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**Second Semester**

**Paper I—INFORMATION SOURCES, SYSTEMS AND SERVICES**

(2023 Admission – Regular / 2022 Admission – Supplementary / 2019-2021 Admissions –  
Mercy Chance)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Answer the following questions, each in about 50 words :

- 1 Publisher of Guinness world Records.
- 2 Human sources.
- 3 Differentiate bibliography and documentation list.
- 4 Differentiate yearbook and almanacs.
- 5 Web of knowledge.
- 6 Write an Appropriate source to find information about sports events in Asian countries during the last week.
- 7 INB.
- 8 LISA.
- 9 Science Direct.
10. Propedia.

(10 × 2 = 20)

II. Write notes on any *five* of the following, in about 200 words each :

- 1 AGRINDEX.
- 2 Differentiate Ready reference and Long range reference service.
- 3 IFLA.
- 4 INIS.
- 5 Referral service.





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- 6 Tertiary sources.
- 7 FID.
- 8 Information search.

(5 × 6 = 30)

III. Write essays on any *two* of the following in about 1000 words each :

- 1 Explain the characteristics and uses of primary published and unpublished sources.
- 2 What is user education ? Discuss the various facets of user education.
- 3 What is bibliographic control ? Discuss the role of NISCAIR in controlling Science and Technology literature in India.
- 4 What is SDI ? Explain the mechanism of computerized SDI system

(2 × 15 = 30)

