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DISTANCE EDUCATION

B.LIB.I.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2023.

First Semester

LIBRARY AND SOCIETY

(CBCS 2018 – 2019 Academic Year Onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer **all** questions.

1. Define the term communication.
2. What is a library consortium?
3. Expand UNESCO and RRRLF.
4. Mention the five laws of library science.
5. What is Public Library?
6. Expand ILA and IASLIC.
7. Define Library Legislation.
8. What do you mean by IPR?
9. What is information?
10. What do you mean by Information Transfer cycle?

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer all questions choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) Briefly explain the Delivery of Books and News Paper Act?

Or

- (b) Write a note on knowledge communication in India.

12. (a) Describe Shannon of weaver models of communication.

Or

- (b) Discuss various channels of communications.

13. (a) Explain the nature and scope of information.

Or

- (b) What are the factors influencing the growth of information.

14. (a) “Library is a growing organism” – Elucidate.

Or

- (b) Explain the objectives and functions of ILA.

15. (a) What are the contributions of RRRLF towards Library development?

Or

- (b) Explain the need and functions of library consortia.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any **three** questions

16. Explain the role of university library in higher education.
17. Discuss in detail the impact of information on Socio economic changes.

18. Explain different barriers of communication encounter by both creators and users.
 19. Explain the features of Model Central Library Act as designed by Dr. S.R. Rangantathan.
 20. Trace out the growth and development of LIS schools in India.
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First Semester

INFORMATION SOURCES, SYSTEMS AND SERVICE

(CBCS 2018 – 2019 Academic Year Onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

1. Define non-documentary sources
2. Write a note on wikis
3. What is CSIR?
4. What is an invisible college?
5. Define primary sources
6. Define hand books
7. Define networks
8. What is a library consortium?
9. What is CAS?
10. Name two tertiary sources

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) Explain the functions and services by AGRIS.

Or

- (b) Discuss the services offered by DESIDOC.

12. (a) Explain the various methods of CAS.

Or

- (b) Describe the value of newspaper clippings.

13. (a) Explain briefly primary sources of information.

Or

- (b) Give an account on bibliographical sources.

14. (a) Give an account on alert services.

Or

- (b) Write a note on ready reference service.

15. (a) Discuss the role of geographical sources.

Or

- (b) Explain the significance of handbooks.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. What are secondary sources? What are the various types of secondary sources?
17. Explain the need for translation service. List out the translation pools at national and international level
18. Discuss the different e-resources and then usefulness in research.

19. Explain in detail the types and characteristics of different information sources.
 20. Explain in detail selective dissemination of information.
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B.Lib.I.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY 2023.

First Semester

**INFORMATION PROCESSING-I CLASSIFICATION
THEORY**

(CBCS 2018 – 2019 Academic Year Onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

1. Subject Device.
2. Common isolate.
3. Book Number.
4. Name of the two library classification scheme.
5. Define Classification.
6. Mnemonics.
7. What is the table number two in DDC?.
8. Define the term knowledge.
9. How many tables in DDC 19th Edition?
10. Expand PMEST.

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) Write a note on common isolates in CC.

Or

- (b) What are different kinds of phase relations?

12. (a) Write a note on Facet analysis.

Or

- (b) Distinguish between knowledge classification and document classification.

13. (a) Write a note on standard subdivisions.

Or

- (b) Write a note on systems and specials.

14. (a) Write on the principles of helpful sequence.

Or

- (b) What is notation? Discuss the good qualities of notation.

15. (a) Discuss the purpose and functions of library classification.

Or

- (b) Explain briefly the different modes of formation of subjects.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Describe with suitable examples the concepts of "Rounds" and "Levels" in Colon Classification.
17. Critically examine the common isolates in Decimal classification and Colon Classification.

18. Describe the fundamental categories as enunciated by S.R. Ranganathan.
 19. Explain the modes of formation of subjects in the Universe of Knowledge.
 20. Discuss the treatment of “times” in CC and UDC.
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Second Semester

INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES IN
LIBRARIES

(CBCS 2018 – 2019 Academic Year Onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

1. Which is the brain of the computer?
2. Define the use of TCP/IP.
3. What does ASCII stand for?
4. What is a Database?
5. What is the use of a Spreadsheet?
6. Define Library Automation
7. What is the full form of OPAC?
8. Explain the library as a system.
9. Define the search technique.
10. What is networking?

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) What is a different kind of output device?

Or

- (b) Define the different types of storage devices.

12. (a) Describe the impact of computers on modern society.

Or

- (b) What is the advantage of a graphical user interface (GUI)?

13. (a) What are the main reasons for library automation?

Or

- (b) Differentiate between compilers and interpreters.

14. (a) What do you mean by HTTP and how does it work?

Or

- (b) What are the components of a data warehouse?

15. (a) Explain the different types of computer networks.

Or

- (b) Describe the communication processor.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Discuss the major advantages or disadvantages of MS Office.
17. Explain the impact of information technology in Library Science.

18. Define the Open Sources software. Discuss the different types of Open Sources software.
 19. Discuss the functionality of the CPU and its working principle.
 20. Discuss different areas of application of library automation.
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Second Semester

**MANAGEMENT OF LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION
CENTRES**

(CBCS 2018 – 2019 Academic Year Onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer all questions.

1. Define cost benefit analysis.
2. Expand MBO.
3. What is planning?
4. Define Departmentation.
5. Expand POSDCORB.
6. What is Budgeting?
7. What is delegation of authority?
8. Define PERT.
9. What is division of labour?
10. What is meant by job analysis?

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) Describe the concept of library management and its functions.

Or

- (b) What is MBO? State its merits and demerits.

12. (a) State the importance of performance evaluation.

Or

- (b) Write a note on system analysis and design.

13. (a) Define 'Financial Management' State the principles of library finance.

Or

- (b) Prepare a model budget for a public library.

14. (a) Explain the features of CPM and PERT techniques.

Or

- (b) Discuss the importance of human resource planning in libraries.

15. (a) Give substantial points to prove library as a non-profit organization.

Or

- (b) Discuss the various channels of communication in academic libraries?

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions

16. Enumerate the advantage and disadvantages of five major forms of organization structures.
17. What to you understand by MBO? Discuss its applicability as a monitoring and controlling tool in libraries and information centres.

18. What are performance measures? Discuss their categories and applications in libraries and information centres.
 19. Differentiate between 'flow process chart' and 'decision flow chart', explain the process of book discharging using a 'decision flow chart'.
 20. Describe the components of personnel management as applicable to university library staff.
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Second Semester

INFORMATION PROCESSING – II: CATALOGUING
THEORY

(CBCS 2018 – 2019 Academic Year Onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL questions

1. Centralised Cataloguing
2. Chain procedure
3. ISSN
4. MARC
5. Corporate authorship
6. Library of Congress Subject Headings
7. OPAC
8. Sears list
9. PRECIS
10. Law of Parsimony

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

11. (a) What are the objectives of subject cataloguing?

Or

- (b) Discuss about the canon of subject headings.

12. (a) Describe the features of sears list of subject heading.

Or

- (b) Discuss recent developments and trends in cataloguing.

13. (a) Explain ISSN and its code format.

Or

- (b) Write short notes on Dictionary Catalogue.

14. (a) Illustrate the salient features of MARC.

Or

- (b) Mention the areas identified by ISBD for the description of a document.

15. (a) Write a note on symbiosis between classification and catalogue.

Or

- (b) Discuss on cooperative cataloguing with its merits and demerits.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions

16. Define library catalogue and elucidate its purpose.
 17. Describe the concept of chain indexing with example and discuss its merits and demerits.
 18. Discuss the treatment of pseudonymous authorship in AACR2.
 19. Discuss in brief different physical forms of library catalogue with their advantages and disadvantages.
 20. Describe functions and purposes are served by the Normative principles of the cataloguing.
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