



MASENO UNIVERSITY
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**SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN URBAN & REGIONAL
PLANNING WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(CITY CAMPUS)**

PUR 225: DEMOGRAPHY

Date: 25th March, 2014

Time: 9.00 – 11.00 a.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions.



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Answer question one (1) and any other two questions

1. Explain the following;

a. Sources of demographic data. (10 marks)

b. Causes of rural –urban migration in Kenya. (10 marks)

c. Importance of death statistics in Planning. (10 marks)

2. Assess the effects of overpopulation on the environment and propose mitigation measures. (20 marks)

3. Discuss the Demographic Transition Model on population change. (20 marks)

4. Using examples, explain factors that affect population distribution in Kenya.

(20 marks)

5. Explain the following:

a. Measures of fertility. (10 marks)

b. Factors affecting fertility trends in Kenya. (10 marks)

6. Using illustrations, discuss population structure for different economies of the world. (20 marks)