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| 1.0 USES: | | |
| Permitted uses | Permitted uses for the Hypermarket building should be as follows: Ground floor: Hypermarket: food commodities and supporting services (Stores, corridors, toilets and accessories) Shops connected with the complementary commercial activities of the Hypermarket (jewellery, money exchange, key maker, pharmacy, call center, ATM and similar) Mezzanine floor: The use must be ancillary to the primary use (Hypermarket) configured as an open space with shelves for displaying Hypermarket goods such as household items, electrical items, etc. Hypermarket management Offices Basement: The required parking should be provided within the basement or within the setbacks and stores may be permissible within the basement to serve the main function of the building. | |
| 2.0 SITE COVERAGE AREA: | | |
| 2.1 Total site coverage | maximum of 40% of the plot area | |
| 2.2 Area allocated for uses within the building | Ground level 70% and distributed as follows: Hypermarkets 60% maximum. 10% commercial shops complementary to the principal commercial use (Hypermarket). Note that it is considered as a rental space and not calculated as part of Hypermarket Mezzanine floor 80% as a maximum of Hypermarket area | |
| 3.0 FLOOR AREA RATIO: | | |
| Total F.A.R | • 0.7 maximum | |
| 4.0 ALLOWED NUMBER OF FLOORS: | | |
| Number of floors: | Basement + ground floor+ Mezzanine (Maximum) | |
| 5.0 FLOOR HEIGHT -INTERNAL (METERS) | | |
| Internal Floor Heights | The net internal height of the building (12m) is divided as follows: Special section for the supermarket (Hypermarket) within the ground floor: should not exceed 7.0m maximum. The remaining part of the ground floor (commercial shops related to the commercial activities complementary to the principal commercial use (Hypermarket) and movement corridors 5.0m maximum. Mezzanine floor: should not exceed (5.0m) maximum. | |

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| | Double height must be provided for the main entrance | |
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| 6.0 HEIGHT OF BUILDING-EXTERIOR (METERS) | | |
| Internal Floor Heights | (Ground + Mezzanine): 12.0m maximum from the level of the ground floor. No Mezzanine is allowed within the height of the interior floors. Parapet height for the building: 1.5m or according to the design requirements (whichever is better) in order to improve the aesthetics by visually screening services and other technical equipment such as cooling, air conditioning, etc. | |
| 7.0 SETBACKS (MINIMUM) | | |
| 7.1 Setbacks (Minimum) | front: 10m side – from neighborhood and street side: 5m rear- from neighborhood and street side: 5m | |
| 8.0 SETBACKS FROM MEZZANINE FLOOR AND THE FRONT FACADE OF THE BUILDING (FRONT / ENTRANCE): | | |
| | (3m) Minimum | |
| 9.0 PARKING: | | |
| | 1 parking for each 50m2 of the Ground Floor area. Provide a dedicated parking area (loading and unloading area) within the building block | |
| 10.0 ENTRANCES (FOR VEHICLES AND PEDESTRIANS): | | |
| 10.1 For vehicles | The entrance must be directly from the main street. In case of a basement, the ramps must start from the building block and should not be part of the setbacks. | |
| 10.2 For pedestrians | Main entrance- The entrance must be directly from the main street Side and Rear entrance - in case of a secondary or rear street, an additional entrance may be allowed. | |
| 11.0 OTHER CONDITIONS | | |
| | The Mezzanine floor should not be separated from the ground floor as it is not allowed to install an additional power meter for Mezzanine. The entrances of shops connected with commercial activities that are complementary to the main commercial use (Hypermarket) must be opened from inside the building only The electrical installation shall be provided directly from the Hypermarket area to the mezzanine floor. It is not allowed to place the services in the front, rear or side setbacks from the street side. | |