

UNIVERSITY OF RUHUNA
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FISHERIES AND MARINE SCIENCES DEGREE
Level I Semester I – August/ September - 2018
FSC 1140 – Information Literacy and Library Skills
Essay Paper
Answer three (03) questions only

Time: 01 Hour

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- 1.
- 1.1. Briefly explain **any two** of the following [50 Marks]
a. Reference information sources
b. Electronic information sources
c. Online Public Access catalogue(OPAC)
- 1.2. “The concept of **Open Access Information sources** is very important in the research field” explain this statement. [50 Marks]
- 2.
- 2.1. What is a Search Engine? [20 Marks]
2.2. Differentiate the Individual Search Engines and Meta search Engines [50 Marks]
2.3. Briefly discuss the advantages of the Google Scholar Search engine [30 Marks]
3. Briefly explain **all** of the following terms [100 Marks]
a. Scholarly information source
b. Database
c. Thesaurus
d. Dictionaries
- 4.
- 4.1. List the **several methods that you can use for find out more results** in your search query . [40 marks]
4.2. Explain the **different searching techniques** which is available for your information searching requirements. [60 marks]
- 5.
- 5.1. What is the difference between Surface web and Deep web? [50 Marks]
5.2. Briefly explain the useful different information sources to complete literature survey in research study. [50 Marks]

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