

SOCIOLOGY (XI)

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6. : A metropolitan area includes one or more major cities and their adjoining urban regions . It is interconnected economic and social unit.
7. *Overcrowding and shortage of housing.
 - *Traffic congestion and pollution.
 - *Lack of sanitation and clean water in slums.
 - *Increase in unemployment and informal labour.
- 8.* Breakdown of Joint Families: Migration leads to nuclear family structures.
 - *Cultural Changes: Rural migrants adopt urban lifestyles, affecting traditions.
 - *Growth of Slums: Unplanned migration leads to poor living conditions in cities.