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Seventh Semester B.Arch. Degree Examination, Feb./Mar. 2022 Building Services – IV

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

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

Module-1

- 1 a. Explain in detail various factors responsible for good acoustic design for a multipurpose auditorium. With the help of neat sketches and labels. (08 Marks)
- b. Differentiate between sound absorption and sound insulation. (04 Marks)
- c. Discuss the properties of various sound absorbing and insulating materials. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Define speech intelligibility. (06 Marks)
- b. Illustrate reverberation and reverberation time. Explain Sabine's equation. How does it help in acoustic expert? (09 Marks)
- c. Describe briefly the fundamental attributes of sound. (05 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Write short notes :
 - i) Threshold of audibility and threshold of pain
 - ii) Sound absorption co-efficient
 - iii) Panel absorbers
 - iv) Sound concentration. (12 Marks)
- b. Explain "Sound and Distance", inverse square law with equation and diagram. (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Write short notes on :
 - i) Airborne noise
 - ii) Structure borne noise
 - iii) Pitch
 - iv) Cavity resonator. (12 Marks)
- b. Define NRC value and its importance. How does it assist in making the choice of materials? (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Elaborate upon the behavior of sound in an enclosed space with sketches. How shape, size and volume of the room affect acoustical performance. (12 Marks)
- b. Distinguish between historic Greek and roman theaters with the help of sketches. (08 Marks)

OR

- 6 a. Illustrate with sketches :
 - i) Space absorbers
 - ii) Acoustical shadows
 - iii) Transmission loss. (12 Marks)
- b. Draw neat sketches :
 - i) Floating Floor
 - ii) Machine isolation
 - iii) Staggered partition wall construction
 - iv) Masking of sound. (08 Marks)

Module-4

- 7 a. Recommend design ideas for equality acoustics for an auditorium having a seating capacity of 200 draw plan, section and 3D views of important areas. Assume suitable useful technical information. (12 Marks)
- b. Explain in the causes of environmental noise in urban areas with examples. Suggest remedial measures to avoid unwanted sound in noisy areas. (08 Marks)

OR

- 8 a. Identify sources of indoor noise suggest measures to control the noise at source level. (10 Marks)
- b. Demonstrate with sketches two measures to be taken to control excessive RT in Lecture Hall. (10 Marks)

Module-5

- 9 a. Solve the following :
Using Sabine equation :

$$RT_{60} = \frac{0.165V}{S\alpha} = \left(\frac{0.165 \times \text{volume}}{\text{total absorption in hall sabins}} \right)$$

A cinema hall has a volume of 10,000m³. It is required to have a reverberation time RT₆₀ of 1.5sec what should be the total absorption in the hall. (14 Marks)

- b. List the various types of urban spaces which could be adopted in town planning to control the urban noise. With the help of neat sketches. (06 Marks)
- OR**
- 10 a. Elaborate on classification of industrial noise with the help of neat sketches and discuss the various ways to reduce industrial noise. (12 Marks)
- b. A large hall has to be divided into small cabins by erecting sound proof partitions. Suggest minimum three alternate details to construct partitions. (08 Marks)

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