

# 1 A Model for Accommodation Selection using GIS and 2 Multi-Criteria System

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## 6 **Abstract**

7 The main purpose of this research to develop a preference model for the best accommodation  
8 selection process in Chittagong city, Bangladesh based on College, Market, Hospital and Park  
9 with GIS and Multi-Criteria System (MCS). A decision is the result of a comparison of one or  
10 more alternatives concerning one or more criteria that we considered relevant for the task at  
11 hand. MCS is primarily concerned with how to combine the information from Multi- Criteria  
12 to form a single index of evaluation. Multi-Criteria System (MCS) provides a more logical and  
13 scientific way for best accommodation selection. MCS describes any structured approach used  
14 to determine overall preferences among alternative options, where accomplish several criteria  
15 . The results were having a sample of the computerized program that could be used to measure  
16 these indicators and their weights. The integration of multi-criteria evaluation (MCE) and  
17 multi-criteria decision making (MCDM) techniques with the Geographical information system  
18 (GIS) are forward as providing the user with the means to evaluate various alternatives by  
19 multiple and collecting criteria. These criteria are Market, Office, Rood, Park, Sea beach,  
20 Hospital, University, College, School, Mosjid, Mondir, Temple, Playground, Airport and Police  
21 station. There is a most important option is weight. The weights for the multi-criteria system  
22 obtained from the multiple criteria. For a selection of the best suitable location for  
23 accommodation, there were a lot of elements that should take into some consideration. The  
24 people who want to live in this location which provides their own facility in Chittagong city,  
25 Bangladesh they can search their best accommodation by this work. So, people must save  
26 their time to get an appropriate location for this work. So, as a result, the select a best  
27 accommodation considered by the multi-criteria. The research work has been done based on  
28 some development area of Chittagong city in Bangladesh.

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30 **Index terms—**

## 31 **1 I. introduction**

32 Chittagong city is placed closer to the south-east of the Capital metropolis of Dhaka that's around 280Km. from  
33 the capital. Chittagong city situated at the bank of Karnaphully River, and surrounded by way of natural  
34 resources just like the green Hilly Terrain and the Bay of Bengal on the west. This place located in Chittagong  
35 Zl, Chittagong Div, Bangladesh, its geographical coordinates are 22° 21' forty-nine" North, ninety-one° forty-  
36 eight' 12" East and its unique name (with diacritics) is Chittagong. Chittagong is the second one largest city,  
37 prime Sea Port and the heart of all commercial and business activities in Bangladesh. Thus, the government of  
38 the United States of America has already declared Chittagong because of the "industrial Capital" of the USA  
39 through this time. After the independence of Bangladesh in 1971, Chittagong has earned a considerable of  
40 the second vital town because of the Chittagong Port, monetary sports, academic institution, natural Beauties,  
41 commercial activities and due to its suitable Geographical region aspect within the local Map.

## 4 C) RESEARCH QUESTIONS

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42 Best accommodation selection is one of the vital decisions in the start-up process because it's one of the  
43 most important elements for living. It has become challenging because limited infrastructure and resource with  
44 depending on the multiple criteria. Therefore, Multicriteria system is a framework for important step of the  
45 rational decision-making process. The purpose of the evaluation is to gain reliable information or some criteria  
46 weaknesses, on strengths and overall utility of each option of multi-criteria. Multi-criteria system is a crucial  
47 decision making skill the process of evaluation is often poorly organized or even omitted.

48 In a location selection method, the analyst strives to decide the top of the line region that could fulfill the  
49 selection standards. The selection process tries to optimize some goals preferred for a selected facility. Such  
50 optimization frequently entails numerous selection factors, that are often contradicting, and frequently includes  
51 some of the viable location each has benefits and boundaries. Multi-criteria system strategies about house place  
52 usually contain the assessment of more than one criteria in line with numerous, frequently conflicting, goals. At  
53 the same time as many decisions we make are brought on by using a single goal, it also takes place that we need  
54 to make decisions that fulfill several options. These goals can be complementary or conflicting. The select region  
55 for lodging is a systematic method that is used to formalize the priorities and the developmental targets for the  
56 geographical location ??Dodgson et al. 2009).

57 Geographic information systems (GIS) are a Herculean tool designed for spatial analysis which presents  
58 functionality by capture, store, query, analyze, show or yield geographic information. Geographic information  
59 systems used in an alliance with different systems yet some other methods for example as much structures for  
60 multi-criteria assessment (MCE) or the approach for multi-criteria decision making (MCDM). The Synergistic  
61 effect, generated via combining these equipment contributes to the effectiveness then virtue concerning spatial  
62 analysis because of adapt selection. As a certain, that bear substantial effect within spatial selection construction  
63 process. Recent improvement into discipline concerning selection erection leads after arresting into the capabilities  
64 over GIS between area analyses. These development are reviewed thru over quality statistics especially processes  
65 for Multi-Criteria and Multi-Objective place analysis in GIS. The issues on incorporating subjective impact in the  
66 adherence about selection making; the issue of uncertainty of establishing the relationship among evidence then  
67 the choice in conformity with stand made; methods for the quantity about proof among the arrival of various  
68 tiers about trade-off of criteria; yet techniques because struggle decision and fighting death within cases regarding  
69 multiple objective choice problems (Aleksandar Rikalovic\*, Ilija Cosic, Djordje Lazarevic 2014). Therefore,  
70 development projects every so often focused on unneeded geographical zones while not having a clear framework  
71 which might be primarily based on analyzing all Multi-criteria of appropriate vicinity in term of region rank,  
72 to be had resources, current developmental projects, standards rates, criteria significance and all associated  
73 Multi-criteria that ought to be considered whilst developmental model.

### 74 2 a) The Scope of the Research

75 Accommodation is a fundamental component for life. As the living styles have changed from ages to ages  
76 everybody, the way of having fun for people in their leisure times have changed. When people need to move from  
77 one location to another locations, they want to get some specific facilities which directly involved with human life  
78 so that they fell comfortable at this location. But sometimes it is difficult for some people to decide which one  
79 is better from another location and available all the facilities which they need. The Most important reason is they  
80 have to consider many factors of that location. So we have tried to making a process so that people could find  
81 out their best area and get all facilities. This research model has many criteria. These criteria are Market, Office,  
82 Rood, Park, Sea beach, Hospital, University, College, School, Masjid, Mondir, Temple, Playground, Airport and  
83 Police station. People can select the criteria based on importance. But we selected only four criteria to test the  
84 research model result. This research helps the finding an accommodation for alive.

### 85 3 b) Problem Statement

86 Chittagong city is one of the second largest city in Bangladesh. It is known as the business city of Bangladesh.  
87 Therefore, people from the surrounding areas migrated into the city in a better life, search of employment, study  
88 and business. Also, the most important thing is the accommodation for these people. Everybody tries to find  
89 out a suitable location for their accommodations. But the town was once no longer prepared in conformity with  
90 agree on it more population into the towns together with its urban facilities within a little goblin concerning  
91 time. As a result, a lot about urban environmental problems arose in the city. Recently many locations of  
92 Chittagong city developed with modern facilities. People want to live in the area which is consisting of more  
93 facilities. This research has many criteria. These criteria are Market, Office, Rood, Park, Sea beach, Hospital,  
94 University, College, School, Masjid, Mondir, Temple, Playground, Airport and Police station. People can select  
95 the criteria based on importance. However, it is tedious and time-consuming to choice the best area to living.

### 96 4 c) Research Questions

97 After successfully processing data, a thematic result was generated to provide a solution of the following research  
98 questions: Question No 1: How to combine GIS, Google map, and Multi-Criteria System to decision making for  
99 preference model? Question No 2: What are the most important criteria for development model and how to

100 select it? Question No 3: How to use DSS to select the best location in the different residential area for preference  
101 model?

## 102 **5 d) Research aim and objectives**

103 The aim of this research is to develop a framework model for assisting the decision maker's technique to prioritize  
104 of accommodation selection process based on some important criteria in the residential area of Chittagong city.  
105 Within this broad aim, the research has three objectives-Objective 1: To study geographical information system,  
106 geographical location, and Google map to assist the Multi-Criteria system for decision making, and developing  
107 accommodation selection model. Objective 2: To propose a preference model for accommodation selection process  
108 using a multi-criteria system based on some important criteria.

109 Objective 3: To evaluate the suitable location for accommodation based on decision support system in the  
110 different residential area in this city.

## 111 **6 II. The Algorithm of Mces with G1**

112 Based Conceptual Framework The maximum distance score is 0, the minimum distance score is 1, and another  
113 value is divided by the minimum distance score (Carver, 1991). Weight adjustment: Allocation weighted of each  
114 criterion. It's done to adding weight to reflect the importance of each criteria. The allocated of weights each  
115 criterion separately. Weights allocated which the relative importance of the client. Result: Finally, add the  
116 criteria score. An MCE method may then multiply the standardized scores by the weights for each of the data  
117 layers in stage 1 and sum these to allocate a score to each pixel on the output map. Further evaluation of the  
118 results may be carried out by ranking the values in the results map and reclassifying the map to show the top  
119 score objectively. This objective indicates the best one.

## 120 **7 a) Criteria determination**

121 The elements all time need our day to day life. There different types of criteria we need in our life. Criterion like  
122 this, institution (School, College, and University) for increase our knowledge with buildup our career, Hospital  
123 for taking treatment for good health, park for taken entertainments, Mosque for prayer, Market for buy and sales  
124 food, clothes and other things. The main advantage of this procedure is its simplicity since the weighting of criteria  
125 takes place before the utilized of the model, so that once the weighting of the different criteria established, the  
126 analyst may proceed towards the solution of the problem. In discrete Multi-Criteria system problems, there are  
127 several procedures aims at obtaining the decision-makers priorities in the form of weights. For the accommodation  
128 selection in Chittagong city, there were a lot of elements that should take into consideration. According to various  
129 factors, there were main aspects to be considered. Some of them given belowi. College Education holds the keys  
130 to your child's future. It's can help your child reach his/her life goals, aims and dreams. Its will helps your child  
131 choose what he/she wants in their life. A Good education is essential to setting up children to better handle  
132 the rest of their lives, so the importance of good schools cannot over stated. Most important is School, College,  
133 University are less distance from the area. Then go to school, college and university. With an education, your  
134 child has more options, which often lead to greater success and happiness in life.

135 ii. Market The Market is one of the most usual elements in life. A market defines as the total of all the buyers  
136 and sellers' food, clothes with other things in the area or region under consideration. The value, prices and cost  
137 of items traded are as per forces of supply and demand in a market. The market may be a physical entity or  
138 may be virtual. It may be local or global, perfect and imperfect. Market should be near to your accommodation  
139 is more important, because buy and sales anything easily spent less time.

140 iii. Hospital A hospital is a health care institution providing patient treatment with nursing staff, specialized  
141 medical and, medical equipment. Healthcare facilities are essential at any stage in life, but they are especially  
142 relevant or if you are nearing retirement age, either if you have children. Easy access to healthcare can increase  
143 your quality of life exponentially, so be on the lookout for towns and cities with good hospitals and medical  
144 schools. Specialized hospitals can help reduce health care costs compared to general hospitals. So, should be  
145 accommodation selection is must be near to accommodation from the hospital. iv. Park Parks are places for  
146 people to enjoy and relax. There are lots of things to do such as mountaineering, taking photographs, enjoying  
147 the view, taking in the fresh air swimming, skiing, and painting. Some parks are built adjacent to bodies of water  
148 or watercourses and may comprise a beach or boat dock area. The Park around the accommodation area is more  
149 recreational for good health and mode of relaxations. Parks are places for everybody to learn about animals and  
150 the way they rely on each other and native plants. So, the park is another important criteria in our life.

## 151 **8 b) Weight Adjustment**

152 Weight adjustment is important factor for this research. It's effective for single decision making, and group  
153 decision making. It's works well for single decision making because it forces you to get clarity on your important  
154 criteria. It works well for group decision making because you create a shared set of criterion. When people know  
155 what's valued, it's easier to understand and weight in on the decisions. It's also a way to find out mismatches in  
156 expectations. For example, if one person thinks College most important factor but another thinks the hospital is  
157 more important, you can have a conversation around the usage scenarios and trade-offs and share perspectives

## 14 IV. CONCLUSION

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158 things. The other beauty of using criterion and weight is that it helps make the issue less subjective, so that you  
159 can have a less defensive and more objective evaluation of the options. In this case, 0 is less important, 1 is more  
160 important and another is between 0 and 1.

161 At this stage, the decision maker's preferences concerning the evaluation criteria incorporated into the decision  
162 model. They are typically express regarding the weights of relative importance assigned to the evaluation criteria  
163 under consideration. The purpose of criterion weights is to express the importance of each criterion relative to  
164 other criteria.

165 Weight allocation each criterion particularly essential for people because weight allocation is criteria basis. Let  
166 suppose; you are an employer. If your office near your house. Then you have saved time, save fare money. So,  
167 you have the most important criteria office, and then you can put the weight very extreme importance 1 or 0.9,  
168 0.8. Priority-based user weight list shows the table 2.1.

## 169 9 III. Result and Discussion

170 A set of conceptual steps were used to build the conceptual model of the thesis. In order to recognize the sequence  
171 of steps. The conceptual framework will mainly focus on the establishment concept and producers of the GL  
172 based Multi-Criteria having been finding appropriate locations for accommodation.

## 173 10 a) Implementation of the GL-Based Multi-Criteria conceptual framework for accommodation selection process

174 In the following section, the conceptual GL based Multi-Criteria evaluation system will be illustrated to show  
175 the prioritization of accommodation selection process in Chittagong city, Bangladesh.

176 Select some suitable location in Chittagong city which location provides some facility of accommodation  
177 selection. Chittagong is land on natural beauty, like Virgin Hilly region, the Bay of Bengal and the Karnaphuly  
178 River. These beautiful natural geographical location features can potentially developed with the select suitable  
179 accommodation for the living. There facilities, which can attract local as well as foreign people in the city and  
180 surrounding areas. Now, taken some location for accommodation selection process in Chittagong city, some  
181 selected location shows the table 3.1.

## 183 11 Table 3.1: Selected location name c) Criteria determination

184 Criteria are the elements which are all time need our day to day life. There different types of criteria we need  
185 for our life. Criteria like this, institution (School, College, and University) for increase our knowledge with  
186 buildup our career, Hospital for taking treatment for good health, park for taken entertainments, Mosque for  
187 prayer, Market for buy and selling food, clothes and other things. Here selected four most important criteria for  
188 implementation of this research. This criteria shows the table 3.2.

## 189 12 Table 3.2: Selected criteria name d) Scaling

190 Scaling is the procedure of assigning the objects and measuring to the numbers according to the specified rules.  
191 In other words, the process of locating the measured objects on the distance, a continuous sequence of numbers  
192 to which the objects are assigned. This research uses the scaling for measurement to the distance each location to  
193 criteria. These research the scaling distance measurement by the Google map at the location to criteria distance.

## 194 13 e) Assign the standardization score

195 The standardization score (more commonly referred to as a z-score) is a very useful statistic because it allows us  
196 to calculate the probability of a score occurring within our normal distribution and enables us to compare two  
197 scores (0 and 1) and that are from different normal distributions. Standardization of criterion scores particularly  
198 assigns the value. The standardization of criteria scores evaluating way.

199 So, all the value defined between two intervals scores 0 and 1. The maximum scaling distance is score 0;  
200 the minimum scaling distance is score 1, find out the other value is divided by minimum criteria value. Assign  
201 the standardization score all location with their criteria (College, Market, Hospital, and Park) together shows  
202 the table 3 As a result, we consider four locations (Bahadarhat bazar, Jamal Khan, and Chandgon residential  
203 area and Muradpur cir) and four criteria (College, Hospital, Market, and Park) for test the result for preference  
204 model. After that, we took the scaling distance from the location to criteria. Then we got the standardization  
205 score followed by Multi-Criteria System technique and multiplies standardization score and weight. Then we got  
206 each the criteria score. After that add all criteria score for each location. So, reviewed above the table ??3.11)

## 207 14 IV. Conclusion

208 The research visualized a conceptual framework based on a systemic approach in geographical location for  
209 accommodation selection process. This research has presented a GIS and GL-based multi-criteria analysis  
210 approach to assess suitable location for accommodation selection process. The proposed accommodation selection  
211 process was score based on the results, according to the highest score were ranked one, second highest score was

ranked two, and third highest score was ranked three. So, this thesis result depends on the systematically. The conceptual framework comprised of four steps: establishment of weighting suitability criteria, analysis the geographical location of Chittagong city, the establishment of the Multi-Criteria weights and evaluation criteria, and location selection. An integrated system was developed to aid the analyst in finding the optimum location for the facility sought. The system integrated three tools GIS, Google Map and Multi-Criteria evaluation system in a manner that attains the correct solution to assist the decision makers in extracting appropriate weights for the physical suitability criteria. By this research, any client searches the best location in Chittagong city area based on multiple criteria. So I think this research helps easily finds a good location for accommodation for a client.

## 15 Future work

This research work was done only one city based on some development area in Bangladesh. In future follow this research a researcher will be prepared for all cities in Bangladesh or any city or any country. It is recommended to activate the usage of the computerized model to be uploaded into online access database linked with GL and Multi-Criteria analysis.



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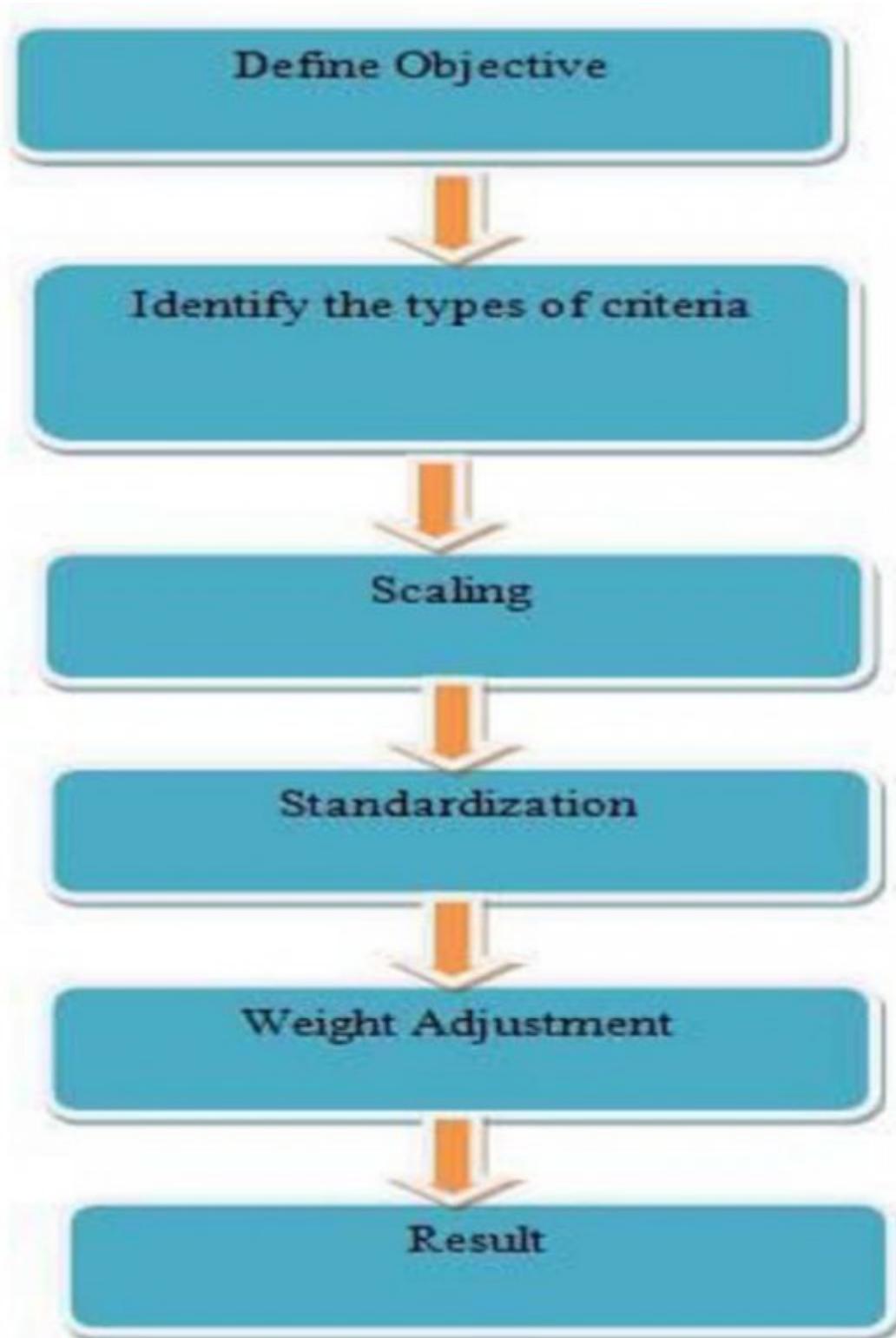
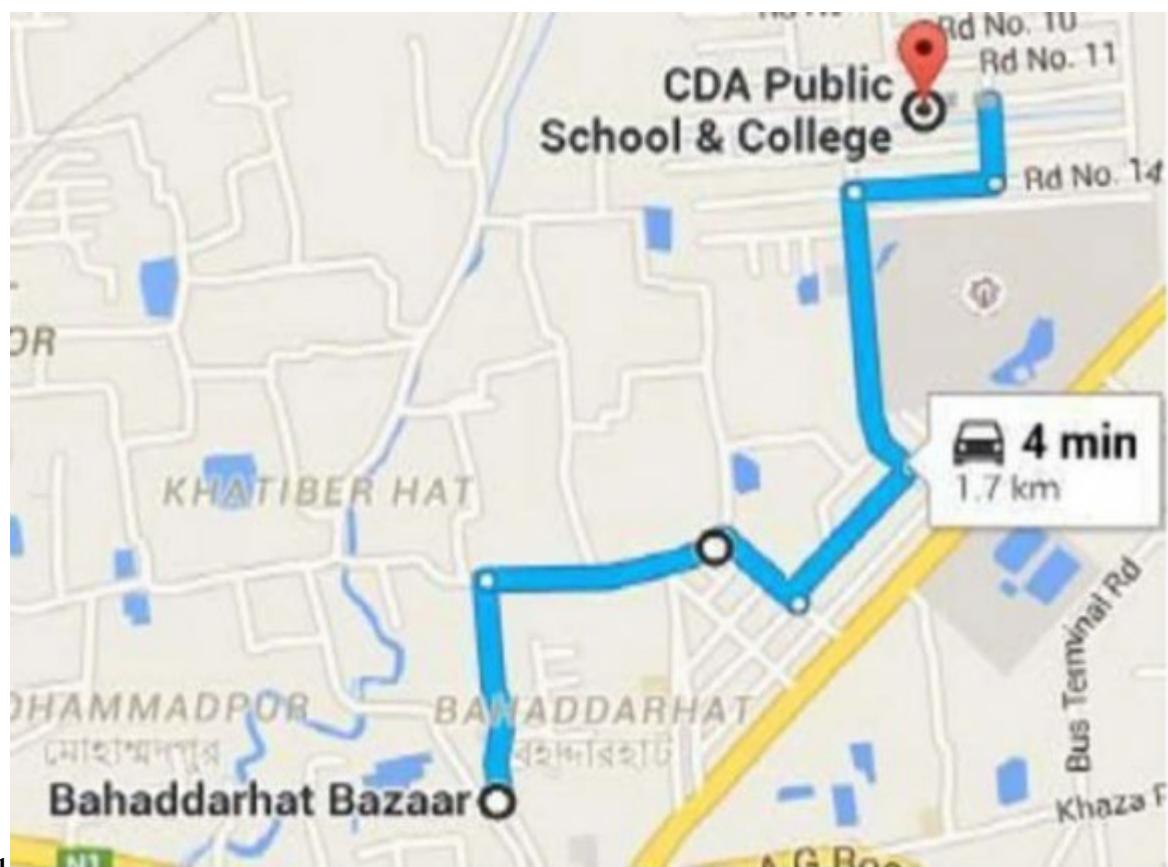
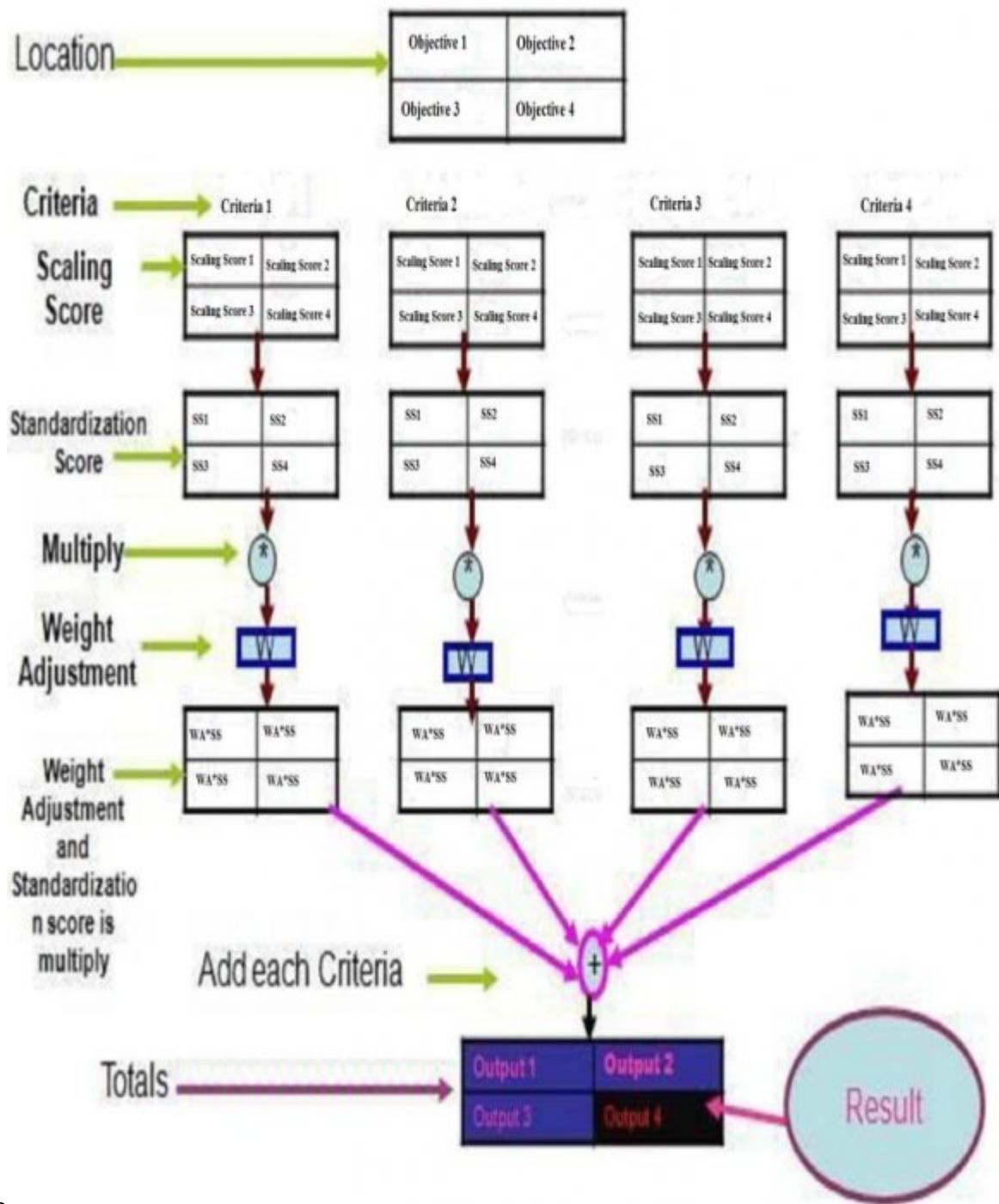


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Figure 3: Figure. 2 . 1 :





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Figure 5: Figure 2 . 3 :

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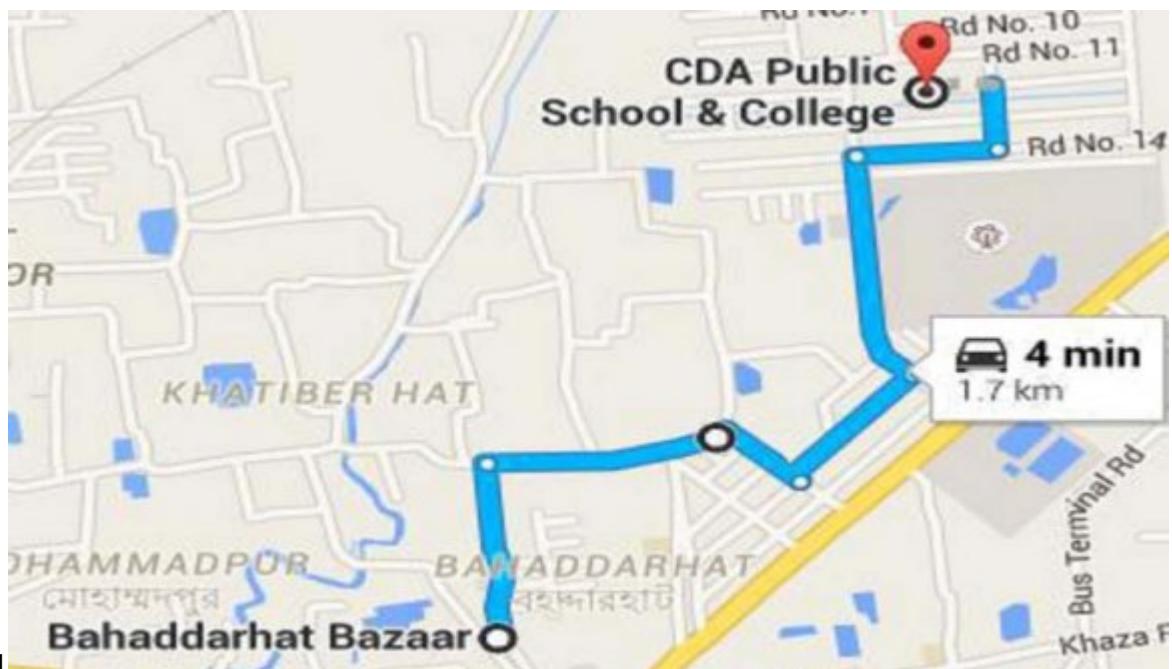


Figure 6: Figure 3 . 1 :

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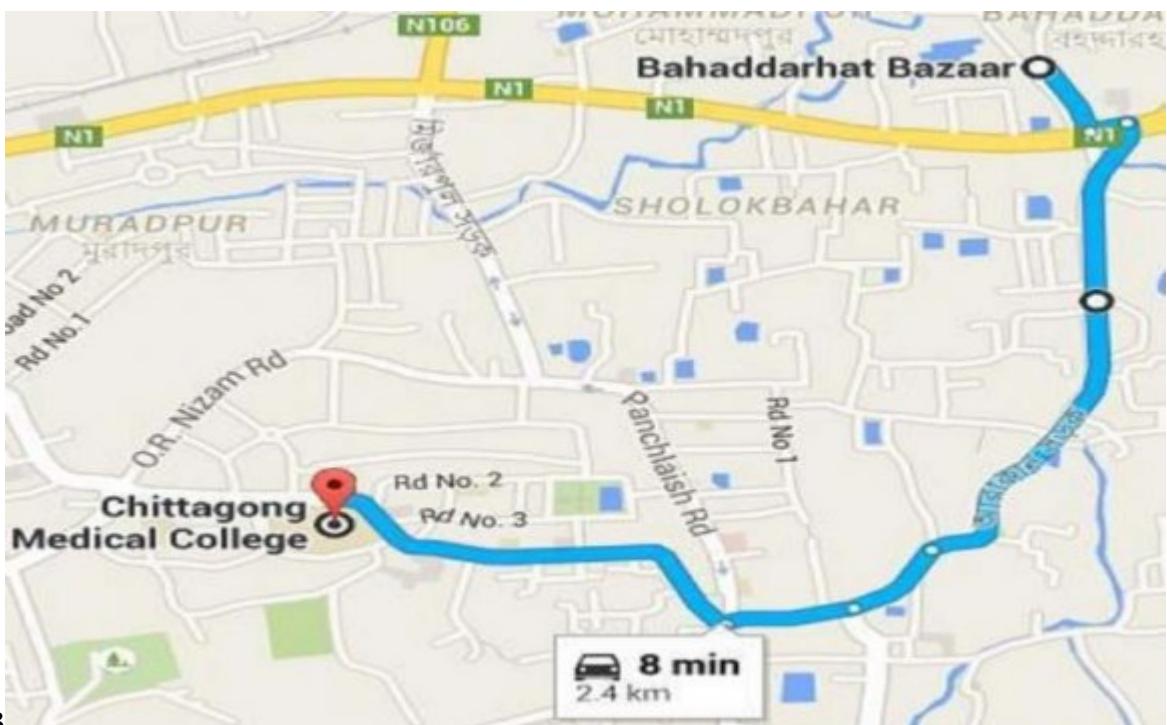


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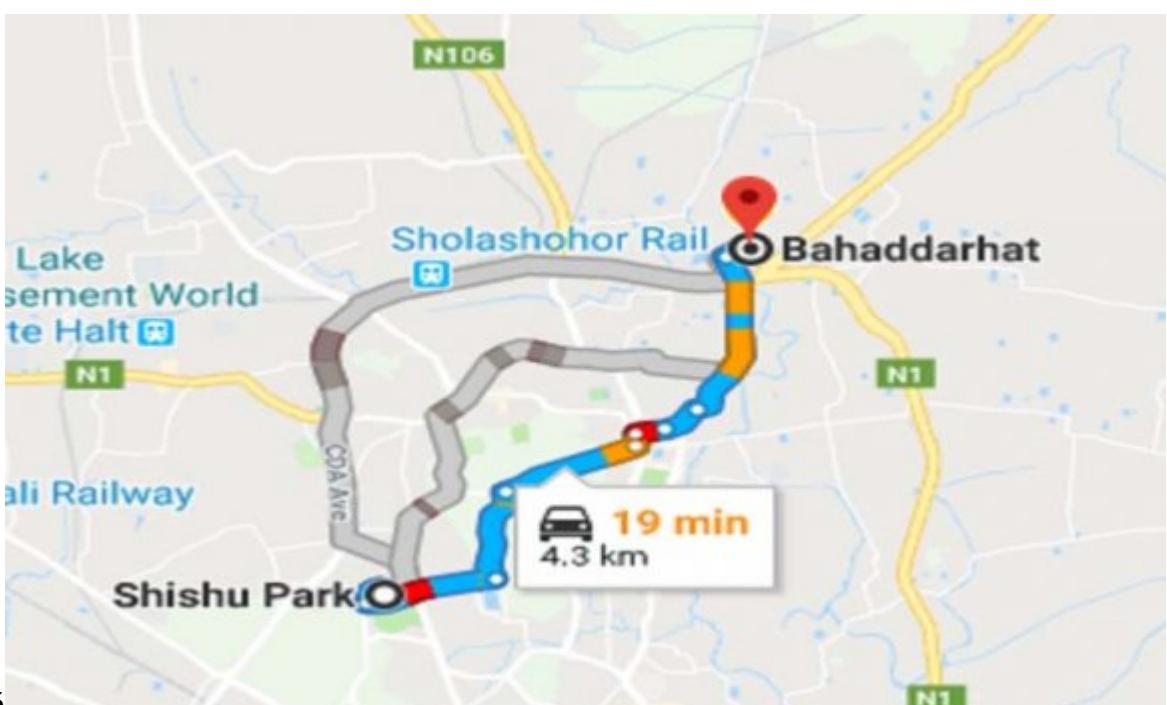
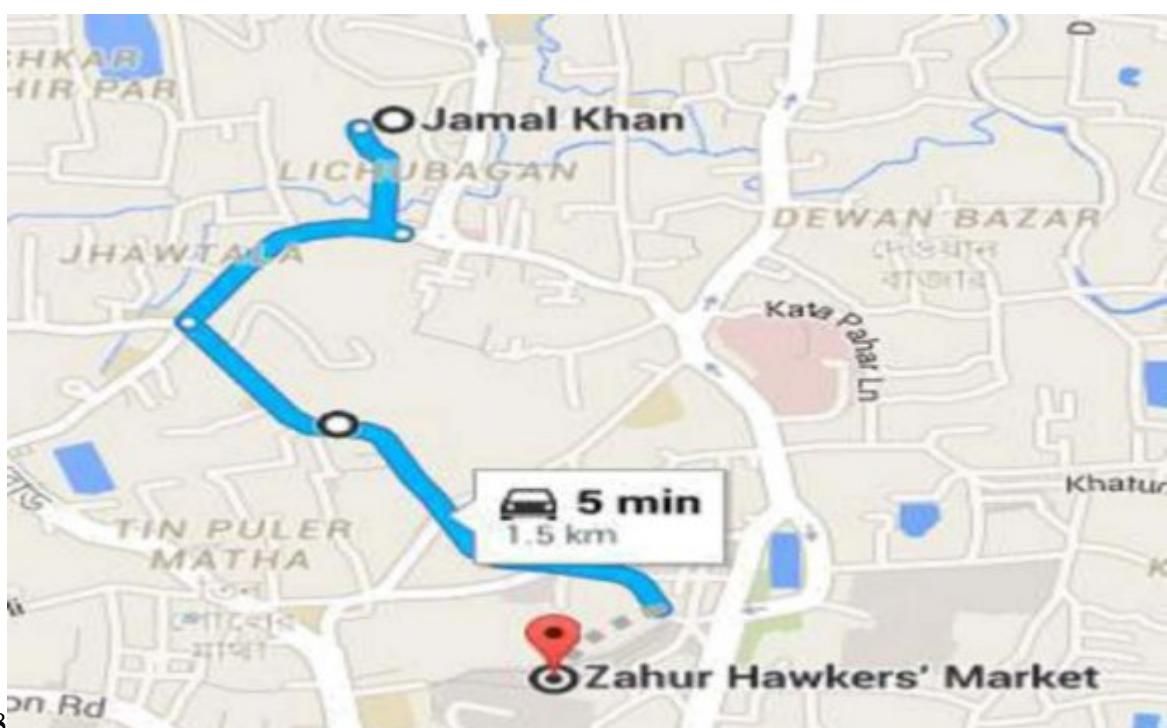


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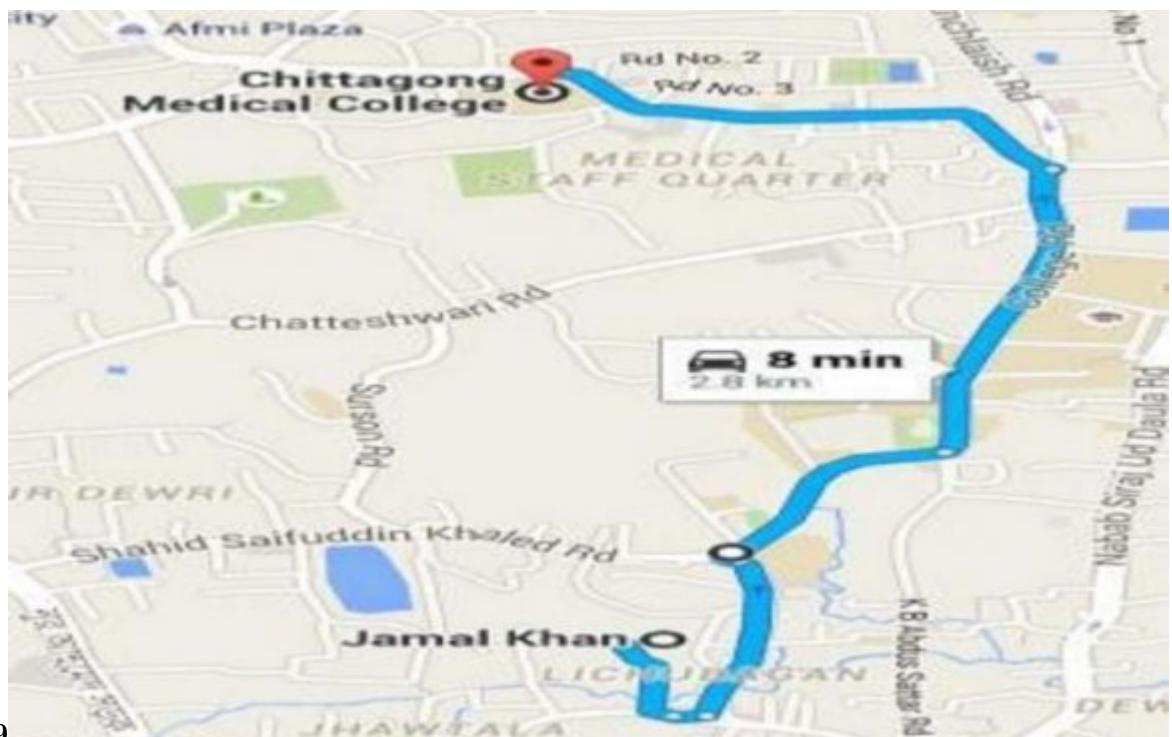
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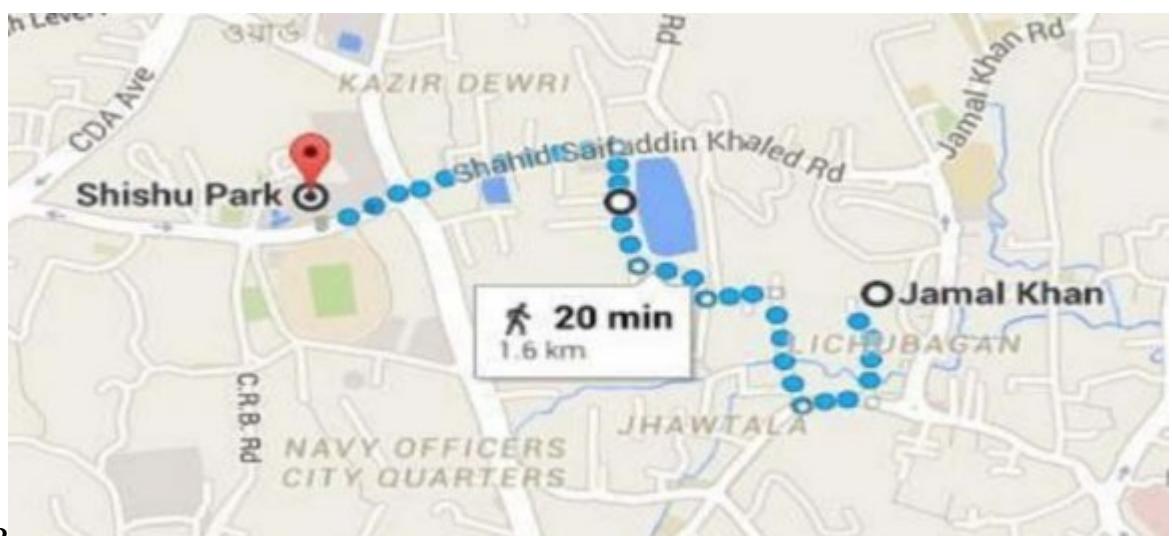
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Figure 11: Figure 3 . 7 :Figure 3 . 8 :



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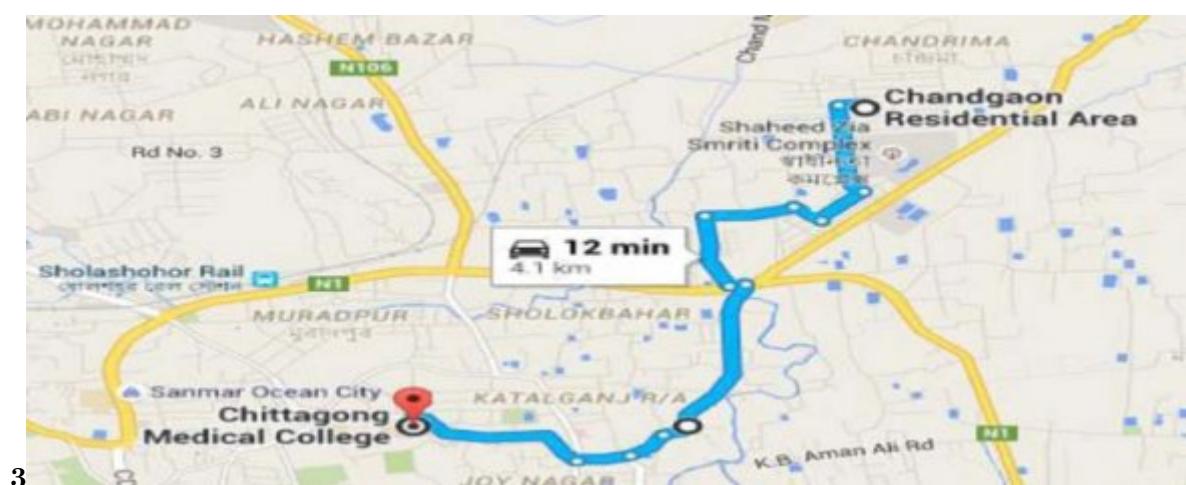


Figure 16: Figure 3 .



Figure 17: Figure 3 .



Figure 18: Figure 3 .

## 15 FUTURE WORK

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Intensity of importance	
0	Less importance
0.1	Equal importance
0.2	Equal to moderately importance
0.3	Moderate importance
0.4	Moderate to strong importance
0.5	Strong importance
0.6	Strong to very strong importance
0.7	Very strong importance
0.8	Very to extremely strong importance
0.9	Extreme importance
1	Very extreme importance

Figure 19: Table 2 . 1 :

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Location 1	Criteria 1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria 3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)
Bahaddar Bazar	Hat	1700 m	250 m	2400 m

Figure 20: Table 3 . 3 :

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Location 2	Criteria 1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria 3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)
Jamal Khan	2400 m	1400 m	2800 m	1600 m

Figure 21: Table 3 . 4 :

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Location 3	Criteria 1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria 3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)
Chandgoan R/A	150 m	1900 m	4100 m	6000 m

Figure 22: Table 3 . 5 :

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Location 3	Criteria 1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria 3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)
Muradpur Cir	550 m	900 m	1200 m	3900 m

Figure 23: Table 3 . 6 :

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Location	Criteria 1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria 3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)
Bahaddar Hat Bazar	1700 m	250 m	2400 m	4300 m
Jamal Khan	2400 m	1400 m	2800 m	1600 m
Chandgoan R/A	150 m	1900 m	4100 m	6000 m
Muradpur Cir	550 m	900 m	1200 m	3900 m

Figure 24: Table 3 . 7 :

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Location Name	Criteria 1 (College) Standardization	Criteria 2 (Market) Standardization	Criteria 3 (Hospital) Standardization	Criteria 4 (Park) Standardization
Bahaddar Hat Bazar	150/1700=0.08	1 (Min)	1200/2400=0.5	1600/4300= 0.37
Jamal Khan	0 (Max)	250/1400=0.17	1200/2800=0.42	1 (Min)
Chandgoan R/A	1 (Min)	0 (Max)	0 (Max)	0 (Max)
Muradpur Cir	150/550=0.27	250/900=0.27	1 (Min)	1600/3900=0.41

Figure 25: Table 3 . 8 :

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Location Name	Criteria 1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria 3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)
Bahaddar Hat Bazar	0.08*0.5	1*0.8	0.5*0.6	0.37*0.1
Jamal Khan	0 *0.5	0.17*0.8	0.42*0.6	1*0.1
Chandgoan R/A	1 *0.5	0*0.8	0 *0.6	0 *0.1
Muradpur Cir	0.27*0.5	0.27*0.8	1*0.6	0.41*0.1

Figure 26: Table 3 . 9 :

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Location Name	Bahaddar Hat Bazar Jamal Khan Chandgoan R/A Muradpur Cir		
		Stan-dard-ization Score and weight	Stan-dard-ization Score and weight
		0.04 0	0.8
		0 0.136	0
		0.135	0.216

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Finally, add the all criteria score value. Which location totals are maximum this location is suitable accommodation selection process. Using this equation is showing: Totals=Criteria 1+Criteria 2+

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Figure 27: Table 3 .

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Location Name	Criteria1 (College)	Criteria 2 (Market)	Criteria3 (Hospital)	Criteria 4 (Park)	Total
Bahaddar Hat Bazar	0.04	0.8	0.3	0.037	1.117
Jamal Khan	0	0.136	0.252	0.1	0.712
Chandgoan R/A	0.5	0	0	0	0.5
Muradpur Cir	0.135	0.216	0.6	0.041	0.992

Figure 28: Table 3 . 11 :

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