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Third Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2015 Climatology

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions.

1 a. Name the climatic zones where in "Air movement" inside habitable room's is vital.

(05 Marks)

- b. Narrate the factors that are important in designing opening for "Air movement". Explain with the help of sketches plans and sections, with stress on the roof forms. (15 Marks)
- 2 a. What are the differences between macro climate and micro climate? (10 Marks)
 - b. Explain with sketches, the elements and features helping in altering the micro climate on site. (10 Marks)
- 3 a. Explain what is Stack effect. (05 Marks)
 - b. How could 'Stack effect' be utilized in ventilating different functions in a building?

(15 Marks)

4 a. Explain what is "Thermal Insulation".

(10 Marks)

b. Describe the various methods of roof insulation.

(10 Marks)

5 a. What is Time lag? Explain.

(10 Marks)

- b. Describe the techniques of achieving longer time lag in wall construction in Hot and Dry climates. (10 Marks)
- 6 a. What is "Day Light Factor"?

(05 Marks)

- b. Describe how 'day light factor' can be useful in functional architectural spaces. (15 Marks)
- 7 Write short notes on:
 - a. Thermometers.
 - b. Bio climatic chart.
 - c. Sun path diagram.
 - d. Urban climate.

(20 Marks)

- 8 Explain briefly:
 - a. The relationship between inlets and outlets.
 - b. Roof forms in Hot Dry climate.
 - c. Climatic zones of India.
 - d. Comfort zone.

(20 Marks)