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BAR-029 : ARCHITECTURAL SCIENCES AND SERVICES - I (CLIMATOLOGY)

Time: 3 hours Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Section A is compulsory. Answer any two questions from Section B. Use of scientific calculator is permitted. Supplement your answers with sketches wherever necessary.

SECTION A

1. (a) Identify the dwelling types given below in relation to their geographic location. What climate prevails in those areas you have mentioned? Identify the building material used. What causes the form of these dwelling units to take this particular shape?

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Fig. (i) Airy Shelters

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Fig. (ii) Bedouin Tent

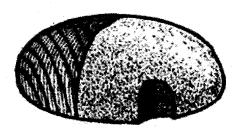


Fig. (iii) Zulu Hut

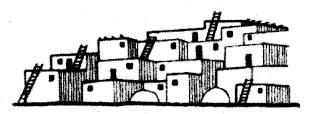


Fig. (iv) Monolithic Dwellings

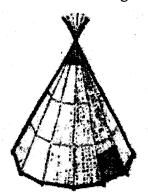


Fig. (v) Wigwam

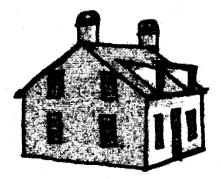


Fig. (vi) Colonial House, 18th Century

(b)	What is a double roof? Explain with a diagram. In which climate is it most suitable?	3
(c)	In terms of roof surface, compare the heat gain of a white painted roof with bright aluminium roof in a house in Ecuador.	3
(d)	Define solar azimuth angle.	3
(e)	What is a Bioclimatic chart?	3

SECTION B

An	swer (any two of the following questions:	
2.	(a)	Explain ventilation by stack effect.	7
	(b)	Discuss the causes and effects of dampness in buildings.	
	(c)	Explain the term 'Driving Rain Index'.	E
3.	(a)	Draw diagrams to illustrate the following:	8
		(i) Five methods to overcome glare in hot dry regions.	
		(ii) Three methods to overcome glare in warm humid regions.	
	(b)	Explain the use of Mahoney's table in design.	7
	(c)	Define sol-air temperature and solar gain factor.	5
4.	(a)	Explain the building design and layout planning considerations for an office building in	
		(i) Warm Humid climate,	
		(ii) Composite climate.	15
	(b)	Explain the procedure for calculation of thermal transmittance for a composite wall	5