

#### VASANTDADA SUGAR INSTITUTE

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Infrastructure & Learning Resources

# **Criterion IV**

### **Library Facility**

VSI Library established along with the VSI to support the achieving organization goals and fulfill the information needs of the users. Library is located in main building on the first floor with a total carpet area is of **465 Sq. Mtrs.** It has a separate staff and students reading room facility. Library is utilized by scientists, faculties, students and industry specialist for Academic, Administrative and Research work. Library allows open access system for its users.

The library has upgraded **iSLIM** Web-based library management system which provides **iOPAC**. The library functioning is partial automated. This Integrated Library Management System (ILMS) is used to manage all library collation including books, journals, magazines, back volumes of journals, etc. Barcode system is used in the library to issue and return the books. All functions like Issuing, return, renewal, reports generation, stock verification, OPAC etc. are used. With the added features of iSLIM readers can easily access the library **iOPAC** by LAN and search the library collection by title, author, publisher and subject keywords.

Library also facilitates digital library management software, **Document Management System** (**DMS**) for content management. An institutional Repository (IR) is created using this software and access to this repository is available by LAN. In the IR institute publications, proceedings, syllabus, question papers, notes, important documents of the organization uploaded by library in **DMS** database. This repository is rapidly growing.

At present the library is stocked with 16271 books, including back volumes of journals, technical and research reports, IS Standards, Ph.D. Thesis, Patents, Proceedings, directories, abstracts, market reports, international research papers, CD/DVDs and many more in printed and non-printed format. Library subscribes 11 newspapers daily and 36 national and international journals annually in printed and electronic format. The library has also taken membership of IASLIC on annual bases for library updates.



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Library having repository of Wine, Brewing & Alcohol Technology and Environmental Science books along with allied subjects like Sugar Technology & Engineering, Agriculture Science, Chemical Technology, Sugarcane by products, Alcohol Technology, Management, Law, Economics, Statistics, Computers, Encyclopaedias are available.

#### **Library Services:**

- Reading and lending service
- Assistance in the use of the library catalogue and locating documents
- Reference and information services
- Current Awareness Services (CAS)
- Selective Dissemination of Information (SDI)
- Online database search & bibliographic services
- Reprographic services
- Maintenance of News Paper Clippings
- Maintenance of vertical files containing pamphlets, content page of journals, research articles, reports, and question papers.
- Exhibition and special displays.
- Printing, Scanning and E-mail service
- Online Public Access Catalogue Service (OPAC)

#### **Membership Subscription**

- 1. ISSCT Congress Proceedings
- 2. Australian Society of Sugar Cane Technologists Ltd. (ASSCT) Papers
- 3. STAI Proceedings
- 4. IHS Markit Agribusiness UK Ltd.

#### **Open Sources E-Resources**

- 1. National Digital Library of India (NDL)
- 2. E-PG-Pathshala
- 3. UGC- Consortium for Academic and Research Ethics (UGC-CARE)
- 4. MDPI-Open Access Journals
- 5. ICAR-E-Journal Portal
- 6. Research Gate



