INFRA 1: BRIDGE

INFRA 2: CIVILS

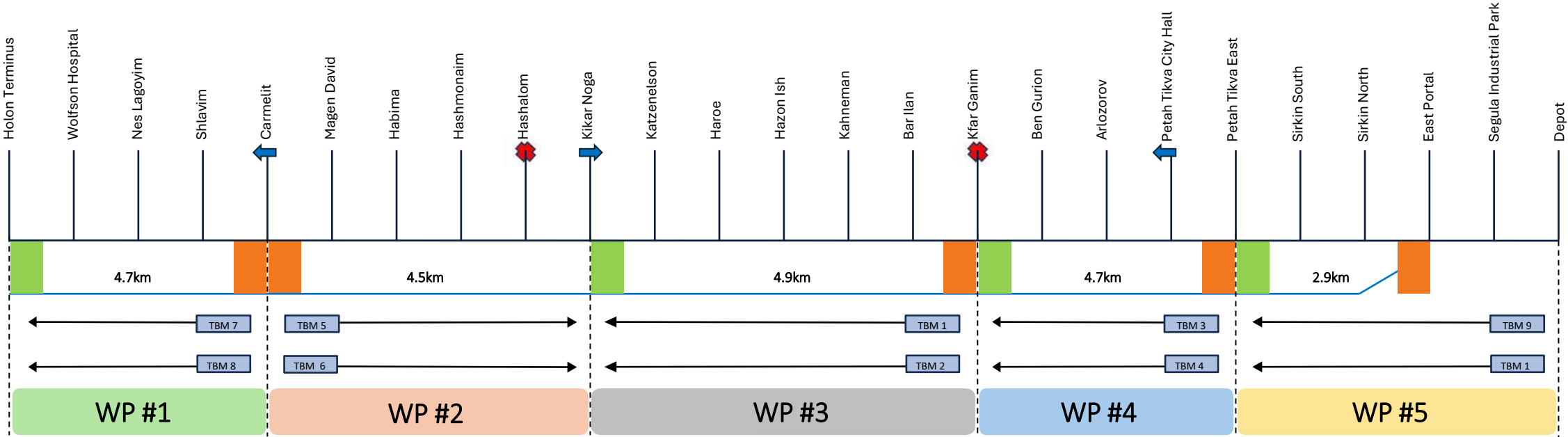
INFRA 2: ARC & MEP







INFRA 2: RAIL SYSTEMS

INFRA 2 : FINAL ROAD



Infra #1 – Work Package



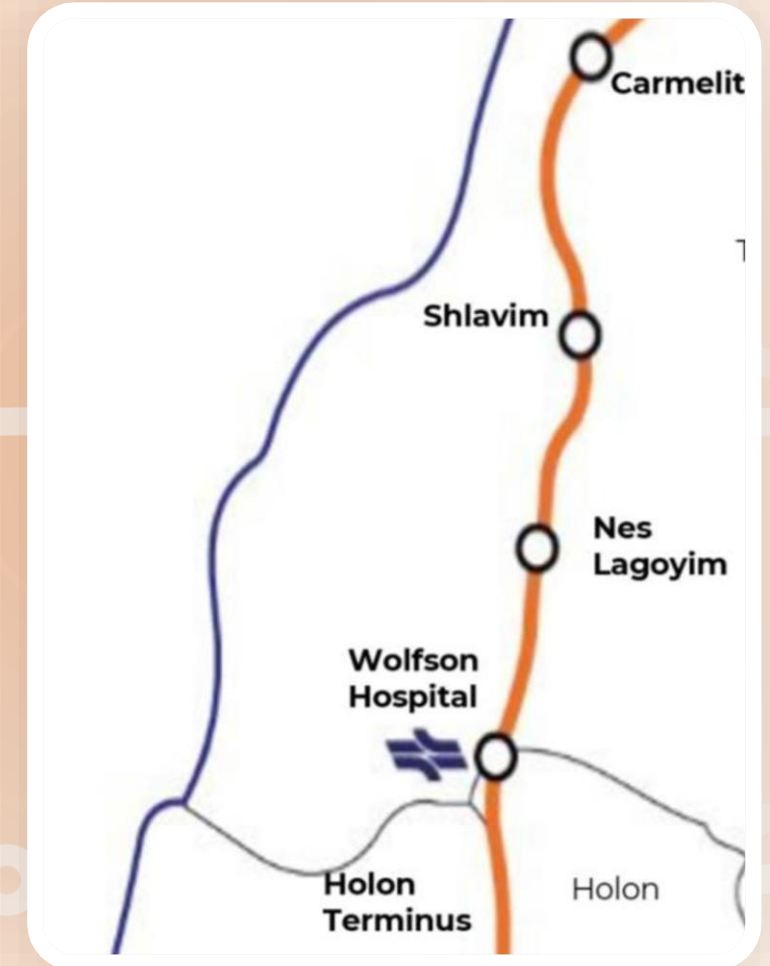
-  Launch Site
-  TBM drive
-  Hub
-  TBM Reception
-  TBM
-  Assignment WP

Note: Infra #1 work packages (stations and lengths) are approximate and subject to change

Infra #1 – Work Package #1

Highlights

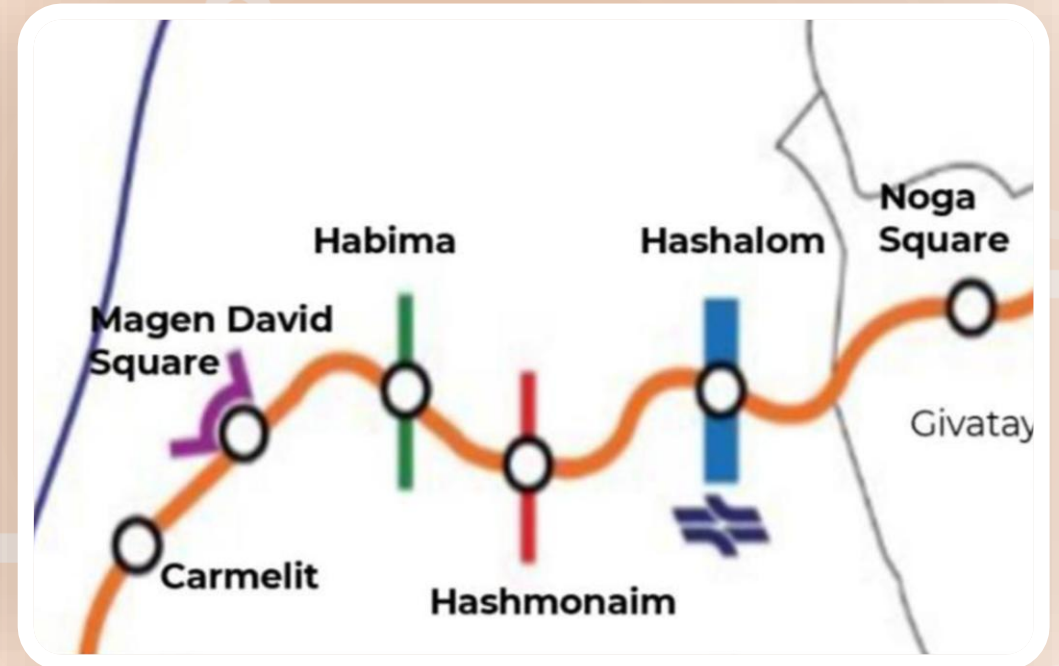
Launching Shaft	Carmelit South
TBMs	2
Tunneling	~4.7 km twin tunnel
Underground stations	4 x cut & cover plus terminus
Underground crossovers	2 x mined (NATM) 1 x cut & cover
Local municipalities	Tel Aviv, Holon



Infra #1 – Work Package #2

Highlights

Launching Shaft	Carmelit North (by others)
TBMs	2
Tunneling	~4.5 km twin tunnel
Underground stations	2 x cut & cover 1 x mined (NATM)
Local municipalities	Tel Aviv
Notes	Hashalom cut and cover station by M1



Infra #1 – Work Package #3

Highlights

Launching Shaft	Kfar Ganim (by others)
TBMs	2
Tunneling	~4.9 km twin tunnel
Underground stations	2 x cut & cover 5 x mined (NATM)
Underground crossovers	2 x mined (NATM)
Local municipalities	Ramat Gan, Bnei Brak, Givatayim, Givat Shmuel



Infra #1 – Work Package #4

Highlights

Launching Shaft	Petah Tikva East
TBMs	2
Tunneling	~4.7 km twin tunnel
Underground stations	2 x cut & cover 2 x mined (NATM)
crossovers	1 x mined (NATM)
Local municipalities	Petah Tikva



Infra #1 – Work Package #5

Highlights

Launching Shaft	Eastern Portal
TBMs	2
Tunneling	~2.9 km twin tunnel
At Grade Section	~1.2 km + depot
Underground stations	2 x cut & cover
At Grade	1 x station Eastern Portal Bridges and road (Depot)
Crossovers	1 x underground cut & cover
Local municipalities	Petah Tikva



Line M3

Lea Shmul

VP, Head of Metro Line M3

M3

M3 Highlights

Tel Aviv Metropolis M3 Line

A cutting-edge metro line that will revolutionize transportation in the central district of Israel.

39 km
Length

25
stations

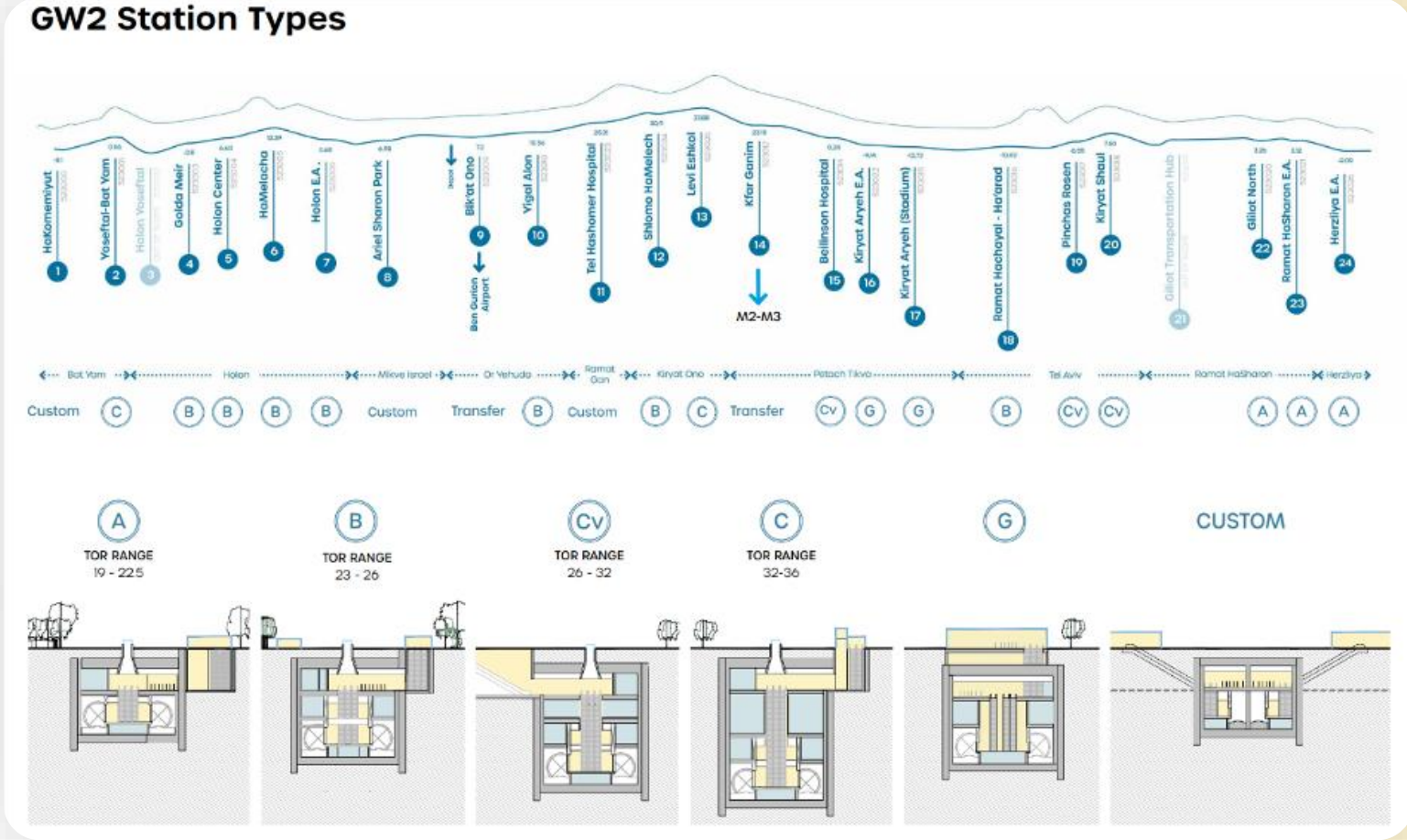
1
Depot

3 Interchange
Hubs

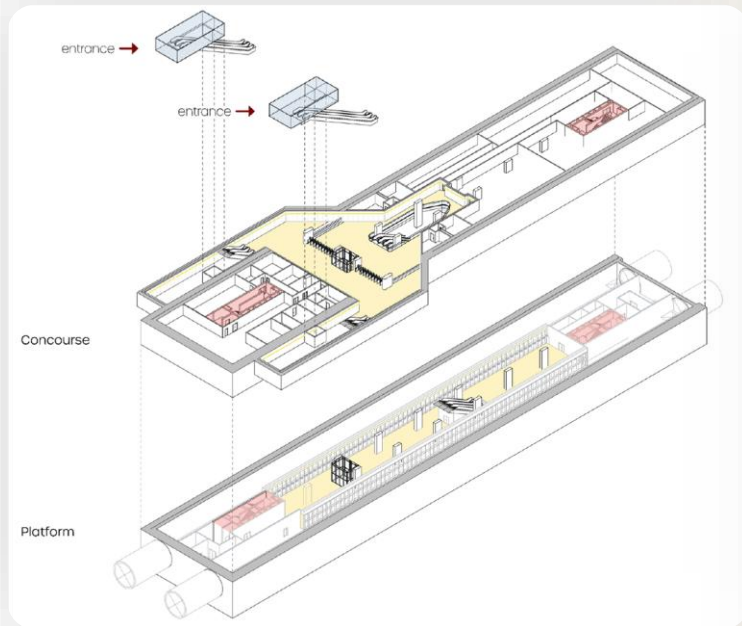
8 operation
Elements



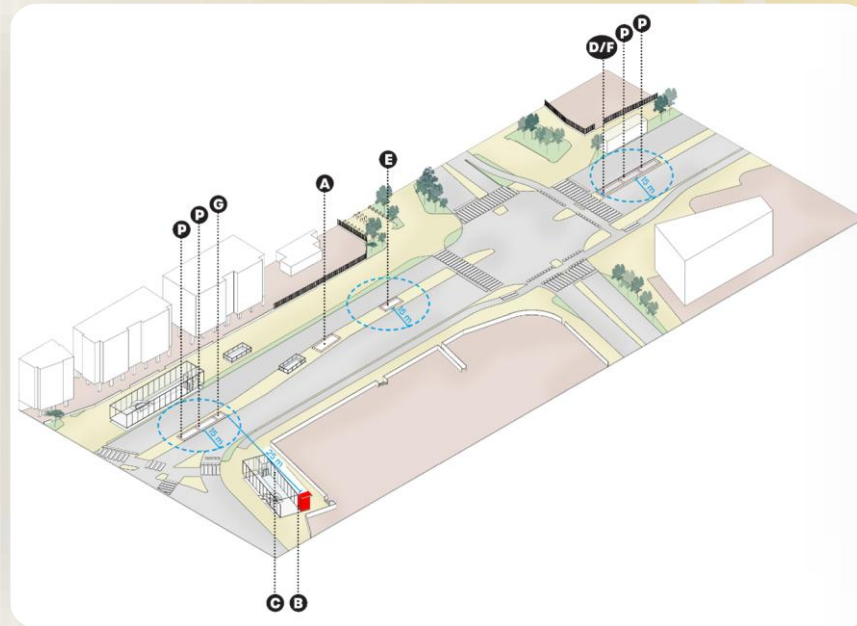
GW2 - Alignment and Stations Types



Indication Station Layout (Cut & Cover)



Underground Levels



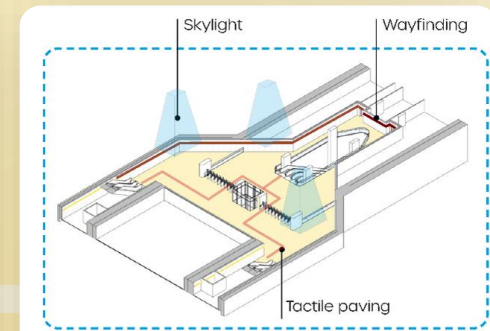
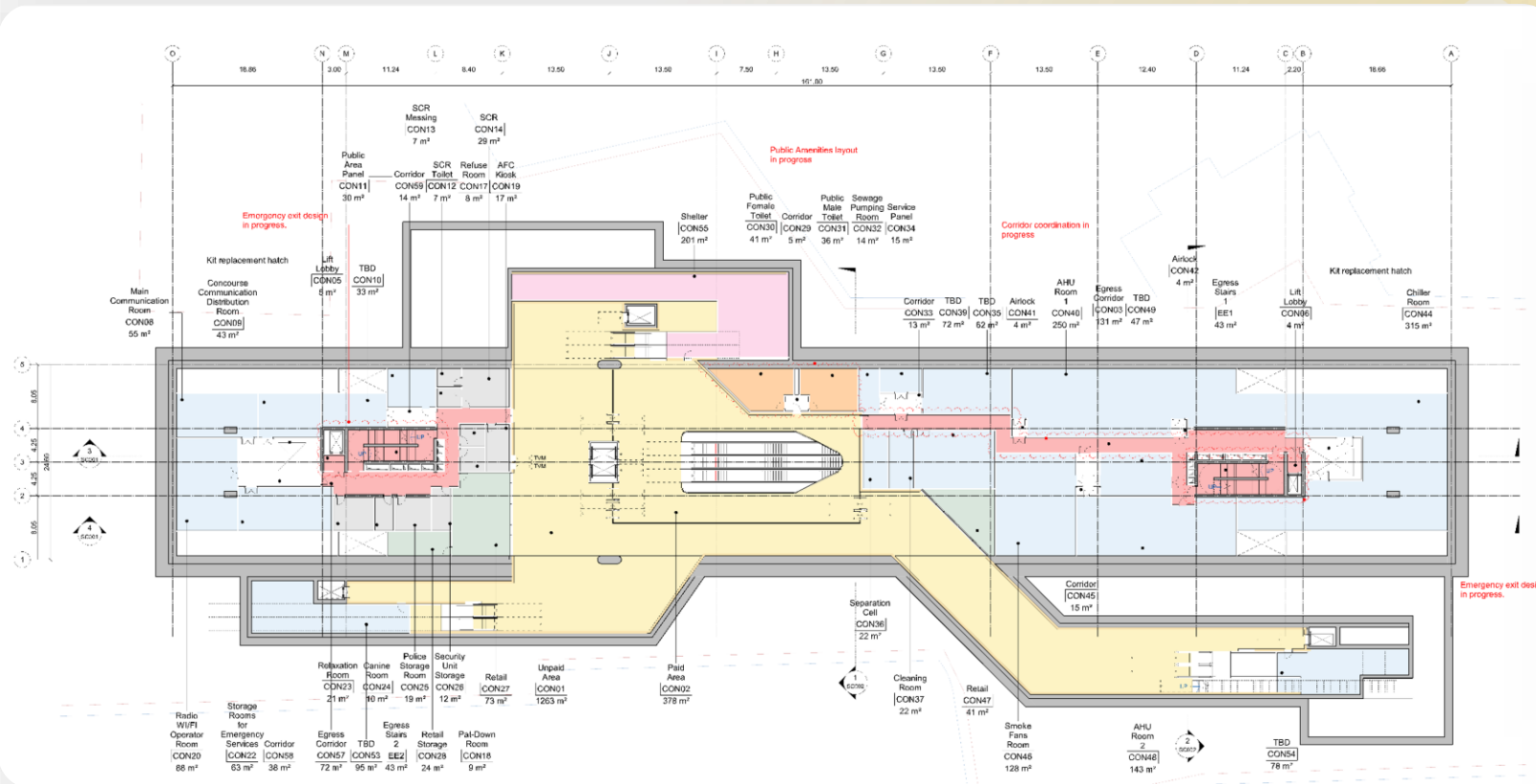
Grade Level

Total: 22 UGS Stations
Phase A – 16 Stations
Phase B – 6 Stations

Dimensions:
Length ~ 165 meters
Width ~ 24 meters

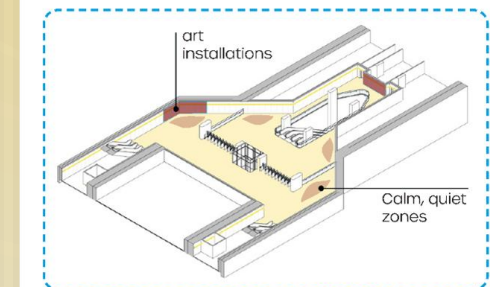
Typical Station Layout - Concourse Level

Concourse Level



ACCESSIBILITY

Accessible to all passengers. Facilities and assistance for passengers with disabilities to ensure everyone can navigate the station comfortably.



STATION ENVIRONMENT

Aesthetically pleasing designs, such as green spaces and artwork, create a relaxing and enjoyable atmosphere.

M3 Construction Stages

CONSTRUCTION STAGE A starts at Bat Yam Station and finishes at Yarkon National Park (Petach Tikva) stabling track.

- Length: 25 km
- 16 underground stations
- 9 operational elements
- Mesubim depot compound



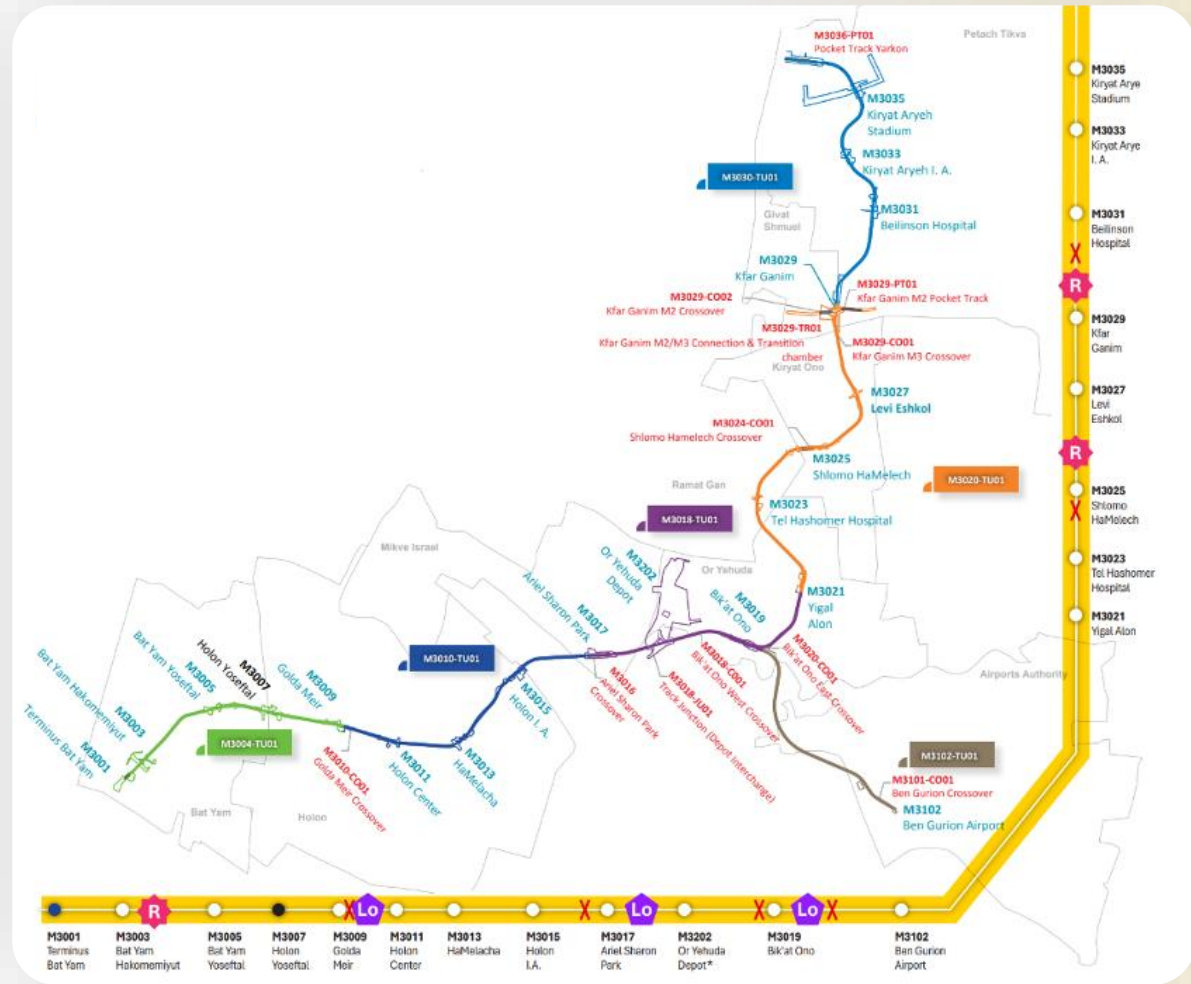
M3 Construction Stages

CONSTRUCTION STAGE B starts at the Yarkon National Park (Petach Tikva) stabling track and finishes at Herzliya Station.

- Length: 14 km
- 7 underground stations
- 5 operational elements
- Includes branch to Ben Gurion Airport



M3 Stages A

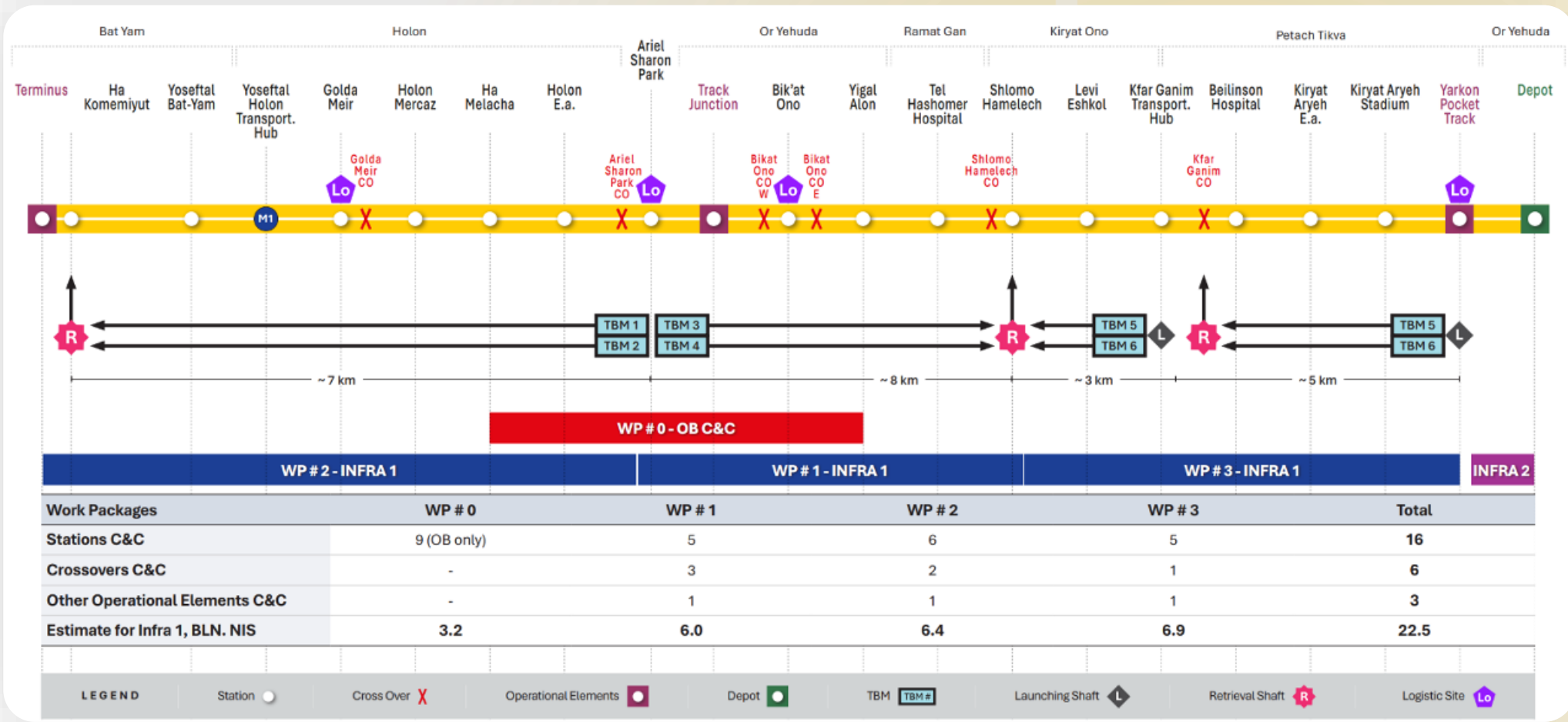


ELEMENT'S TYPE	UNITS
STAGE A	29
Station	16
Crossover	6
Chamber	3
Pocket Track	1
Terminus	1
Depot interchange	1
Depot	1
Tunnel	1 Km
Twin Tunnel	23 Km

LEGEND	
Station	Cross Over
Operational Elements	Depot
TBM	Launching Shaft
Retrieval Shaft	Logistic Shaft

*Note: Not part of WP # 1 Infra 1

Infra 1 Packaging Strategy



TBM Mining Scheme

The construction strategy encompasses 2x6 TBM drives. In the intermediate design phase, the construction schedule anticipates the stations to be built first. Consequently, the excavation length is estimated approximately, excluding station lengths.

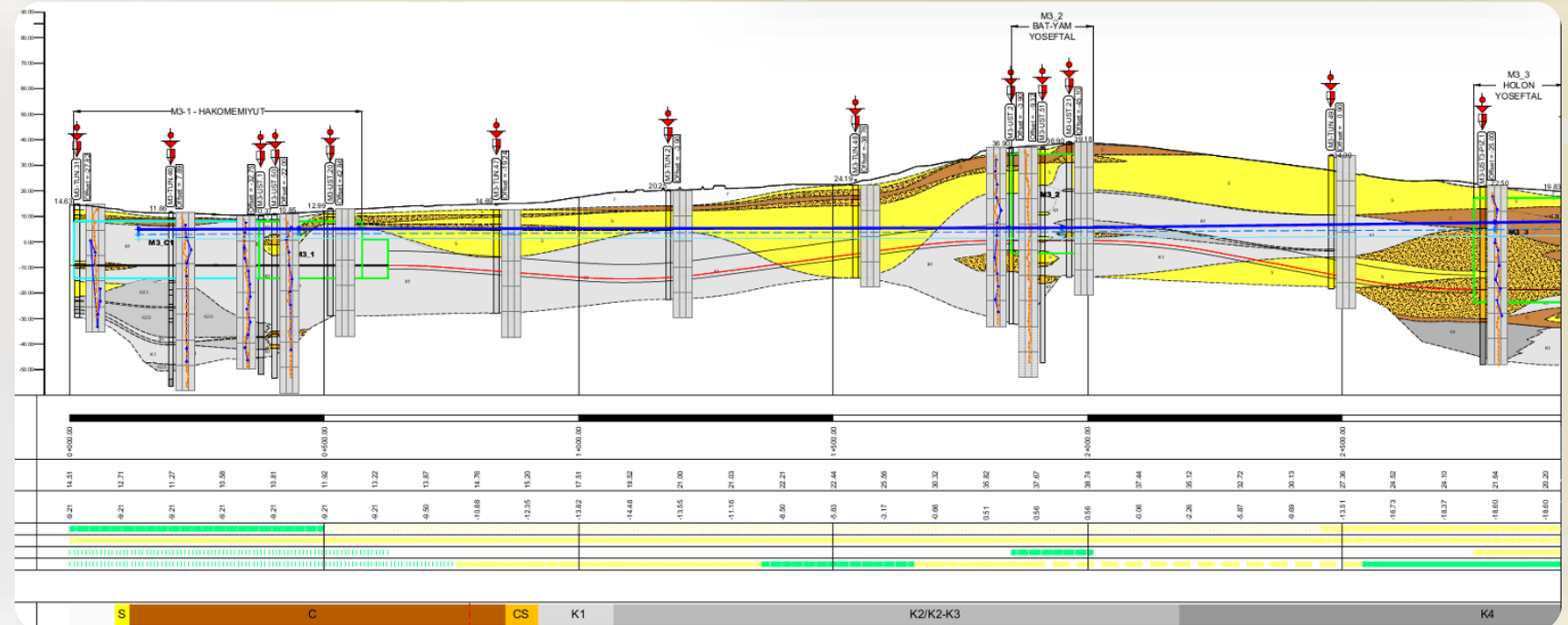
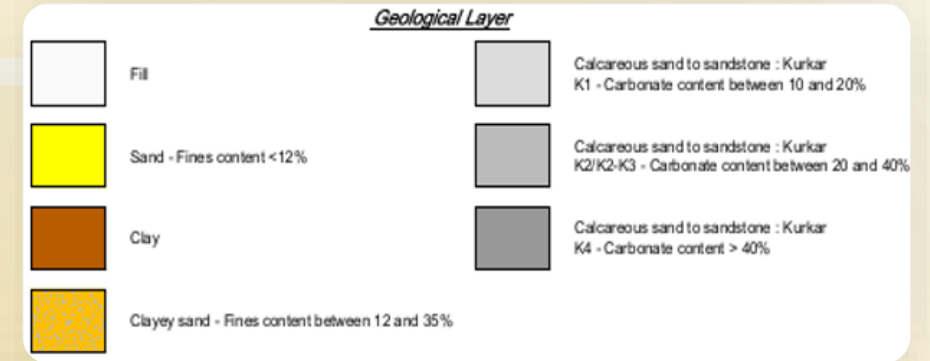
Drive	Launching	Retrieving	Length [m]
1	Ariel Sharon Cross-over	Hakomemiyut	6780
2	Ariel Sharon Park	Shlomo Hamelech Cross-over	5800
3a	Kfar Ganim	Shlomo Hamelech	2010
3b	Yarkon Pocket Track Chamber	Kfar Ganim Cross-over	4300
4	Glihot Transportation Hub	Yarkon Pocket Track Chamber	4600
5	Herzliya Employment Area	Glihot Transportation Hub	3200
6	Bikat Ono Chamber	Ben Gurion Airport	3420



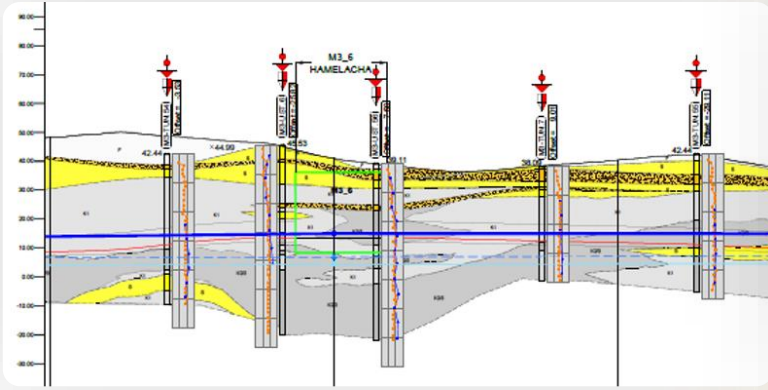
M3 Geological conditions

M3 line is composed of 4 main typical geological layers :

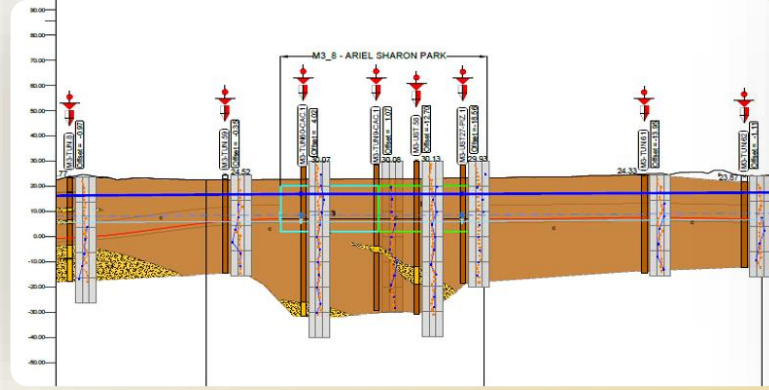
- Sand
- Clay
- Clayey sand
- Calcareous sandstone



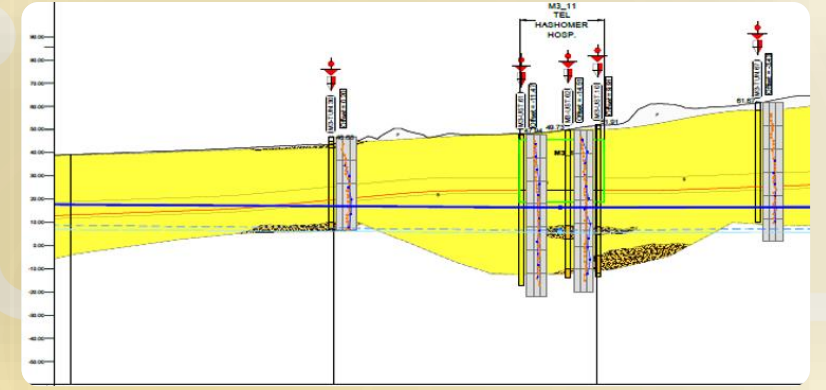
M3 Geological conditions



Section 1: Sand, sandy clay and kurkar; representing the costal deposits in the South-West.



Section 2: Clay; representing Ayalon and Yarkon valleys.

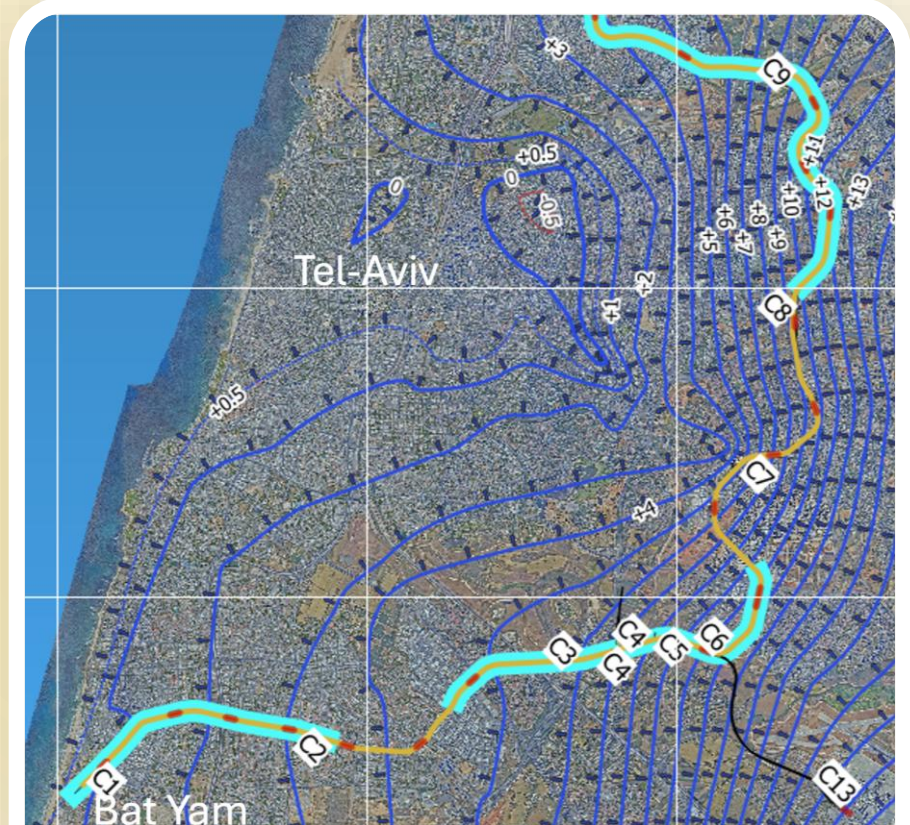
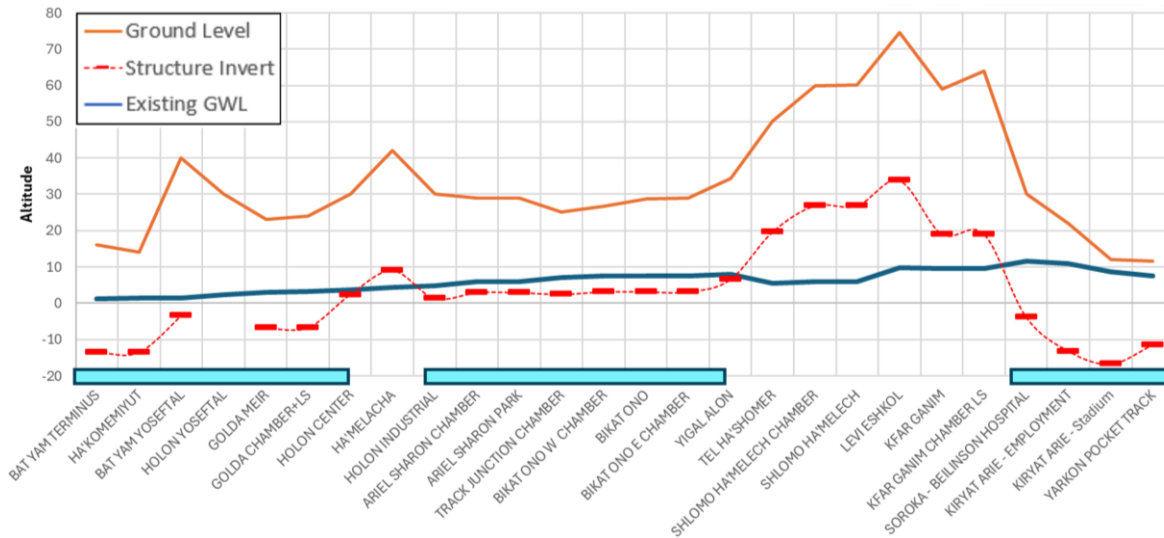


Section 3: Sand and sandy clay to clayey sand; representing all the rest.

Grade Level

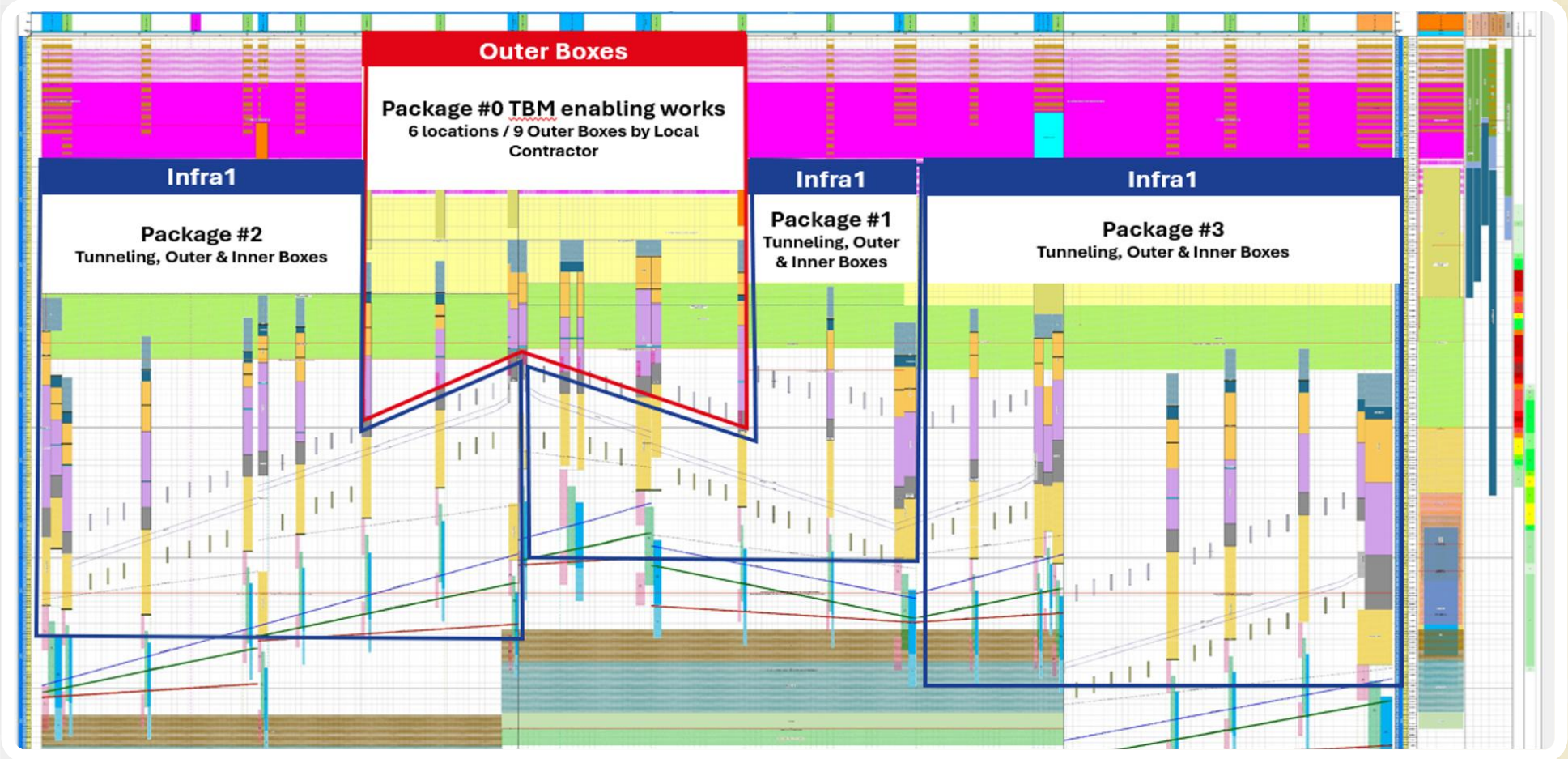
Hydrogeological status

- Major part of the M3 line and 18 elements will be partially submerged below the groundwater level.
- Excavations for the 18 elements will require a groundwater control plan (i.e., dewatering – highlighted in **light blue**)



2023 GWL map

Duration of Work by Work Packages



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Head of Procurement - Metro

Procurement Strategy Scheme

M1

M2

M3

Enabling Works
Utilities Diversion & Depot Early Works

NTA Contractors

Launching Shafts & Advanced Works

Tunneling & Stations: Outer-Box

Stations: Inner-Box
Heavy Civil & Architectural Works



Core Transit Facilities

Electromechanical Systems
Stations, Tunnel Fit-Out, ME

Track

Rolling Stock

Signaling

Operation & Maintenance

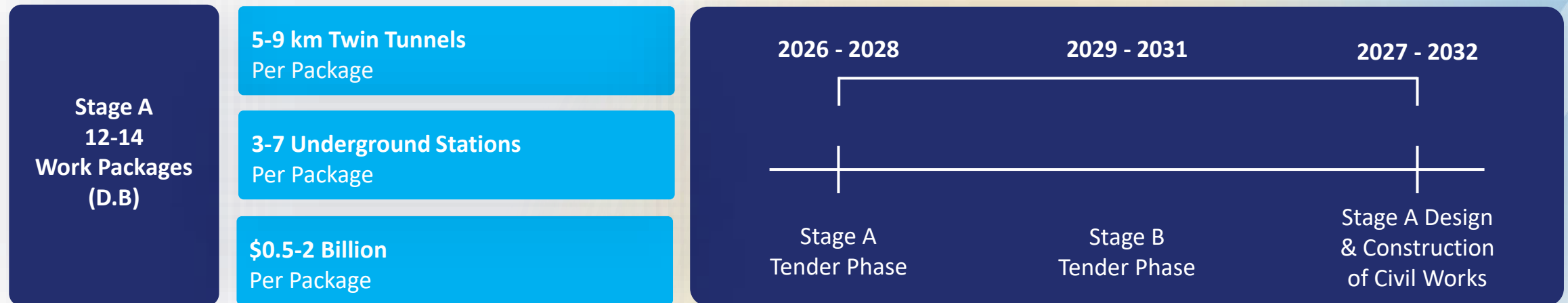
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Tunneling And Stations Work Packages

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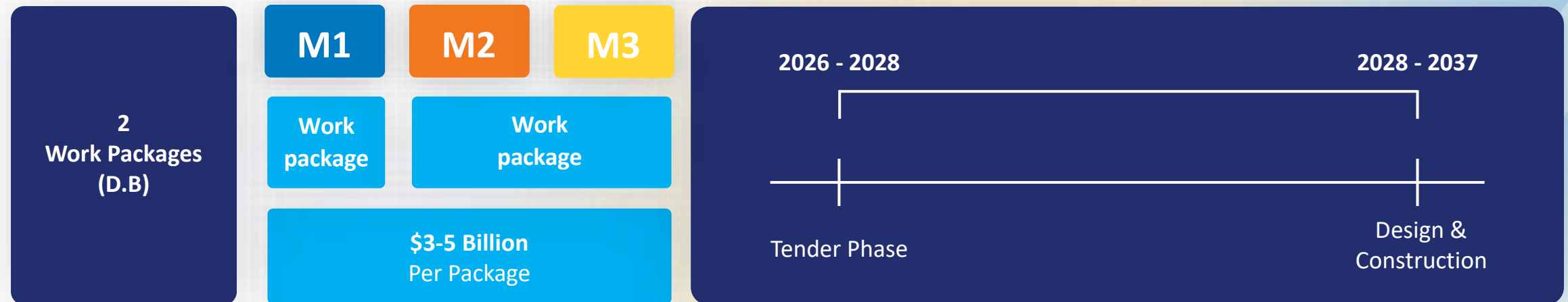
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Systems And Rolling Stock Work Packages

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 - Experience in delivery of Metro projects
 - Experience in integration of Rail projects
- Track
 - Electromechanical Systems
 - Signaling
 - Rolling Stock
 - Rail Systems
 - Depots



Examples For Threshold Requirements For Experience Of Design And Construction Of TBM Tunnels

1 | Experience of Design and Construction of TBM Tunnels

1

Experience of Design and Construction of TBM Tunnels

2

Experience of Construction of Underground Structures

Example for Threshold Requirements

Designed, Constructed and Completed TBM Tunnels operating in closed mode conditions in soft soil or sand

Constructed by EPBM or Slurry TBM

The internal diameter of the tunnel is at least 5.0 meters

Constructed beneath the groundwater table level; and

The tunnel or part thereof was constructed in a dense urban area

Examples For Threshold Requirements For Experience Of Design And Construction Of Underground Structures

2 | Experience of Design and Construction of Underground Structures

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Experience of Design and Construction of TBM Tunnels

2

Experience of Construction of Underground Structures

Example for Threshold Requirements

Designed, Constructed and Completed Underground Structures

The construction method of the structure was Cut & Cover

The construction of the structure required the dewatering of groundwater

The structure was constructed utilizing diaphragm walls

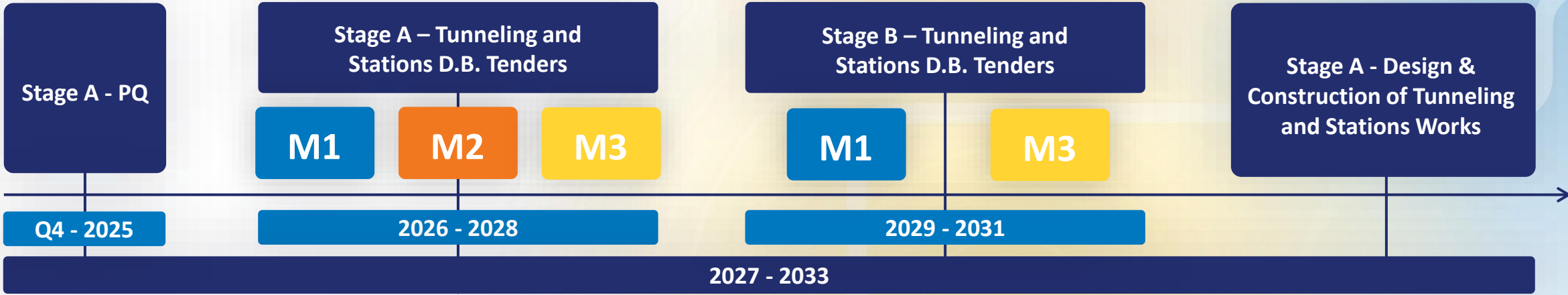
The structure was constructed in a dense urban area

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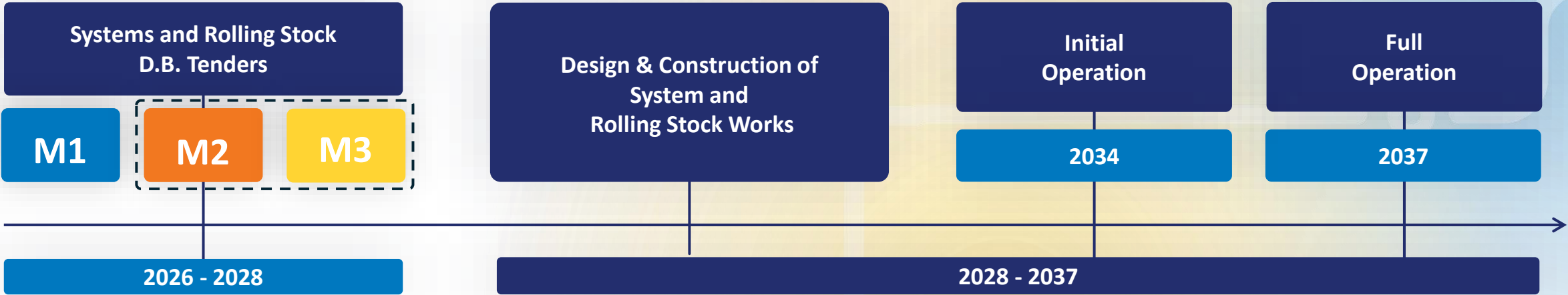


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Typical Tender Document Structure

Tender Document Structure

All Documents Are in English

Vol 1 Invitation to Bid

- Tender Process and Anticipated Schedule
- General provisions relating to the participation of bidders in the tender process
- The contents of the bid
- Method of submission
- Evaluation and selection of the Preferred Bidder and Second Ranked Bidder (if any)

Vol 2 Agreement

- Agreement Documents, Order of Priority and Precedence
- Commencement and Term of the Agreement
- Representations and Warranties
- Consideration and Terms of Payment
- Option to Expand the Services
- Resolution of Disputes

Vol 3 General Technical Requirement

- General Technical Requirements (Design Management, Safety Management, Permits and Consents)
- Interface Management
- Handover Process

Vol 4 Technical Specification

- Drawings and Reference Design Documents
- Surveys
- Geo-Technical Ground Conditions
- Functional Specifications

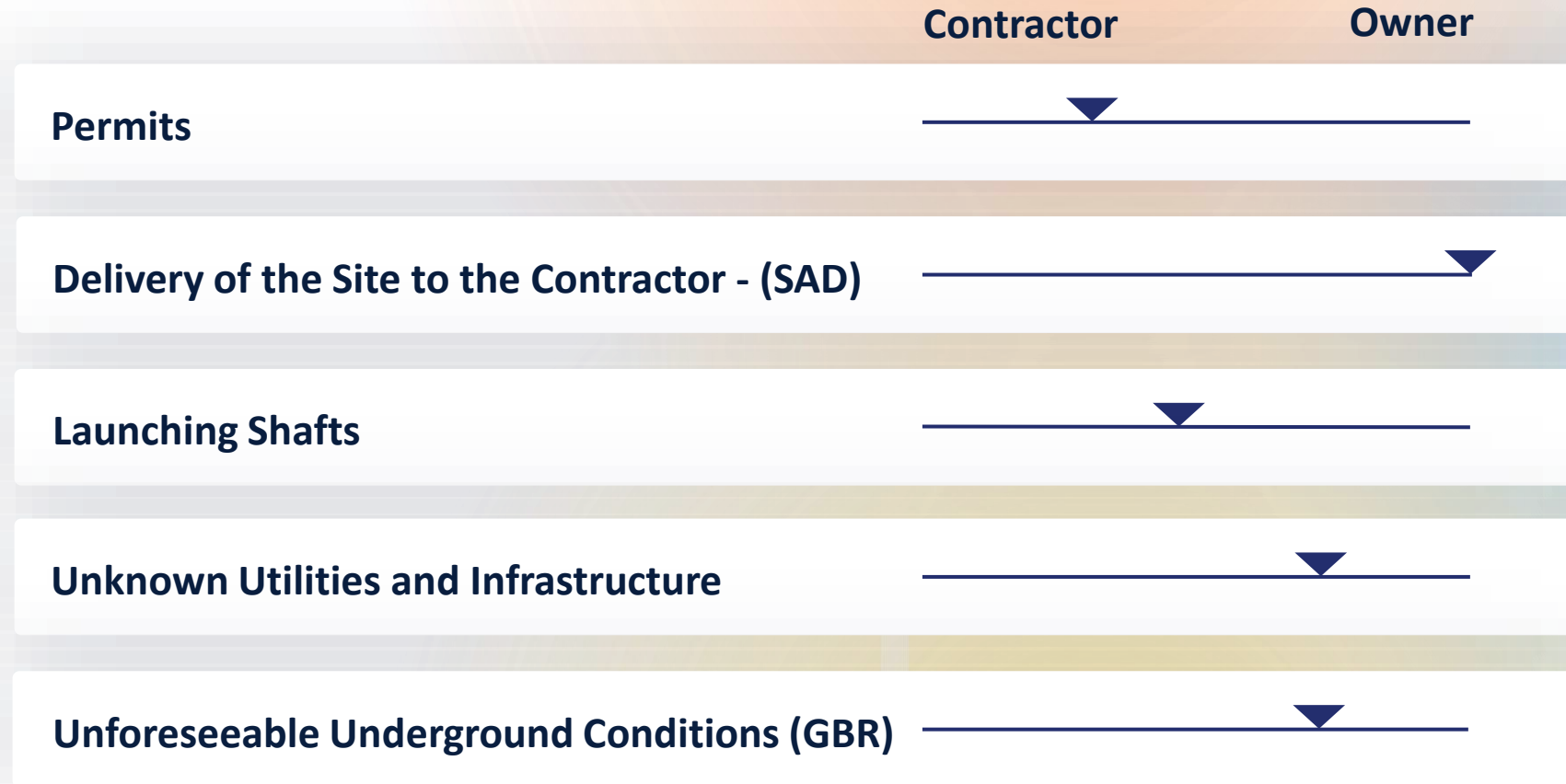
Risk Allocation

Basic Principals

	Contractor	Owner
Utility Diversion	_____	_____▼
Acoustic Protection	_____	_____▼
Depot Early Works	_____	_____▼
Reference Design	_____	_____▼
Detailed Design	_____▼	_____

Risk Allocation

Basic Principals



Risk Allocation

Basic Principals

	Contractor	Owner
Connection to the Grid (IEC)	_____	_____▼
Betterment Tax	_____	_____▼
Expropriation Costs	_____	_____▼
Payments During Construction	_____	_____▼

Risk Allocation

Basic Principals

	Contractor	Owner
Indexation	_____	_____▼
Foreign Exchange Rates (EUR/USD)	_____	_____▼
Base Interest Rates (for PPP Schemes)	_____	_____▼
Taxation (ruling)	_____	_____▼

Typical Tender Process – Israeli Market

Typical Tender Process Includes the Following Stages

4-6 Months PQ (RFQ)

- Pre-Qualification Requirements
- Pass/Fail Requirements (no scoring)
- Identification of Qualified Bidders

6-8 Months ITB (RFP)

- Invitation to Bid
- Tender documents include the form of the Agreement and technical specifications
- Ability to Submit RFC (Request For Clarification)

3-6 Months Bid Evaluation

- Legal Compliance
- Technical Evaluation
- Business Plan and Financial Evaluation (for PPP scheme only)
- Price Proposal Evaluation
- Final Scoring

1-2 Months Preferred Bidder

- Selection of Preferred Bidder
- Second Rank Bidder (optional)
- Executing the Agreement

12 Months Financial Close (for PPP scheme only)

- Preferred Bidder (by that time, the counterparty to the Agreement) to raise finance
- Execution of Finance Agreements
- Execution of Project's Main Agreement (EPC, O&M, Interface, other)
- Promoting Design and Permitting processes

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