

POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN LIBRARY AUTOMATION AND  
NETWORKING (PGDLAN)

Term-End Examination

December, 2019

MLI-001 : INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTERS

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

(Weightage : 40%)

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*Note :* Answer all questions. All questions carry equal marks. Illustrate your answers with suitable examples and diagrams, wherever necessary. Write relevant questions number before writing the answer.

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1.1 Differentiate between Sequential Access Storage Devices and Direct Access Storage Devices. 10

OR

Explain the data compression techniques and strategies.

1.2 Explain the Shannon Weaver Model with the help of its six elements. 10

OR

Enumerate the modes of transmission and describe any one of them.

1.3 Discuss the process of partitioning disks in MS-DOS with types of partitions. 10

OR

Discuss the concept of shell scripts in UNIX with the help of shell variables.

1.4 Explain the meaning of Wizards and Templates in creating a Word Document with examples. 10

OR

What is spreadsheet ? Explain its features.

1.5 Write short notes on any two of the following (in about 250 words each) : 10

- (a) Communication Software
- (b) Radio Buttons in Windows
- (c) File Allocation Table
- (d) Extended Memory