2016

B.LI.Sc.

1st Semester Examination ADMINISTRATION OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION CENTRES—I

PAPER-BLI-102

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer all questions.

- 1. Write short notes on any two of the following: 2×5
 - (a) Acquisition section functions.
 - (b) Annual report-items to be included.
 - (c) Library rules.
- 2. (a) Discuss functions of administration as propounded by Luther Gullick in the light of libraries and information centres.

Or

- (b) State the pre-requisites of a book selection policy.
 Discuss the principles of book selection as propounded by Francis K. W. Drury.
- 3. (a) What do you mean by 'Library records'? State different Library records which are generally kept in a library. Discuss any two such records mentioning their advantages.
 2+3+10

Or

(b) (i) The data given below represent cost of books (in Rs.) of 30 books in a library. Prepare a frequency distribution table by taking class boundaries so that their mid-values are 155, 165, 175 and so on.

210	230	170	150	190	200
160	155	180	180	175	220
200	160	195	170	205	150
185	182	190	200	165	160
170	165	170	210	180	190

(ii) Define and calculate mode form the following frequency distribution table: 2+6

No. of references	No. of articles
per article	
15 - 25	3
25 – 35	. 5
35 – 45	. 7
45 – 55	9
55 – 65	8
65 – 75	6
75 – 85	2