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BLISc

1st Semester Examination LIBRARY AND SOCIETY-I

PAPER-BLI-101

Subject Code-07

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) Objectives of a University library.
 - (b) NAPLIS.
 - (c) Contributions of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan.
- 2. (a) (i) Compare the libraries of the Assyrian and Babylonian kingdoms. > 8
 - (ii) Explain the functions of a public library. 7

Or

- (b) (i) Discuss the role of libraries in the society. 6
 - (ii) What is a 'special library'? Describe the services provided by a special library. 2+7
- 3. (a) (i) Discuss the role of UNESCO in the library movement in India.
 - (ii) State the objectives and activities of RRRLF. 8

 Or
 - (b) What do you mean by resource sharing and networking of libraries? Explain their need. Describe the barriers of resource sharing in libraries. 2+5+8