

Indian Statistical Institute

Documentation Research and Trainings Centre, Bangalore

Department of Library and Information Science

Time: 1 hr 30

Sem. I Midterm Exam (AY 2026-27)

Paper- 02: Information Organization (Theory)

Date 08.09.2025; 11:30am to 1:00pm Max Marks :40

Time:1hr 30 minutes

Attempt any *Three* questions. All questions carry equal marks, except Q4 and Q5 which are of 14 marks each.

Q1 (a) Define an array? Name its four canons .

(b). Illustrate the principles of Helpful Sequence with suitable examples from the CC and the DDC.

Q2. (a)What is Classification. What is the method of classifying. What is a characteristic?

(b) What is a Call Number, explain its structure. Write functions of book numbers.

Q3 (a) Define notation. State its need and functions in Library Classification.

(b) State hospitality of notation devices in the DDC and the CC.

Q4. Explain the implications of the 3rd, 4th and 5th Law of Library Science for library classification. [This question is of 14 marks]

Q5. Write Notes on any *Two* of the followings. [This question is of 14 marks]

5.1 Principles of Facet Sequence Rounds and Levels

5.2 What is the significance of APUPA pattern? How it is formed.

5.3 State various manifestations and uses of classification in daily life and work.

5.4 State the modes of formation of Interdisciplinary subjects.

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Paper 02: Information Organization (Practice)

Date: September 8 (Time 2 to 3:30 PM)

Max Marks 40

Time 1:30 hrs

This is question-cum answers sheet. Write the class number against the title.
Use Separate sheets for rough work. Also submit the rough work sheets along
with answers sheets

Classify any Nine titles selecting 3 titles each from Parts I-III. Title in Part IV
is compulsory. All titles carry equal marks.

Part –I (Colon Classification)

- 1 Indian Journal of World history (started in 2000)
2. Influence of geography on history (Geopolitics)
3. Cataloguing of microfilms in medical libraries
4. Powers of the Prime minister of UK
5. Cold Storage of Wheat in Summer

Part –II (Dewey Decimal Classification)

1. X-ray Treatment of Heart Diseases
2. History of British India.

3. Journal of Educational Curriculum
4. Geometry for Painters
5. Gitanjali by Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore(1861-1941)
6. Holy books of the Jains

Part –III (Universal Decimal Classification Decimal Classification)

1. Hindi Grammar
2. Bengali Poetry
3. History of library classification; the book is in Russian language
4. Cricket Match between India and Australia on 16 September 2020
- 5 Netra Chakitsa : Quarterly Indian Journal of Heart Diseases (in Hindi language) (Published by AIIMS, New Delhi)

Part –IV (All the three systems) Classify the following title by CC, DDC and UDC

History of India from 1857-1947