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## 4.2.1 Library is automated with digital facilities using Integrated Library Management system (ILMS), adequate subscriptions to e-resources and journals are made. The library is optimally used by the faculty and the students.

Library is the heart-throb of the Institute which is working successfully on the road of development since the inception of the Institute.

The Institution has a well-furnished fully automated Library with an adequately rich collection of over 21097 books including text books & reference books as well as national and international journals. Competitive books, research journals and magazines are displayed open and freely available to all users. The institute has a digital library well equipped with 12 computers with high speed Wi-Fi enabled internet facility to access information by the students and staff for their academic pursuits with an open access to e- books, e- Journal and other e-resources.

The Institute is using ILMS (Integrated Library Management System): LIBSYS for automation of the library that includes bar-coding of books that can be accessed through Online Public Access Catalogue (Web OPAC). The key features of the module include single screen issue, return and renewal, book reservation facility including checking of books account etc.

In addition to E- content providers NPTEL and NDLI, the institute has also subscribed EBSCO & DELNET, as just a few of the many e- resources in the library as a part of digitalization:

- EBSCO EBSCO-Engineering Core Collection
- DELNET membership Full text and bibliographic resources available on the portal. Also provides inert-library load (ILL) services of books and articles to the member libraries.
- National Digital Library of India (NDLI) membership- All faculty and students can make use of free digital books and documents accessible in the nation's digital libraries.
- Web OPAC- The whole library collection is browsed and searched through Web OPAC and books can be located with classification numbers, on the shelves as shown against the columns.
- Open access-The system of open access is in practice in the library of the Institute that means completely transparent to users
- E-Books- Library of the Institute has subscribed 1600 EBSCO ebooks
- Digital Services The library caters digital services of the previous years' Question Papers, Syllabus and Newspaper clippings of very important National and International events including those of college activities and different occasions.
- Remote Access Facility-all the students and the staff of the institute can avail the facility to access e-resources subscribed by using remote access facility in addition to the general library facilities.
- Library Card -Every student and every employee of the institute has been issued a digitized library card with a unique identity number.
- There is a separate reading section for staff and the girl students



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- One period has been allocated in the time tables for students of all the classes for the library as well. The library is also kept open even on holidays and Sundays before and during the university examinations.
- Library services:
  - 1. New Arrivals are published in real time via OPAC
  - 2. Exclusive section of the digital library has 12 computers within the library
  - 3. Reprography facility is available in the library
  - 4. Library operations are based on bar code technology
- 5. All journal and magazines openly and freely available