POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN LIBRARY AUTOMATION AND NETWORKING (PGDLAN)

Term-End Examination

December, 2013

MLI-002 : LIBRARY AUTOMATION

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   Explain what is meant by 'library automation'. Describe Hayes model for successive periods of library automation.

OR

1.2   Briefly explain the steps involved in planning of library automation.

2.1   What is retro - conversion ?   Explain the advantages and disadvantages associated with in house retro - conversion.

OR

2.2   What do you mean by 'bibliography' ? Describe its different types and explain the need for bibliographic service in a library.

3.1 Explain in brief the functional features of computerised acquisition system of a library.

OR

3.2 Describe the functional features of serials control system in an automated environment.

4.1 Define the concept of electronic document delivery service (EDDC). Discuss various steps involved in the process of EDDS.

OR

4.2 What is meant by digital reference service ? How is it different from traditional reference service ?

5.0 Write short notes on **any two** of the following (in about **250** words each) :

    (a)   UNIMARC

    (b)   Management Information System

    (c)   Current Awareness Service

    (d)   Proximity Searching

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