

MAY 2016

P/ID 5952/MSB

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer any FIVE questions.

(5 × 20 = 100)

1. Enumerate and describe with examples different types of information sources.
2. What is translation service? Discuss the need for translation service in a research library.
3. What is Bibliography? Describe the scope and functions of bibliographies.
4. Define dictionaries. Mention the different types of dictionaries and their functions.
5. Describe various non-print types of materials and examine their importance in a special library.
6. Explain the need for evaluating information sources. Give the various steps used for evaluation.
7. What do you understand by secondary sources of information? Explain their importance in the reference value.

8. Define database. Enumerate the various types and significance of databases.
 9. Write short notes on any THREE of the following :
 - (a) Selective Dissemination of Information.
 - (b) Periodicals.
 - (c) Information networks.
 - (d) Information Sources in Social Sciences.
 - (e) Current Awareness Service.
 - (f) Patents.
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