

- (v) 'World of Learning' is brought out by which publisher ?
- (vi) Mention Three logical operators used in Boolean search.
- (vii) Name a reference source to find information regarding 'population in India.'
- (viii) 'Common Wealth University Yearbook' is published by which organisation ?
- (ix) 'Index India' is published by which agency?
- (x) "Dissertation Abstract International" is published by which organisation ?

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**Master of Library. &
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II) Examination, 2007-08
LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCE**

Seventh Paper

Information Sources and Services

Time : Three Hours

Full Marks : 70

*(Write your Roll No. at the top immediately on the
receipt of this question paper)*

Note: Marks for question in each section are indicated.

SECTION - A

Note: Long Answer Type Questions. Answer in approximately **500** words. Each question carries **15** marks.

- 1.1** What are the different kinds of information sources ? Discuss the importance of primary sources in research & development.

OR

1.2 Explain secondary sources of information. Discuss their role in the dissemination of nascent information.

2.1 Enumerate the various categories of reference sources. Discuss the criteria of their evaluation.

OR

Discuss the scope, arrangement, treatment and special features of 'British National Bibliography'.

SECTION - B

Note: Short Answer Type Questions. answer in approximately **250** words. Each question carries **10** marks.

3.1 Explain the concept of selective Dissemination of Information (SDI). Describe its various steps.

OR

3.2 Describe the need for translation service in Libraries. Also mention some important pools & tools of translation.

4.1 Briefly evaluate 'Mc Graw-Hill Encyclopedia of Science & Technology'.

OR

4.2 Discuss scope & treatment of 'New Encyclopaedia Britannica'.

5.1 Explain abstracting service & evaluate any one abstracting service in Science & Technology.

OR

5.2 Give an evaluative account of 'Oxford English Dictionary' (OED).

SECTION - C

Note: Objective Type Questions. Answer may be in one word or one to three sentences. Each question carries **1** mark.

6. Answer the following :

(i) What is the periodicity of 'current Contents'?

(ii) Write the name of an abstracting service that provides BASIC index to subjects.

(iii) UNESCO publishes which index to provide information regarding translations ?

(iv) 'Indian Science Abstract' is published by which organisation in India ?