2022

M.Lib.I.Sc. Second Semester Examination Course – 201

(Information Economics and Knowledge Management)

Full Marks-40

Time—2 Hours

The figures in the right hand side margin indicate marks.

Answer Question No. 1 any two from the remaining:

- 1. Write short notes on *any two* of the following: 5×2
 - (a) Information as a Commodity
 - (b) Characteristics of Marketable goods
 - (c) Digital Divide
 - (d) Embeded Knowledge
- 2. (a) Define the term 'Information'. What are the barriers to proper dissemination of Information?

 5+10
 - (b) Why is marketing of Information products and service very important? What are the methods of marketing those in a Public Library? Which one of these is best according to you? Give reasons.

 4+4+7

- (c) Define knowledge society. What are the factors that have led to the emergence of a knowledge society? Describe the features of such a society.

 3+6+6
- (d) What is knowledge Management? Discuss the practical approach and strategies of a knowledge Management System. 5+10