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Eighth Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, Dec.2025/Jan.2026 Urban Planning

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

1 a. Describe the characteristics of Rural and Urban Settlements. (10 Marks)
b. Mention the urban form based on different determinants. (10 Marks)

OR

2 a. Explain in detail the planning of Mesopotamia and Indus Valley Civilization. (10 Marks)
b. Describe growth of Dravidian cities in your own words. (10 Marks)

Module-2

3 a. Describe impact of industrialization in City Planning. (10 Marks)
b. Elaborate on planning done on planned cities : i) Brasilia ii) Chandigarh (10 Marks)

OR

4 a. Explain Ebenezer Howard Garden City Theory. (10 Marks)
b. Describe alternate visions of new cities with a suitable eg. (10 Marks)

Module-3

5 a. Explain the Urbanization trend post independence in India. (10 Marks)
b. What are the different urban housing typologies? Elaborate. (10 Marks)

OR

6 a. What is a slum? What are the different types of slum? Mention any one slum rehabilitation project in India. (10 Marks)
b. Mention and elaborate on the census classification of Indian cities based on population. (10 Marks)

Module-4

7 Elaborate and discuss on the following :
i) Concentric Zone Theory
ii) Sector Theory
iii) Multiple Nuclei Theory (20 Marks)

OR

8 a. What are the different land use zoning? Elaborate. (10 Marks)

b. Mention the characteristics of central business district. Briefly state Urban Nodes found in cities. (10 Marks)

Module-5

9 a. Write a short note on Urban Redevelopment. State an example. (10 Marks)

b. Discuss on steps taken for urban planning. (10 Marks)

OR

10 a. State the URDPFI Guidelines. Discuss on how to Rehabilitate an urban space. (10 Marks)

b. Discuss on

- i) Urban Redevelopment
- ii) Rehabilitation
- iii) Conservation
- iv) Master Development Plan. (10 Marks)

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