## UNIT-III

5. Explain the key features of any two ILMS software available in present market. 14

6. Write a detailed note on the meaning, scope and methods of "Retro Conversion". Elaborate on the role of INFLIBNET in automating University Libraries in India. 14

## UNIT-IV

7. What is "Library Consortia". Explain the salient features of e-shodhsindhu and CSIR. 14

8. Highlight the key trends in library automation with reference to "Artificial Intelligence" techniques. 14

## UNIT-V

9. Describe the importance of standardization in library automation. Explain any five automation related standard applicable for libraries. 14

10. Write a short note on any two of the following : 7x2=14

    (i) MARC21

    (ii) Dublin Core

    (iii) SOUL

    (iv) Koha

    (v) OPAC and Web-OPAC

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# PG Odd Semester Examination, 2022

## LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCE

(3rd Semester)

Course No.: LISCC-303

**(Library Automation)**

*Full Marks: 70*

*Pass Marks: 28*

*Time: 3 hours*

*The figures in the right margin indicate full marks for the question.*
*Answer any five questions, taking one from each unit.*

## UNIT-I

1. Explain the meaning and importance of "Library Automation". Elaborate the advantages of automated library systems over manual library system with suitable example. 14

2. Explain the steps and factors to be considered in planning and implementation of library automation with special reference to University Library. 14

## UNIT-II

3. What is the role of auto-identification techniques in automating libraries? Explain with appropriate example. 14

4. What is "Library Housekeeping Operations"? List the major activities of housekeeping operation an integrated library management software, should have for the efficient functioning of the library. 14