

KANYASHREE UNIVERSITY

M.A. / M.Sc. 4th Semester Examination-2024

Subject: Geography

Course: DSEC 421 B

Urban Geography II

Full Marks-40

Time-2.00 Hours

GROUP - A

(Answer **any four** of the following)

(5×4=20)

1. Discuss the relevance of new towns in urban planning with Indian examples.
2. Difference between formal and informal sector of the urban economy.
3. What are the major highlights of Vision 2025 of KMDA?
4. What are the major provisions for housing for the urban poor?
5. Discuss the causes and impacts of urban air pollution.
6. What is the concept of Base Multiplier?
7. What major changes were brought about by the 74th Constitutional Amendment?

GROUP – B

(Answer **any two** of the following)

(10× 2=20)

1. Discuss the role of urban informal sector in poverty alleviation.
2. What is the significance of urban waterbodies? Discuss the role of the East Kolkata Wetland in management of urban sewage. (3+7)
3. Discuss the concept of ecological footprints. Explain the methods of calculating ecological footprint of an urban region. (4+6)
4. What are the problems and prospects of development of small and medium towns in India? (5+5)
