Anglo-American Surveys and Cities

Land and city divisions in the United States and Canada

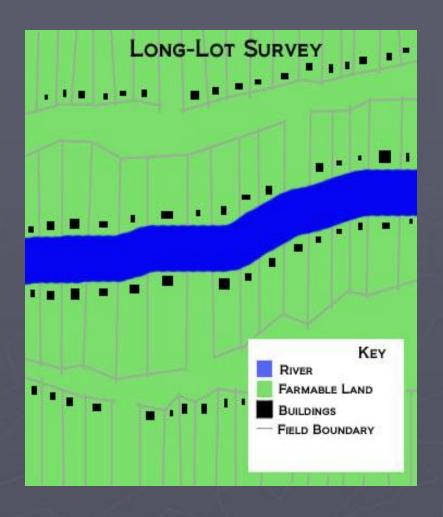
Surveys

How land is divided among different land owners



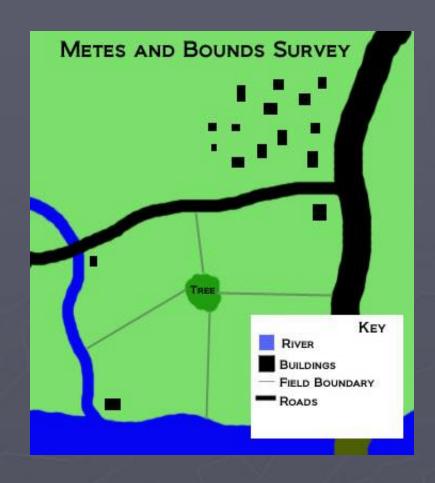
Long-Lot Survey

- Popular in French
 Canada
- Organization where farms grew out away from a river where each farm had equal access to the river



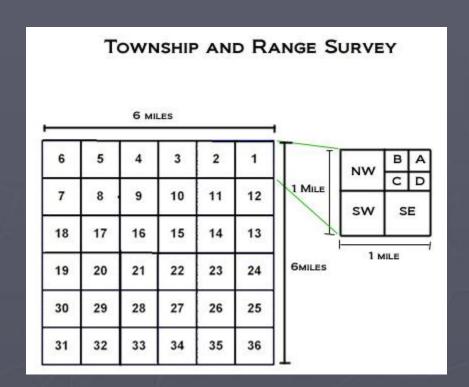
Metes and Bounds Survey

- Mostly used in Eastern
 United States
- Land is divided by using different landmarks as signifiers of boundaries



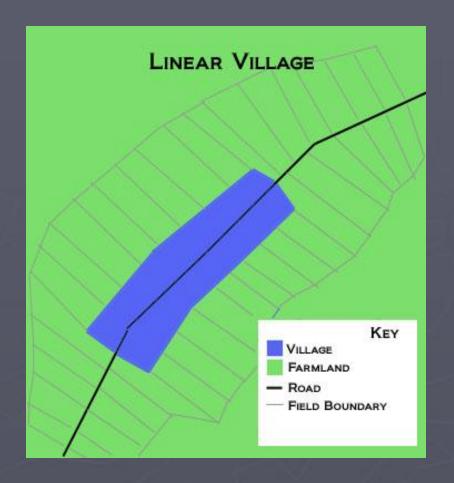
Range and Township System

- Used in more recently added sections of the Western United States
- Land is divided into 30 square mile townships, which can then be further subdivided



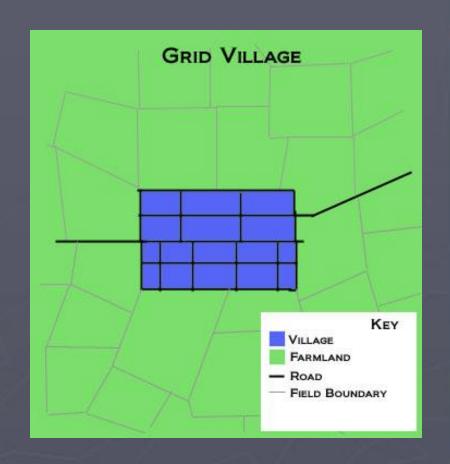
Linear Village

- Popular in colonial areas of Anglo-America and Hong Kong
- Organized along a coastline or a central road

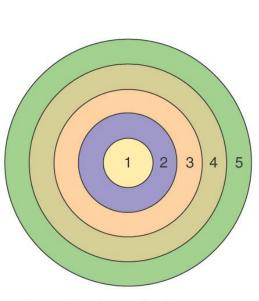


Grid Village

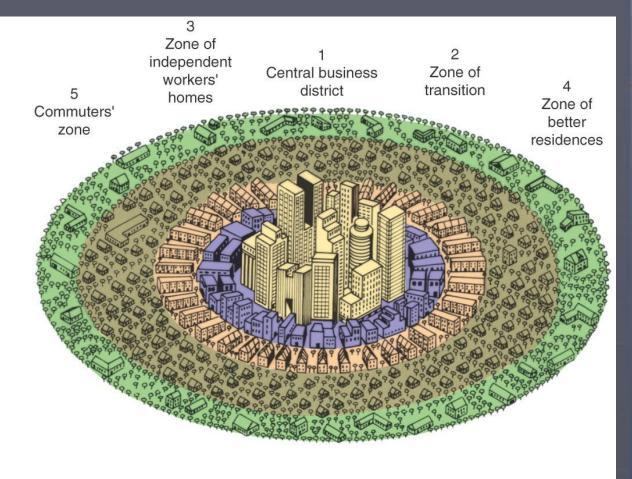
- Popular in Anglo America
- As Linear villages grow they extend out in organized square grids
- If not in grid form they are referred to as cluster Villages



Concentric Zone Model



- 1 Central business district
- 2 Zone of transition
- 3 Zone of independent workers' homes
- 4 Zone of better residences
- 5 Commuters' zone



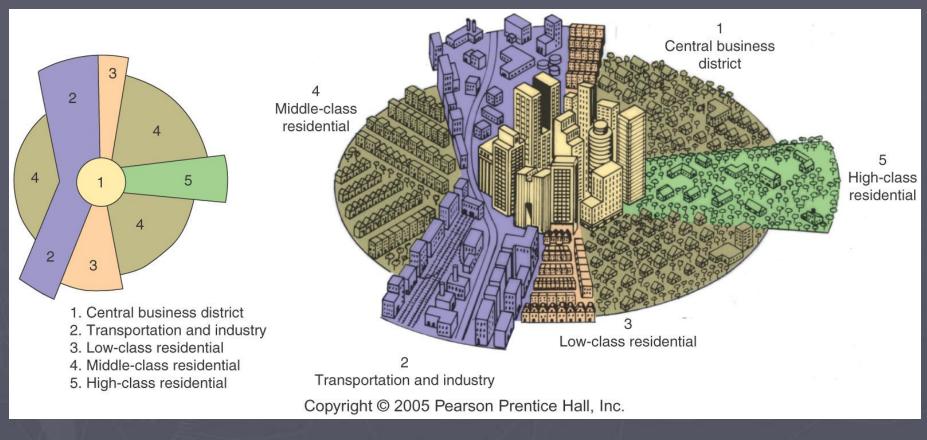
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Based off 1923 observations of Chicago

Concentric Zone Model

- Based off assumption that CBD is center of city and home values/rents increase as distance from city increase
- Again relies on isotopic plain void of natural obstacles
- Defied by process of gentrification and decentralization of industry and commercial sectors

Sector Model

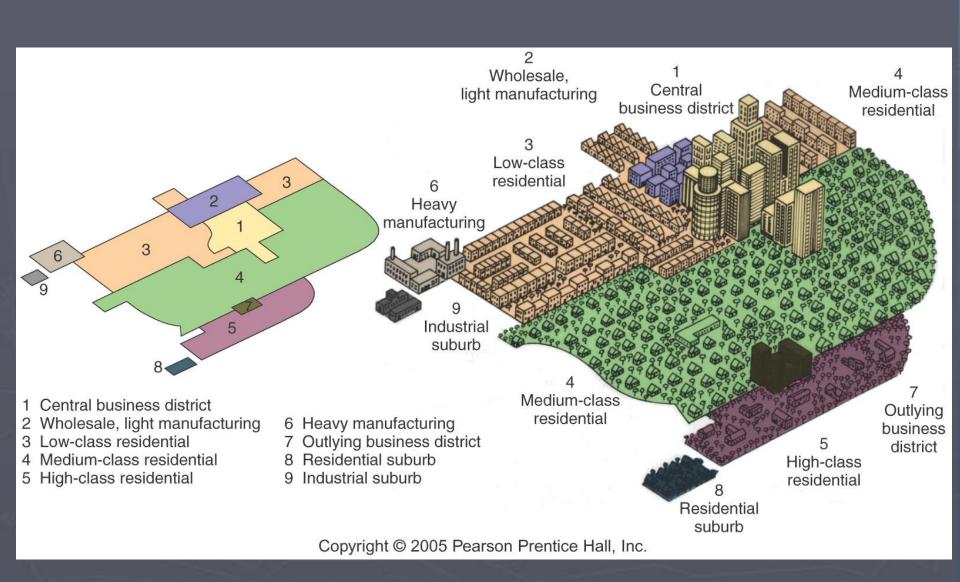


 Social groups are arranged around a series of sectors, or wedges radiating out from the central business district (CBD) and centered on major transportation lines.

The Sector Model

- Based off observations of 1939 Chicago
 - Accounts for transportation networks
- Different areas attract different activities by chance or environmental factors
- Different sectors grow out in wedge shaped areas away from CBD

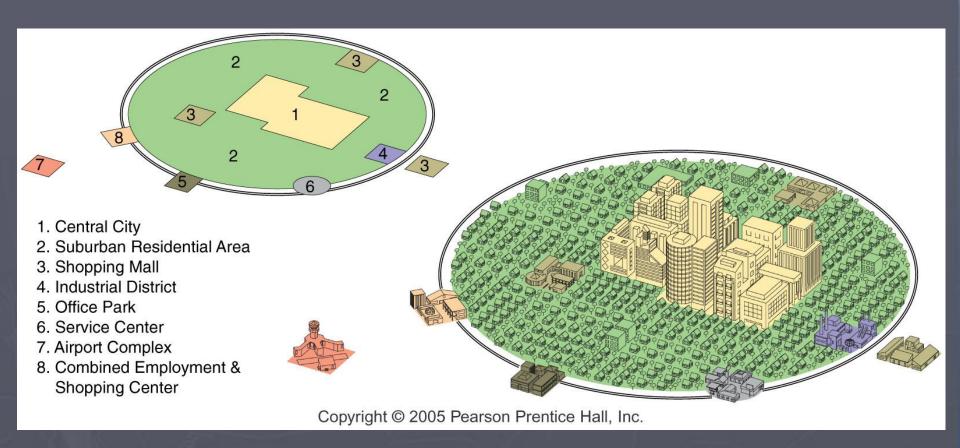
Multiple Nuclei Model



Multiple Nuclei Model

- Theorized in 1949 to account for growing importance of car and sprawl of urban areas
- Creation of different nuclei that support each other
 - Business districts to support suburbs
- Other districts develop to be further away from each other
 - Airports develop further away from cities

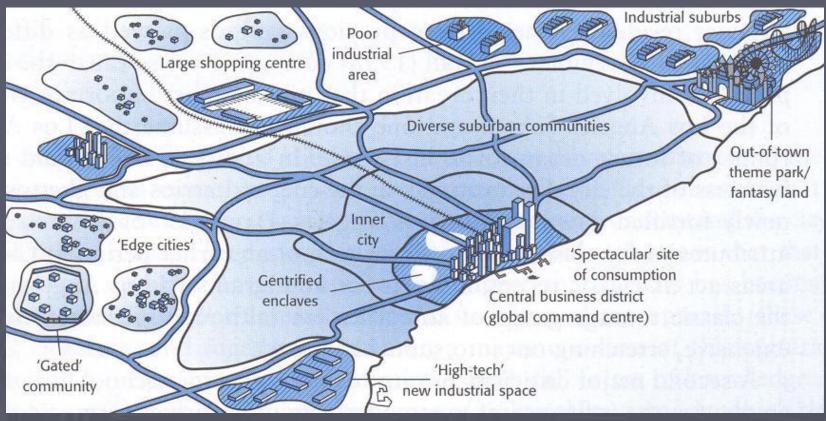
Peripheral Model



The Peripheral Model

- A model of North American urban areas consisting of an inner city surrounded by large suburban residential and business areas tied together by a beltway or ring road.
 - Different districts spread out away from CBD to meet needs of residential areas

Galactic City Model



Galactic Edge Cities: Mini edge city that is connected to another city by beltways or highways.