Southern Kaakinmaa and Nalkala - a DIVE analysis



1900-luvulla: Näkymä Pyynikin suunnasta itään

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PREFACE

The following is the attempt of an examplarily application of the so-called DIVE mthod to a selected area in Tampere. It is the result of my three-month internship at KYY in summer/autumn 2012. As I have only little knowledge in Finnish and DIVE was entirely new to me, this report is far from being complete; it should rather be a first step towards the work with that kind of approach to the cultural environment. In the end of this paper, I will point out what is still to be done. Due to my lacking knowledge of the Finnish language, I mainly relied on the historical photos and maps itself, trying to get familiar with the history of the area by carefully "reading" the pictures. However, this led to the fact that my investigation doesn't reach much deeper into history than to the end of the 19th century, when the first photos were taken. Possible ancient settlement and the like could thus not taken into account. Here, it might be worthwhile for an archaeologist to work on this matter.

The method

Basically, DIVE is a tool for the analysis and evaluation of historic and cultural qualities of cities. It was developed during two international projects (SuHiTo 2003-05 and Co-Herit 2007-08) and is still at its beginning, open for change and development.

There are four main steps in DIVE:

- **I. Describe**: What characterises the development of the project area? This step is to be descriptive, that is, as factual as possible. The collected information is structured particularly in "timespace-matrices" that allow the reader to "dive into" the history of a place. They are mainly a "pedagogic tool", as one of the main developer of DIVE, Dag Arne Reinar, put it: "[They are] designed to increase awareness and understanding of the project area's tangible and intangible history." (Reinar in: The DIVE Approach, p.8)
- **2. Interprete**: What are the significant societal and historic narratives, contexts and elements? From this stage on, the work should b carried out in (in the best case: cross-disciplinary) groups to allow critical and creative discussions.
- **3. Valuate**: What are the main qualities and values of the are? What are their development potentials and capacities for change?
- **4. Enable**: How can the heritage, the historical environment and the area in general be activated? This last step is already a concrete basis for future urban plannings.

For more information, a list of links to DIVE related topics (introductions, overviews, examples) can be found in the end of this report.

The area of analysis

I decided to study the area around Eteläpuisto for several reasons. Firstly, it is an area of high diversity, ranging from park and sporting areas, a boulevard - Hämeenpuisto - and a square, to former industrial complexes of buildings, schools and dwelling houses. Nevertheless, all these potentials seem largely unused - this was a second reason why I wanted to research the history of the area and its possibilities for development. And finally I wanted to bring this area more into the minds of the inhabitants of Tampere.

The decision for the borders of the area to be analysed resulted partly of natural conditions: In the south and the east, it is bordered by Pyhäjärvi respectively Ratinan suvanto. In the west, Eteläpuisto merges with Pyynikki, so there is no strict border to draw. However, I don't consider that a problem. Defining the northern boundary was more problematic. The block structure continues, and I could have taken Hämeenkatu respectively Pyynikin kirkkopuisto as borderlines; however, I decided to draw the line already along Satamakatu, as the character of the blocks neighbouring Hämeenkatu is quite different to those of my core area.



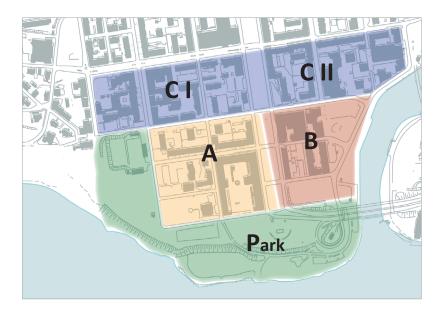
The analysed area and its environment

Stage 1: DESCRIPTION

According to the handbook to DIVE, the main issue of the first descriptive stage is to highlight the historical character of the area of analysis, working primarily with time-space-matrices. Thus, a basis of knowledge should be established about the origins, developments and changes of the area, that help to explain its contemporary character.

As my area of analyse is fairly diverse and complex, I decided to create several time-space-matrices. They proceed from the general to the particular, each considering the development of different aspects in the course of time:

First, a rough overview of the area is given. Then, I divided the area into sub-areas to improve the handling: there are the sub-areas A, B, C I, C II and the Park area (as seen on the map below), which have each their own time-space-matrices. Moreover, interesting spaces like Nalkalantori or the complex of Klingendahl are again described in own matrices, following the ones of the sub-areas. Thus, the reader might decide how deep he wants to dive into the respective case.



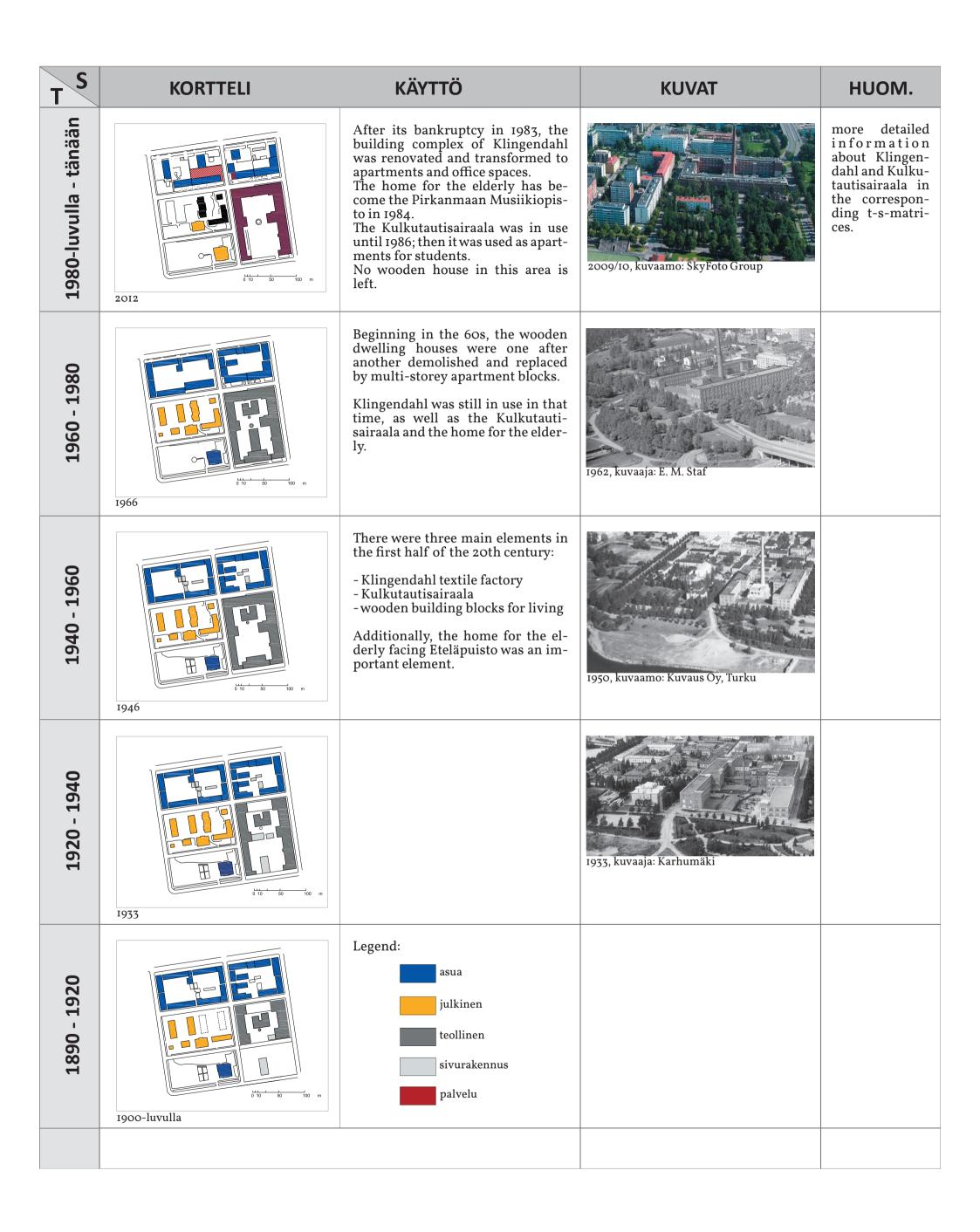
Which are the main historical eras that can be found in this area in the past century?

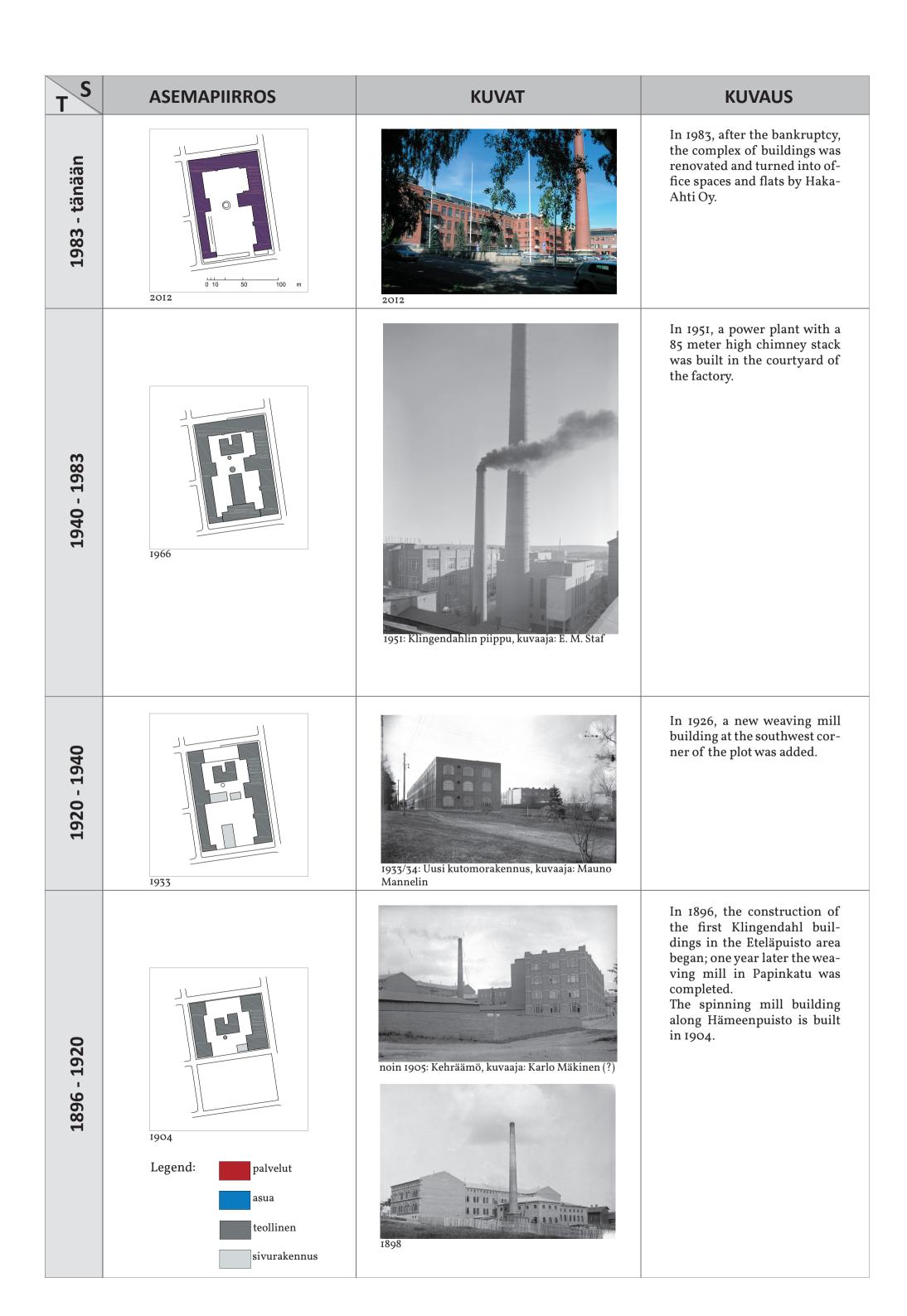
The first important stage was, in my opinion, the second half of the 19th century, when the area was being settled. Already in the end of the 19th century, the western part of it was densely built. The shores were used for wood storage and boats. Around the turn of the 20th century, the first factories started their operations, too. They characaterised the area to a high degree in those days.

During the Second World War, several bombs hit the north-eastern part of the area; on those plots, the first apartment blocks were built in the 50s. However, the fundamental changes started not until the 60s. In the following decades, all the wooden dwelling houses - except two - were torn down and replaced by modern apartment blocks. This development also occured in many other parts of Tampere, e.g. in Amuri and Tammela, in other cities of Finland and in the whole western Europe; following the doctrines of the modernistic urban planning, that is mainly the Charter of Athens.

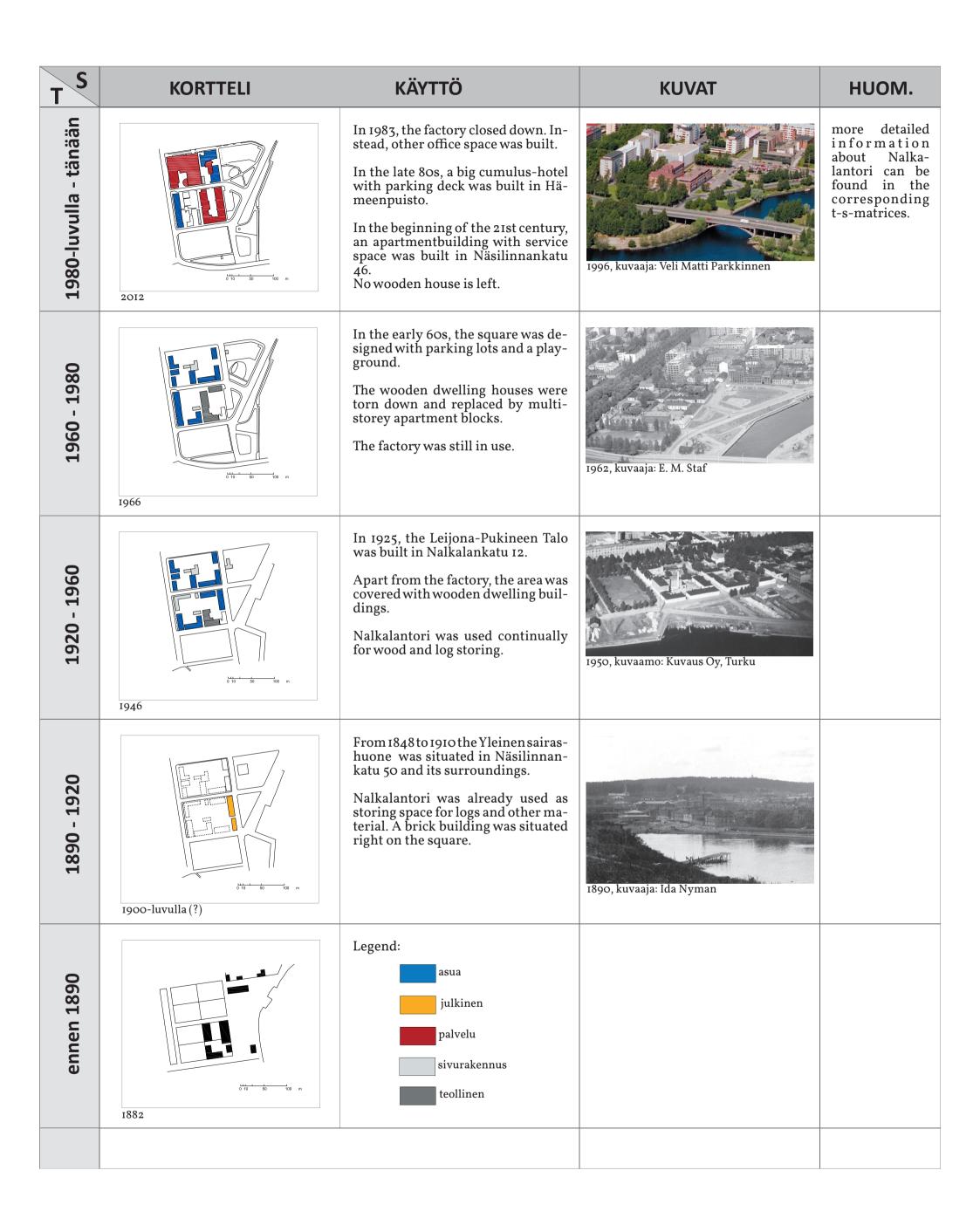
In the past decades, another important change took place in the area as well as in the whole town of Tampere and in many other western cities: the deindustrialisation led to the abandonment of the factories and their re-use for other purposes, mainly offices and dwelling.

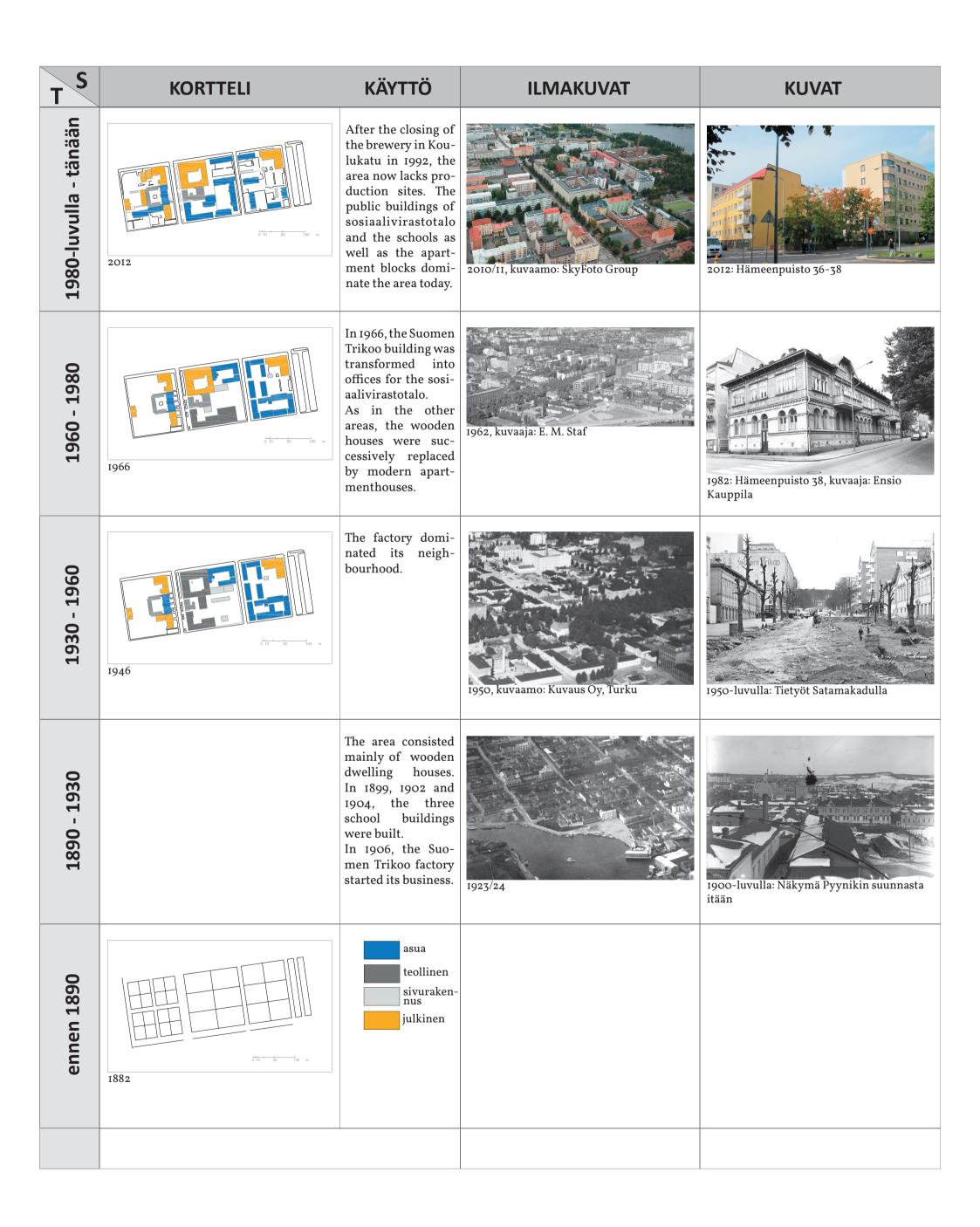
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1980-luvulla - tänään	1996, kuvaaja: Veli-Matti Parkkinen	KARTAT	Nowadays, the area seems very quiet. There is still a certain mix of uses, but the residental use prevails.
1960 - 1980	1962, kuvaaja: E. M. Staf	1966	The biggest change in the urban plan took place around the 60s: a bridge to Ratina was built and a multi-lane road led to Hämeenpuisto and cut the connection between the latter and Eteläpuisto. On the shore of Pyhäjärvi, a speedwayrata was built and became very popular.
1940 - 1960	1950, kuvaamo Kuvaus Oy, Turku	1946	In the years after the second World War, the first new apartment buildings were erected.
1920 - 1940	1933, kuvaaja: Karhumäki	Tampereen asemakaava 1934	By the 1930s, Eteläpuisto had been designed, even though in a smaller scale than planned; the shore was needed for the storage of logs. Also Koulukadun kenttä already existed, as well as the school buildings and the first factory buildings.
1890 - 1920		Tampereen asemakaava 1896	By the end of the 19th century, the kulkutautisairaala had been established in Kaakinmaa. Also, some plan for the design of a big park area at the shores of Pyhäjärvi had been made.
ennen 1890		Tampereen asemakaava 1882	The plan of 1882 shows that at that time there were already some houses in Nalkala, whereas the western part of my analysed area wasn't covered with buildings yet. However, the street grid already existed also in Kaakinmaa.











the buildings of

the former brewery and the schools.

Betwen the 60s and the 80s, the wooden

Trikoo,

Suomen



2012: Talouskoulu



2010: Suomen Trikoo rakennus, kuvaaja: Miinu Mäkelä



2012: Tiiliruukinkatu 14



houses were replaced by modern apartment blocks. Only the wooden building in Koulukatu II remained. The schools and Suomen Trikoo remained.



1952: Talouskoulu, kuvaaja: Ensio Kauppila



1910: Suomen Trikoo, kuvaaja: K. Mäkinen



1960: Papinkatu 17-11 (above) and Papinkatu 15 (below), kuvaaja: P. Helenius



1900-luvulla: Koulukatu 14-16, kuvaaja: E. A. Bergius



1900-luvulla: Suomen Trikoon takapiha, kuvaaja: Axel Wennerstrand

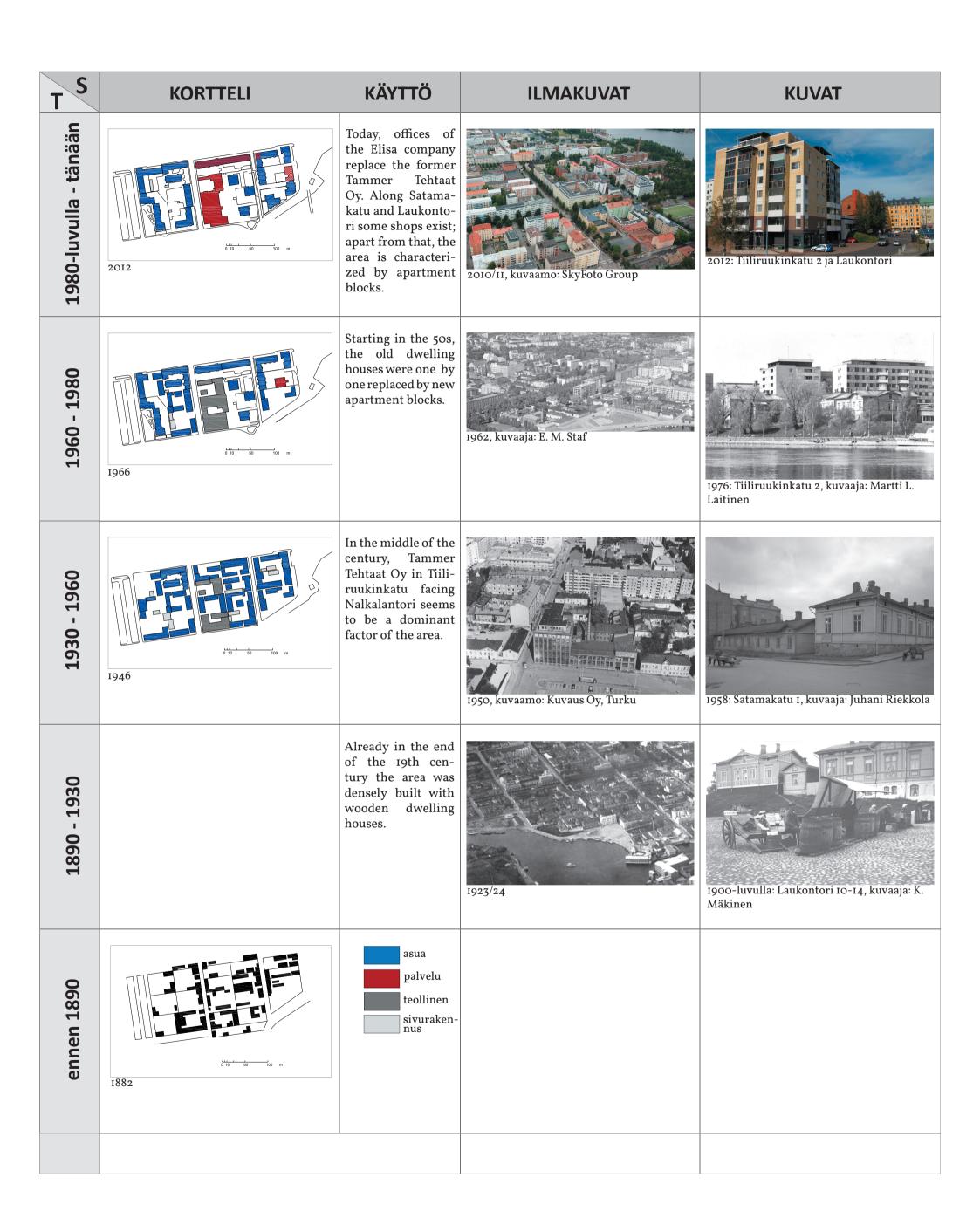


1920: Papinkatu 15

In the first years of the 20th century, the school buildings and the factory building of Suomen Trikoo were erecteed and thus shaped the area. Besides them, there existed wooden dwelling houses.



1900-luvulla: Papinkatu 12, kuvaaja: Richard Thulé



HÄMEENPUISTO 41-45

Tiiliruukinkatu 4-6

KUNINKAANKATU 41/ LAUKONTORI 14

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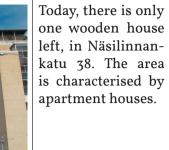
2012: Hämenpuisto 41



2012: Tiiliruukinkatu 4 ja 6



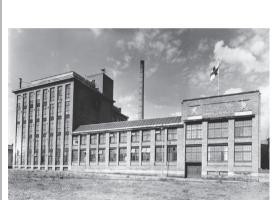
2012: Kuninkaankatu



During the 60s, 70s 80s, and even around the turn of the century, the wooden houses were replaced by modern apartment blocks.



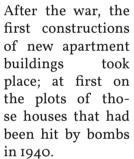
1953: Hämeenpuisto 41, kuvaaja: Teuvo Mäkinen



1959: Tiiliruukinkatu 6, kuvaaja: Veikko Kanninen



1976: Tiiliruukinkatu 2 (above) and Kuninkaankatu 41 (below), kuvaaja: Martti L. Laitinen







1950-luvulla: Tiiliruukinkatu 4, kuvaaja: P. Helenius



1940: Laukontori 14, kuvaaja: E. M. Staf

During the Second World War, in 1940, several buildings of the area were hit by bombs und thus damaged or destroyed, among them Laukontori 14, Satamakatu 5 and Hämeenpuisto 41.



1910 (?): Hämeenpuisto 43, kuvaaja: Berndt



1910: Tiiliruukinkatu 4



1900: Kuninkaankatu 41, kuvaaja: I. K. Inha

TS	KARTAT	ILMAKUVAT	KUVAUS
1980-luvulla - tänään	2012	1996, kuvaaja: Veli-Matti Parkkinen	Today, the gravelled area of the former speedway rata is used for events like circus; in the eastern part of the shore area there are several parking lots. Eteläpuisto itself has become relatively quiet; south of Koulukadun kenttä, a minigolf has established. In 1995, the shore area of Eteläpuisto was paved and renovated.
1960 - 1980	1966	1971, kuvaamo: Studio B. Möller	
1930 - 1960	1946	1958 1958 1950, kuvaamo Kuvaus Oy, Turku	When the bridge to Ratina together with the multi-lane road was built in the end of the 1950s, parts of Eteläpuisto had to be sacrificed for a driveway. Additionally, the connection between the park and Hämeenpuisto was cut by that road. From 1953 to 1988, the speedway rata, located at the shore of Pyhäjärvi, was in use. It was very popular. A small pavilion in classical style was built in 1924 in the centre of Eteläpuisto and then demolished in 1950, when the monument for the Wäinö Aaltonen co-operative was erected at that very place.
ennen 1930	Tampereen Asemakaava 1896		The park was constructed by the city's gardener Onni Karsten in two stages: 1915–1917 and 1928-1929, according to the plan drawn by the city's engineer K. Vaaramäki. Before that, in the 1890s, Russian soldiers used the area as vegetable growing land and for storage cellars. In the 1770s the area of Eteläpuisto consisted of forest.

Stage 2: INTERPRETATION

Following the handbook on DIVE, the second stage is concerned about the interpretation of the area and the knowledge gathered in stage 1. The key issue here is to highlight the historical significance of the area.

According to Dag Arne Reinar, significance means in this context "society's attributed importance to functions, structures and elements at a particular point in time." (Reinar, The DIVE Approach, p.10)

The tools to be used shall be mainly maps that show different aspects of historical significance, such as historical legibility, authenticity or integrity.

These maps can be found on the following pages:

- readability map of the old city plan, focusing on the street grid
- readability map of buildings, evaluating their degrees of authenticity. That is, what is the extend of originality of the historic fabric, so that it can inform us about its past?
- map of historical significant buildings, in order to highlight those buildings that were essential for the development of the area
- map of historical significant parks and squares (equivalent to buildings)
- map of the contexts and environment of the analysed area.

One difficulty for me arouse by the question which parts are "historical", that is, until which point in time I should investigate the area according to the described factors? Of course, also the time of "modernisation" from the 60s until the 80s is an important part of the area's history. However, is it already "past", or are we still in that period of modernism? Furthermore, in that sense every part of the area is significant; how is it possible to differenciate then?

As I was mostly working in my own, without a group of professionals to discuss this problem with, I decided to leave this aspect aside. I think, there are areas in Tampere that show the process of modernisation in a better, that is, more examplarily, way.

However, this is a point to further work on. Here, my work is incomplete.

READABILITY MAP: STREET GRID





Kurilankatu 1940-60 (above; kuvaaja: Veikko Kanninen) ja 2012 (below)







Tampereen Asemakaava 1896

The street grid, that has existed on town plans of Tampere since the city's very beginning, is still readable today in most of the area. Unfortunately, the position of the buildings in the western part of Tiiliruukinkatu led to a confusion concerning the readability; the order of the public, the semi-public and the private spheres got mixed up.

The southern end of Hämeenpuisto, that used to merge into Eteläpuisto, became totally obscured due to the road and bridge built in the 1960s. Here, the grid is no longer readable. In contrast, Kurilankatu is especially readable, as the old cobblestone still exists and preserves the atmosphere of the area..

READABILITY / AUTHENTICITY MAP: BUILDINGS



Suomen Trikoo 2010, kuvaaja: Miinu Mäkelä



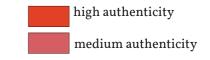


Klingendahl 2012



Concerning the historical buildings in the area, particularly the ancient factory buildings are eye-catching. They affected the area to a large extend. Due to changes in their uses, the authenticity of the buildings is not granted completely. However, their industrial past is easily visible.

Some other old buildings show the area's past functions, especially the various school buildings (see also: map of historical significance / buildings). They're all well maintained and seem to be authentic to a high degree. There are two preserved wooden building in the area, Näsilinnankatu 38 and Koulukatu II, which are very important "historical monuments" to commemorate the "wooden past" of the area, as it used to consist almost completely of wooden building blocks. Both wooden buildings are authentic to a high degree.





Näsilinnankatu 2, 2012



1990: Näsilinnankatu 38, kuvaaja: Elmar Badermann

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE - BUILDINGS



Tyttölyseo 1900-luvulla, kuvaaja: Berndt Blom



Svenska samskolan 1900-luvulla



Talouskoulu 1938 kuvaaja: E. M. Staf

The area is both architecturally and in city life coined by the existence of several schools from the beginning of the 20th century. It shows the importance of the educated middle class in the beginning of the 20th century and their priority for education.

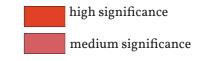


The kulkutautisairaala also played an important role in the history of Tampere. It reflects the history of deseases and the dealing with it.

De Gamlas Hem was built in a quite early stage in the devlopment of the area and is closely linked to the adjacent Eteläpuisto. Together with Svenska samskolan it also shows aspects of the life of the swedish speaking minority in the around the turn of the 20th century.



1920: De gamlas hem Eteläpuistossa, kuvaaja: Hannu Rantakallio





1930-luvulla: Yhtyneet pukutehtaat Oyn tehdasrakennus, kuvaaja: Mauno-Mannelin



Klingendahl 1940, kuvaaja: Veikko Kanninen



1930: Suomen Trikoo, kuvaaja: Mauno Mannelin

Factories are essential elements of Tampere and its history; they're also found in this area and thus underline their omnipresence in the town.

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE - PARKS AND SQUARES



1960: Koulukadun tekojäärata, kuvaaja: Veikko Lintinen

Koulukadun kenttä has an immaterial, mental meaning for the local population. On that place, many important ice hockey matches had taken place before the stadium existed.



Ilmakuva 1950, kuvaamo: Kuvaus Oy, Turku



Eteläpuisto 1949, kuvaaja: E. M. Staf

The Eteläpuisto as the southern ending of Hämeenpuisto was carefully planned. It's a fundamental element in the urban plan of Tampere and has always been an important area of recreation for the population.

The speedwayrata was legendary and in wintertime also used for icehockey and other events.

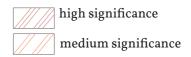




speedway nelimaaottelu 1954, kuvaaja: Reino Branthin



Puupino Eteläpuiston rannassa 1935, kuvaaja: Veikko Kanninen





1930-luvulla: jääkiekko kentällä Nalkalankadulla, kuvaaja: Werner Mauritz Gestrin



Nalkalantorinrantaa 1900, kuvaaja: Werner Mauritz Gestrin

Both Nalkalantori and the shore in the south of Eteläpuisto were very important for storing logs. They were one reason for the factories in Kaakinmaa and Nalkala to choose their locations. They were real "workplaces".

CONTEXT AND ENVIRONMENT

As to the schools in the research area (Talouskoulu, Svenska samskolan, Pyynikin koulu), they might be considered as part of a broader "system" of schools in the near environment: north of the area, next to Pyynikin Kirkkopuisto, Lastentarhanopettajaopisto, Aleksanterin koulu and Tampereen yhteiskoulu are located; in the northwest, Tampereen lyseo is situated.

Eteläpuisto is to be considered part of a broader "green belt" of Tampere city centre: it is, most important, connected to Pyynikki in the west; additionally, the green verge of Nalkalantori allows the passage either to the very city centre or to Ratina and then further to Hatanpää with its green area.

Hämeenpuisto, on the other hand, constitutes a green corridor via Pyynikin Kirkkopuisto to Näsinpuisto.



"green belt" schools

Between the shores of Eteläpuisto and Pyynikki and the one of Hatanpää attractive views exist.

An interesting view axis exists along Papinkatu, which allows the prospect of the steeple of Aleksanterin kirkko.

The street grid allows furthermore connecting views between Tammerkoski and Pyynikki, e.g. along Tiiliruukinkatu.

Stage 3: VALUATION

Key issue in the third stage is to highlight the cultural historical value and the opportunities of the area.

Cultural heritage should be, according to the handbook to DIVE, a basis for experience for people; it should "provide continuity in the physical surroundings. [...] [Cultural heritage and cultural environments] contribute to creating local character and a sense of belonging." (p.32) This local character is based on three elements: the context and the environment, architectural values and symbols respectively identity. The latter depend on two factors: "concrete events or specific people that are connected to a place, or traditions or continuity in the way the area is used." (ibid.)

The valuation should also lead to a description of the development potentials, the vulnerability and the capacity for change of the area respectively some of their elements.

Development potential describes, according to the handbook on DIVE, ideas for the preservation and active use of the heritage resources; vulnerability is the probability for reduction or loss of defined values if changes are done to it; and capacity for change describes to what extend it would be possible to adapt and/or develop the cultural heritage in positive ways.

In this case study, I structured stage 3 as follows:

- Maps showing architectural values and points of identity / symbols
- Map showing "main fields of action", that is areas with development potential
- Description of values, development potentials and vulnerability of these fields of action

Again, as it was not possible for me to work in a group, this stage may be incomplete - and, due to this fact, it is of course quite subjective.

ARCHITECTURAL VALUE



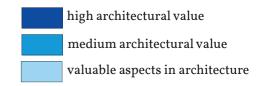


Koulukatu 13, 1965 (above, kuvaaja: E. M. Staf) ja 2012



De Gamlas Hem 1920-luvulla, kuvaaja: Hannu Rantakallio







1974: Satamakatu 1-5, kuvaaja: E. M. Staf



2012: Hämeenpuisto 41-43

There are many buildings in the area that carry architectural values on different levels. They are of different uses and different periods of architectural history; varying from the Jugendstyle school buildings to modern apartment buildings of the post war period.

Many of the buildings habe already been chosen for the Tampereen kantakaupungin rakennuskulttuuri in 1998, for further information on these buildings, please look up in this book.

VALUE: IDENTITY AND SYMBOLS



1957: Tampereen Lyseon jääkiekkojoukkue

In the "collective memory" of the area, Koulukadun kenttä is connected to important ice hockey matches in the past, making it a part of the area's identity.



1918: Pienen potilaan lähtö kulkutautisairaalasta

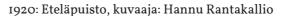
Kulkuautosairaala is an exceptional kind of place, differing from its environment. It has a high value for the identity of the area.





The park area has been a part of the city centre for more than a century. It has a long tradition of use. It's the same with Hämeenpuisto, which shares its history with Eteläpuisto.

They're both very important for the identity of the area.





1900-luvulla: Lapsi Svenska samskolan edessä

The school buildings have been in use for more than 100 years. Thus, they are a distinguishing feature of the area.



1930-luvulla: Yhtyneet pukutehtaat OY:n työväkeä poistumassa tehtaalta, kuvaaja: Mauno Mannelin

The old factory buildings characterize the area as well as the whole town of Tampere is affected by those. So they are important key features of the identity.

DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL: MAIN FIELDS OF ACTION

Koulukadun kenttä is currently in a shape that is to be changed.

Apart from the brickhouse and the sauna, the buildings are in a bad shape, so that something has to happen.

The area offers enough room for more buildings to come.



Nalkalantori is a vast free space, yet fragmented and hardly filled with life. Bushes and randomly distributed attributes such as parking lots, a playground and flowerbeds can't countervail these deficits.

The connection to Ratinan suvanto is inadequate and the traffic situation dissatifying.

The space along Nalkalankatu has been remaining unused.

Eteläpuisto and the shore of Pyhäjärvi are currently less used than it might be the case.

The park is cut off Hämeenpuisto so that it can't serve it's purpose as southern ending point of the latter.

The shore area is hardly used and fragmented due to parking lots.

OPPORTUNITIES AND LIMITATIONS

	VALUE	DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL	VULNERABILITY	CAPACATY TO CHANGE
KOULUKADUN KENTTÄ	On Koulukadun kenttä, primarily intangible value is found: It is a ground on which many important sport events (e.g. ice hockey, tennis) took place, mainly during mid-20th century.	Two possibilities arise of this plot: either the renovation and improvement of the current sporting ground, or the convertion to a building zone.	rability of Koulukadun kenttä is not very high.	large
KULKUTAUTI- SAIRAALA	Kulkutautisairaala has different levels of value: Firstly, it is a considerable part of the city's history, showing the dealing with deseases at a certain point in time. Secondly, the buildings are of architectural value, and finally, a cultural value can be found in the current use by artists, who activate and inspirit the place.			medium
ETELÄPUISTO JA JÄRVENRANTA	At an urban level, Eteläpuisto has had a great importance as the southern ending point of Hämeenpuisto. It is also a valuable part of the "green belt" going from Pyynikki in the west to the opposite shore of Hatanpää. On a cultural level, it has been a valuable space for recreation and various events (e.g. speedwayrata). Furthermore, the shore had been used for log storage for a long time and is thus also historically signficant.	tial. The park area may be extended to the very shore of Pyhäjärvi, unused spaces "activated", e.g. by creating a sporting ground (especially if	Within the design of the park and green areas, there is a wide range of possibilities without harming its values. However, a convertion of the area (also parts of it) to a building zone would destroy the high urban and cultural values it possesses!	medium
NALKALAN- KATU		It is possible to take the plot in use, for example by building houses of mixed use (dwelling and service or the alike).		large
NALKALAN TORI	Nalkalantori is part of the urban plans of the 19th century. It has also a historical value, in so far as the square used to be an important place to store wood logs, which used to be an essential part of the city's economy.		The vulnerability of Nalkalantori is relatively low. As a former "workplace" in a literal sense it is quite tolerant regarding changes, which indeed have taken place already in the 1960s.	

Stage 4: ENABLEMENT

In this last step, the basis for future planning processes is to be provided. This happens by:

- I. defining the arena of intervention
- 2. suggestion of the implementation strategies and principles, that is "to establish the main principles and guidelines that should be built into the ensuing planning and implementation process" (DIVE, p.10) and
- 3. proposing concrete measures and instruments.

I already defined main fields of action in stage 3; on the following pages, proposals and suggestions for these fields - Koulukadun kenttä, the area around Kulkutautisairaala, the plot along Nalkalankatu and Eteläpuisto - can be found. They're not very elaborated yet, they should rather serve as rough guidelines for possible future plannings.

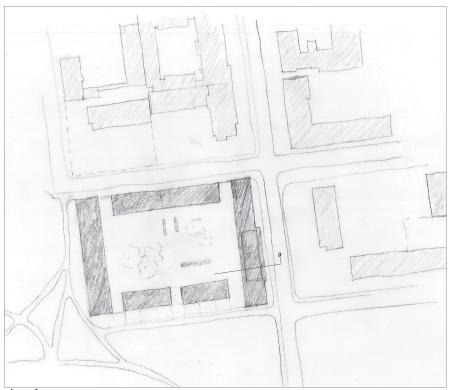
In general, I consider the following points as important for the further development of the area:

- In order to activate the area and make it more attractive for the public (both local population and tourists), it should gain a higher degree of variety in usage. For example, there exist already some cafés, run by private initiatives (in the Pirkanmaan Musiikkiopisto, in the former kulkutautisairaala, in Koulukatu II), but they're almost unknown and don't adress a broader public.
- Another chance to activate the area and to increase it's attractiveness, even beyond the city's borders, would be to turn the ancient kulkutautisairaala into an art centre. As it is already used by active citizens for that purpose, and there may be the possibility of a co-operation between them and the city of Tampere. (see suggestion sheet of kulkutautisairaala)
- If it's desired to densify the city centre and thus also the analysed area, it seems to be reasonable to "fill in" the street grid at first, that is building on Koulukadun kenttä and on the plot along Nalkalankatu. Building on the park area would be devastating and should not be an option.
- In order activate the park area and to connect it closer to the centre and the shores of Näsijärvi, it is necessary to reduce the traffic on Tampereen valtatie/Hämeenpuisto. If then also the visual connections between Hämeenpuisto, Eteläpuisto and the shore of Pyhäjärvi could be strengthened, a great system of parks and green areas would increase the appeal of Tampere.

MAP of SUGGESTIONS



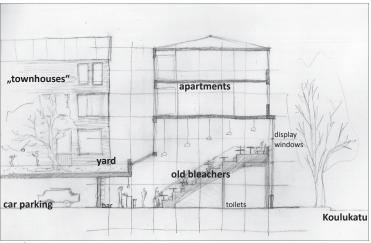
SUGGESTION: KOULUKADUN KENTTÄ



site plan

Koulukadun kenttä has already been integrated in the city's street grid. Thus, it is easy to fill the block with buildings.

I'd suggest a perimeter block development, as it used to be common in this area and the whole city centre. The height of the buildings should be moderate; I'd advocate three- to four-storey buildings, partly being "townhouses", that is, urban rowhouses. The yard should be designed as an attractive place for the inhabitants.

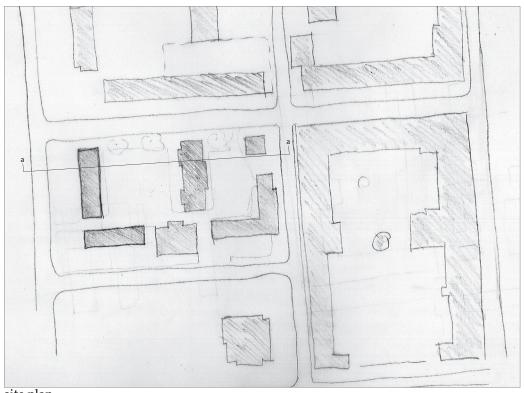


section a

In order to keep the memory of the former use of the plot, the old bleachers might be kept and "embedded" in a new building. They could be used as an extraordinary bar; big display windows, in their designs similar to those of the former brewery, could show the "artefact".

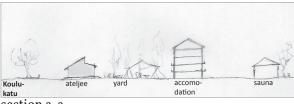
The difference in altitude from the eastern to the western side of the plot could be utilised for car parking beneath a green yard.

SUGGESTION: KULKUTAUTISAIRAALA



site plan

In a co-operation between the city and association run by interested citizens, the plot and its buildings could be leased to the latter at a low rate; in return, the association would take care of the estate. Thus, a historical significant place could be kept and revived at a time, and an economic utilisation would be prevented. A vivid artistic and alternative scene could develop and radiate in the nearer and further environment.



section a-a

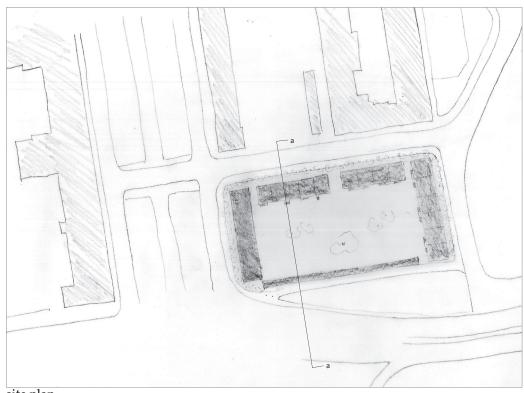
One or two buildings could easily be added on the plot, complementing the already existing agglomeration of houses.

The new buildings should respect the scale of their environment and could house artist's workshops and also apartments for artists.

The in that way newly formed square between the houses could be used for various outdoor events as well as for outdoor work by the artists.

The existing building could serve as hostel and accomodation for participants of workshops after its renovation.

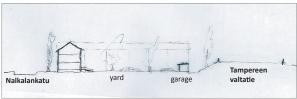
SUGGESTION: NALKALANKATU



site plan

The plot next to Nalkalankatu is already fitting to the street grid. It would be nice if the birch trees that are planted around the plot could be (mostly) kept.

In order to strengthen the street grid and to remind of the formerly typical pattern of building blocks, I'd suggest a perimeter block development on that area. The height of the buildings should be moderate, as they could thus serve as "intermediary" between the built area of Kaakinmaa and the open space of Eteläpuisto and the shore.



section a-a

The building types could be two- or three-storey "townhouses", as also suggested on Koulukaun kenttä. The yard may serve as entrance area; steps leading to each door could be another reminiscence of the bulding traditions.

The southern side of the plot facing Tampereen valtatie shouldn't be built with dwellings; instead, I'd suggest to place a row of garages there. Thus, the sun may shine into the yard (that can be used by the inhabitants and doesn't have to serve as parking space that way) and the distance to the big road is kept.

The buildings at the eastern side of the plot may house shops, a restaurant or café and the alike to activate the area around Nalkalantori.

SUGGESTION: ETELÄPUISTO

In order to activate the area around Eteläpuisto and as a substitution for Koulukadun kenttä, the former speedwayrata and the gravelled space in front of the Musiikkiopisto, which was formerly also used for icehockey, could be transformed into sportgrounds; on the slope at the northern side of the speedwayrata bleachers could be built

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On the shore of Pyhäjärvi, with a beautiful view over the lake to Hatanpää, a café could be built. It would be the southern highlight in the extension of Hämeenpuisto.

The connection of the two levels of Eteläpuisto and the shore area has to be improved. In the prolongation of Hämeenpuisto respectively the monument wide stairs could serve that purpose.

If the traffic on Hämeenpuisto could be reduced in the future, there would be the chance to strengthen the connection between Hämeenpuisto and Eteläpuisto. This could possibly be achieved by extending the paving of the boardwalk in Hämeenpuisto up to Eteläpuisto - which would also mean, that pedestrians had priority over car drivers.

PROBLEMS and GAPS

As I already suggested in the beginning of this report, there were some problems I had to struggle with. Some were of personal kind, based on my poor Finnish skills, my insufficent knowledge of the city's and the country's history and the lack of experience in the field of cultural environment. Some were of structural kind, like the one that I hadn't the possibility to work in a mixed group of professionals, but had largely to work on my own.

However, there might also be some problems resulting of the DIVE approach itself. Sometimes it was quite difficult to squeeze such a complex, diverse and manifold area into simple structures as the time-space-matrices. Additionally, it was at times hard to keep the different stages seperate from each other and draw clear borders between them. And as I said, the question of which is "old" and "historical" and should therefore be considered, and which parts should be left aside, gave me headaches.

Concerning the aspects that should further be dealt with, I suggest that firstly more historical contextual information, extracted from written sources, has to be added; especially information concerning the older history and archaeological questions. Also the history of lake Pyhäjärvi might be worth to have a closer look at.

Additionally, the time period of the "modernisation", beginning in the 1960s, should be investigated more deeply.

Then, stage 2 and 3 have to be discussed among representatives of different professions or fields of activity: What is significant, valueable and so on might vary, depending on the point of view. Now, it is still too subjective and probably incomplete.

On the level of presentation, it would be great if some day the matrices could be transformed into interactive elements, in which the pictures could be clicked and thus be enlarged (as it is the case on many websites). That would facilitate the handling of the material to a large extend.

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