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Stitching Cracks in a Historical Buildings

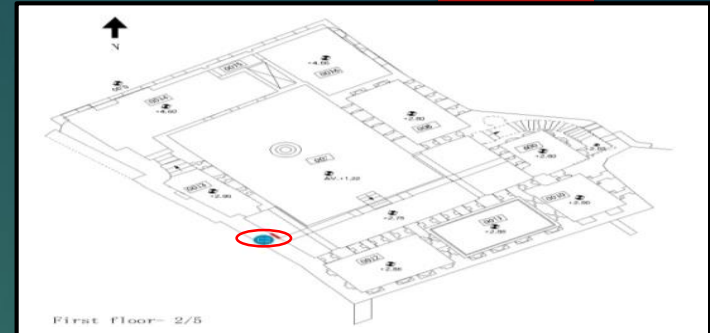
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Stitching Cracks

- Clearing out the damaged bricks along the crack.
- Placing horizontal wooden joists 1 m length at every 1 m height inside the cracked brick wall.
- (The wooden joists are treated against termite and insects).
- Rebuilding the crack area by brick and lime mortar;
(1 lime:1 sand: 0.75 stone dust)



Crack No. C2



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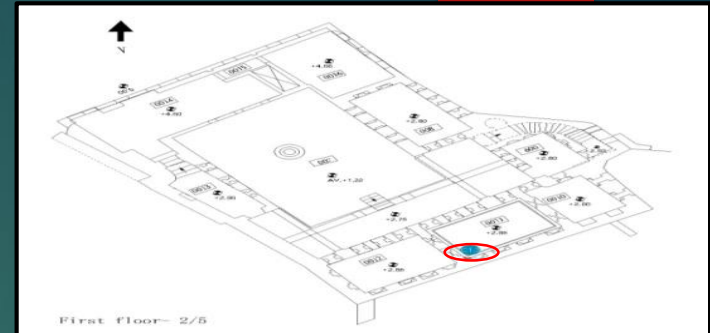
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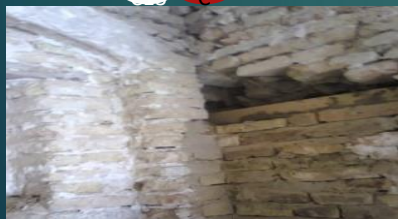
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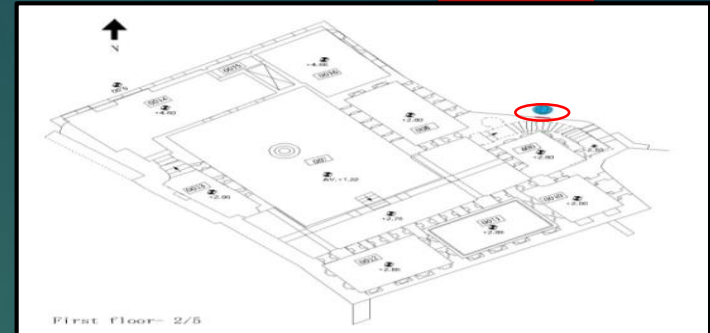


Crack No. C13



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Crack No. C22



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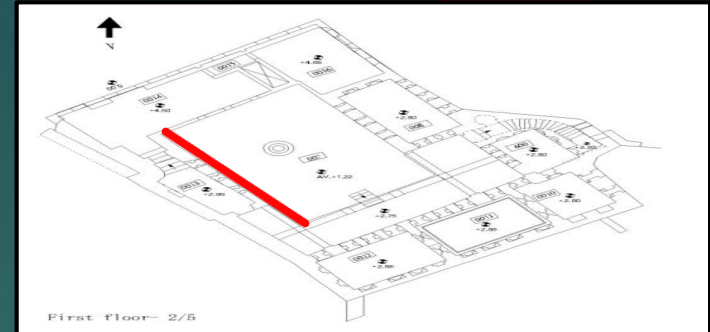
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Repairing Brick Wall

- Repairing the brick wall by replacing the deteriorated brick with new bricks using the lime mortar :
(1 lime:1 sand: 0.75 stone dust)
- Inserting treated wooden joist for consolidating
- Cleaning the brick surface.



Courtyard Wall (North East Façade)



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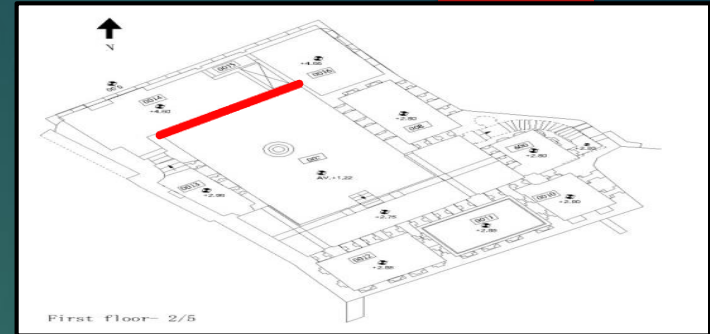
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Repairing Brick Wall

- Repairing the brick wall by replacing the deteriorated brick with new bricks using the lime mortar mixture :
(1 lime:1 sand: 0.75 stone dust)
- Inserting treated wooden joist for consolidating
- Cleaning the brick surface.



Courtyard Wall (South East Façade)



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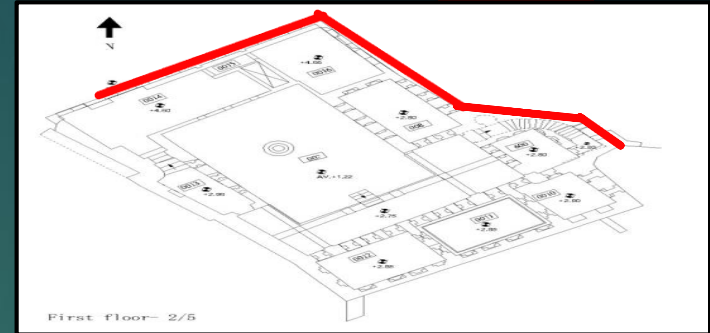
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Repairing Brick Wall

- Removing cement plaster from the lower part of the façade wall
- Repairing the brick wall by replacing the deteriorated brick with new bricks using the lime mortar:
(1 lime:1 sand: 0.75 stone dust)
- Cleaning the brick surface.



Front & Side Façade(North West & North East Façade)



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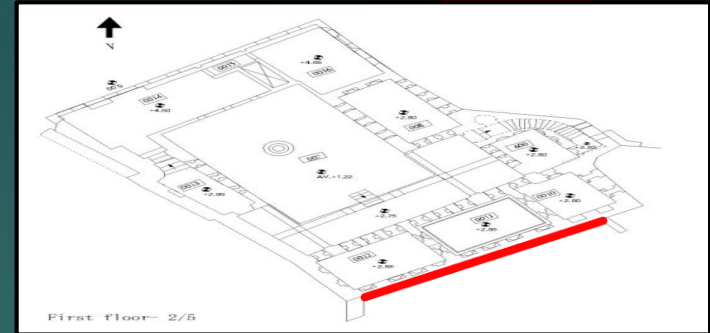
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Repairing Brick Wall

- Removing cement plaster.
- Preparation and shoring
- Repairing the brick wall by replacing the detreated brick with new bricks using the lime mortar:
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- Cleaning the brick surface.



Back Façade (South East Façade)



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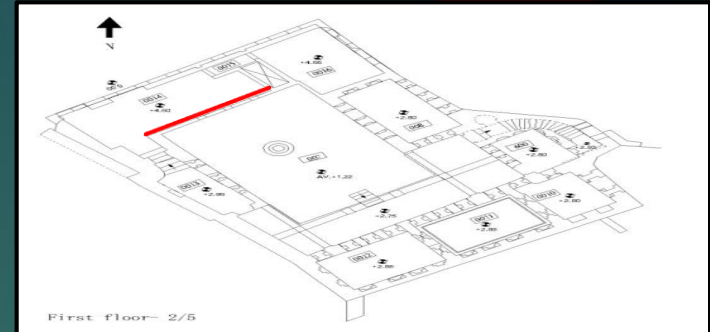
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Retaining Wall

- Building a retaining wall along the wall for consolidating the structure with bricks and lime mortar (1 lime:1 sand: 0.75 stone dust)
- Connecting the two walls by using treated wooden joists.



Inner Retaining Wall



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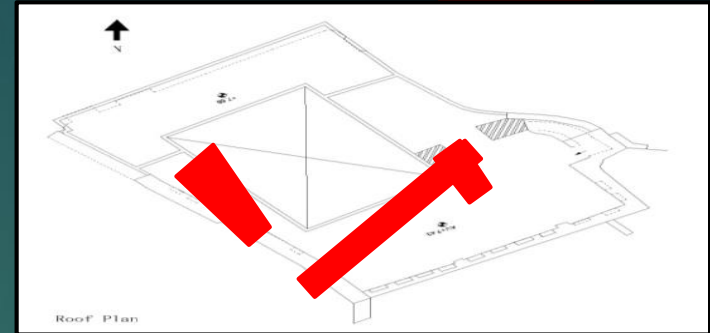
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Repairing Damaged Ceiling

- 1-Dismantling the damaged part of the roof .
- 2-Placing 5 inch I section beam at every 70 cm.
- 3-Building the jack arches with brick and gypsum.



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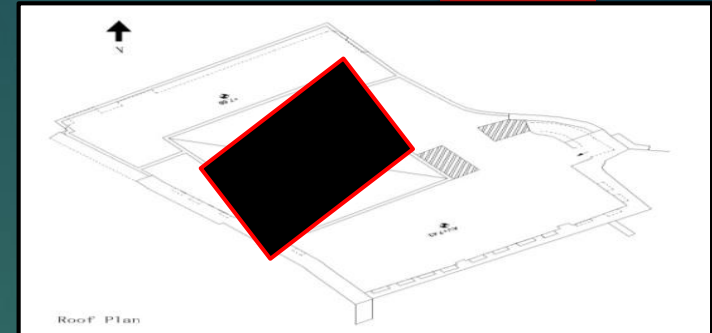
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Courtyard Iron Roof

-Dismantling the deteriorated Iron roof and placing a new steel structure roof, consisted of Iron girders, aluminum sections, laminate thickness 10mm.



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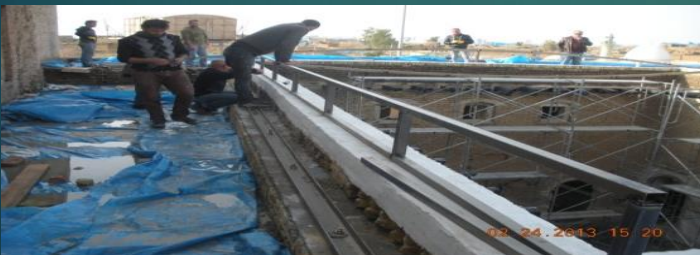
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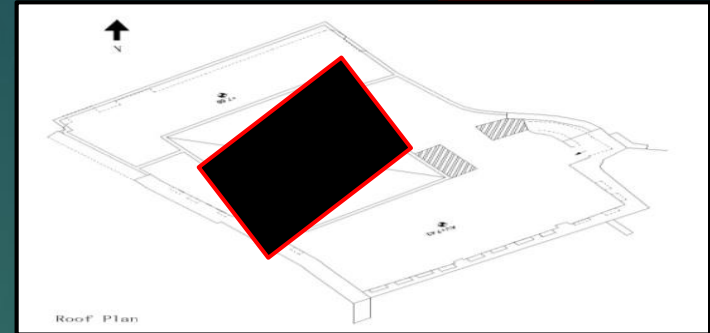
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-Dismantling the deteriorated Iron Roof and placing a new steel structure roof, Consisted of Iron Girders, Aluminum sections, poly carbonate plastic sheets .



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Roofing Layers Section

I Section Beam (5 inch)

(Gypsum : Lime) {5-7 cm thickness}
(3 : 1)

Vapor Barrier

{5cm thickness}

Lime : crushed stone (number 1,2 and 3 with stone dust) : sand
1 : 2 : 1.5

Bitumen Paint

Two opposite layers of water proof sheets

Plastic Wire Mesh

{7cm thickness}

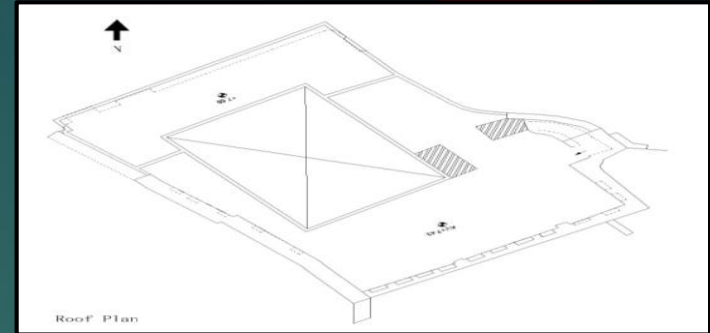
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1 : 2 : 1.5

0.70

Roofing Layers

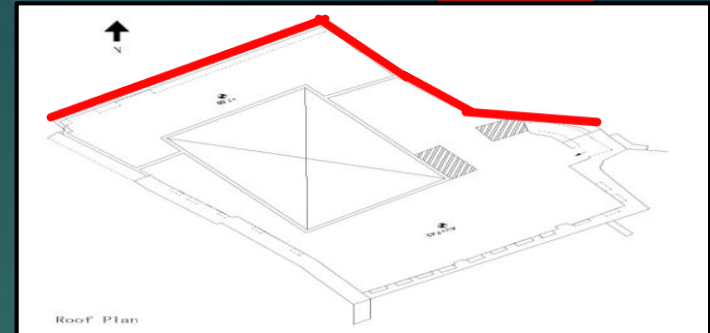
- 1-Casting with gypsum and lime (3 : 1) ,(8mm thickness)
- 2-Placing flint coat layer.
- 3-Plasing 2 two opposite layers of Isogamies .
- 4-Casting the final layer of lime mixture (1 lime:2 crushed stone: 1.5 sand) including plastic wire mesh for consolidate.

See section 1-1



Parapet Wall

-Building parapet wall with bricks and lime mortar (1 lime:1 sand: 0.75 stone dust)



Front & Side Façade(North West & North East Façade)



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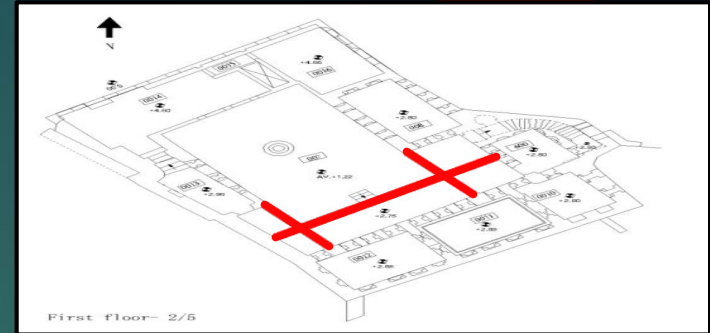
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Repairing Alabaster

- 1-Cleaning the damaged surfaces and removing the deteriorated layers and parts .
- 2-Completing the original shapes by adding new compatible Alabaster peices whenever necessary.
- 3-Smoothing the surfaces.



Alabaster Arches



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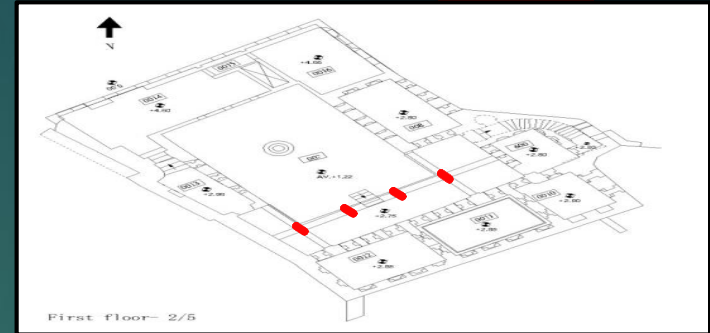
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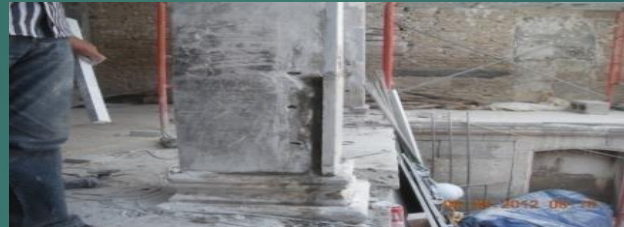
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Alabaster Columns



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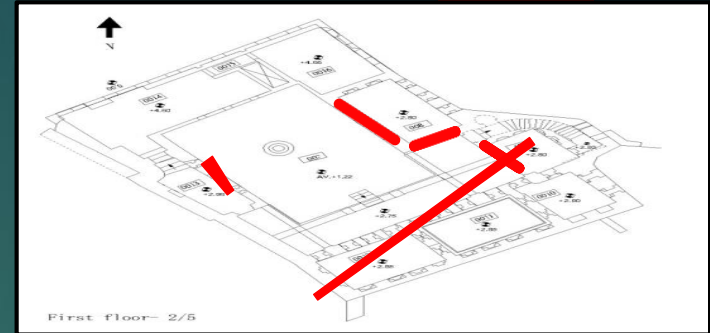
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Alabaster Window Frames



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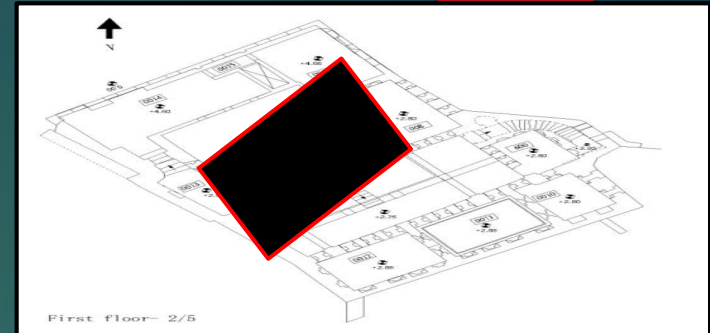
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Flooring

- 1-Removing the old concrete layer.
- 2-Lowering and levelling the courtyard to its' original level.
- 3-Applying a layer of cement and sand mixture for flattening (thicness \approx 8cm)
- 4-Laying of brich tiles pavement with mortar mix (cement ,sand).
- 5-Pointing the joints.



Courtyard Floor



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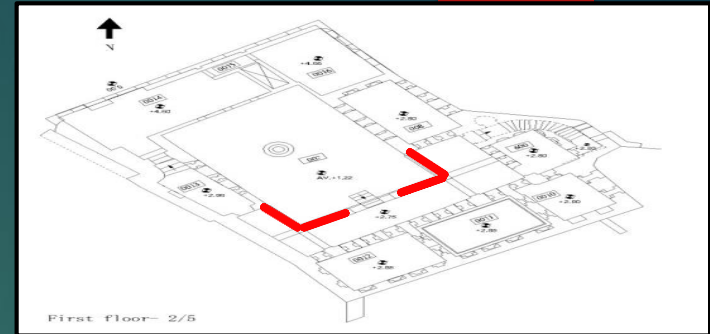
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Iron Grills

- 1-Repairing the iron grills of the tarma.
- 2-Applying anti-rust paint and coloured paint.
- 3-Installing the iron grills at their places.



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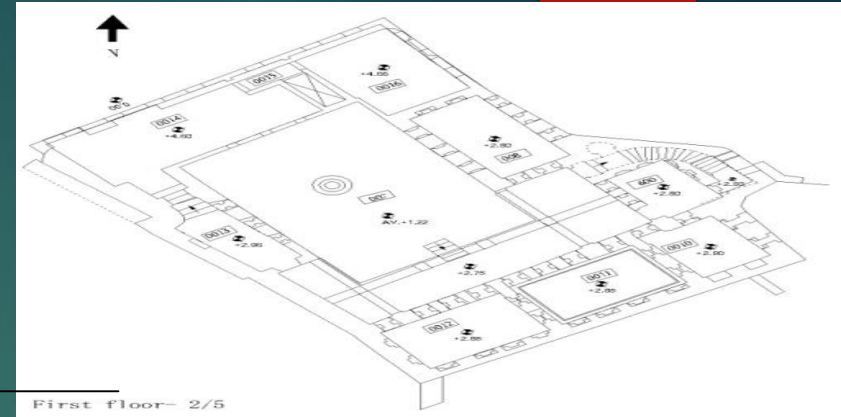
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Electrical Work

-Installing electrical cables.



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