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Project: Museum of Islamic Arts

Location: Doha, Qatar

Client: Kingdom of Qatar Contactor: Baytur Construction

Architect: I.M. Pei

Area of Installation: 60.000 sqm limestone











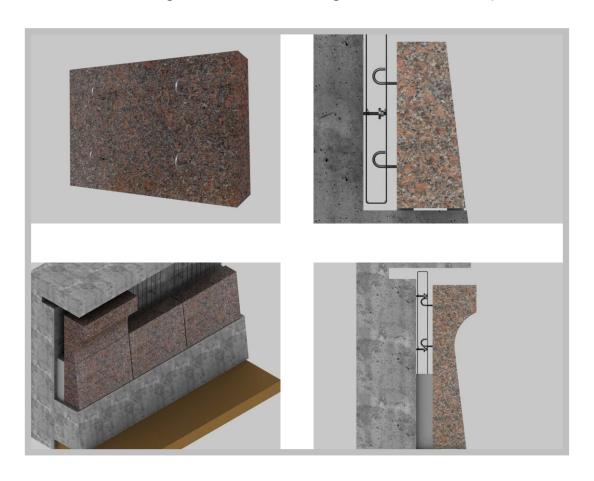






Project Unique Constraints

- Prominent elements of project is the Sea Wall; massive blocks of stone installed to be under sea level
- The design was to connect the blocks to the substrate as a precast insert, directly fixed to the concrete rebar
- The challenge was the erecting the blocks in to position of installation





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- Specially designed vacuum apparatus designed to lift the massive granite blocks
- Blocks were vertically and horizontally transported with cantilever lifts to fit the objects in to place

