

Ville Radieuse, Paris

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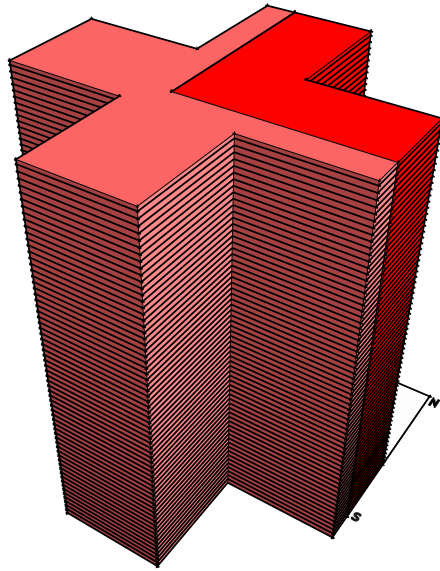
The Plan Voisin imagined by Le Corbusier in 1925, was a project to restructure the center of Paris.

In this project Paris historic center was demolished, and eighteen high-rises were built to accommodate inhabitants of Paris in a big neighborhoods, that concentrated between 800 to 3300 inhabitants per hectare. Dwelling area and business area was separated. Cars had an important place in the city and buildings occupied only 5% of the plot.

This project was not realized but it permitted the creation of La Defense in Paris. Imagined high-rises was very stately for authorities before this project.

More than 9 millions of inhabitants could live in Le Corbusier's city.

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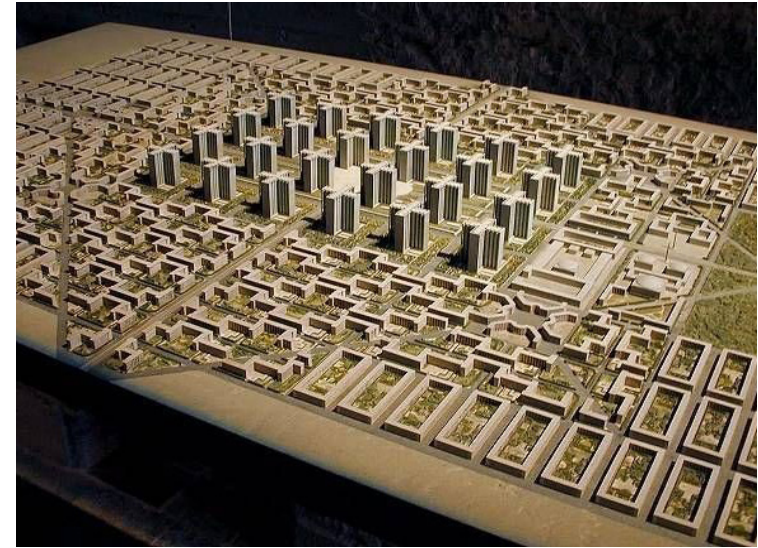
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Height: 200 m

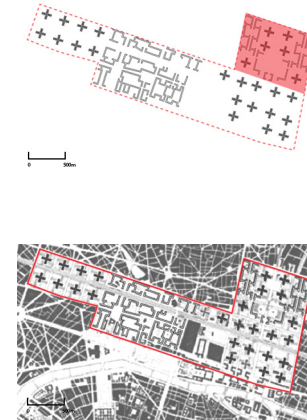
FAR: 3,840%
Footprint: 6,400m²
Number of floors: 60
Total floor area: 384,000m²

Location: Paris, France
Urban designer(s): Le Corbusier
Architect(s): Le Corbusier
Building year: unbuilt



Aerial perspective of the entire area © <http://www.comicschronicles.fr/wp-content/uploads/2013/08/Plan-Voisin-Le-Corbusier-3.jpg>

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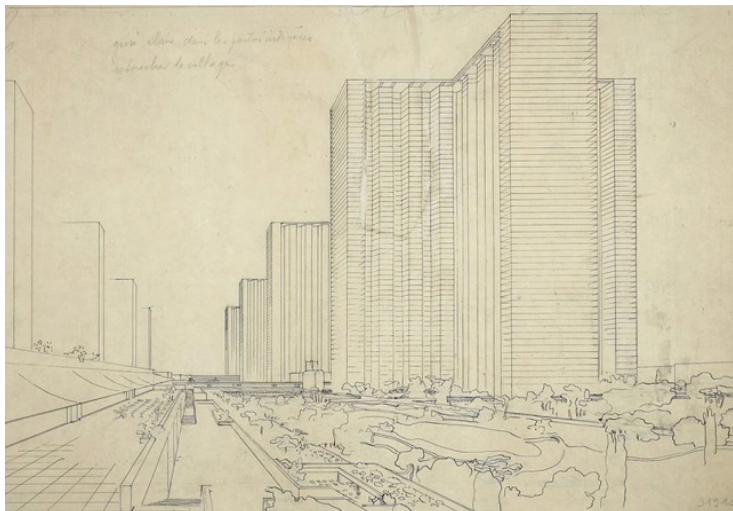


Site plan with scale reference © Le Corbusier, source, 1925

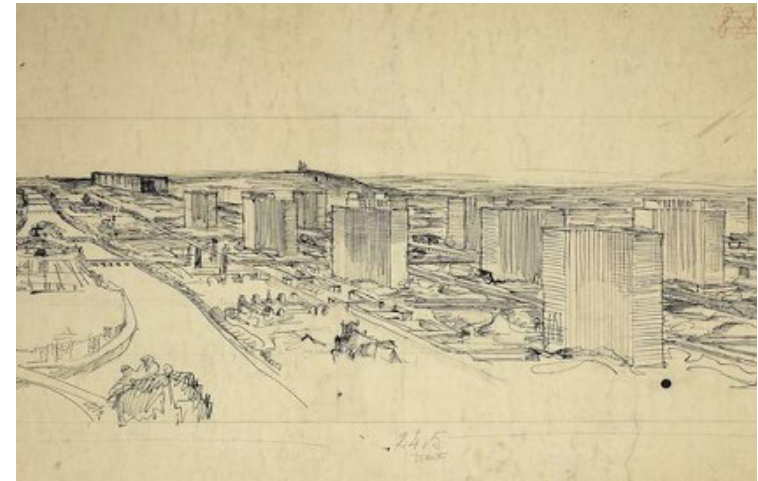


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