

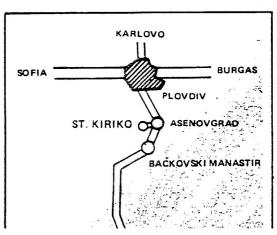
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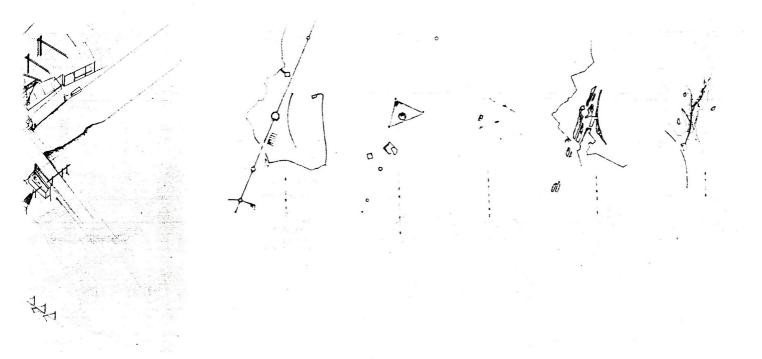
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DO ECO-POLIS

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TERMS:

If the problem of the strong disbalance of the ecological systems lies in the dynamic expansion and development of the cities, at the same time it is being defined more and more by using lots of complicated terms but continuing to present the picture of an arranged society reaching the limits of the changeable processes and completely preserving a special approach to nature.

We do not think we would be able to provide the correct response to the problem of ECOPOLIS, but still some suggestions are being available. . .

The neologism ECO-POLIS – which according to our opinion is of interest in a wider aspect, which means,

living in a city, being settled in a city, am I living in a city?

First of all Ecocity means something else, too...
The Ecocity is a city where advanced "clean" technologies are being applied, a city with an up-to-date townplanning based on its most essential function "the settlement".

It transfers symbols, moves forward attacking the built-up surroundings, coping with the natural environment, juxtaposing to delimitations imposed on by the concrete terrain characteristics in a wider range: from comprehensive subbordination to total disharmony. . . indifference.

It self-organizes in a different way.

Does it self-accumulate?

It does not seek for green areas, there is no park. It is part of nature itself, living together with it, belonging to its environment.

CITY WITH GREEN

METHOD: DECONSTRUCTIVISM

This is not a new idea. But new "materials" do exist though, which participate in the creative mixture in some eclectic prestructuring.

So . . . DO ECO - POLIS.

STRUCTURING:

The way of structuring reaches the edge of non-control use without going further. The proposed complexity is totally controllable.

DATA: The entrance. Connection.

The entrance moves towards the city.

The Axis. Continuity.

Indefinite limits of its ends.

The Centre. Management.

The Triangle. Disturbance and disbalance.

Allowed geometrical correlation - symbol.

Almost the complete number of elements of the fundamental base are following its trace.

The greenery. Crosses the city.

The Walk. An essential organic element of the axis.

The Relief. Defines.

Creates the basic prerequisite for the correlation with the "materials" of the city.

The Flank. Individual house.

- 1. Precise expression means LIVING/ECO/in a city/POLIS/. LIVING IN THE CITY.
- 2. The structural foundation of the city is essentially based on the environment.
- 3. Man lives together with the city, the city lives togather with nature.
- 4. Prestructuring.

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