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The Knowledge Resource Centre's Mission The SNDT Women's University Knowledge Resource Centre exists to support the teaching, research and extension activities of the University by providing to students, faculty and staff, information and documentary resources and services, relevant to their needs. Being an integral part of the University, the Knowledge Resource Centre is committed to play a proactive role in the empowerment of women through dissemination and use of information and knowledge

Knowledge Resource Centre's Vision

The Knowledge Resource Centre seeks to facilitate seamless access to quality knowledge and information resources in all formats.

To execute this vision, the Knowledge Resource Centre will create a congenial atmosphere that will allow the interface of Knowledge Resource Centre resources for integrative scholarship.



Churchgate



Pune



Juhu

Factual Data

	BMK KRC Churchgate Mumbai	BMK KRC Pune Branch	BMK KRC Juhu Branch
Foundation Year	1955	1964	1968
Working Hours Monday to Friday Saturdays (1 st , 3 rd and 5 th)	9.00am- 7.00pm	09.00am- 6.00pm	09.00am- 7.00pm
Area sq. ft.	12090	11932	21699
Seating capacity	160	193	204
Carrels for staff and research students	20	12	9
No. of computers available for public access	40	9	20
Internet bandwidth	50 Mbps	40 Mbps	1Gbps

Books	CG	Pune	Juhu	Total
Books stock on 31.3.2023	240951	99708	87495	428154
Titlesstock on 31.3.2023	165376	75670	73594	314640
Special collection				
Gandhiana collection	1332	NA	NA	1332
Malshe collection	1224	NA	NA	1224
Archival collection	458	NA	NA	458
Subscribed Periodicals	131	60	91	282
Expenses on 31.3.2023				
Books Expenditure in Rs.	7,50,342/-	7,69,243/-	7,57,270/-	22,76,855/-
Expenditure in Rs. for / Print Journals / Print + Online Journals + Magazines and Newspapers	7,60,321/-	3,39,248/-	8,09,646/-	19,09,215/-
Databases Expenditure	35,69,416/-	-	15,58,930/-	51,28,346/-
Subscribed Databases				
EPWRF India Time Series	Statistical Database			
IndiaStat Database	Statistical Database			
Psycarticle Database	Psychology and Nursing			
Emerald Database	Accounting, Commerce, Economics, Psychology, Social care, Education, Public Policy, LIS			
Science Direct - Elsevier	Pharmacy			
IEEE (ASPP and POP)	Engineering			
AIR Online	Law			
Proquest Central	All subjects			
E-Shodhsindhu databases				
JSTOR	History, Economics, Art & Art History, Psychology, Philosophy			
Institute for Studies in Industrial Development (ISID) Database	Social Science and Newspaper database			
JGate Plus (JCCC)	Electronic gateway to global e-journal literature			

Archival Database				
SERLS Digital Archives for 54 years (1964-2017)	Library & Information Science			
Women’s Studies Archives	Archival database for women studies			
E-Books				
World E-book Library Online (2 million books)	All subjects covered			
Data as on 31.3.2023	CG	Pune	Juhu	Total
Total Members	1,493	1,398	1,581	4,472
Footfalls	15,028	19,220	21,821	56,069
Usage	20,235	19,779	23,720	63,734
No. of Orientation Programmes	10	8	12	30
No. of users oriented	199	227	305	731
Searches on OPAC	9,77,465	18,591	43,9121	14,35,177

Services and Best Practices

A. Traditional Practices: -

Library Hours:

Reading room facilities for 9-10 hours daily.

Library Orientation

Library arranges for a rigorous orientation programme every year for all the classes and sees to it that all the resources are well utilized. User education programmes are also organized to create awareness of the databases, published materials and develop skills in the use of the Knowledge Resource Centre

Granthotsav and Book Exhibitions

Granthotsav is arranged every year as well as book exhibitions are arranged during the year inviting dealers and publishers to display books for sale. Members can obtain resources at concessional rates during such exhibitions.

New Book Arrival

BMKKRC put the list of newly available books on notice board to make the aware about the new reading material.

Display of books

Books are displayed regularly in line with important days or events during the year.

Lending Facilities

Extensive lending facilities for staff and students and for members of the community Inter Library loan facilities

Renewal

A member is allowed to renew books and other material issued for up to two times unless it has been reserved by another user by sending an email before the due date

Claims

An item currently on loan to another user can be reserved by placing a claim. A reserved item is subject to recall once it has been on loan for ten days.

Overnight Issue

Old magazines can be borrowed on Reference for overnight. Borrowing facility is available after 4.00pm. The magazines issued should be returned the next day by 11.00am. Failing a

Best User Award

Best Faculty and Student User of the KRC are displayed every month who has used maximum resources.

Bibliographies, reading lists and indexing and abstracting services

B. ICT based Practices: -

Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC)

The KRC is fully automated. The Knowledge Resource Centre uses SLIM software for OPAC. It gives detailed information about the sources including books, journals, e-journals, and databases with different search tools for its users. The status and availability can also be checked. The Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) can be accessed from <https://sndt.ac.in/library/universitvcatalogue>.

Institutional Repository

The KRC has an Institutional Repository. The platform used for IR is DSpace. The University copyrighted material is a part of digitization. The material includes theses, dissertation, archival books, question papers, photographs, convocation address, annual reports etc. The material can be accessed from <http://120.63.216.208:8090/jspui/>

Remote Access Service

Remote Access Service includes subscribed e-resources and web articles providing seamless and reliable access to all e-content any time anywhere.

Wi-Fi and Internet facility

KRC provides free Wi-Fi and Internet searching facility with professional help opens a gateway to global resources.

Electronic Resources

The e-Resources such as e-journals, online database, eBooks, are available in BMK-KRC.

E-Thesis on Shodhganga

KRC is a member of INFLIBNET and uploading thesis published by SNDT Women's University on Shodhganga.

Vidwan and IRINS Database

BMK-KRC maintains Vidwan database which contains profiles of faculty members working in the SNDT Women's University (Link: <https://sndt.irins.org/>).

Plagiarism Check

BMK-KRC is using Ouriginal software for plagiarism checking.

SDI (Selective Dissemination of Information)

An info alert service is available for faculty members. Faculty members are given daily updates on current affairs in their respective domains.

Video Screening

The library arranges for screening of films every quarter.

TOC of the day

The contents page of new journal arrived are scanned daily and mailed to faculty members.

Question Papers online

Question Papers are made available online. The link to access is available through digital repository or on library machines.

CAS (Current Awareness Service)

Every month a list of additions to the library collection is made available online to the HOD's.

JAWS software for blind

For visual impaired students BMK-KRC use JAWS software.

Computer Lab.

BMK-KRC is providing computer laboratory facility to its members to access online resources.

C. Extension Services: -**Suggestions and Feedback**

Members of the library may recommend of resources for procurement. The BMK-KRC will procure the material on approval by respective authorities. Feedback is also welcomed.

Inter library Loan

The library continues to be on the network with most libraries and information centers on a mutual exchange basis. In order to borrow books from other libraries, students need to carry a reference letter from the SNDTWU librarian.

Research Support Services

BMK-KRC provides guidance in literature search and information use to the research scholars for their research.

External Membership services

BMK-KRC gives external membership for other than SNDTWU and for institutional and corporate members.

Earn and Learn Scheme and Internship

This is facility, where students can earn experience and money from the BMK_KRC while studying in the university.

Career Notification

BMK-KRC provide career guidance notification on notice board.

Newspaper Clipping services

News related to the education, University and academics are provided through this service.

D. General Services: -

Photos of few pages from books or other resources may be taken on mobile phones with prior permission

Pick me up service

This service helps users to take away the book displayed for reading or for adding to their personal library

Information commons

This area is leisure where there is a lounge for relaxing, tea/coffee vending machine, reading corner, discussion area, displays, library statistics board

KRC Advisory Committee meeting

KRC Advisory Committee meeting is conducts two meeting in a year.

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“संस्कृता स्त्री पराशक्ति” स्वर हमारा है
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हम नहीं हैं दीन, कहता कौन हम अबला
है सबल संस्कृति हमारी, हम सभी सबला
ज्योती से जगमग हुआ, अंतर हमारा है॥
स्वप्न ठाकरसी हुआ साकार है इसमें
महर्षि कर्वे तपस्या - सार है इसमें
हम दिशाएँ और यह दिनकर हमारा है॥
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