2012

Time : 3 hours
Full Marks : 100

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.
The questions are of equal value.
Answer from both the Groups as directed.

Group – A
(Objective Type Questions)

Answer all questions:

1. Choose the correct answer of the following:
   (a) What is the number of volumes of Encyclopaedia of Islam?
   (i) 12
   (ii) 24
   (iii) 36
   (iv) 13
   (b) The Language of Buddhist manuscript is:
   (i) Sanskrit

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(ii) Hindi
(iii) Chinese
(iv) Pali

(c) The Language of Hadith is:
(i) Persian
(ii) Herben
(iii) Arabic
(iv) Urdu

(d) Who has introduced the term Information Retrieval?
(i) H. P. Luhan
(ii) Feraden
(iii) Cheyne and Gillyoraki
(iv) S. Ranganathan

(e) Who is the major user of Information?
(i) Public
(ii) Teacher
(iii) Researcher
(iv) Student

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(f) Who wrote the first book on Reference Service in India?
(i) B. N. Keshwan
(ii) P. N. Kola
(iii) Ranganathan
(iv) None of them

(g) Two languages Dictionary is known as:
(i) Multilingual
(ii) Unilingual
(iii) Bilingual
(iv) None of these

(h) Where is Guinness Book of World Records published?
(i) New York
(ii) Delhi
(iii) London
(iv) Washington

(i) In _____ introduced the term information facets?
(i) 1960

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(i) 1955
(ii) 1965
(iii) 1959
(iv) Birth place of Sher Shah was:
(i) Bihar
(ii) Punjab
(iii) Delhi
(iv) Afghanistan

Group — B

(Long-answer Type Questions)

Answer any four questions:

2. What is the importance of reference service in Oriental Libraries?

3. Explain the importance of manuscripts.

4. Define the term ‘Information’. How it differs from Information Work and Information Services?

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5. How many types of Encyclopaedia?

6. Name some important Libraries of India famous for manuscript:

7. Write short notes on the following:
   
   (a) Khuda Bakhsh Khan
   
   (b) Sir Syed Ahmad Khan

8. Explain the important feature of the following reference tools.
   
   (a) Encyclopaedia of Islam
   
   (b) Kitabul Fahrist
   
   (c) India: A Reference Annual

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9. What do you understand by Reference Service? Describe the characteristics of "Short and long range reference service".

10. "Information is a vital source of power." Explain.

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