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M.Lib.I.Sc DEGREE EXAMINATION, AUGUST 2023

Fourth Semester

LS020401—INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY APPLICATIONS IN LIS (Theory)

(2021 Admissions–Regular/2020 Admissions–Supplementary)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

Answer any **eight** of the following in not exceeding one page.

Each question carries a weight of 1.

Intranet 2. Webcasts.
 Consortia. 4. Blogs.
 Metadata.
 Podcast.
 Digital sources.
 WebOPAC.
 Open source.

 $(8 \times 1 = 8)$

Part B

Write essays on any **six** of the following, in not exceeding three pages.

Each question carries a weight of 2.

- 1. Trace the evolutionary history of Internet.
- 2. Explain semantic web.
- 3. What are the characteristics of Library 2.0?
- 4. What are the features of open access sources?
- 5. Explain the scope and characteristics of digital libraries.
- 6. Discuss the major digital library initiatives in India.
- 7. Explain Digital Rights Management.
- 8. Explain the characteristics of cloud computing.

 $(6 \times 2 = 12)$

Part C

Write essays on any **two** of the following questions. Each question carries a weight of 5.

- 1. Describe the Internet services.
- 2. Explain the prerequisites for the creation of a digital library.
- 3. Define artificial intelligence. Explain the applications of Artificial Intelligence in libraries.
- 4. Describe the collection development procedures in digital libraries.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

