

MASTER OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCES
Third Semester
RESEARCH METHODOLOGY
(MLS - 303)

Duration: 3Hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Part-A (Objective) =20
Part-B (Descriptive) =50

(PART-B: Descriptive)

Duration: 2 hrs. 40 mins.

Marks: 50

Answer any four from Question no. 2 to 8
Question no. 1 is compulsory.

1. Write short notes on: (*any two*) (5+5=10)
 - a. Sampling
 - b. Variables
 - c. Report Writing
 - d. Citation Style Manuals
2. Briefly describe the different steps involved in research. (10)
3. What are the techniques and approaches involved in defining and identification of a research problem? (10)
4. What are the important concepts relating to research design? Explain. (10)
5. What is hypothesis? What are the different types of hypothesis? Explain the importance of hypothesis in research activities. (3+3+4=10)
6. Enumerate the different methods of collecting data. Explain Primary and Secondary Data Collection with examples. (4+6=10)
7. Discuss about measures of Mean, Mode and Median briefly with examples. Explain the importance of statistical measures in research activities. (6+4=10)
8. What is Delphi Method? Explain the importance of this method in the context of modern environment. (5+5=10)