

## **Abbreviations Used**

AACR	Anglo American Cataloguing Rules
AICTE	All India Council of Technical Education
ALS	Automated Library System
AMC	Annual Maintenance Contract
AOL	American On-Line
BARC	Baba Atomic Research Center
BRS	Bibliographic Retrieval Services
CALIBNET	Calcutta Library and Information Network
CARS	Computer Aided Reference Catalogue Records
CAS	Current Awareness Services
CD-ROM	Compact Disc Read Only Memory
CDS/ISIS Systems	Computerized Documentation System / Integrated Set for Information
CLSI	Computer Library System Inc.
CMC	Computer Maintenance Corporation
DELNET	Developing Libraries Network
DESIDOC	Defense Science Information and Documentation Center
E-Journals	Electronics Journals
E-mail	Electronics Mail
IBM	International Business Machine
ICT	Information Communication Technology
IGNOU	Indira Gandhi National Open University
ILL	Inter Library Loan
ILS	Integrated Library Systems

INDEST	Indian National Digital Library Engineering
INFLIBNET	Information and Library Network
INSDOC	Indian National Scientific and Documentation Center
INSPEC	International Information Services to Physics and Engineering Communities
IOS	Information Outlets
ISBD	International Standard Bibliographic Description
ISI	Indian Statistical Institute
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
IT	Information Technology
JCCC	J-gate Gate Custom Content for Consortia
J-Gate	Journal Gate
KWIC	Keyword – in- Context
LAN	Local Area Network
LMS	Library Management Software
LIBRIS	Library Information Science
LLSAPs	Local Library System Automation Projects
MARC	Machine Readable Catalogue Records
MS-DOS	Micro Soft Disc Operating System
MSN	Microsoft Network
MY SQL	My Structured Query Language
NISSAT	National Information System for Science and Technology
OAR	Open Access Resources
OCLC	Online Computers Library Center
OPAC	Online Public Access Catalogue
PCs	Personal Computers
PhD	Doctor of Philosophy

PG	Post Graduate
R & D	Research and Development
RAM	Random Access Memory
RAD	Resources Description and Access
RFID	Radio Frequency Identification
RSS	Really Simple Syndicate
SDI	Selective Dissemination Network
SOUL	Software for University Libraries
TB	Tera Byte
TCP/IP	Transmission Control Protocol / Internet Protocol
TOFEL	Test of English and Foreign Languages
UGC	University Grants Commission
UGC-INFONET	UGC Information Networks
UNESCO	United National Educational Scientific and Cultural
UNIMAR	Universal Machine Readable Catalogue Records
URL	Uniform Resource Locator
VTLS	Virginia Technology Library Solutions
WLN	Washington Library Network
WW	World Wide Web
XML	Extensible Mark Language