

2015

M.LI.Sc.

1st Semester Examination

INFORMATION RETRIEVAL - I

PAPER—MLI-105

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) Shunting Mechanism in PRECIS.
 - (b) Grey Literature.
 - (c) Shannon Weaver Model.

2. (a) Justify the importance of Subject Headings in information retrieval. Explain Chain Procedure with suitable example. 5+10

Or

(Turn Over)

(b) Mention the characteristic features of Thesaurus. Discuss hierarchical relationships with suitable examples. 5+10

3. (a) Categorize the type of users of different libraries. Discuss the implication of Wilson's Model in rendering information services to different user groups. 8+7

Or

(b) Explain the UNITERM System of indexing. Compare UNITERM with 'tags' of Folksonomies. 10+5
