



**DLS – 010**

**B.L.I.Sc. Degree Examination, July/August 2011**  
**Directorate of Distance Education**  
**LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE**  
**Paper – I : Library, Information and Society**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75/85

- Instructions :* 1) Students who have attended 25 marks IA Scheme will have to answer for total of 75 marks.  
2) Students who have attended 15 marks IA Scheme will have to answer for total of 85 marks.  
3) Answer **any FIVE** of the following questions. **Each** questions carry 15 marks for both 75/85 marks Scheme and Q.No. (9) in Section – B is **compulsory** for 85 marks Scheme.

**SECTION – A**

**15×5=75**

1. Explain the role of library in contemporary society.
2. State the five laws of library science. Explain the fifth law of library science.
3. Discuss the need and purpose of library legislation.
4. Briefly explain the objectives, functions and services of academic library.
5. Explain the role of UNESCO in the development of professional associations.
6. Discuss the need, purpose and functions of resource sharing.
7. Discuss the activities of ILA.

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8. Write notes on **ANY THREE** of the following :

- a) Library Co-operation
- b) FID
- c) National library
- d) Data, information and knowledge
- e) User study.

**SECTION – B**

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**1×10=10**

9. Explain the need and purpose of professional associations.



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**Paper – II : Management of Libraries and Information Centres**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75/85

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3) *Answer **any five** of the following questions. **Each** questions carry 15 marks for both 75/85 Marks scheme and Q. No. (9) in Section – B is **compulsory** for 85 marks Scheme.*

SECTION – A

(15×5=75)

1. State the principles of Scientific Management. Explain their role in management of Libraries and Information Centres.
2. Discuss the policies, procedures and problems in selection and acquisition of books.
3. Discuss the works of a maintenance section in a university library.
4. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of various circulation systems.
5. Differentiate between job analysis and job description. Explain its role in selection and recruitment of library staff.
6. Define 'budgeting'. Discuss the procedure in preparation of budget for a Special Library.
7. Write an essay on Library furnitures and equipments.
8. Write note on **any THREE** of the following :
  - a) Library as a system
  - b) Preservation of Books
  - c) Stock verification
  - d) Staff Manual
  - e) PPBS.

SECTION – B

(1×10=10)

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9. Explain what are the selection procedures used for acquisition of Electronical Sources.



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**Paper – III : Information Processing : Classification – I**  
**(Theory)**

Time : 3 Hours

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SECTION – A

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1. Discuss the need and purpose of library classification.
2. What is idea plane ? Explain any two canons of idea plane with suitable examples.
3. Write a detail note on common isolates used in Colon Classification.
4. State and explain different fundamental categories.
5. Define notation. Discuss the need and functions of notations.
6. Describe the various types of mnemonics used in CC and DDC with examples.
7. Explain the different methods of assigning call number.

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**Paper – IV : Information Processing : Cataloguing (Theory – 2)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75/85

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  - 2) *Students who have attended 15 Marks IA Scheme will have to answer for total of 85 Marks.*
  - 3) *Answer **any five** of the following questions. **Each** questions carry 15 marks for both 75/85 Marks scheme and Q. No. (9) in Section – B is **compulsory** for 85 marks Scheme.*

SECTION – A

(15×5=75)

1. What are physical forms of library catalogue ? Explain their advantages and disadvantages.
2. Bring out the important developments in the history of catalogue code.
3. Enumerate the canons of cataloguing and discuss the canon of prepotence.
4. What is main entry ? Discuss its different areas according to AACR – 2.
5. Explain the objectives and functions of co-operative cataloguing.
6. Write a detail note on MARC – 21.
7. Discuss the choice and rendering of personal authors with suitable examples.
8. Write notes on **any THREE** of the following.
  - a) Principles of local variation
  - b) Purpose of library catalogue
  - c) LCSH
  - d) Cataloguing at source
  - e) Features of AACR 2.

SECTION – B

(1×10=10)

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9. Explain the standard formate used in ISBD.



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Paper – V : Information Sources and Services**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75/85

- Instructions :** 1) Answer **any FIVE** questions.  
2) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.  
3) Students who have attended **25** marks IA scheme will have to answer for total of **75** marks.  
4) Students who have attended **15** marks IA scheme will have to answer for total of **85** marks.  
5) **Section-B** is **compulsory** for **85** marks scheme.

**SECTION – A**

1. State different categories of information sources. Explain any one with suitable examples.
2. Define Bibliography. Discuss the different types of Bibliographies.
3. Discuss the importance of biographical sources. Evaluate any one of them.
4. State and explain briefly different types of geographical sources of information.
5. Write a detailed note on ‘Trend Report’.
6. Explain the importance and techniques of user studies in libraries.
7. Discuss the objectives, services and publications of NASSDOC.
8. Write notes on **any THREE** of the following :
  - a) Dictionaries.
  - b) International encyclopaedia of social sciences.
  - c) Microforms.
  - d) Community information services.
  - e) BIOSIS.

**SECTION – B**

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9. Write a detailed note on MEDLARS.





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**Paper – VI : Fundamentals of Information Technology**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 75/85

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3) *Section B is compulsory for 85 marks scheme.*  
4) *Answer any FIVE questions.*  
5) *All questions carry equal marks.*

SECTION – A

1. What is a Computer ? Explain the various components of a computer with examples.
2. Trace the historical perspective of computers.
3. What is Network ? Explain in detail different types of network.
4. What do you mean by Software ? Discuss features and functions of system software and application software.
5. What is Internet ? Explain the applications of Internet in Library and Information Services.
6. Define File Organisation. Discuss in detail various methods of File Organisation.
7. What is Telecommunication ? Explain various communication devices and channels with examples.
8. Write notes on **any THREE** of the following :
  - a) Network topologies.
  - b) Flowcharting.
  - c) Signals.
  - d) Application IT in libraries.
  - e) Internet services.

SECTION – B

**(Compulsory for 85 marks scheme only)**

9. Explain the various data transmission channels.
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