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B. Lib.I.Sc. DEGREE (C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, JULY 2026

Second Semester

LI20CT05—ACADEMIC PUBLISHING

(2025 Admissions - Regular / 2024 Admissions—Supplementary)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Weight : 30

Part A

*Answer any **eight** questions in half a page each.
Weight 1 each.*

1. Enumerate types of academic publishing and give one example to each type
2. List two tools used for creating e-content
3. What is a content management system ? Give one example
4. Expand the term WIPO and state its purpose
5. Expand the acronyms ISBN, ISSN, DOI
6. What do you mean by peer review ?
7. Name any two leading academic publishers in the world
8. Elucidate the concept "Publish or perish"
9. Ethical issues in academic publishing
10. Define academic publishing

(8 × 1 = 8)

Part B (Short Essay Questions)

*Answer any **six** questions in one page each.
Weight 2 each.*

11. Describe the major features of MOOCs
12. Explain the purpose of an ORCID ID and its benefits for researchers
13. Discuss the challenges faced in the academic publishing process
14. Discuss the significance of open learning in higher education





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15. Explain the peer review process and its significance in maintaining publication quality
16. Explain open access publishing and its advantages
17. Discuss the process of scholarly communication
18. Discuss the features of the Vidwan Database

(6 × 2 = 12)

Part C (Essay Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions in three pages each.
Weight 5 each.*

19. Critically examine the importance of publication ethics in academic research
20. Explain the significance of H-Index, Impact factor and Cite score in measuring research output.
21. Explain the process of e-content development in detail
22. Discuss the role of academic libraries and institutional repositories in supporting academic publishing

(2 × 5 = 10)

