

SHRI SAHNKARRAO BEZALWAR ARTS AND COMMERCE COLLEGE, AHERI DIST. GADCHIROLI

4.2.1. Library is automated using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS)

Data Requirement: Provide a description of the library with

- **Name of the ILMS software:**
- **Nature of automation (full or partial)**
- **Version:**
- **Year of automation**

The S. B. College is one of the reputed institutions supporting the education in the field of Arts and Commerce from 1983. The facilities provided in the institution are meeting the expectations of the academicians in the learning environment. The institution is having a good library which caters the needs of the faculty, students and staff in providing the required learning resources at the right time. The college library consists of a central library together with twelve departmental libraries which collectively support the teaching, research and extension programs of the institution. The library occupies 700 sq. feet area for books and 250 sq. areas for reading room. The central library is partially automated in the year 2017 with INFLIBNET software developed by INFLIBNET,

Circulation Section: Circulation Section is placed on the first floor equipped with two computer terminals for transactions, one RFID work station, One Issue Kiosk, One book drop box and two flap barriers. Loan Books, Issue of RFID ID cards, Issue and Return of books, collection of fines, User statistics etc. Users scan their ID cards on the Flap barriers and enter into library, drop the books in the Book drop box, issue books on the self-issue kiosk on their own.

Cataloguing and circulation is done by using this software.

The Library has installed OPAC to facilitate the search of books, e books.

For the use of online periodicals and e books and journals the library has subscribed to ENLIST.

The Users are allowed to access the computers and download data they want and e books they want to download. Photocopying facility is also made available in the central library.

Periodical Section: The Periodical section in the central library is well designed to sit for longer hours to refer the Journals, Magazines and Newspapers. Computer OPAC system is placed to search the catalogue of periodicals at the entrance of the section.

OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue) Users after entering into the library, they can check the status of the materials available in the library through the OPAC module. Computer systems are placed near the entrance of the library for checking the status of the books and the user accounts on their own.

☐ Number of computers for student access (OPAC) – 03

☐ Number of printers for student access– 01

☐ Internet band width/speed – 100 Mbps

☐ Institutional Repository– Students Project Reports, Anna University Previous

Years Question Banks, Faculty Publications (manuscript).

2. Nature of Automation– partially

3. Version – 6

4. Year of Automation – 2017

Library has a book collection of more than 8500 books, 20 periodical, and subscribe to 08 national dallies. Book database is not created and the books are issued manually by the library assistant.

Librarian Cabin: Librarian cabin is placed in the same room from where he/ she monitor all the issuing activities. **Geo Tagged Photos of the library and facilities:**



Photo 1: OPA



Photo 2: Students Searching on OPAC



Photo 3: Books Issue Counter



Photo 4. Librarian at his chair monitoring



Photo 5: Library assistant at the Book issue counter



Photo 6. Racks, periodicals rack, Books racks and reading desks for staff



Photo 7. Books racks with catalogue counter