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First Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, June/July 2019
History of Architecture – I

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

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

Module-1

- 1 a. Discuss three different types of prehistoric shelters from Paleolithic, Mesolithic and Neolithic period respectively, with neat sketches. (12 Marks)
- b. With supporting sketches briefly discuss Megalithic tomb structures. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Discuss stone Henge at Salisbury plan with neat supporting sketches. (08 Marks)
- b. Discuss the "Catal Huyuk" settlement with least supporting sketches. (12 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Water management system played a huge role in shaping settlement in desert region. Discuss this with an example. (12 Marks)
- b. Discuss with an example the environment and cultural factors shaping the tribal settlements. (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Discuss any one civilization of Americas is an example of Mountainous culture and architecture. (12 Marks)
- b. Discuss the structure and architecture of Mayan temples. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 List three important features and draw neatly labeled plan or layout. For the following: (20 Marks)
- i) Great bath
- ii) Ziggurt at UK
- iii) Temple of Khons
- iv) Precinct of pyramid of Cheops.

OR

- 6 a. Discuss the spatial organization of palace of Sargon with a neat labeled layout. (15 Marks)
- b. Section of pyramid of cheops. (05 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 Discuss briefly the following with neat sketches: (20 Marks)
- a. Banpo, village-dwellings
- b. Tombs-shang dynasty.

OR

- 8 a. Discuss the importance of Burial mounds of kofun period with supporting sketches. (14 Marks)
- b. Discuss briefly the influence of climate on prehistoric Japan Architecture. (06 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Draw and label neatly the plan and section of treasury of Atreus. (06 Marks)
b. Briefly discuss the Megaron in the places of Mycenae pre classical period. (07 Marks)
c. Discuss briefly the features of Etruscan temple with an example and supporting plan and elevation/view. (07 Marks)

OR

- 10 a. Briefly explain the Aryan/Vedic village with supporting sketches. (10 Marks)
b. Vaastu Purush Mandala gives fundamentals for designing dwelling unit or a town. Explain this with supporting sketches. (10 Marks)
