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Lecture 7: Megastructures and Post-Modern Visions

Archigram
Cities: Walking; 1964; Ron Herron
Plug-in City; 1964; Peter Cook
Instant City; 1969; Peter Cook
Suitaloon; 1969; Michael Webb

Metabolist
A Plan for Tokyo; 1960; Kenzo Tange, et. al.
Joint Core System; 1960; Arata Isozaki
Floating City and Helix City; 1961; Kisko Kurokawa
Leisure Capsule; 1972; Kurokawa
Nakagin Capsule Building
Osaka, Japan; 1972; Kurokawa

Superstudio
The Continuous Monument; 1969; Superstudio
Cemetery for Modena, 1972, Aldo Rossi

Neo-Rationalism
Housing for Setubal, 1975-6, Rossi
Gallaratese Apts
Milan; 1969-76; Rossi
The Completion of Washington D.C.; 1995; Krier

Arcology
Arcosanti
near Cordes Junction, AZ; begun 1970; Paolo Soleri

Names and Terms: spaceframe; megastructure