

Paper- III: Library Classification (Practice)

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Note: - Two questions will be set from each section. Fifth question will be attempted from section C.

Section – A: Dewey decimal classification (ed. 19th and 20th)

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1. Introduction, structure and organization, definition, notes and instruction of journals:
2. Use of relative index Ascertaining specific subjects.
3. Class number building practices.
4. Use of Table – 1, standard sub-divisions.
5. Use of Table – 2 to 7.
6. Multiple synthesis and order of precedence.

Section – B: Colon Classification (ed. 6th revised)

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1. Introduction, application of postulates and principles in facet analysis and synthesis.
2. Round and levels: Connecting symbols.
3. Common isolate/phase relation.
4. Devices, system and specials.
5. Examples from main classes: Generalia and Library science, humanities and social science, physical and biological science.

Section – C: Universal Decimal Classification (UDC) (Abridge eg.)

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Practical classification of very simple titles involving the use of the following tables and techniques.

1. place Auxiliaries
2. Time Auxiliaries
3. Relations.

Books Recommended:

1. Dewey, M., Decimal classification and relative index, 19th ed. New York, Lake placid, 1979.
2. Ranganathan, S.R., Colon Classification 6th revised edition Bombay Asia, 1964.
3. Universal Decimal Classification (Abridged edition)