

**POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN
BOOK PUBLISHING**

Term-End Examination

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December, 2017

**MBP-006 : EDITING SCIENTIFIC, TECHNICAL
AND MEDICAL BOOKS**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

*Note : This question paper has **five compulsory** questions. Attempt each question in about 300 words, unless otherwise instructed.*

1. Write a note giving your assessment of the current book publishing scenario in India with special reference to STM books. 20

OR

What are 'Citations' and 'References' ? Explain the conventions followed in providing citations and references in scientific books.

2. Discuss the guidelines to be adopted while editing the content of a scientific research document. 20

OR

What are the main aspects to be considered while designing multimedia for scientific communication ?

3. Discuss how visual elements can be used appropriately in technical books. 20

OR

Explain the advantages and limitations of E-books.

4. Attempt a broad classification of medical writing. Briefly describe the resources available to help you in editing medical writing. 20

OR

Explain the various steps in editing a medical research report.

5. Write short notes of about 150 words each on any *two* of the following : 10+10=20

- (a) Internationalisation and Localisation of Content in STM Books
 - (b) Types of E-books
 - (c) Editing a Scientific Research Document for Style Related Issues
 - (d) Editing Technical Instructions and Manuals
 - (e) Editing Tables in Scientific Documents
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