## POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN LIBRARY AUTOMATION AND NETWORKING (PGDLAN)

# Term-End Examination December, 2016

### MLI-001: INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTERS

Time: 2 hours

Maximum Marks: 50

(Weightage: 40%)

Note: Answer all questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Illustrate your answers with suitable examples and diagrams, wherever necessary. Write relevant question number before writing the answer.

1.1 Describe the Virtual Machine Operating System. 10

#### OR

- **1.2** Differentiate between Primary and Secondary memory. Describe its different types.
- 2.1 Explain the advantages of windows operating system over DOS operating system. Describe in brief the different versions of windows.

#### OR

**2.2** Explain data compression techniques in detail.

3.1 Identify the technological characteristics of National Information Infrastructure and discuss its components.

#### OR

- **3.2** Differentiate with examples the sequential and direct access storage devices.
- **4.1** Explain data communication and discuss the elements of data communication in Shannon Weaver Model.

#### OR

- **4.2** Explain the Mail-Merge facility in MS-Word.
- 5.0 Write short notes on any two of the following 10 (in about 250 words each):
  - (a) Wireless Communication
  - (b) Information Economy
  - (c) Partitioning Disks
  - (d) Control Panel in Windows
  - (e) Barcode and QR-Codes