

## 4.2 Library as a Learning Resource

**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 students.**

The Central Library is on the second floor of the college building and provided with top-notch infrastructure. A very good assortment of books, journals, magazines, newspapers, CDs, DVDs, e-books, audio books, databases, and other materials is available in the library. Utilizing library management software (VmEdu life ERP software), all of its operations are computerized and automated to provide student and faculty with prompt and accurate service. Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) is available at the library. The central library uses barcode technology for smooth operations. Following are the details of the library's knowledge resources.

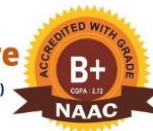
### Library Details:

- Library automated with ERP software
- Year of Automation – 2013 and updated in the year 2021 with new software
- Total area of the library: 480.37 sqm.
- Spacious Reading Hall: 200 seating capacity
- Book- Bank Facility
- Digital Library: 15 PCs connected to LAN with 300 mbps internet connection.
- Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) facility
- Books are available as per the curriculum
- National and International journals available as per SRA norms
- E-resources: DELNET, NDL, e-journals, IIT-NPTEL Videos, e-books etc.
- Affiliating university has provided the access to e-resources at the local center.
- Network attached storage facility (40 TB)

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To encourage and enhance the self and online learning, library has provided the following facilities like:

- Access to NPTEL Videos
- Access to faculty presentations, videos stored on central e-data storage system
- Membership of National Digital Library
- Access to past university examination question papers
- Access to past project report

Year wise Summary of the Purchases

<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount (Rs)</b>
2022-23	493603/-
2021-22	353816/-
2020-21	144015/-
2019-20	195269/-
2018-19	292261/-

Following is the summary of library usage per day

<b>Year</b>	<b>Library usage per day (Users/Day)</b>
2022-23	74.60
2021-22	63.50
2020-21	16.41 (COVID 9-Period)
2019-20	98.64
2018-19	90.92

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