

Ex/ML/06/12/2017

**MASTER OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION
SCIENCE EXAMINATION, 2017**

(1st Semester)

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Paper : ML-06

Full Marks : 40

Time : Two Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Answer *all* questions.

- 1.(A) What is a research proposal ? Discuss the general guideline for formulation of an academic research proposal. 3+12=15

Or,

- 1.(B) What is a research report ? Discuss the structure and contents of an academic research report. 3+12=15

- 2.(A) What do you mean by historical method of research ? What purpose does it serve ? Briefly describe the different sources of historical data. 2+3+10=15

Or,

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2. (B) What is meant by a questionnaire ? What are its different types ? State in brief the essential qualities of a good questionnaire. $2+8+5=15$

3. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : $5 \times 2 = 10$

(a) Little science and Big science.

(b) Action research.

(c) Variables.

(d) Stratified random sampling.
