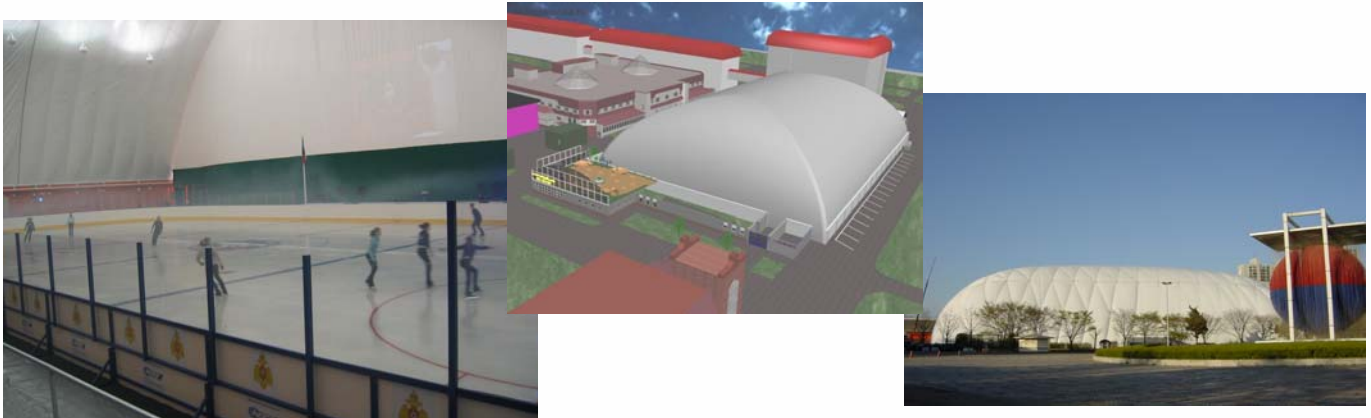




ARIZON™
Air, Frame,
Tension Structures

Ice Arenas and Rink Enclosures



With all of the negatives associated with a “brick and mortar” ice arena, such as an extremely large initial investment, unpredictable return on capital, high operational and maintenance costs, constant need for building upgrades due to high moisture and extreme temperatures within the building, why would anyone ever go into the Ice Arena business? One of these issues could certainly discourage any serious businessperson from investing in an indoor ice arena, but combine all of the above and you wonder why anyone has ever gone into this business. The fact is, it is usually not a decision based on profits and return on investments, it is usually a desperate need by a private organization, school, university or municipality that forces these expensive complexes to be built. It is for this reason that ice time in North America, and now worldwide, remains in very high demand and extremely short supply.

Arizon™ buildings have turned those negatives around! The benefits outweigh the negatives with an Arizona™ structure. The Arizona™ Cable Grid structure is constructed using materials that are impermeable, non-corrosive and have all of the required UV and fire-retardant inhibitors to meet code for long-term use. The miles and miles of vinyl-coated galvanized steel aircraft cable, which encapsulates the membrane of the dome, guarantees long life and allows the structure to be designed to the same environmental requirements, equal to any construction, as per code.

All of the previously mentioned negative aspects of a “brick and mortar” or metal type building do not exist in the Arizona Cable Grid Structures. With the long-term, proven track record and extended life of today’s Arizona™ Cable Grid structures, investors can now look seriously at an Arizona™ Indoor Ice Arena as a profitable venture. Add the very favorable real estate tax exemptions and depreciation rate and you truly have a win-win situation for everyone involved.

Outstanding Features and Benefits of an Arizona™ Air Structure:

- ✓ Exceeds standard building codes such as AISC, BOCA, ICBO, IBC, CSA and NFPA 701.
- ✓ With the unique **Arizona™ Grid System**, the structure can withstand winds up to 150 miles per hour as well as snow loads up to 50 pounds per square foot.
- ✓ Proven performance of over 25 years.
- ✓ Fire retardant, translucent or opaque, mildew and fungus proof, and UV resistant.
- ✓ Translucent fabrics reduce lighting costs.
- ✓ Provides immediate, short term and long term coverings.
- ✓ Require only light construction.
- ✓ Flexible---can easily be taken down and moved to another site.
- ✓ Ability to change inside air up to 6 times per hour.
- ✓ Provides players with ideal playing conditions.
- ✓ Protects players and fans from weather.
- ✓ Costs one-third less than tradition buildings such as “brick and mortar”, “steel and glass” and metal.
- ✓ Can provide a wide range of R-values.