



TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERING

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Highway Development in India

- Jayakar Committee (1927)
- Central Road Fund (1929)
- Indian Roads Congress (IRC), 1934
- Central Road Research Institute (CRRI), 1950
- Motor vehicle act (1939)
- National Highway Authority of India (NHAI), 1995
- First twenty year road plan (1943-63)
- Second twenty year road plan (1961-81)
- Highway Research board (1973)
- National Transport Policy committee (1978)
- Third twenty year road plan (1981-2001)

NAGPUR ROAD PLAN :

$$\text{NH} + \text{SH} + \text{MDR (KM)} = [A/8 + B/32 + 1.6N + 8T] + D - R$$

A- AGRICULTURAL AREA KM₂

B- NON AGRICULTURAL AREA KM₂

N- NO. OF TOWNS (POPULATION) RANGES 2001-5000

T - >5000

D - DEVELOPMENT ALLOWANCE 15 – 20 %

R – EXISTING LENGTH OF TRACK (KM)


$$\text{ODR} + \text{VR (KM)} = [0.32V + 0.8Q + 1.6P + 3.2S] + D$$

V - <500

Q - 501-1000

P - 1001-2000

S - 2001-5000

D - DEVELOPMENT ALLOWANCE 15 - 20 %

BOMBAY ROAD PLAN:

$$\text{NH (KM)} = [A/64 + B/80 + C/60] + [32K + 8M] + D$$

$$\text{NH} + \text{SH (KM)} = [A/20 + B/24 + C/32] + [48K + 24M + 11.2N + 1.6P]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{NH} + \text{SH} + \text{MDR} = [A/8 + B/16 + C/24] + [48K + 24M + 11.2N + 9.6P \\ + 12.8Q + 4R + 0.8S + 0.32T] + D \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{NH} + \text{SH} + \text{MDR} + \text{ODR} = [3A/16 + 3B/12 + C/16] + [48K + 24M \\ + 11.2N + 9.6P + 12.8Q + 4R + 0.8S + 0.32T] + D \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{NH} + \text{SH} + \text{MDR} + \text{ODR} + \text{VR} = [A/4 + B/8 + C/12] + [48K + 24M \\ + 11.2N + 9.6P + 12.8Q + 5.96R + 1.6S + 0.64T + 0.2V] + D \end{aligned}$$

A – DEVELOPED / AGRICULTURAL AREA KM₂

B – SEMI DEVELOPED AREA

C- UNDEVELOPED AREA

K - >1,00,000

M – 50001 – 100000

N – 20001 – 50000

P – 10001- 20000

Q – 5001 – 10000

R – 2001 – 5000

S – 1001 – 2000

T – 501 – 1000

V - <500

D – 5%

LUCKNOW ROAD PLAN :

$$NH = AREA / 50$$

$$SH = AREA / 25$$

(OR)

$$[62.5 * \text{NO.OF TOWNS in the state}] - [AREA/50]$$

MAX

$$MDR = AREA / 12.5$$

(OR)

$$[90 * \text{NO.OF TOWNS in the state}]$$

Classification of Highways:

Depending on weather

All weather roads

Fair weather roads

Depending the type of pavement (or) Carriage way

Paved roads(WBM)

Unpaved roads(earth road or gravel road)

Depending upon the pavement surface

Surfaced roads(bituminous or cement concrete road)

Un surfaced roads

Based on the Traffic Volume

Very Heavy traffic road	- > 600 vehicles / day
Heavy traffic road	- 251 - 600
Medium traffic road	- 70 - 250
Light traffic road	- <70

Based on Load or Tonnage

Class A	- above 1524
Class B	- 1017 - 1524
Class C	- 508 - 1017
Class D	- below 508

Based on location and function

Urban Roads

Arterial Streets - 80 KMPH	50-60m
Sub-arterial streets - 60KMPH	30-40m
Collector streets- 50KMPH	20-30m
Local Streets - 30KMPH	10-20m

Rural Roads

Primary

National Highways	100-120 KMPH
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Secondary

SH	80-100KMPH
MDR	60-80KMPH

Tertiary

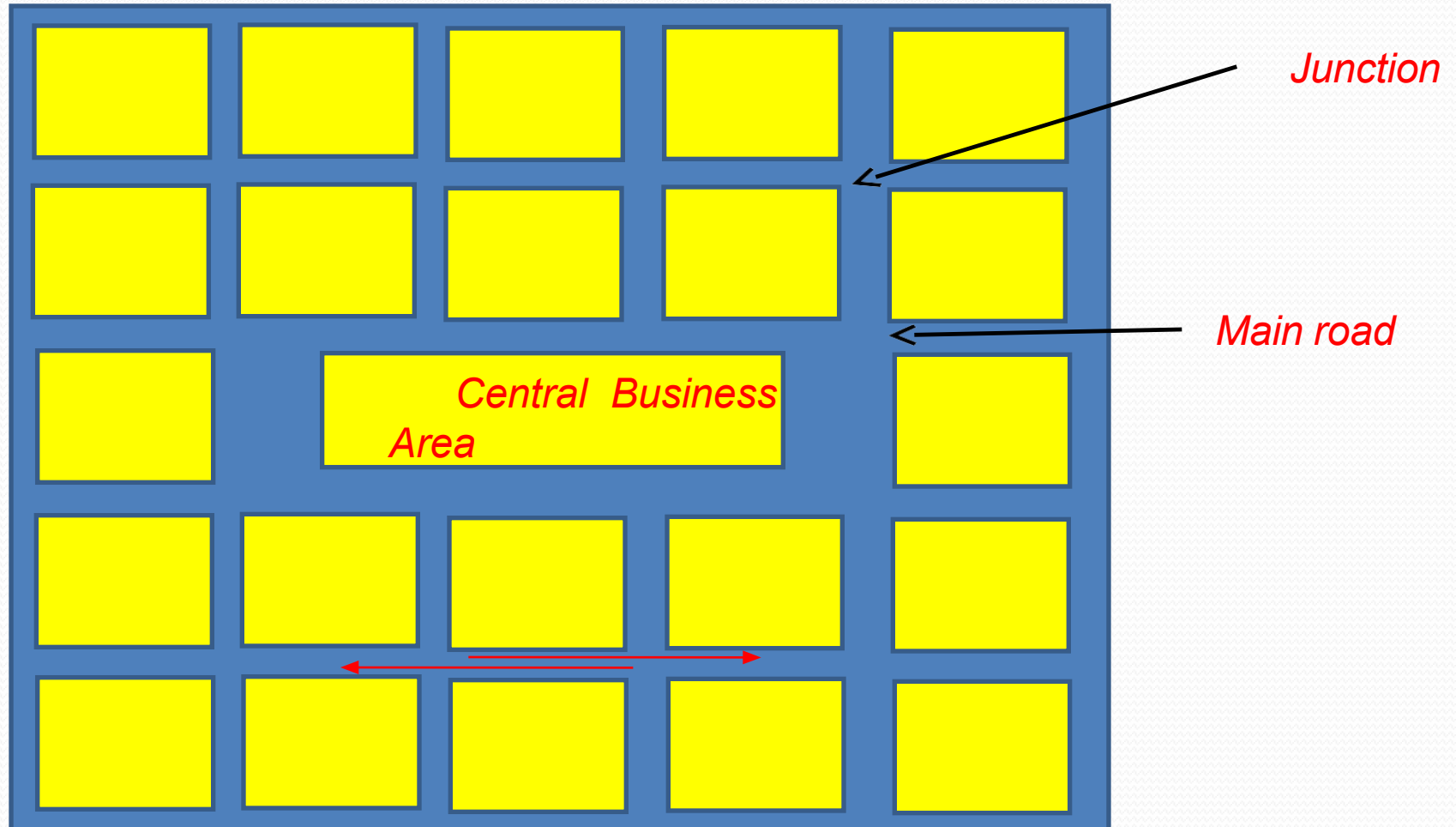
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VR	40-50KMPH

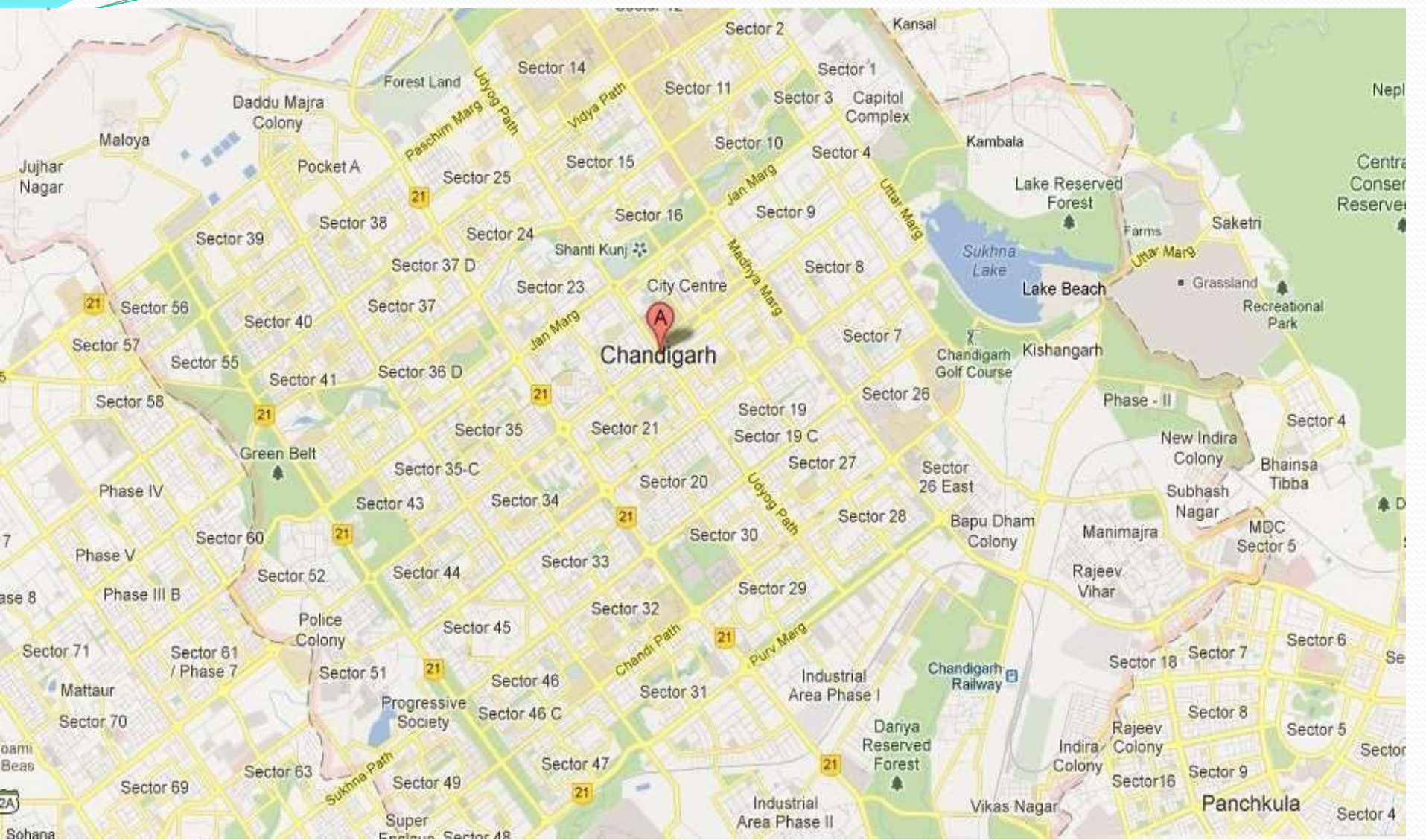
ROAD PATTERENS

Rectangular or Block pattern

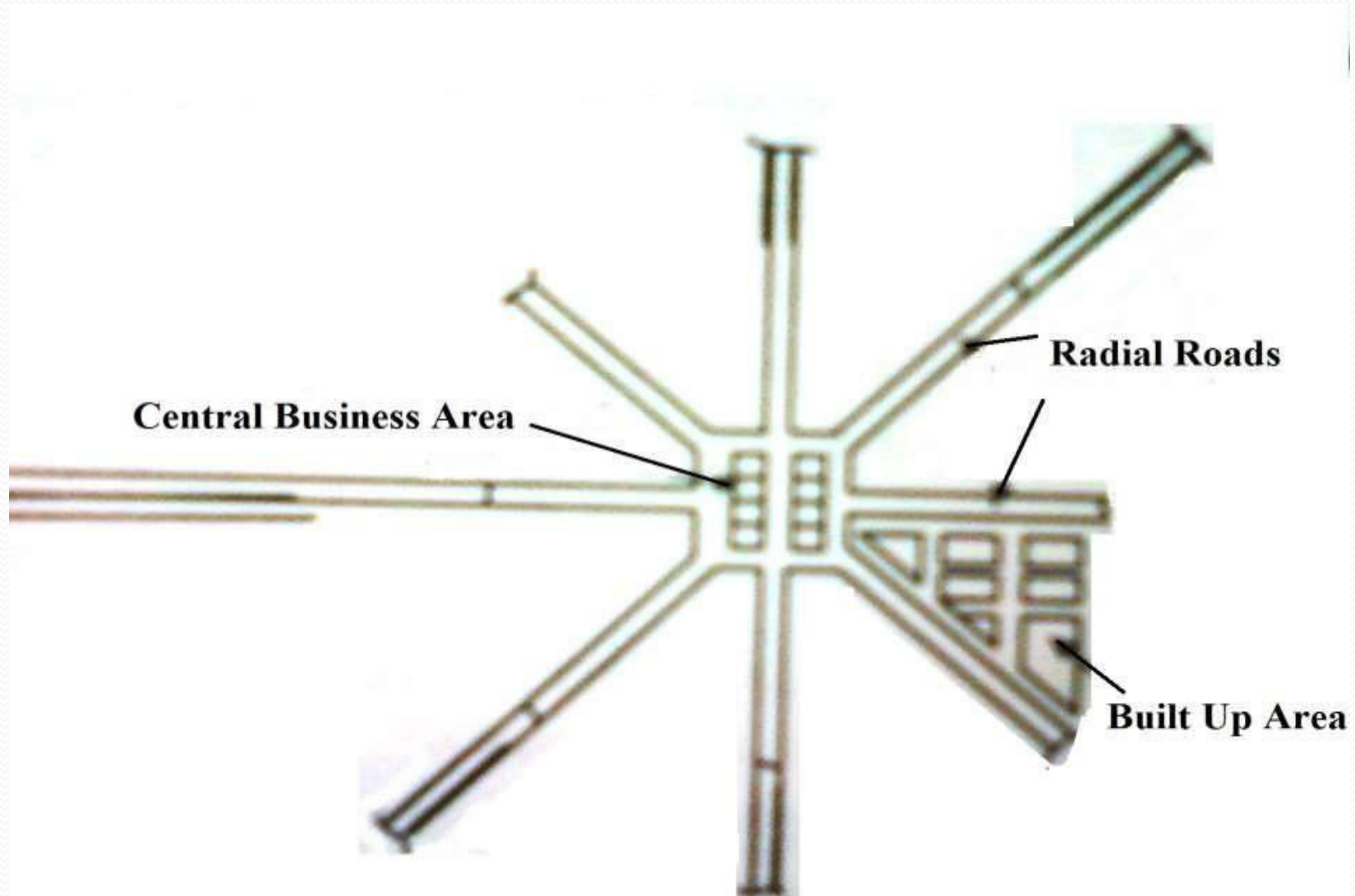
- Radial or star and block pattern
- Radial or star and circular pattern
- Radial or star and grid pattern
- Hexagonal pattern
- Minimum travel pattern

RECTANGULAR OR BLOCK PATTERN:

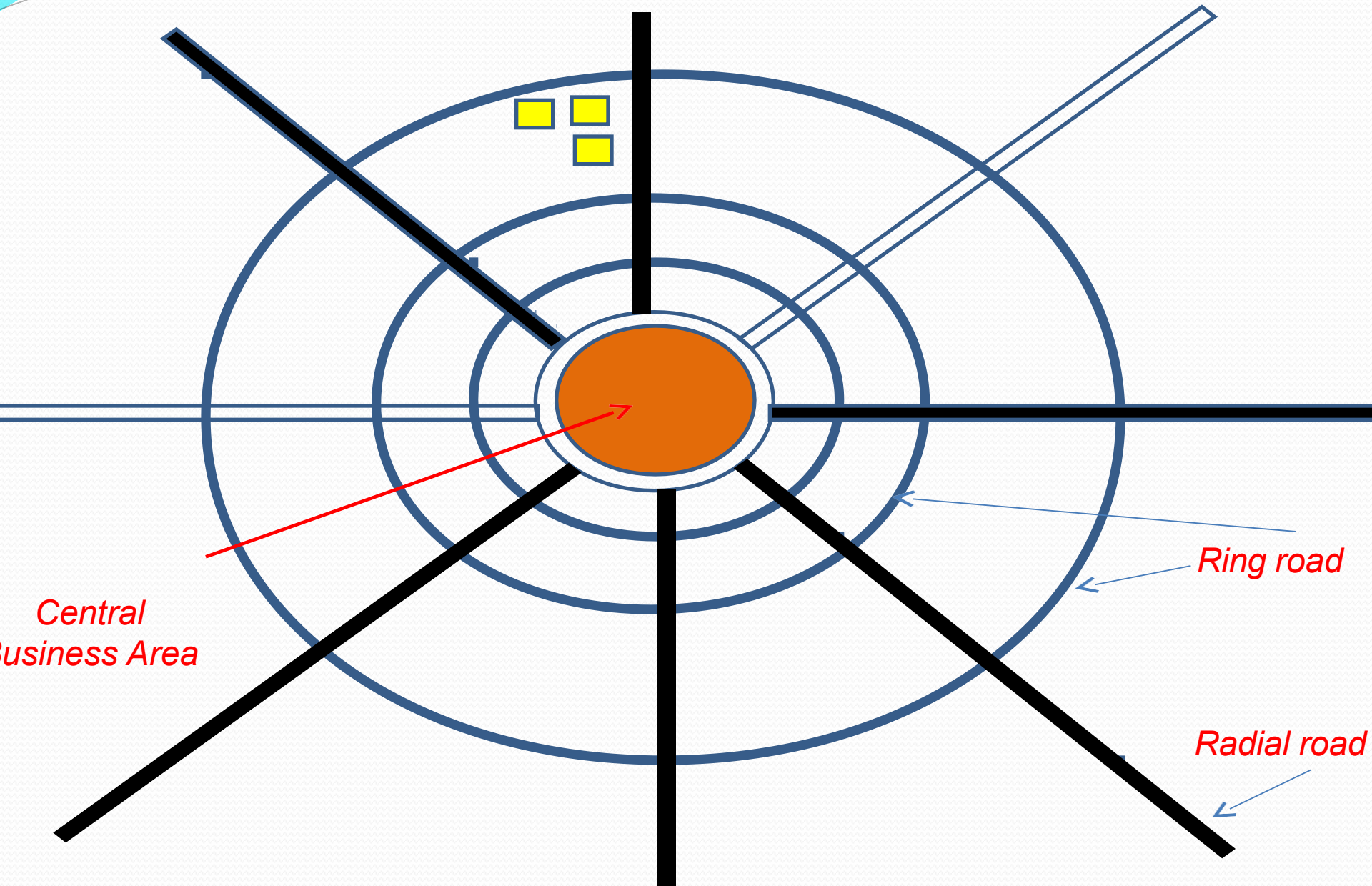


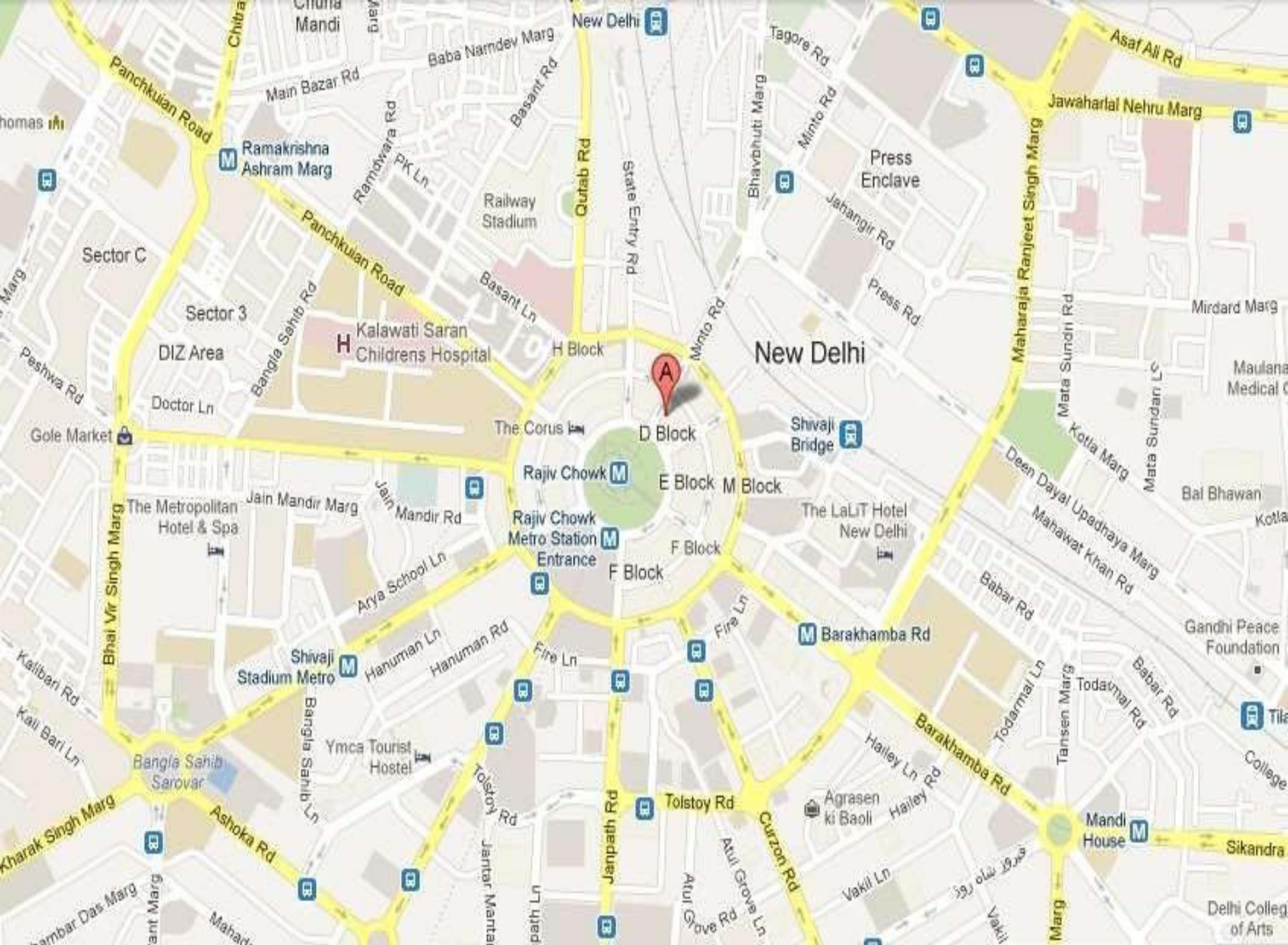


Radial or star and block pattern



Radial or star and circular pattern

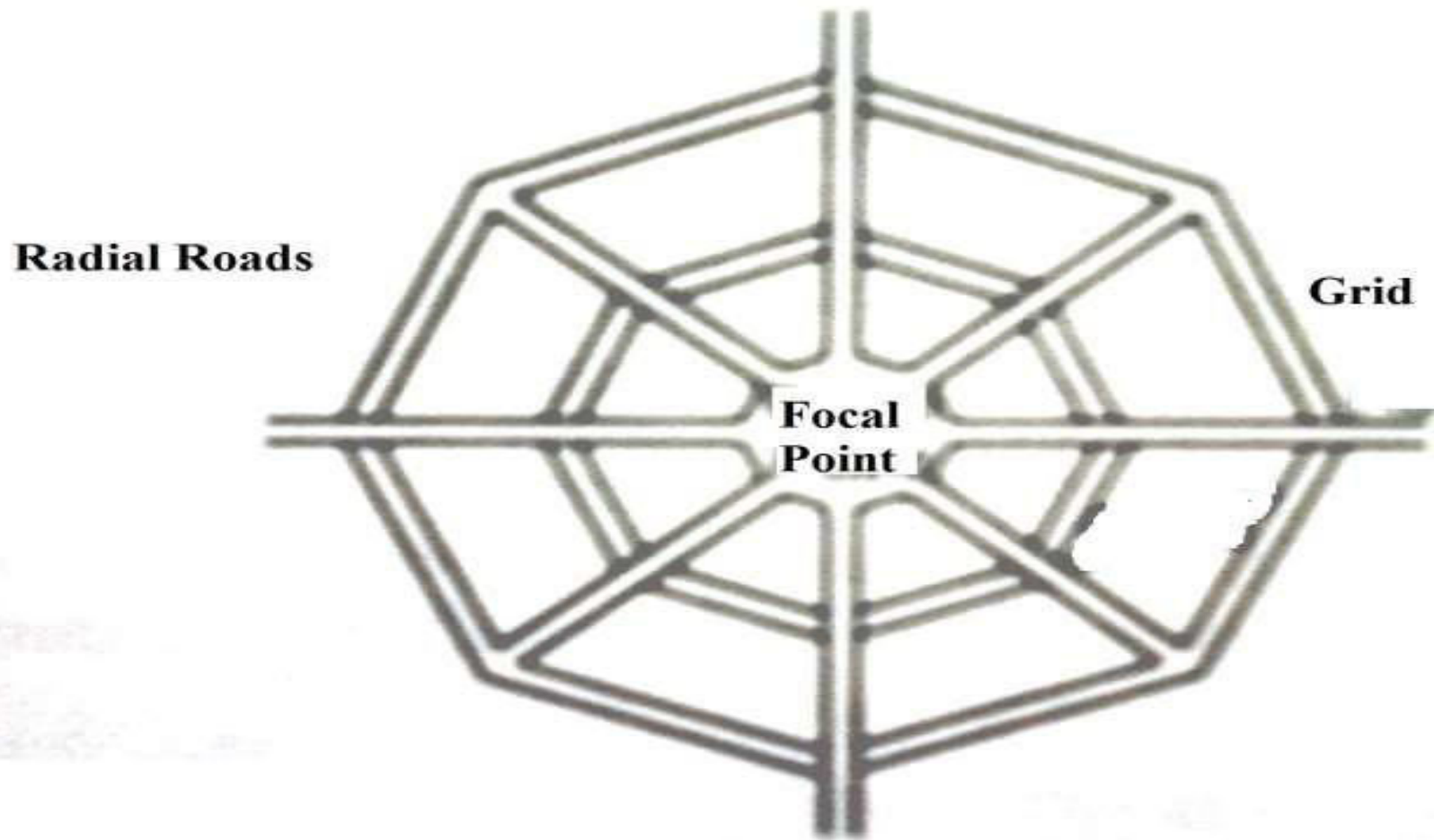




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Radial or star and Grid pattern



Concentric Street System



Hexagonal Pattern







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Highway Planning

Planning is a prerequisite for any engineering activity or project; this is particularly true for the development of a highway network or system in a country.

The objectives of highway planning

- (i) Planning a highway network for safe, efficient and fast movement of people and goods.
- (ii) Keeping the overall cost of construction and maintenance of the roads in the network to a minimum.
- (iii) Planning for future development and anticipated traffic needs for a specific design period.
- (iv) Phasing road development programmes from considerations of utility and importance as also of financial resources.

Planning Surveys

Economic Studies

Financial studies

Traffic and road use studies

Engineering studies

Highway alignment

- The position or lay out of centre line of the highway on the ground is called the alignment
- Horizontal alignment
straight path
curves
- Vertical alignment
Vertical curves
Vertical Gradients
- Due to improper alignment , the disadvantages are,
 - Increase in construction
 - Increase in maintenance cost
 - Increase in vehicle operation cost
 - Increase in accident cost
- Once the road is aligned and constructed, it is not easy to change the alignment due to increase in cost of adjoining land and construction of costly structure.





Requirements of highway alignment

- Short
- Easy
- Safe
- Economical

- **Short-** desirable to have a short alignment between two terminal stations.
- **Easy-** easy to construct and maintain the road with minimum problem also easy for operation of vehicle.
- **Safe-** safe enough for construction and maintenance from the view point of stability of natural hill slope, embankment and cut slope also safe for traffic operation.
- **Economical-** total cost including initial cost, maintenance cost and vehicle operation cost should be minimum.

Factors controlling alignment

- Obligatory Points
- Traffic
- Geometric design
- Economics
- Other considerations additional care in hill roads
- Stability
- Drainage
- Geometric standards of hill roads

Engineering Surveys for Highway locations

Before a highway alignment is finalized in highway project, the engineering survey are to be carried out.

The various stages of engineering surveys are

- **Map study (Provisional alignment Identification)**
- **Reconnaissance survey**
- **Preliminary survey**
- **Final location and detailed surveys**