

# EVENT CENTER AT SJSU

## TECHNICAL GUIDE



Welcome to the Event Center at San Jose State University, seated in the downtown heart of Silicon Valley. Our versatile facility options and talented, professional in-house production staff has made successful events the standard at the Event Center. With retractable seating, a portable athletic floor, full-service ticket office, and first-class amenities, we can host almost anything: an intimate teaching from the Dalai Lama, a three-day Polynesian dance and music festival, and sellout concerts from performers like Drake and One Direction. Located in the center of one of the country's most diverse media markets, the Event Center attracts a diverse range of attendees, consistently selling out shows appealing to entirely separate demographics. Versatility, flexibility, and professionalism have become the hallmarks of the Event Center, making it a premier venue in Northern California.



For more information, please contact any of the following offices:

Event Operations (408) 924-6307

Technical Services (408) 924-6308

Box Office (408) 924-6367

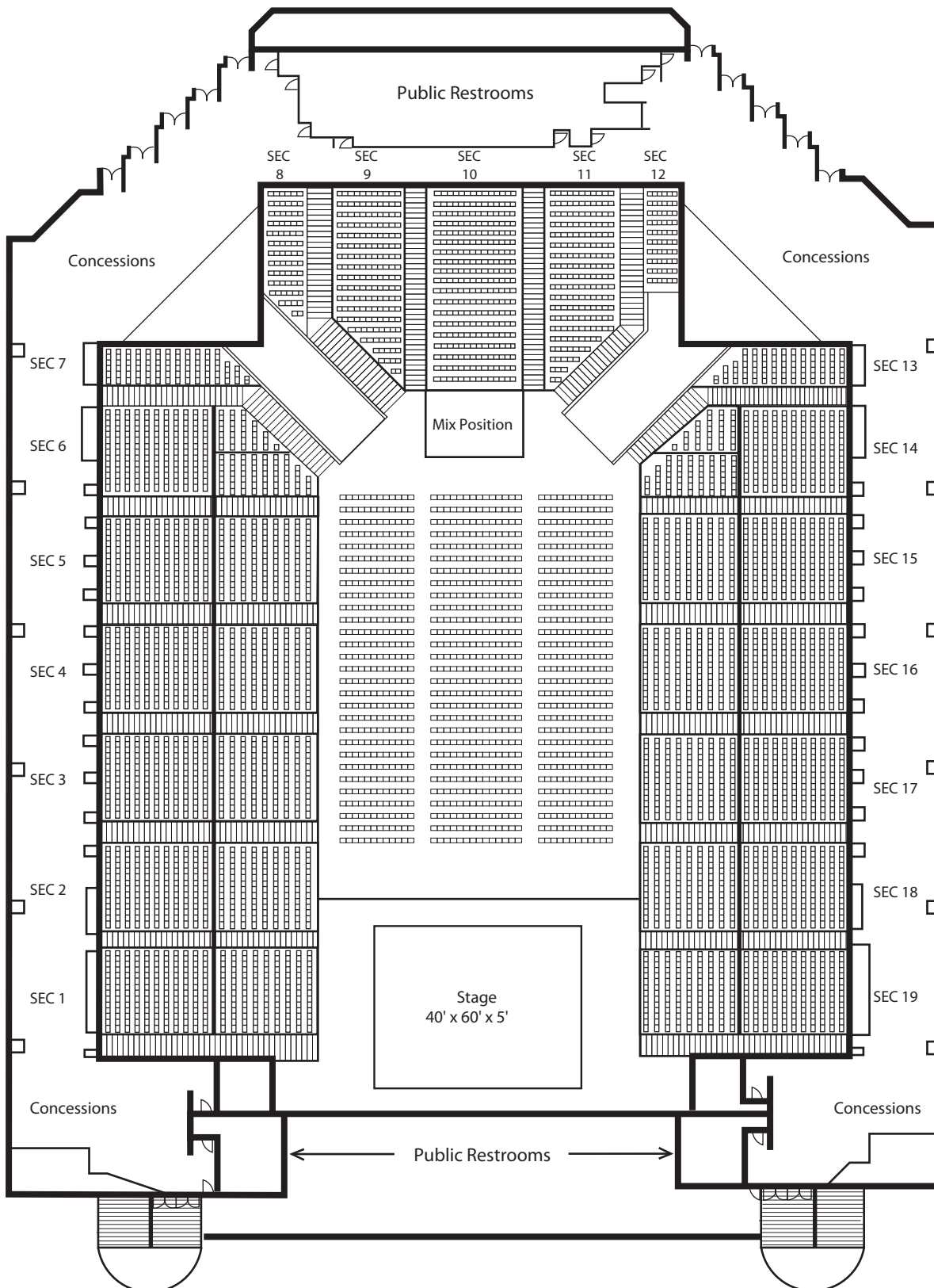
Event Director (408) 924-6360

Or visit our website at [www.sjsuevents.com](http://www.sjsuevents.com)



# Event Center Arena

## Reserved Concert Floor Plan



Section	Capacity
1	0
2	266
3	266
4	266
5	266
6	234
7	71
8	68
9	182
10	196
11	182
12	60
13	71
14	234
15	266
16	266
17	266
18	266
19	0

Total Fixed  
Seating : 3426

Floor Seating : 1102

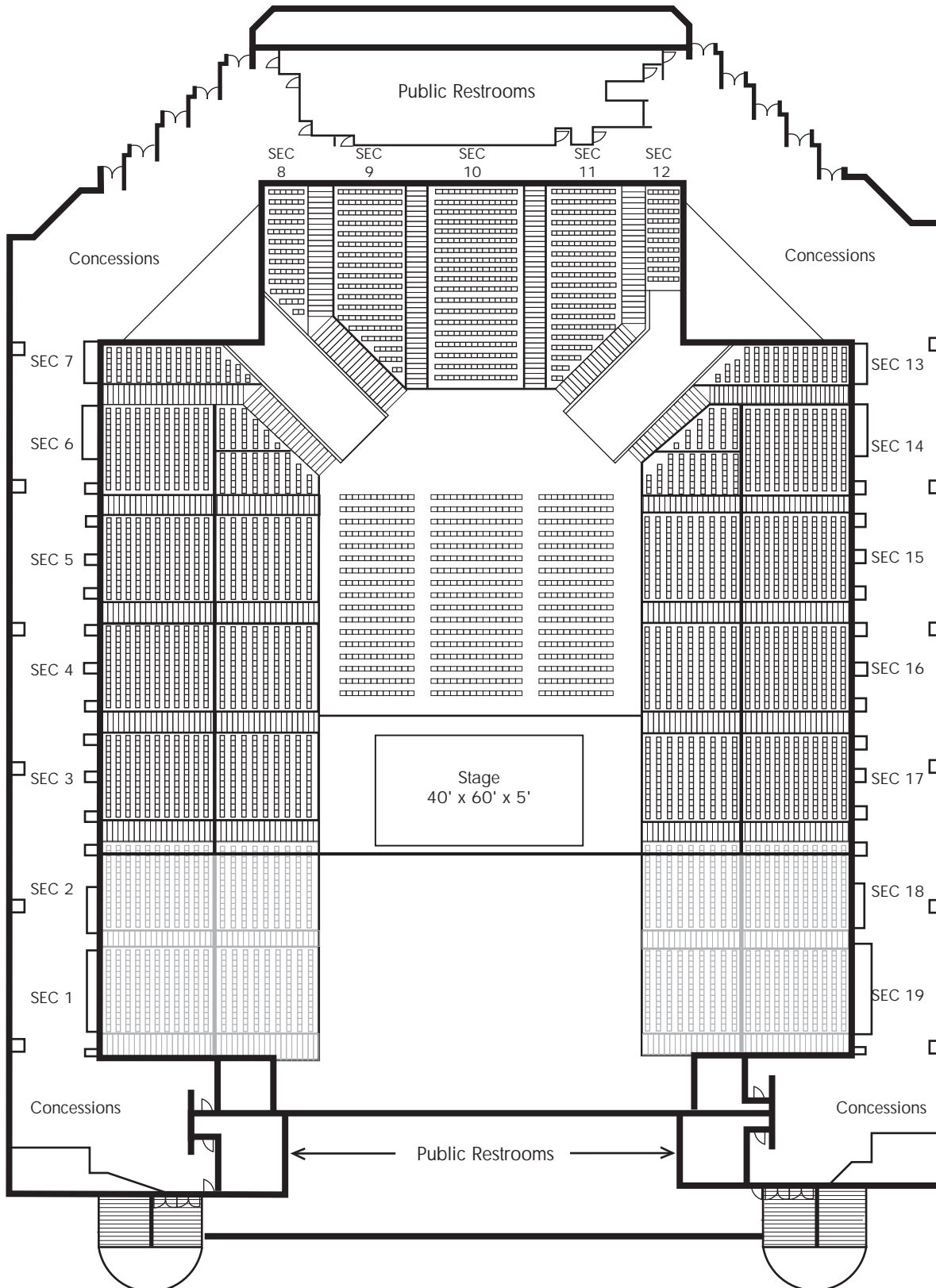
Total Capacity : 4528\*

\* Total capacity is dependent on production requirements and sightline limitations.



# Event Center Arena

## Half House Floor Plan



Section	Capacity
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	266
5	266
6	234
7	71
8	68
9	182
10	266
11	182
12	60
13	71
14	234
15	266
16	266
17	0
18	0
19	0

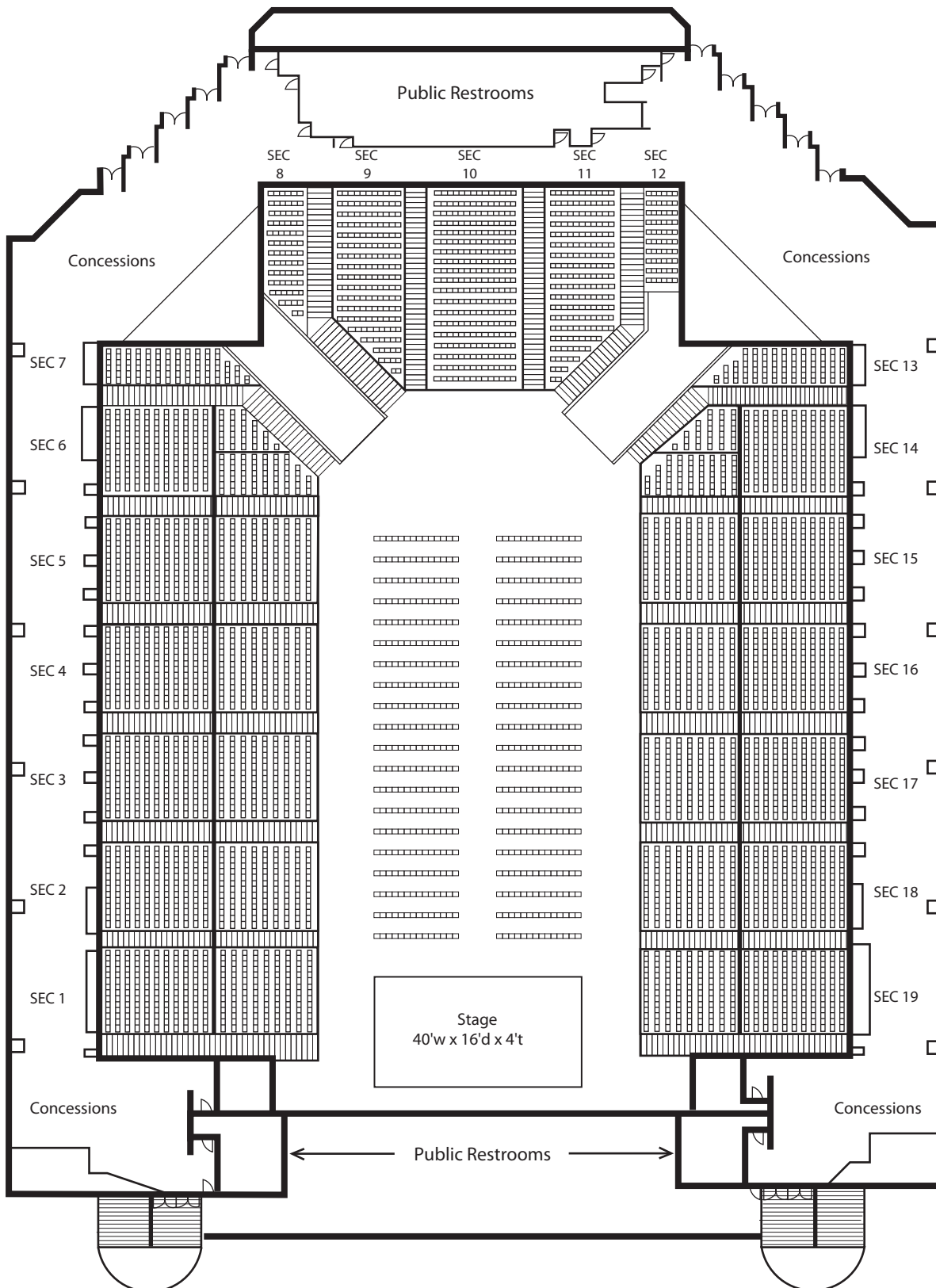
Total Fixed  
Seating : 2432

Floor Capacity : 646

Total Capacity : 3078

# Event Center Arena

## Graduation Floor Plan



Section	Capacity
1	257
2	266
3	266
4	266
5	266
6	234
7	71
8	68
9	182
10	266
11	182
12	60
13	71
14	234
15	266
16	266
17	266
18	266
19	257

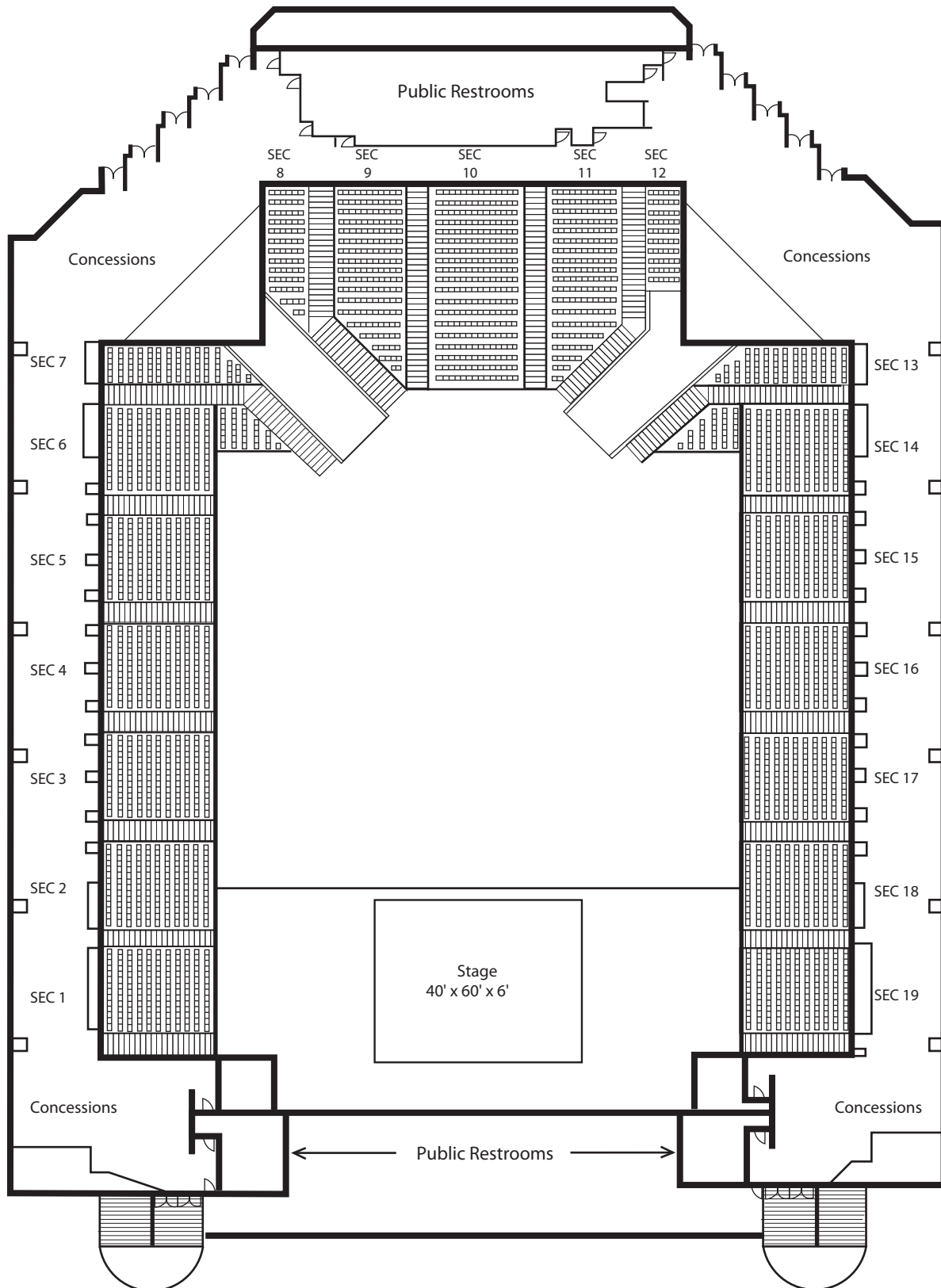
Total Fixed Seating: 4010

Floor Seating Capacity: 560

Total Capacity: 4570

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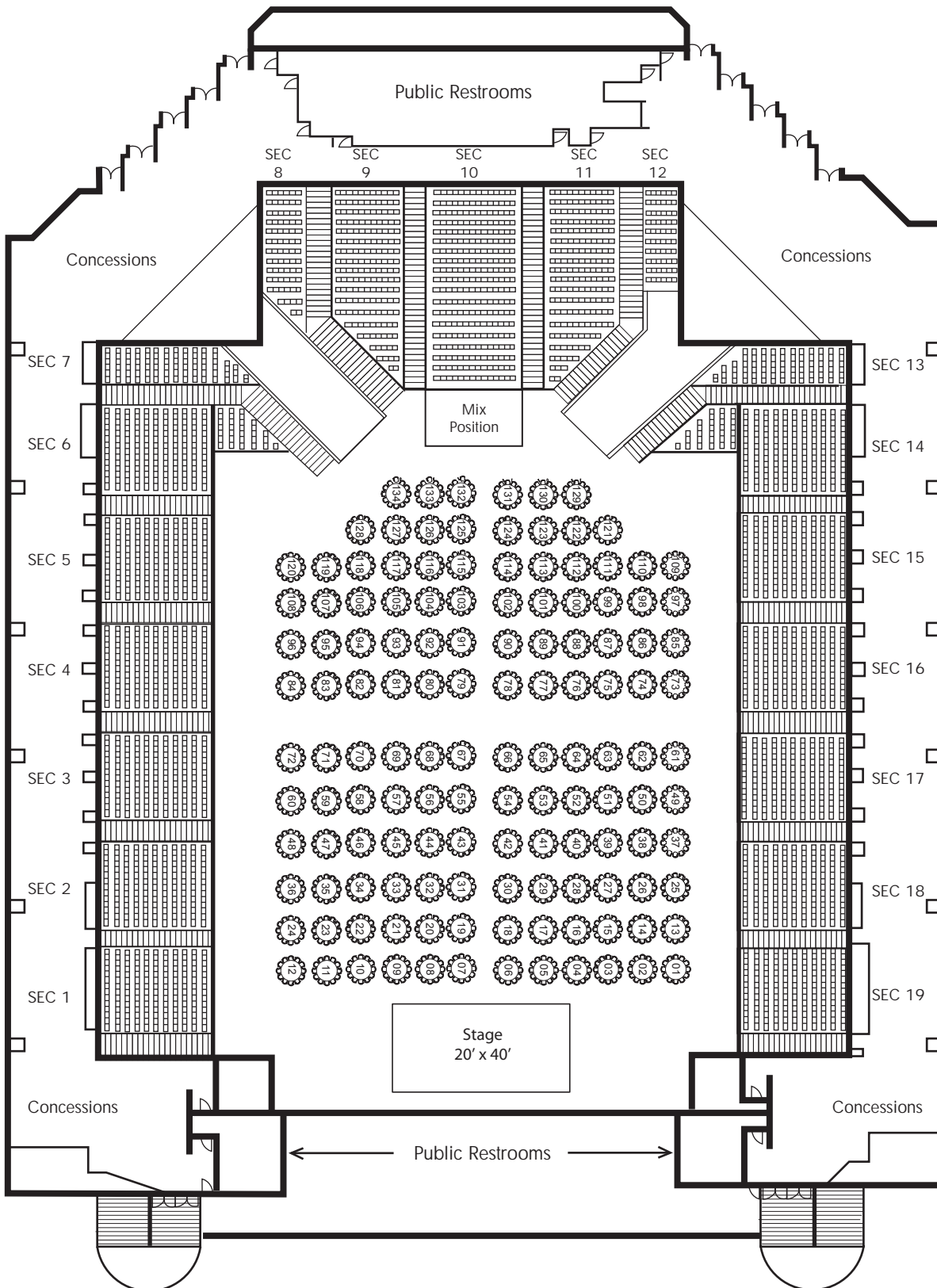
## Festival Seating Concert Floor Plan





# Event Center Arena

## Round Tables Reserved Concert Layout



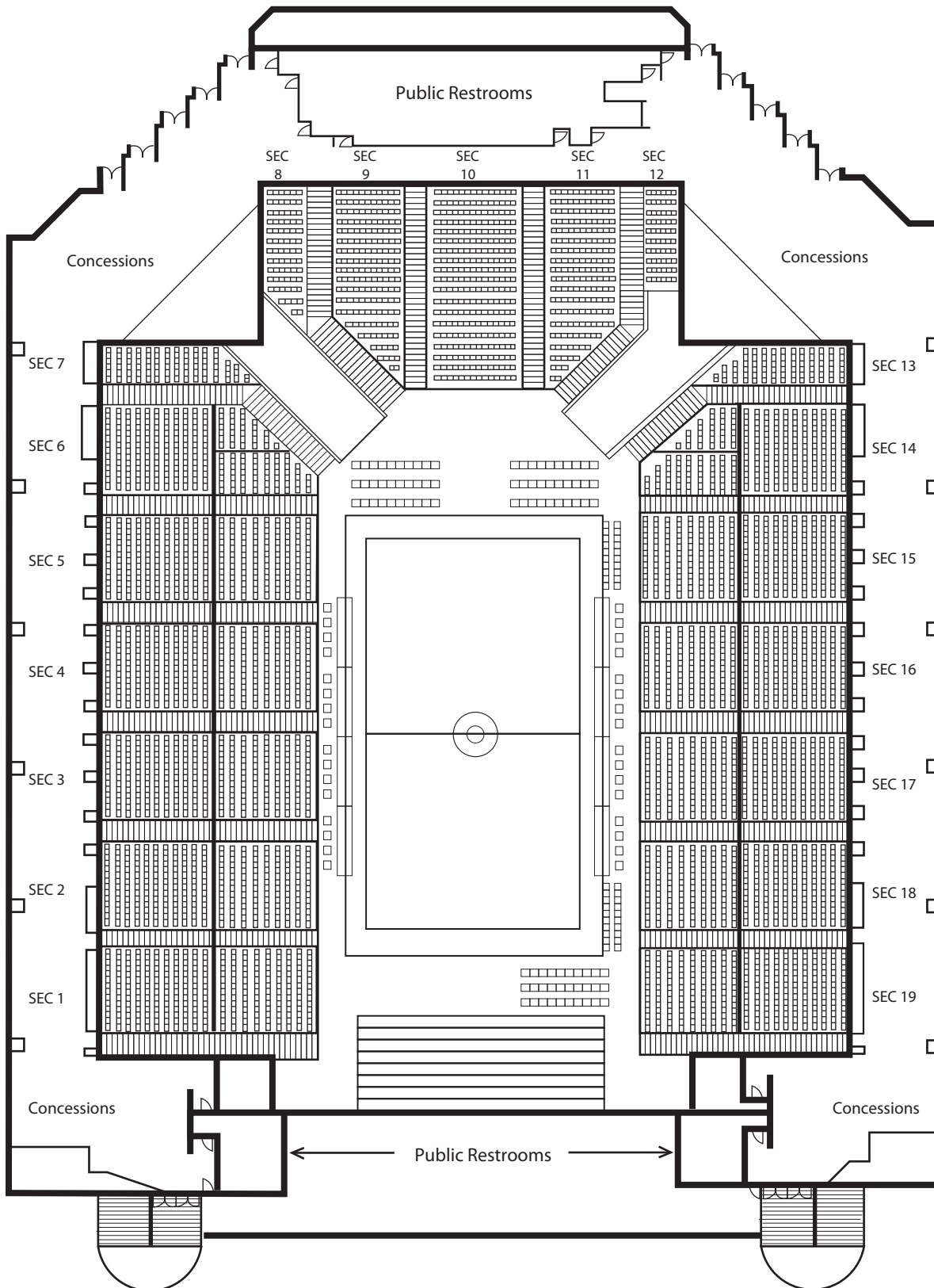
Section	Capacity
1	140
2	140
3	140
4	140
5	140
6	173
7	71
8	68
9	182
10	196
11	182
12	60
13	71
14	173
15	140
16	140
17	140
18	140
19	140

Table Seating  
Capacity  
(Rounds of 10): 1,340

Total Capacity : 3,924

# Event Center Arena

## Basketball Floor Plan



Section	Capacity
1	257
2	266
3	266
4	266
5	266
6	234
7	71
8	68
9	182
10	266
11	182
12	60
13	71
14	234
15	266
16	266
17	266
18	266
19	257

Bleacher  
Capacity: 450

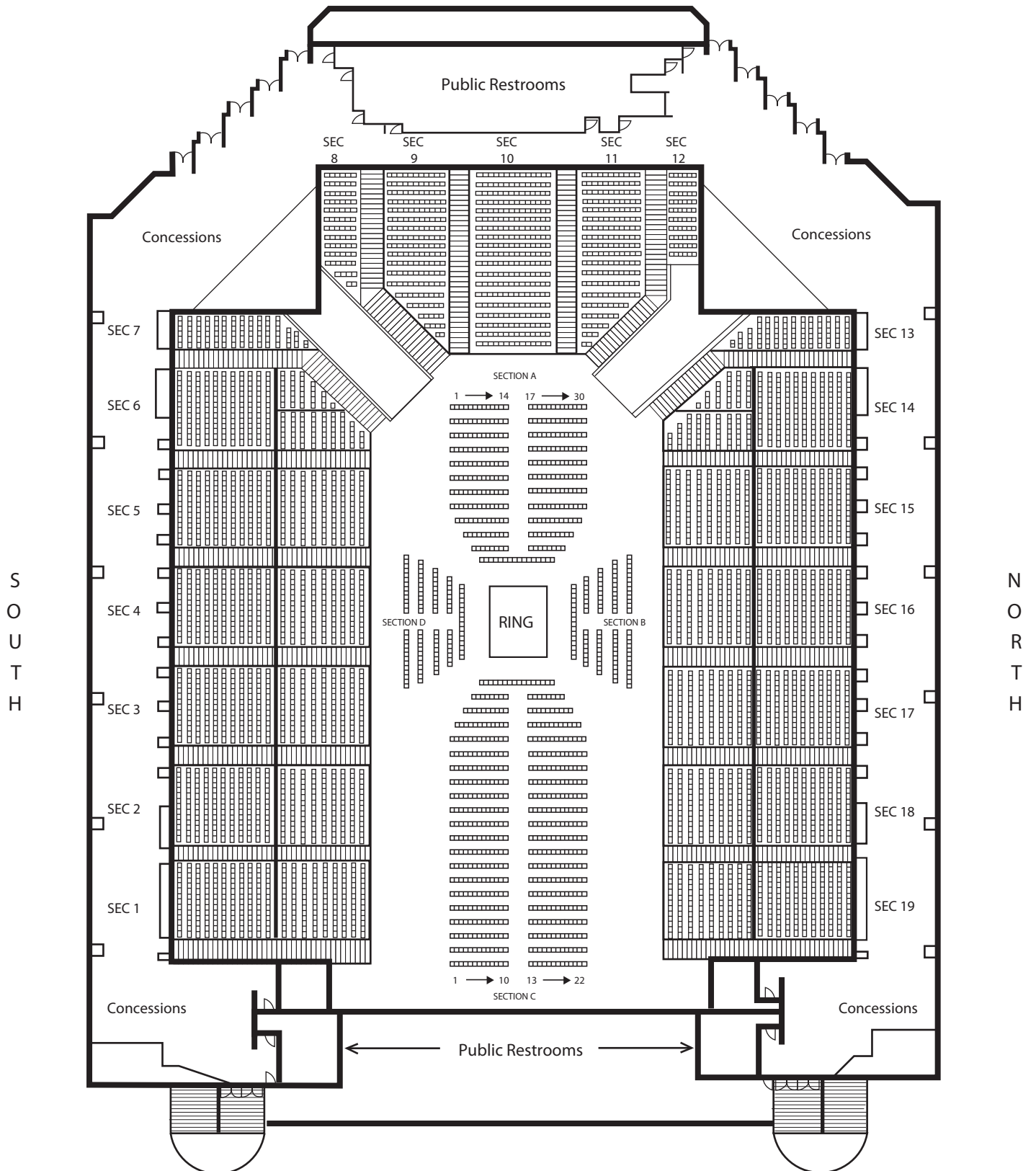
Press Seating and  
Officials: 50

Courtside  
Seating: 90

Total Capacity: 4600

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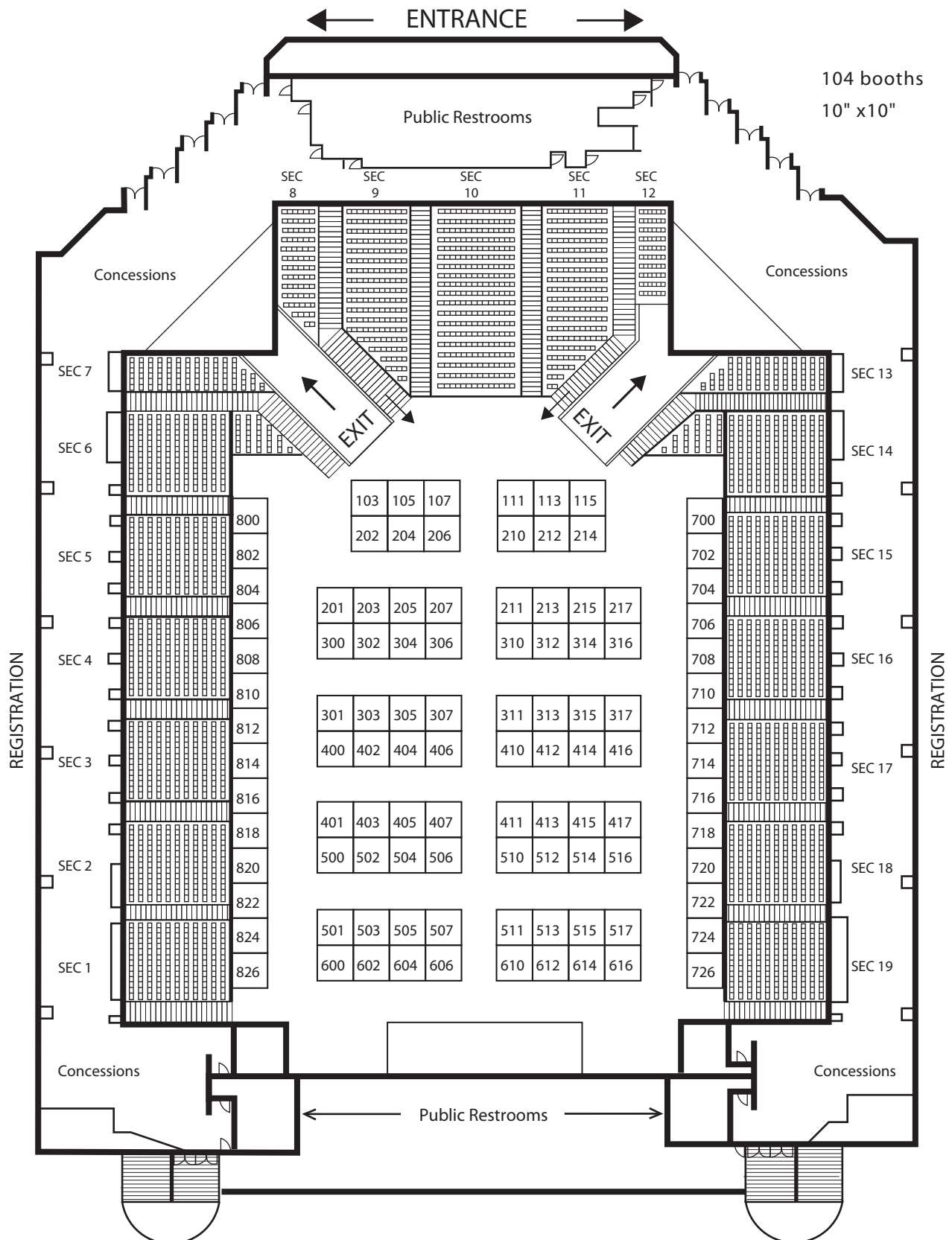
Boxing, Wrestling, & Martial Arts





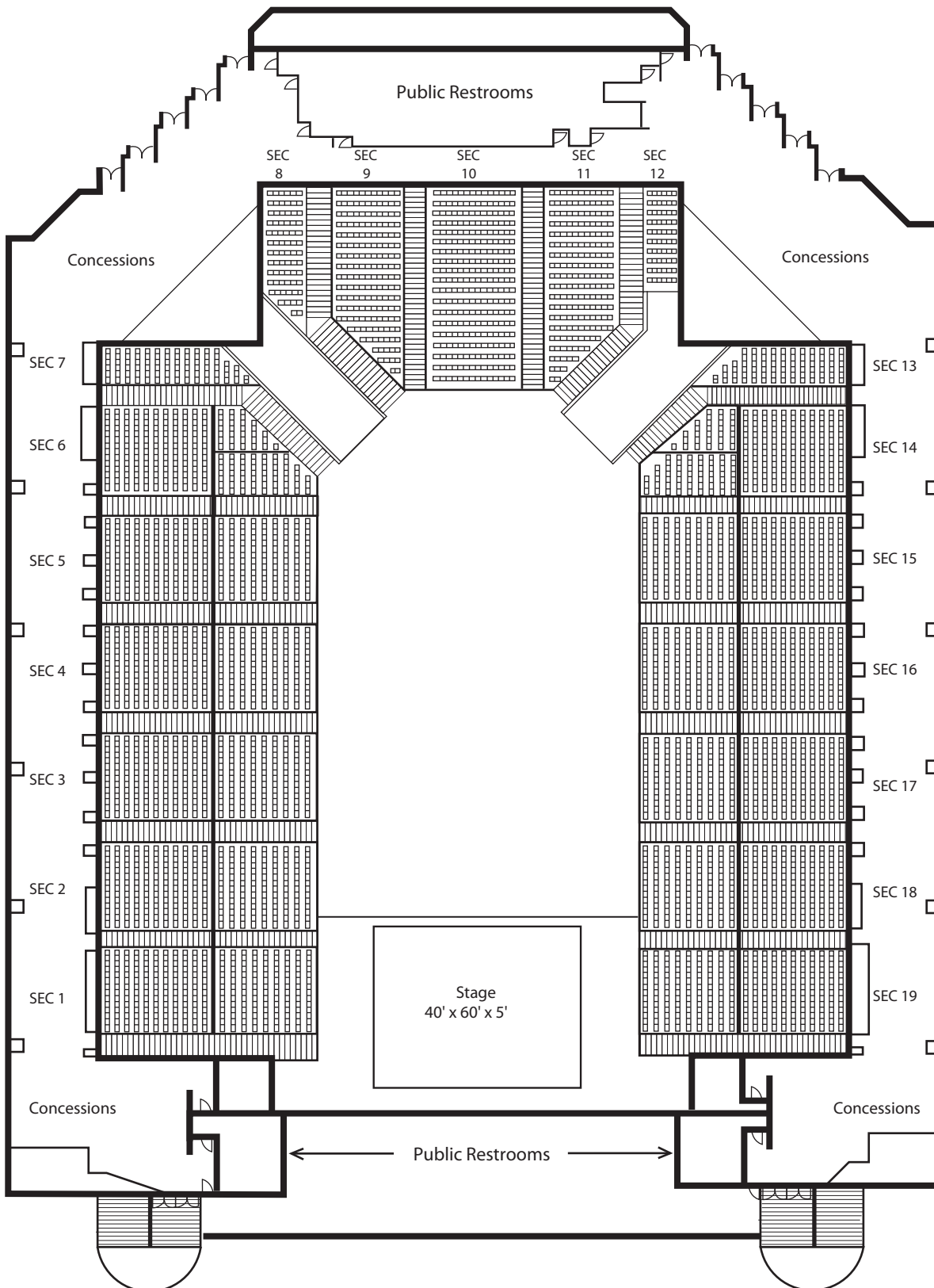
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## Trade Show Floor Plan



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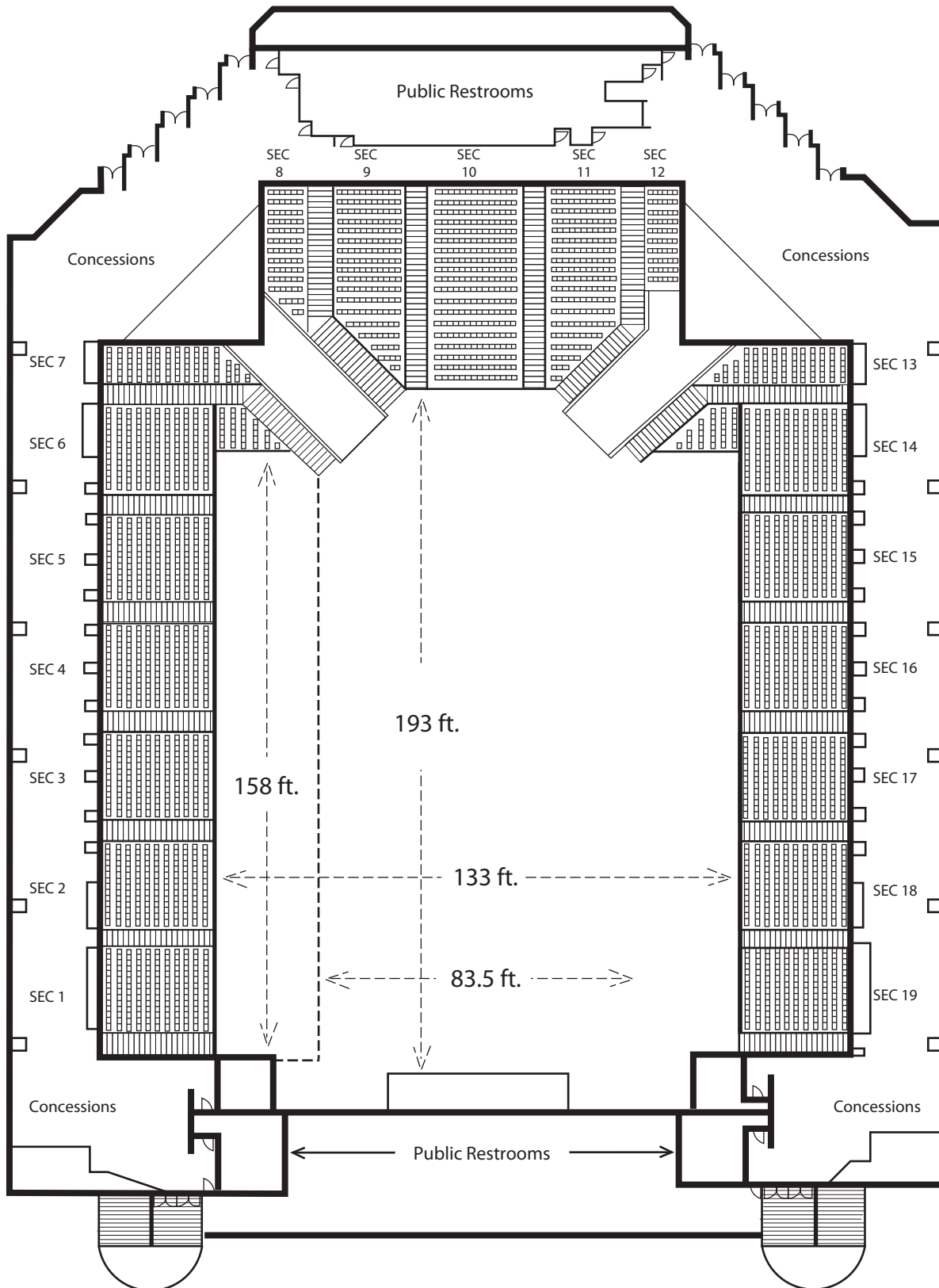
Open Floor



Section	Capacity
1	0
2	266
3	266
4	266
5	266
6	234
7	71
8	68
9	182
10	266
11	182
12	60
13	71
14	234
15	266
16	266
17	266
18	266
19	0

# Event Center Arena

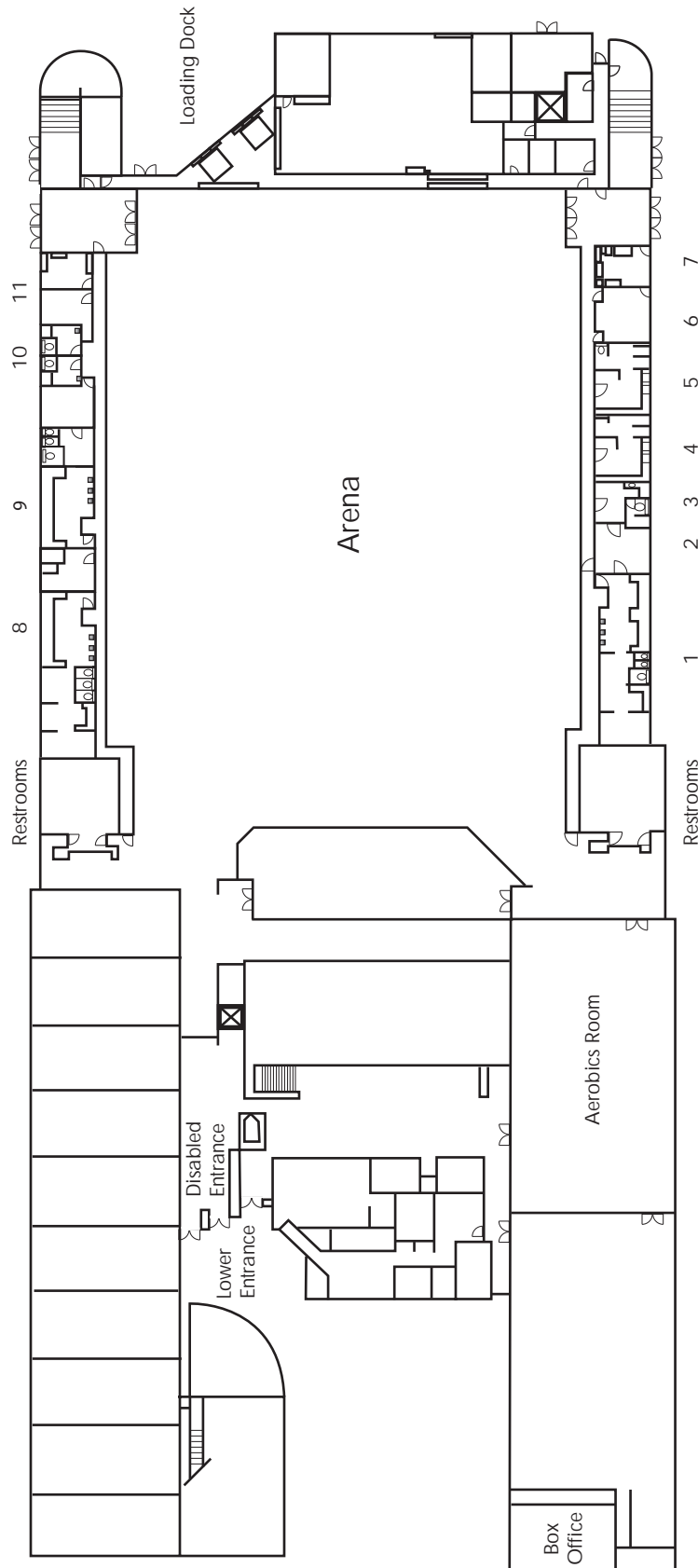
## Arena Floor Measurements





# Event Center Arena

## Room Layout

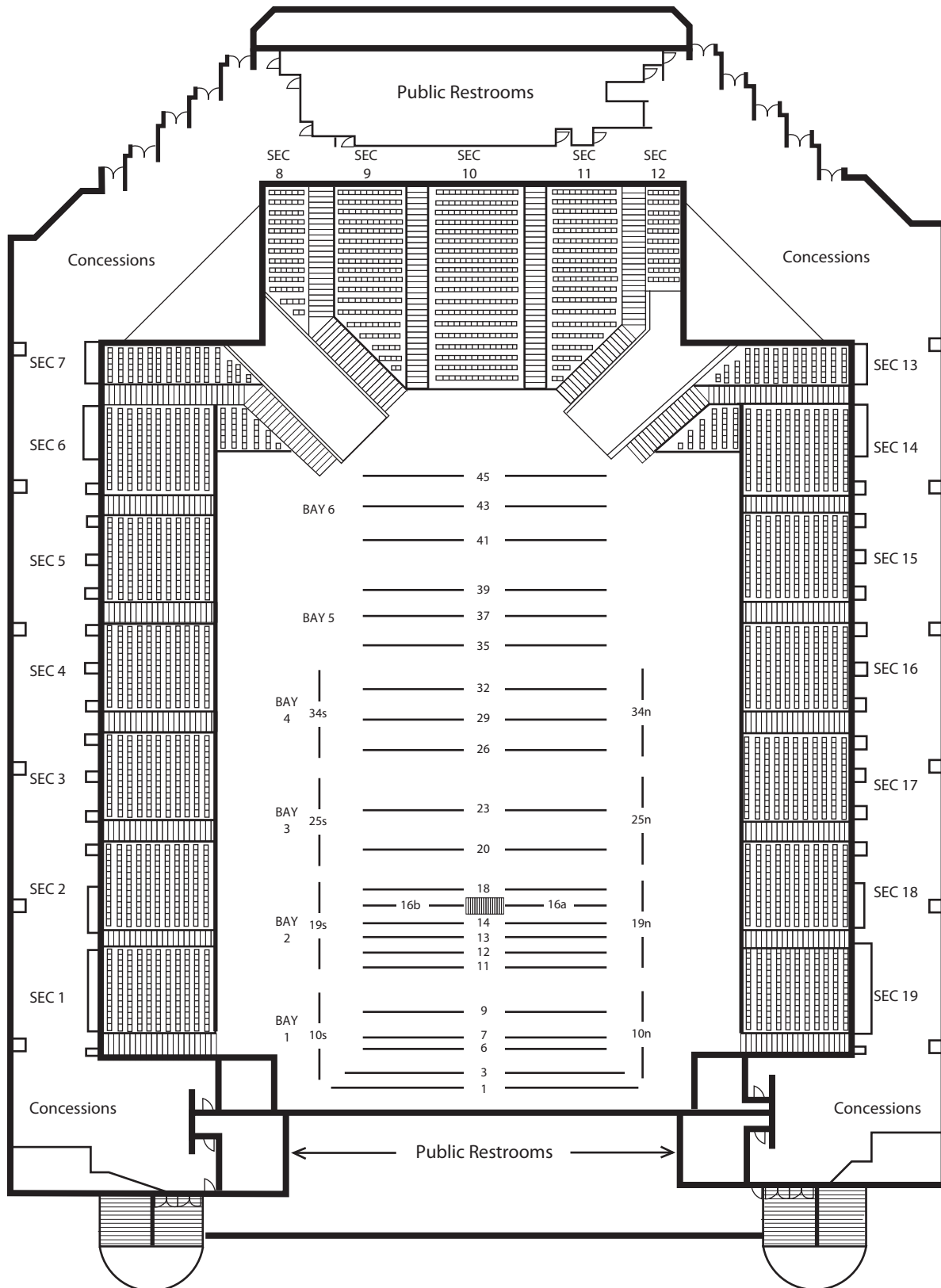


- 1) Locker room 1071
- 2) Production office 1072
- 3) Dressing room 1073
- 4) Dressing room 1074
- 5) Dressing room 1075
- 6) Green room 1076

- 7) Kitchen 1077
- 8) Locker room 1046
- 9) Locker room 1047
- 10) Restrooms 1053, 1054
- 11) First aid 1057

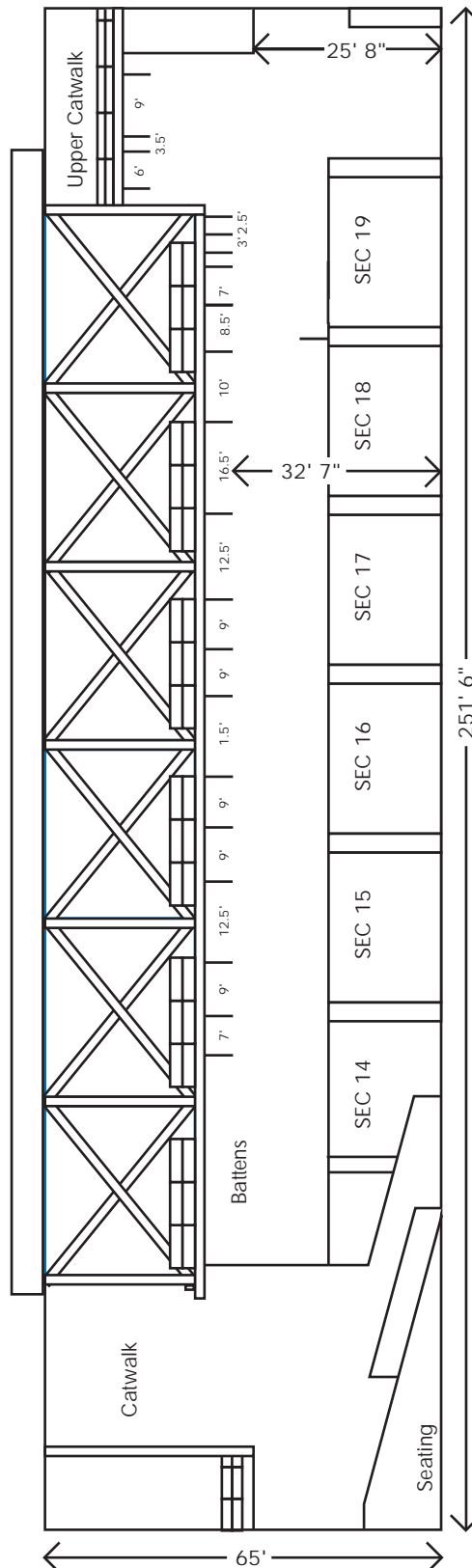
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## Motorized Batten Layout



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## Batten Section View





## Event Center Arena

### Technical Information

## Seating

- Permanent Seating Capacity: 4,010
- Bleacher Seating Capacity: 450
- Portable Seating Capacity: 1,400
- Disabled Seating Available
- Typical Event Capacities:
  - Basketball - 4,600
  - Boxing/Wrestling - 4,600
  - Seated Concert - 5,000
  - Concert (Festival Style) - 6,500
  - Trade Show - 2,900

## Support Rooms

All rooms are conveniently located close to the Arena floor, with controlled access. Support Rooms include the following amenities:

- Two Large Dressing Rooms: Large mirrors, showers
- Star Dressing Room: Carpet, couches, shower
- Three Locker Rooms: Lockers, showers, carpet
- Green Room: Carpet, flexible room layout, kitchen
- Production Office: Office for traveling management staff
- Trainer's Room: For use during sporting events

## Staging

The Event Center uses StageRight ME-1000 series staging. Sections are 4'x8' and are adjustable in height from 4'0" to 6'6". Decks are reversible with black on one side and gray carpet on the other. The largest available stage size is 40' deep by 80' wide. A wheelchair ramp is available at the 4' height. Three sets of lighted stair units are available, as well as a full selection of side railings and black stage skirting.

## Facility Measurements

- Arena floor measurements:
  - a. Bleachers out Width - 83.5'  
Length - 189'
  - b. Bleachers in Width - 133'  
Length - 189'
- Loading Dock area:
  - a. 2 exterior doors Height - 14'7"  
Width - 12'
  - b. 1 interior door Height - 13'4"  
Width - 12'
  - c. Loading area Height - 15'  
Width - 50'
- Dock Lifts:

The dock area is on the ground level. There are 2 hydraulic lifts that raise to truck height.

  - Maximum Height - 4'9"
  - Width - 7'2"
  - Depth - 8'
  - Maximum Capacity - 6,000 lbs
- Freight Elevator:
  - Width - 6'1"
  - Height - 6'2"
  - Maximum Weight - 3,000 lbs  
(to concourse level)
- Rigging Information:

Along with motorized battens, there is structural steel to hang from.

  - a. Low Steel - 38'  
(Most accessible-limited weight)
  - b. High Steel - 49.3'  
(Partially accessible-moderately obstructed)
  - c. Bottom of Halide Lamps 35'
- Battens:

There are 26 motorized battens distributed above the Arena floor, each with a capacity of 3,250 lbs. Please see pages 10 and 11 for exact layout.

Batten is 32' above the floor.

## House Sound System

The house sound system consists of a digitally processed system capable of multiple configurations for maximum flexibility. It features three clusters and ten additional speakers in a delay ring for use in sporting events, lectures, and small staged programs.

- Console: Soundcraft Spirit Digital 328
- Digital Processing
- Amplifiers: Crown Macro Tech 1200, 2400, 2402, 5000VZ
- Speakers:
  - JBL High Power AM6340-64
  - JBL High Power AM6340-95
  - JBL High Power AL6125
  - JBL High Power AM6212-95
  - JBL High Power AM6215-95
- Assisted Listening System:
  - Listen Technologies FM System
- Intercom:
  - ClearCom 4 Channel Intercom
  - 10 - Single Channel Telex Beltpacks with Single or Double Muff Headsets
  - Wall stations available in most dressing rooms
  - Intercom Receptacles located throughout arena
- Portable Equipment:
  - 2 - Shure UHF Wireless Microphones
  - 4 - Shure SM58 Microphones
  - 1 - 360 Systems Shortcut Digital Recording/Playback System

## House Video System

The house video system supports teleconferencing, live HD streaming to a digital audience, and in-concert recording and playback.

Sony HD Cameras  
Fast Fold Screens  
Black Magic Production Switcher  
Post-Production Editing Capabilities

## House Lighting System

The Event Center Arena features three separate house lighting systems to provide maximum flexibility for any event.

- Dimmable Incandescent: Controlled by ETC system.  
(500 watt fixtures, provides for 60 foot-candle coverage over floor and audience areas)
- Metal Halide: Controlled by ETC system.  
(400 watt fixtures, provides for 80 foot-candle coverage over the main playing court)
- TV Lights: Controlled by ETC system.  
(1,000 watt fixtures, color balanced for television)
- Note: Metal Halide, TV Lights, and Dimmable Incandescent lighting combine for 150 foot-candle coverage)

## Theatrical Lighting System

A lighting system used for presentations, boxing matches, and concerts.

- Dimmers: 108 - 6kw dimmers (dimmer per circuit)
- Cable: 6 circuit multi cables and drop boxes throughout catwalk
- Strand 520i control board
- Strand 300 control board

Portable Equipment:

- 8 Sections of Double-hung truss (12 - 1,000 watt Par 64 per section)
- 8 Sections of Double-hung truss (empty)
- 4 - Bar of 6 1,000 watt Par 64
- 20 - Single 1,000 watt Par 64 Can
- 6 - Ellipsoidals - 19 or 26 degree (ETC Source 4)
- 4 - Studio Spot 575 CYM
- F-100 Fog Machine
- Vista T4 Control Console

## Power

All disconnects are three phase 120/208 VAC which accept bare-end tails.

- Catwalk Level: 1 - 800 Amp Disconnect Switch
- Backstage Right: 3 - 400 Amp Disconnect Switch  
2 - 200 Amp Disconnect Switch
- Backstage Left: 1 - 200 Amp Disconnect Switch
- Loading Dock: 3 - 60 Amp Disconnect Switch  
(Shore Power)

## Athletic Equipment

- 4 - Porter Portable Backboards
- Daktronics Scoreboard System
- Daktronics Shotclock System
- Portable Athletic Floor, 60' x 112'

San Jose State University is bordered by San Fernando and San Salvador Streets on the north and south, and 4th and 10th Streets on the east and west. The campus is located in the triangle formed by three freeways: 101, 280, and 17/880.

#### San Jose International Airport

- From terminal, turn right on Airport Blvd.
- Turn left on Coleman Ave.
- Coleman Ave. becomes Market St.
- Turn left on San Salvador
- Turn left on 7th St. Garage

#### U.S. 101

- Take 101 to 280 North (Downtown San Jose)
- Exit 280 at 7th St.
- Turn right on 7th St.
- Follow 7th St. to San Salvador
- Cross San Salvador & turn left into 7th St. Garage

#### Interstate 280 South

- Exit 280 on 7th St.
- Turn left on East Virginia St.
- Turn left on 7th St.
- Follow 7th St. to San Salvador
- Cross San Salvador & turn left into 7th St. Garage

#### Interstate 680 South or 280 North

- 680 becomes 280 at 101
- Exit 280 at 7th St.
- Turn right on 7th St.
- Follow 7th St. to San Salvador
- Cross San Salvador & turn left into 7th St. Garage

#### Interstate 880 South

- Take 880 to 101 South
- Take 101 South to 280 North
- Exit 280 at 7th St.
- Turn right on 7th St.
- Follow 7th St. to San Salvador
- Cross San Salvador & turn left into 7th St. Garage

#### Highway 87 South

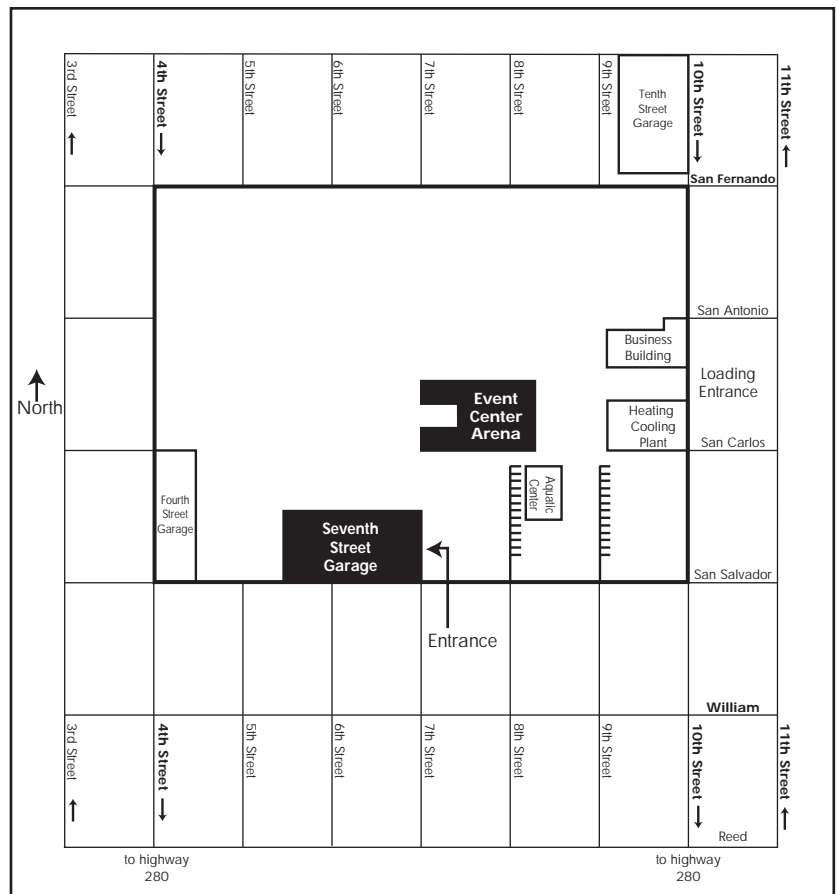
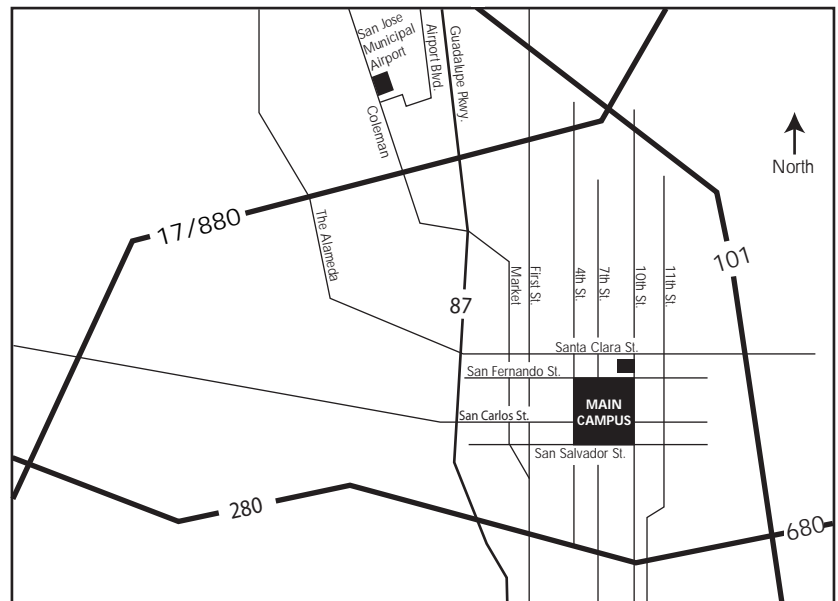
- From 87-South take exit for 280 South toward Highway 101
- Merge onto 280 South
- Take exit toward 7th St.
- Take Left onto South 7th St.
- Follow 7th towards San Salvador
- Cross San Salvador and turn left into 7th St. Garage

#### Highway 87 North

- From 87-North take exit for 280 toward 680
- Keep Right and follow signs toward 280/680 exit
- Merge onto 280 South
- Take exit toward 7th St.
- Take Left onto South 7th St.
- Follow 7th towards San Salvador
- Cross San Salvador and turn left into 7th St. Garage

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### Public Parking



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- Turn right at Event Center access pathway

#### U.S. 101

- 101 to 280 North (Downtown San Jose)
- Exit 280 at 11th St. (one way street), turn right
- Turn left on San Fernando St.
- Turn left on 10th St.
- Turn right at Event Center access pathway

#### Interstate 280 South

- Exit 280 on 11th St. (one way street), turn left
- Turn left on San Fernando St.
- Turn left on 10th St.
- Turn right at Event Center Arena access pathway

#### Interstate 680 South or 280 North

- 680 becomes 280 at U.S. 101.
- Exit 280 at 11th St., (one-way street), turn right
- Turn left on San Fernando St.
- Turn left on 10th St.
- Turn right at Event Center access pathway

#### Interstate 880 South, 880 North, or 17 North

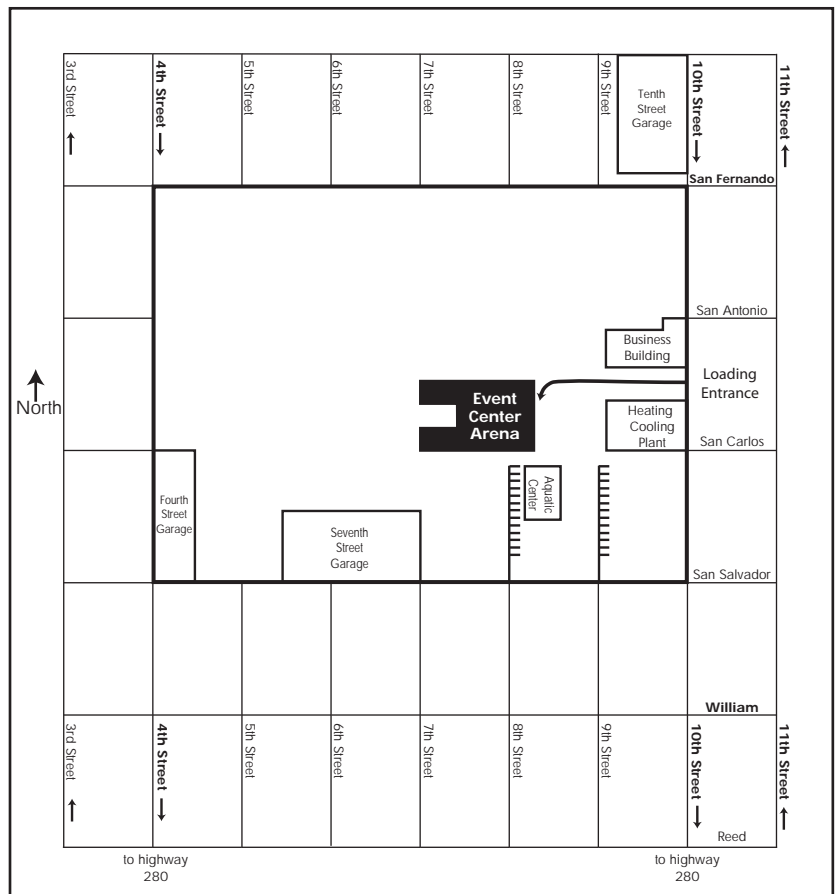
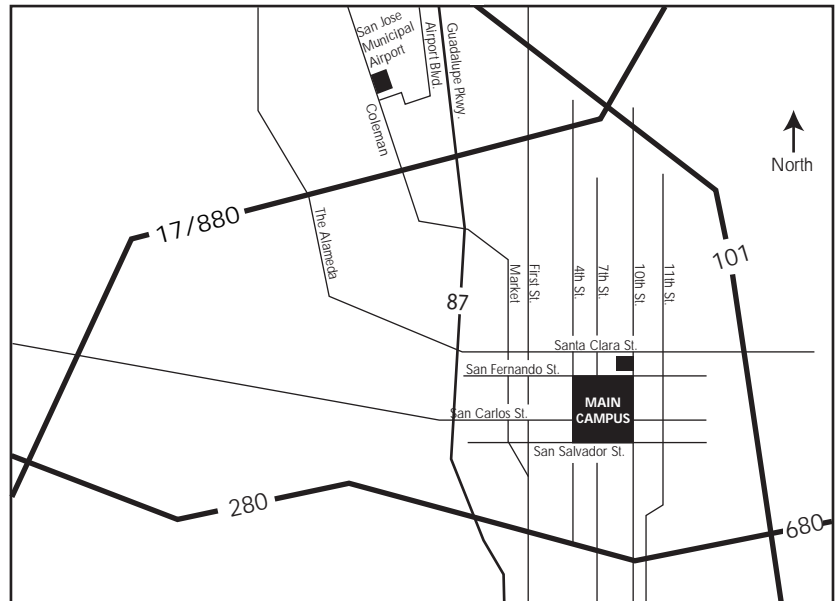
- 880 to 101 South
- 101 South to 280 North
- Exit 280 at 11th St. (one way street), turn right
- Turn left on San Fernando St.
- Turn left on 10th St.
- Turn right at Event Center access pathway

#### Highway 87

- 87 to 280 South
- Exit 280 at 11th St., (one-way street), turn left
- Turn left on San Fernando St.
- Turn left on 10th St.
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## Event Center Arena

### Truck and Delivery Directions



Event Center access is between San Antonio and San Carlos Streets, in between the Business Building and the Heating/Cooling Plant.