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QUALIFICATION:	BACHELOR OF TOWN AND REGIONAL PLANNING		
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COURSE CODE:	DPP720S	COURSE NAME	E: DEVELOPMENT POLICIES AND PROCESSES
DATE:	JANUARY 2025	PAPER:	THEORY
DURATION:	3 HOURS	MARKS:	100

SECOND O	PPORTUNITY / SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER
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	INSTRUCTIONS	
1.	Read and answer all the questions carefully.	
	2. Number the answers clearly.	

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Question 1 [20]

a) Describe how we can achieve the following OECD Principles on Urban Policy: interdependencies & cooperation between urban and rural areas (scale - 2 marks); foster incentives to align & integrate sectoral policies (strategy - 5 marks); and strengthening capacity of actors to innovate (stakeholders - 3 marks).

b) Develop a policy outline to address <u>urban compactness & integration</u> in Namibia – only compile a content page to indicate the issues (critical aspects or topics) to be included in this policy. (10)

Question 2 [20]

- a) The Namibia National Land Policy (1998) states that town planning will address the interests of the poor. Critically reflect on this statement in relation to the spatial planning issues identified in the said policy that need attention in development policy. (5)
- b) Urban planning is advocating sustainable land use, critical to alleviate poverty (Cities as Engines of Growth in Frontiers in Development Policy, 2011). Explain the policy recommendations under the topics of: *Urban sustainability; Urban industrialisation; Urban services & innovation*. (15)

Question 3 [20]

The National Spatial Development Perspective (NSDP) identified that urbanisation requires 'spatial' exploration of potentials & challenges.

a) Highlight the major contributions that we can apply in local spatial policy. (8)

During the revival of Urban Spatial Policy (USP) in South African, a key strategy was to encourage urban compactness and integration by applying various spatial models and instruments.

- b) Elaborate the components of the polycentric model in respect of main routes & nodes (multiple urban centres and activity corridors).
- c) List any five (5) instruments that we can apply to achieve compact & connected cities. (5)

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- a) As a policy summary recommendation on u, justify the importance of this topic for policy and discuss how the policy was arrived at, why it was formulated and what it entails. (10)
- b) Preparing development policy requires consultation. Elaborate on <u>surveys</u> and the <u>media</u> as consultation methods. (10)

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Addressing urbanisation and urban development in a sustainable way requires integrated policymaking and strategies.

- a) Analyse the reasons of industrial investment, agriculture and food security as critical policy/strategy considerations to address urbanisation. (10)
- b) Assemble a strategy framework (use the matrix herewith provided) with the aim to strategise your thinking towards achieving the SDG target of *sustainable transport systems* in respect of planning Interventions and governance. (10)

SDG TARGET COMPONENTS	Planning Intervention	Governance
1.		
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