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LSH 503

**Third Semester M.L.I.Sc. Degree Examination, December 2018
(CBCS)
LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE
Research Methods in Librarianship**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Note : 1) There are **three** Sections viz., Section **A, B** and **C**.
2) Marks are indicated against **each** Section.

SECTION – A

I. Write brief answers to the following.

(10×2=20)

- 1) What is applied research ?
- 2) Name any two online sources used for literature review.
- 3) Distinguish between questionnaire and interview schedule.
- 4) What is obsolescence ?
- 5) What is tabulation ?
- 6) Expand MLA.
- 7) What is Delphi method ?
- 8) What is bibliometrics ?
- 9) Differentiate between mean and mode.
- 10) What is bibliographic coupling ?

SECTION – B

II. Write short notes on **any four** of the following.

(4×5=20)

- 11) Scientific method.
- 12) Case study method.

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- 13) Selection of research problem.
- 14) SPSS.
- 15) Webometrics.
- 16) Report writing.

SECTION – C

III. Write answers to **any two** of the following.

(2×15=30)

- 17) What is research ? Discuss the different areas of research in LIS.
 - 18) State and explain the different types of hypotheses with suitable examples.
 - 19) Write a detailed note on APA style manual.
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