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RECENT MATERIAL FROM THE U.S.S.R. ON SETTLEMENT SYSTEMS AND URBAN GROWTH

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Comparative assessment of the state of the art of national settlement strategies and urban policies, together with their theoretical and methodological underpinnings is one of the early objectives of IIASA's Urban and Regional Systems project.

Recent literature was requested and received from a number of Soviet institutions. The following contains abstracts of specific articles and an appendix listing tables of contents translated by O.V. Kudinov, with the editorial assistance of K. McCusker.

I. Fundamental Marxist-Leninist Population Theory

"Population Science: Its Methodological Principles" (D.J. Valentey and Y.N. Kosirev, 1966)

The question posed by these authors concerns the urgency of creating a new body of science that will deal with population problems. Although their response is affirmative, they suggest that it will take some time before the methodologies from various branches of science can be arranged for this purpose.

Both authors realize the need for a comprehensive demographic study and admit its inherently complex and interdisciplinary character. However, each maintains

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his own point of view on the subject of investigative methods for population studies.

Dr. Valentey suggests that the new science study the living and working conditions of the population at various stages of human development. Dr. Kosirev prefers a more general scheme: to study the overall activity--activity rather than conditions--and social relationships, cooperation, within communities. The authors are convinced of the importance of presenting different approaches for subsequent work.

Then follows a critique of the biological approach to population theory whereby in the pursuit of population control, national traditions and social conditions are disregarded. In this connection they refer to papers delivered by sociologists, economists, and demographers at various conferences on population problems. (International Congress on Population Problems, Rome, 1954, Vienna, 1959, Belgrade, 1965; Session of the American Biological Institute, University of Maryland, 1966.)

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"Critique of Bourgeois Population Theories and Their Methodological Principles" (B.V. Smulevitch, 1966)

In this work the author points out some of the fallacies of the bourgeois approach to demography. Its basic methodology yields valuable results regarding the relation of population data (birth rate, fertility, mortality) to certain socio-economic factors. But the author is concerned with the general invalidity of its

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conceptual assumptions and hence theoretical conclusions. He emphasizes that its theoretical approach to population problems treats social and biological phenomena inconclusively.

On the other hand, Marxist population theory stresses the determination of reproductive patterns by living conditions. The assumption is that population and reproduction dynamics are direct results of social factors.

The author finds fault with the Western approach that includes Malthusianist theories (population growth as a factor of poverty, unemployment, and wars) demographic variations of "welfare state" and "universal industrial society" concepts of A. Sauwy, the reproduction dynamics hypotheses of Spencer, Perl, and Gini.

II. Theory and Methods for a Geographical Perspective on Human Ecology

"An Ecological Evaluation of the Location of Large Cities." (Z.V. Maximova and P.A. Frumkin, 1974)

This article suggests a strong relationship between environmental conditions and the location of cities of more than a hundred thousand inhabitants. The authors point out that 89 percent of the world's largest cities are located in the Northern Hemisphere, with the Southern Hemisphere containing the remaining 11 percent. (See Tables 1 and 2.)

The greater urbanization, and higher level of rural-urban migration in recent decades, in the Northern

PERCENT OF NATIONAL POPULATION INHABITING CITIES ≥ 100,000

COUNTRY	PER CENT	COUNTRY	PER CENT		
AFGHANISTAN	4.4	JAPAN	48.2		
ANGOLA	5.2	JORDAN	20.3		
ARGENTINIA	38.7	LEBANON	20.6		
AUSTRIA	31.3	MALAYSIA	8.2		
BURMA	3.7	MALI	3.7		
BOLIVIA	1 6. 8	MOROCCO	19.7		
BRAZIL	28.1	MEXICO	23.6		
CAMERUN	5.2	NETHERLANDS	29.9		
CHINA	8.9	NICARAGUA	14.9		
EL SALVADOR	9.6	NIGERIA	8.7		
ETHIOPIA	3.6	POLAND	22.4		
FRANCE	18.2	SWEDEN	20.6		
F.R.G.	29.5	U.A.R.	26.3		
GHANA	13.9	U.K.	40.3		
GREECE	12.2	USSR	31.2		
INDIA	9.4	YUGOSLAVIA	11.4		
ITALY	27.9	ZAIRE	9.5		

TABLE 1

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LATITUDE	NORTHERN HEMISPHERE										SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE														
	69-65°	54-60°	59 - 55°	54-50°	49-45°	4 4 - 400	39-35°	34-30°	29-25	24-20°	19-15°	14-100	09-05°	04-00°	00-00	05-09°	10-14°	15-19°	20-24°	25-29°	30-34°	35 - 39°	¢0-77°	τοται	
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1001-1500	-	_	-	1	1	5	9	3	5	1	1	1	4	3	_		4	4	2	4	_	_	_	48	1
1501-2000	_	-	_	_	_	1	5	6	2	6	2	1	1	1	1	-	_	_	_	7		_	-	33	
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TOTAL	2	10	65	232	163	203	215	193	86	84	41	56	56	22	19	28	11	18	33	23	32	8	3	1603	

TABLE 2

Hemisphere can be attributed to various factors. The fact that a large percentage of the population of developed countries resides in large cities, (viz. United Kingdom, Austria, the Netherlands and the Federal Republic of Germany), while less than 10 percent in developing countries live in cities of more than a hundred thousand, suggests that level of economic development certainly affects urban population growth. Besides containing a far larger area of Earth's habitable land, a complex of natural conditions make the Northern Hemisphere more suitable to human activity and comfort.

Lower expenditures on infrastructure construction for one, determine the inverse relationship between altitude and urban area; two-thirds of world cities are located in plains and lowlands. (See Table 2.)

The influence of average monthly temperature on the location of Soviet cities was studied for the extreme months of the year. In 80 percent (176 out of 221) of the cases average monthly temperature is no lower than -15° C. and in 71 percent the highest temperatures range between 17.5 and 23.5 C. (See Table 3.)

Although the authors concede the difficulty of finding statistically significant evidence linking urban population growth and air temperature, there is obviously a connection between the two.

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PLOT OF SOVIET CITIES ACCORDING TO SEASONAL TEMPERATURES



a.) COLD MONTHS

b.) WARM MONTHS



TABLE 3

III. Regional Planning and Population Distribution Problems

"General Scheme of Productive Forces Distribution as a Basis for Comprehensive Regional Planning Projects." (A.E. Probst, 1973)

As a prerequisite for regional planning, this major document posits ways and means to raise labor productivity on the basis of a rational distribution of productive forces. The general scheme takes into account all the resources available within each economic region of the individual Union Republics and suggests their development potential.

The scheme for the distribution of productive forces gives impact to the demographic aspects, age, and sex distribution of Labor. Future migration processes, e.g. the settlement of scarcely populated areas, constitutes a vital factor in forecasting regional levels of labor quality and a balanced population distribution.

Suggested improvements in the location pattern of public production include the latest technology. Potential extraction of natural resources, measured by technological and economic indicators, suggest regional development priorities.

The author emphasizes that regional projects must dovetail with the overall plan. Additional data needed for comprehensive regional projects must come from the individual republics. Demographic and labor analyses reguire further elaboration.

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"Optimization problems in Regional Planning Projects on the Basis of a Combination of Traditional and New Methods." (E.N. Pertsik, 1973)

The author states the need for improvement in mathematical techniques in the modelling of regional planning projects. He then goes on to discuss a hypothetical model for a comprehensive regional planning project. This would consist of several consecutive stages within the principal model and three sub-models.

The preparatory stages include the determination of objectives, 2) an acquaintance with the available information of the region and knowledge regarding the role of the region in relation to the entire system, 3) a feasibility study of the region, and 4) the delineation of the main problems, and the choice of institutions that will guide the project. Research, analysis, interpretation, evaluation, and actualization follow.

The sub-models are 1) an optimization model of administrative area, 2) an intersectoral regional planning model, and 3) an industrial cluster model.

Dr. Pertsik posits the following strategy for siting areas of development:

- a preliminary analysis of present construction, architecture, and engineering factors, thus allowing for initial evaluation of all building sites,
- 2) the selection of a site using traditional point estimation evaluation methods, and

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3) the programming and analysis of variables for optimal siting.

Dichotomies necessarily exist, the author notes, between short-term economic planning and long-range objectives of comprehensive regional planning.

Future directions in the economic application of mathematical modelling to regional plans should include:

- A precise definition of goals, as well as applicability at different stages and in different areas, in the formulation of regional economic models.
- A closer view of feedback relationships between territorial production complexes, urban or industrial districts, and the prospective regional plan.
- 3. Delineation of parameters and factor analyses at different levels of regional planning. This should include criteria to estimate such "elusive" factors as social and environmental conditions.
- 4. The testing of the model for its applicability to design problems, i.e. its reality.

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"Ways and Means for Controlling Development of Tashkent Zone" (M.G. Zifanovskaia, Y.P. Puretsky, 1973)

The first part of the article is devoted to a general description of the planning situation of the system of settlements that make up the Tashkent conurbation.

Methods to control the development of the Tashkent area (see Figures 1, 2, and 3), include stimulation development of alternative regions in Uzbekistan order to avoid the overcrowding of the Tashkent area, and forming a planning strategy for the conurbation by evaluating land use and function.

IV. Computer-aided Design in Town Planning

"Methods of Determination of Trade Zones Within Settlement Systems" (N.G. Nagiev, 1973)

In his article, the author analyses the present condition of cultural and welfare facilities in the Azerbiajan Republic, with an emphasis on the trade network of the Kirovabad conurbation. Along with the collection of statistics from planning data and field studies, questionnaires were used to elicit information.

Processing of questionnaires was done with the help of the computer "Minsk-22" and the information was used in a matrix of intersettlement trade networks. The matrix allows the processing of relevant information on computers.



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a)-FOR TOWN PLANNING

b)-FOR AGRICULTURE

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- c) ~ FOR RECREATIONAL PURPOSES
- 1 THE MOST SUITABLE FOR TOWN PLANNING DEPENDING TO NATURAL AND PHYSICAL PLANNING FACTORS
- 2 SUITABLE FOR TOWN PLANNING ONLY DEPENDING TO NATURAL FACTORS
- 3 NOT SUITABLE FOR TOWN PLANNING
- 4 SUITABLE FOR ARTIFICIAL IRRIGATION
- 5 SUITABLE FOR AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE
- 6 NOT SUITABLE FOR AGRICULTURE
- 7 THE MOST SUITABLE FOR RECREATION ZONES
- 8 SUITABLE FOR RECREATION ZONES AFTER PURIFICATION OF RIVER WATER
- 9 NOT SUITABLE FOR RECREATION ZONES

FIGURE 1

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- 1 CENTRES
- 2 PLANNING AXES
- 3 ZONES OF ARTIFICIAL IRRIGATION SYSTEMS WITH BAN ON CONSTRUCTION
- 4 FOOTHILLS AND MOUNTAIN ZONES OF HORTICULTURE, AGRICULTURE AND FORESTS

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- 5 PUBLIC RECREATION ZONES
- 6 RIVERS AND RESERVOIRS

FIGURE 2

POPULATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS IN THE TASHKENT AREA



b.)



- a.) PRESENT DISTRIBUTION OF POPULATION
- b.) PLANNED DISTRIBUTION
- 1 AUTOROADS
- 2 RAILWAYS
- 3 RIVERS AND RESERVOIRS
- 4 BORDER OF FOOTHILLS AND MOUNTAIN ZONES
- 5 THE BOUNDARY OF THE AREA
- 6 SETTLEMENTS
- 7 THE AREA UNDER ARTIFICIAL IRRIGATION
- 8 URBANIZED ZONE
- 9 THE BOUNDARY OF TASHKENT AND ENVIRONS
- 10 THE BORDER OF THE ANGREN ALMALITE AREA
- 11 THE CENTRAL ZONES OF THE SYSTEMS

FIGURE 3

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V. <u>Application of Mathematical Methods and Computers in</u> the Solution of Town Planning Problems.

"Model for Optimization of the planning structure of a city" (A.I. Zakhov, 1971)

Initial information for the model is the existing situation regarding the representation of all potentially suitable sites or territories for future construction. All additional information can be obtained through the relevant planning institutions. This information would consist of knowledge regarding industrial and other enterprises that must be located in a city at certain stages of its development or construction. Each enterprise or group of enterprises, as well as residential areas, central districts, and recreational zones, are considered as main elements of a city.

The author stresses that with the help of this model many important planning problems might be solved. It allows for an optimal structure on the basis of an analysis of sites available for new construction and their evaluation from the point of view of the optimization of travelling time between home and place of work, the consideration of the stages involved in erecting new industrial enterprises and residential areas, and the estimation of the number of demolished dwellings, their replacement, and the construction of new enterprises.

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"Mathematical Method for Modelling the Dynamics of Urban Population Distributions" (V.V. Livshits, 1971)

This method of dynamical modelling of urban populations is based on the following propositions:

- The study of population distribution as a dynamic system of individual processes.
- The use of differential equations to describe the processes as they develop over time.
- 3. A quantitative understanding of "comfort" (discomfort) measures indicated by a parameter determining the rate and direction of demographic processes.

Thus, modelling intra-urban migration becomes feasible.

VI. Problems of Modern Urbanization

"Economic Problems of Urban Settlement Pattern Development" (A.G. Vishnersky, 1972)

A growing share of the total urban population locates in large cities which then receive the concentration of economic activity. These cities are viewed from two angles; that of efficient production processes as well as with regard to conditions for human development.

Considerable expenditures are needed for the development of large cities, costs increasing with size. Economic resources must be channelled to meet the expenditure demands of growing cities. The author emphasizes the need for controlling the spread of large cities, suggesting that further consideration of the economic potential of the society will improve settlement patterns.

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"Transport Influence upon the Spatial Development of Cities and Urban Agglomerations" (G.A. Golds)

Along with a background survey of urban growth, the influence of transportation on the spatial development of urban areas is named by studying the organization of persons into traffic lines. Quantitative correlations between urban land, journey-to-work links and speeds of transportation modes are determined. Stabilizing average transportation time will allow for analysis of time-budget aspects as well as socio-demographic composition of the population. The rate of organization processes is outlined and a discription of the changes in the distribution of population densities around working places and in relation to the urban center is given.

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