



Case Study Bedford Project for Sainsbury's

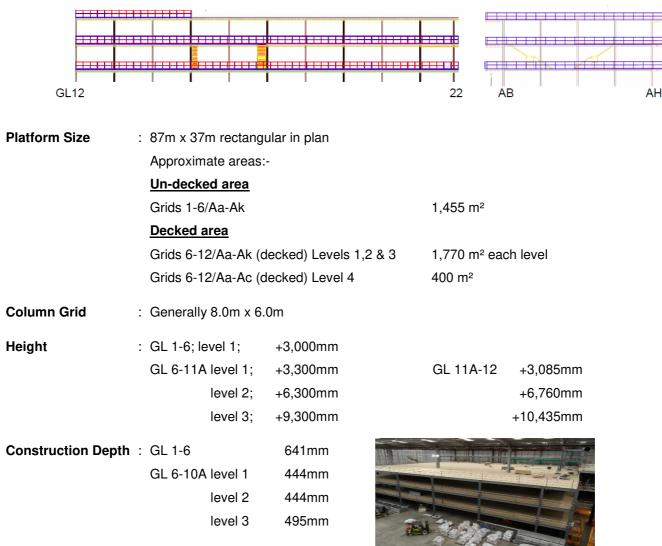
Sainsbury's

J Sainsbury plc was founded in 1869 and today operates over 1,106 supermarkets, convenience stores, online grocery and general merchandise operations. It jointly owns Sainsbury's Bank with Lloyds Banking Group and has two property joint ventures with Land Securities Group PLC and The British Land Company PLC.

Sainsbury's Bedford was an existing warehouse redeveloped for Sainbury's. Davicon supplied the following system:

Special feature:- Hung steelwork from 15m level to ensure dock leveler was not blocked by columns to improve the operational capacity of the facility.

The contract was to install 1 no 3 tier mezzanine. The structure provides pedestrian access and supports a Garment Hanging System. The area included was between grid lines 12-22 and AB-AH with cantilevers either side of AB and AH.



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Decking	: 38mm particle board, type P6 TG2, foil back			
	Total decked area 5,710 i	m²		
Handrail	: Tubular handrail with mid rail and 100mm high GRP kick flat is included to the perimeter of levels 1, 2, 3 and 4 and stair voids, between grid lines 6-12, total 805LM.			
Access stairs	: 1 internal triple width stair, 800/1000/800, between gnd-1st; 1st-2nd; 2nd-3rd and 3rd-4th levels, comprising 2 flights between each level with an intermediate landing, to part M c/w 32mm tubular handrail, 2 internal runs and at each outside edge (4 runs in total).			
Loads	: GL 1-6	1.0kN/m² UDL (Duerkopp)		
	Level 1	Point loads as shown on Apex drawing 460520/07 Rev 05		
	GL 6-11A	1.0kN/m² UDL (Duerkopp)		
	Levels 1,2 & 3	2.5kN/m ² UDL Imposed 0.6kN/m ² UDL self weight & services		
	Level 3	2.5kN/m² UDL		
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	Level 4	1.0kN/m² UDL (Duerkopp) 5.0kN/m² UDL Imposed		
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Deflection	: GL 1-6	L/500		
	GL 6-11 Levels 1, 2 & 4	L/300		
	Level 3	L/500		
Base Plates	: 500 × 500 × 20			
Column Loads	: Maximum axial load 685kN (unfactored)			
Stability	: Non-braced and portalised design.			
Surface Finishes	: Main steel – grey primer finish coat to a standard RAL colour. Handrail – galvanised with powder coated posts. Stairs – Zinc phosphate primer with decorative top coat; black powder coated durbar treads			