

CORE COURSE XI – URBAN SOCIOLOGY

UNIT – I

Urban Sociology – Definition – Nature – Scope of Urban Sociology – Significance.

UNIT – II

City – Definition – Development of cities – Cosmopolitan cities – Types of cities – Characteristics of cities.

UNIT – III

Theories of Urbanisation: Seeforal Theory, Multi Nuclear Theory.

UNIT – IV

Urban Problems: Housing, Slum, Environmental Pollution, Hygiene, Sanitation, Water Scarcity, Urban Crimes.

UNIT – V

Urban Development Planning: Importance major schemes of urban development – Implementation – Problems.

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