

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

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2023**

**MLI-002 : LIBRARY AUTOMATION**

*Time : 2 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 50*

*Weightage : 40%*

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

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1. Discuss the steps in the implementation of library automation.

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Describe Hayes' model for the history of library automation.

2. What do you understand by 'Integrated Library Automation System' ? Discuss the factors involved in vendors providing such systems.

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*Or*

Discuss the steps involved in planning library automation.

3. Describe in brief the functional features of circulation control system.

*Or*

Describe in brief the functional features of serial control system of a library automation software.

4. Describe the various kinds of Internet information sources used in searching reference queries.

*Or*

What is an 'expert system' ? Explain how expert system is useful in handling reference queries in a library and information centre.

5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following in about **250** words each :
  - (a) Copy cataloguing
  - (b) CCF
  - (c) Proximity Searching
  - (d) Electronic Clipping Services.

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