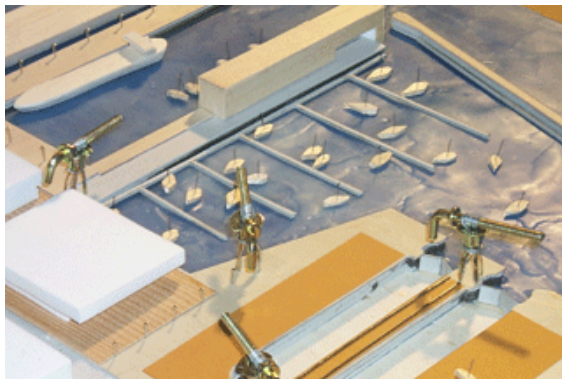


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Location	Amsterdam
Comissioner	IMCA real estate and city district
	Amsterdam-Noord
Team	Must with BVR
Size	34 hectare
Year of design	2002-2003
Year of construction	-
Product	Strategy, urban design

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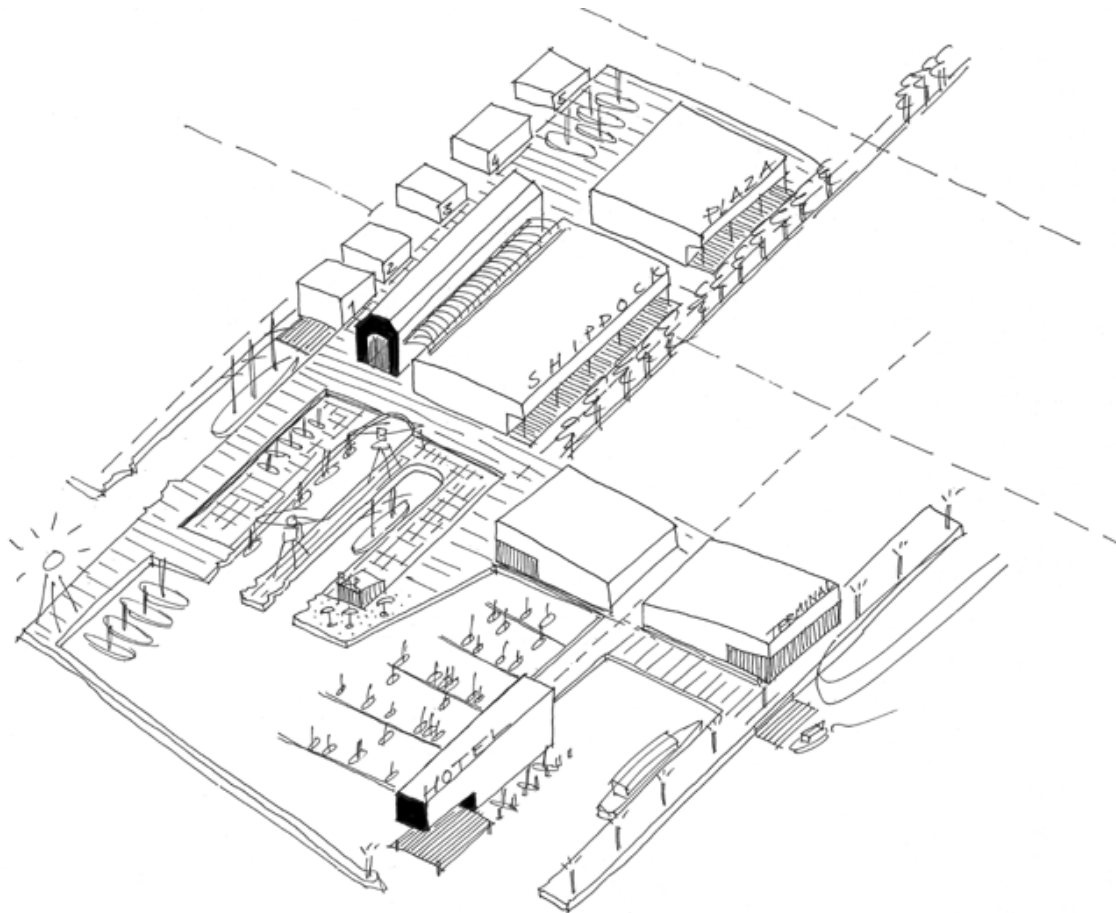
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The Dokwerken study examined the possibilities for regenerating the Shipdock shipyard in Amsterdam Noord, the main condition being the retention of the distinctive identity of the shipyard. To satisfy this requirement, we investigated how the shipyard can be remembered, and studied its characteristic features in depth to identify features around which to construct the transformation, such as the strong spatial contrasts of the halls and cranes. The piers, quays and docks give the location a waterfront no less than 4.2 kilometres long!

The study also investigated the development opportunities for the site, from extreme leisure to housing. A nautical centre has been proposed for part of the site and the docks and piers will become a marina for sea-going and inland sailing yachts. Shipdock Plaza will offer facilities for winter storage and repairs, ship brokerage and nautical shops. Associated with the nautical centre is a passenger terminal for passengers to change between Rhine cruises, sightseeing trips, touring cars, water taxis and even boat planes.

