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MANIPAL UNIVERSITY

THIRD/FOURTH SEMESTER B. ARCH. DEGREE EXAMINATION - NOVEMBER 2017

SUBJECT: ARC-14-211 : PRINCIPLES OF CLIMATIC DESIGN (2014 SCHEME) ARC-214 : CLIMATOLOGY (2010 SCHEME)

Saturday, November 18, 2017

Time: 14:00 - 17:00 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 50

- Answer any FIVE FULL questions.
- Support your answers with sketches wherever required.
- 1A. What is meant by microclimate? Explain the effect of landform, vegetation and street width on altering microclimate.
- 1B. Explain in detail the factors affecting urban climate.

(5+5 = 10 marks)

- 2A. Explain the characteristics of Hot and Dry climate and its effect on thermal comfort.
- 2B. Explain the influence of design strategies over cold climate zone.

(5+5 = 10 marks)

- 3A. Explain in detail Horizontal shading device and vertical shading device.
- 3B. Explain psychrometric chart with a neat diagram indicating each of its components.

(4+6 = 10 marks)

- 4A. Give recommendations for orientation of buildings along with details of fenestrations and shading devices in Warm Humid climate.
- 4B. What is meant by solar azimuth angle and wall azimuth angle?

(6+4 = 10 marks)

- 5A. What is meant by passive design?
- 5B. Explain the following advanced passive techniques in detail:
 - i) Trombe wall
 - ii) Water edges
 - iii) Roof Pond
 - iv) Wind Towers

 $(5 \text{ marks} \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$

- 6A. What is Ecotect? What are the good features of Ecotect?
- 6B. What are the output you derive from the Ecotect software?

(5+5 = 10 marks)