E-RESOURCES

FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

Introduction, evaluation and examples

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Introduction

Computer typesetting brought an unanticipated by-product: electronic text. This was not always kept initially and was largely unuseable for any other purpose. However, standardization of markup language has ment that it is now possible to use electronic text for purposes other than printing, and many publishers have embrace electronic publishing in last ten years.

Introduction

Electronic resources are the resources in electronic form, usually remotely located, and can be accessed by a network normally internet, on any ereading device.

Introduction

- It has revolutionized the way that people access information, and has opened up new possibilities in areas such as digital libraries, information dissemination and retrieval, education, commerce, entertainment, government and health care.
- The World Wide Web can be a great place to accomplish research on many topics but finding quality web materials and using them to your advantage in your writing can be challenging.

Type of e-resources frequently used

- E-Journals
- E-Data archives
- E-Manuscripts
- E-Maps
- E-Books
- E-Magazines
- E-Thesis
- WWW
- E-Newspaper
- E-Mail
- E-Research Reports
- E-Bibliographic Databases

Legal concern

 Copyright and Intellectual Property Right (IPR) are two core legal issues related to any arbitrary and indiscriminate use of any documents. Faculty members should have the knowledge of these while using the eresources.

Reasons of dissatisfaction on available e-resources

- Infrastructure is not good
- E-Resources are not as per need
- Lack of awareness

Search Strategy of e-Resources

 Access to e-resources and finding of relevant information/papers/articles or required ejournals/ periodicals from databases is a difficult task. It requires skill and experience on the part of users.

Advantages of accessing e-resources

- Less time in searching
- Availability of the journal much before the print copy
- Simultaneous usage
- Easy accessibility
- Downloading facility
- Author can be contacted directly through e-mail
- Archival facility
- Hyperlink facility

Evaluation of e-resources: Why

- It is because putting documents or pages on the web is easy, cheap or free, unregulated, and unmonitored. It is a self-publishing medium, that is, anyone can publish anything. This means that not everything one finds on the Web is equally valuable or reliable. Unlike most print sources, web sources do not have to be professionally accepted and edited to be published.
- Therein lies the justification for evaluating carefully whatever one finds on the Web. The burden is on the reader to establish the validity, authorship, timeliness, and integrity of what he finds.

Evaluation of e-resources

There are a number of different criteria that may be used in evaluating webbased resources. The important ones are listed below. Under each criteria a number of questions are given. The grater the number of questions answered "yes" the more likely the source is of high quality.

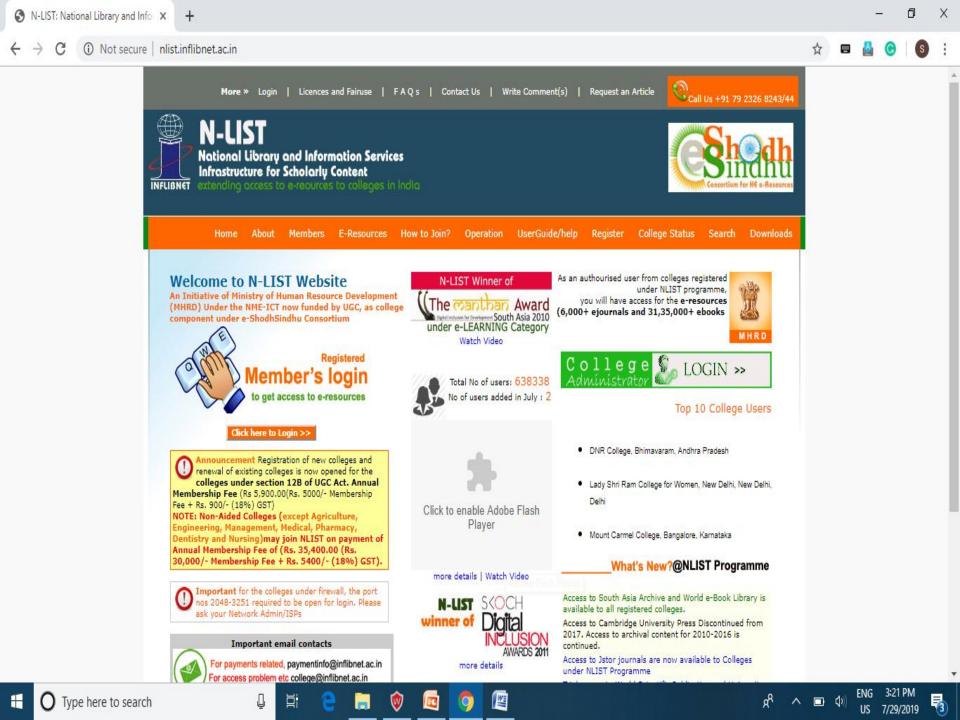
Evaluation of e-resources

- Authority
- Accuracy
- Coverage
- Objectivity
- Purpose
- Currency
- Design
- Ease of use

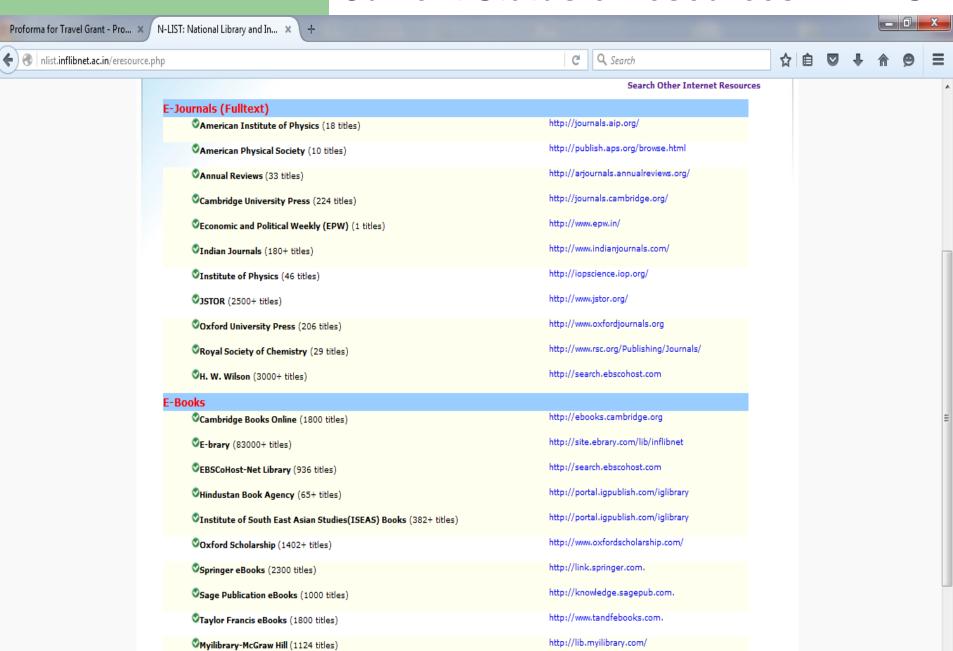
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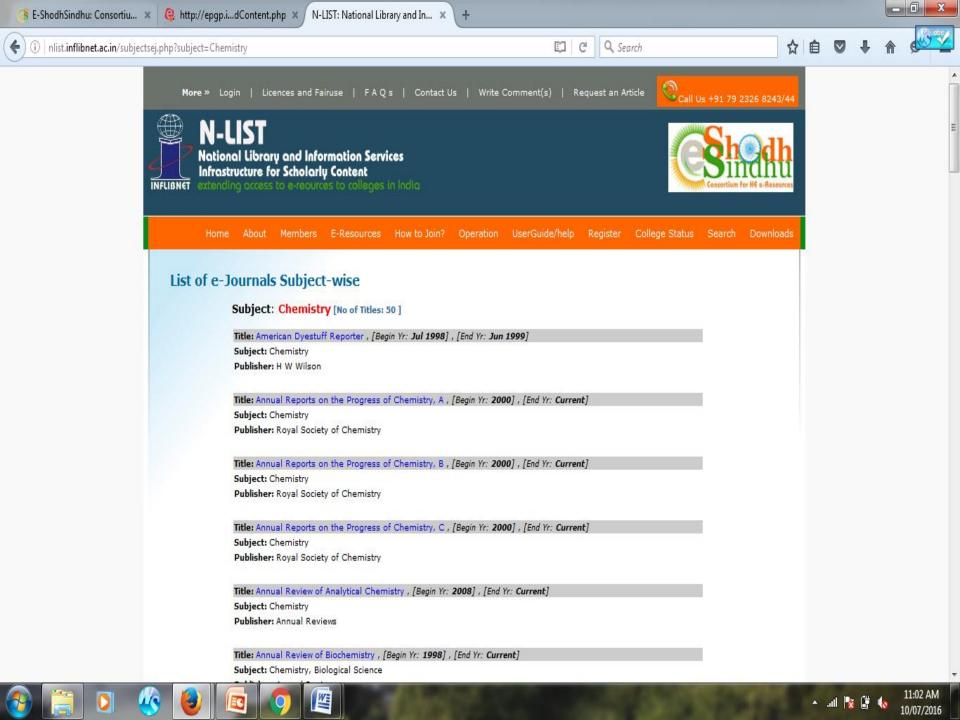
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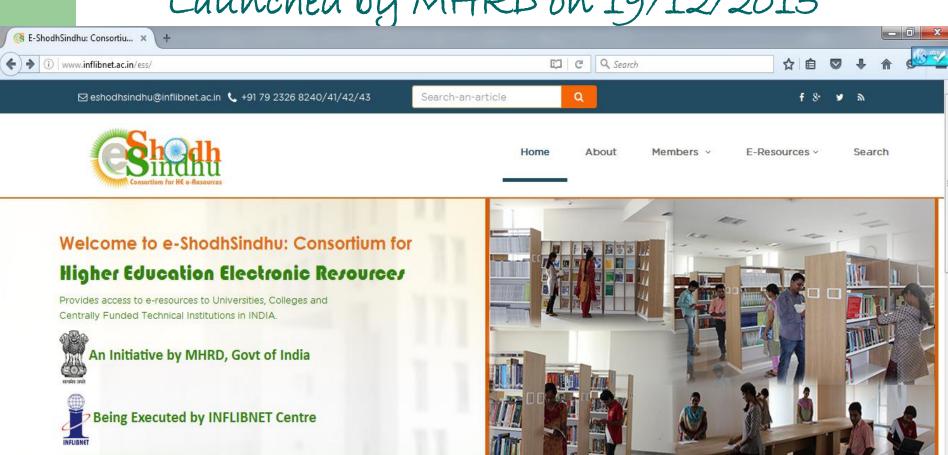






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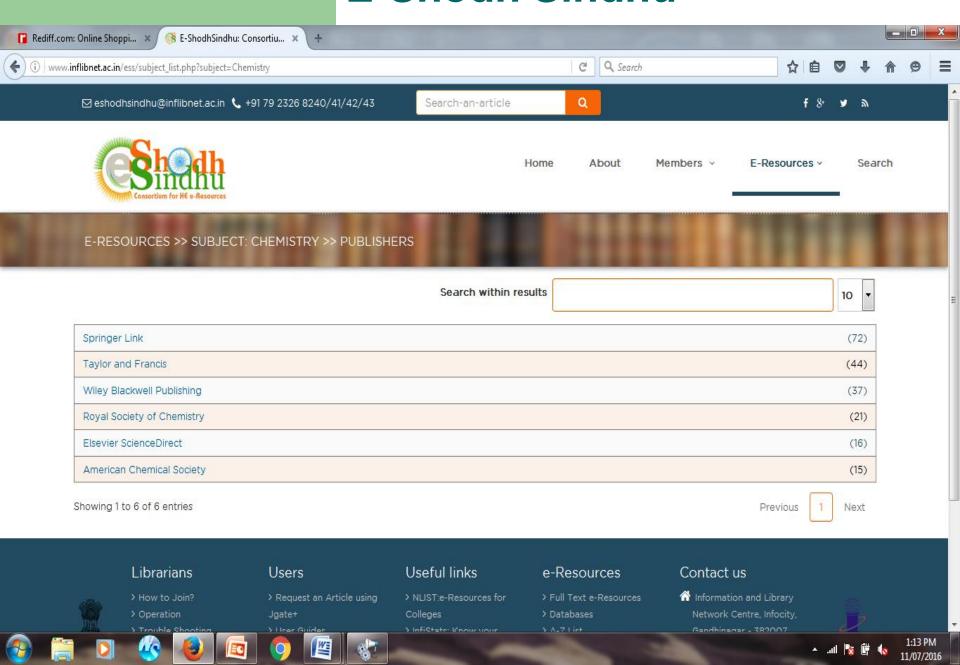


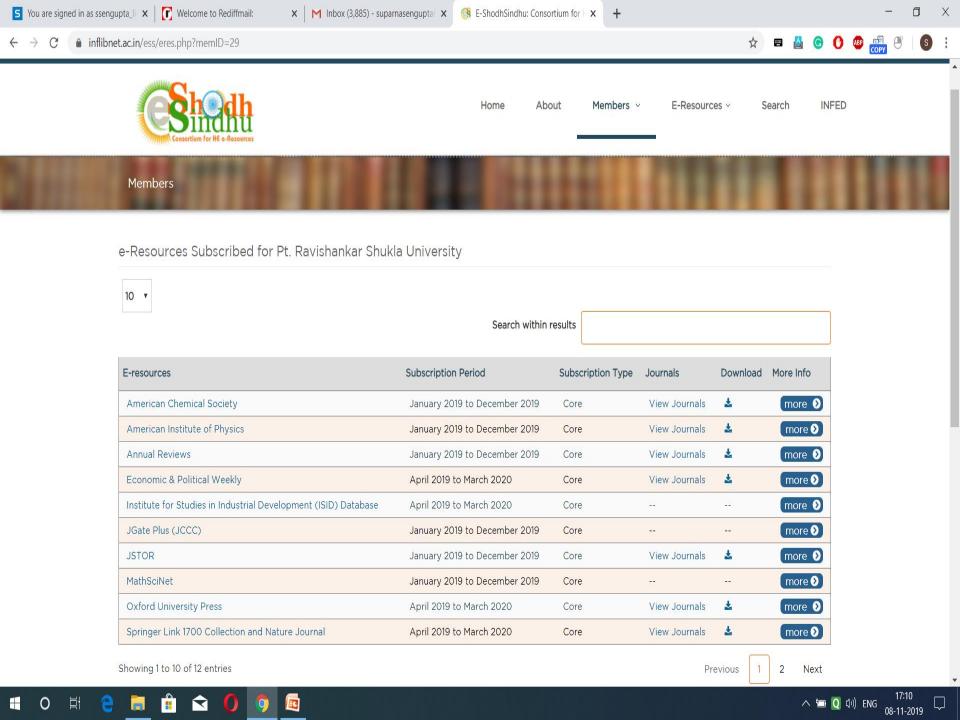


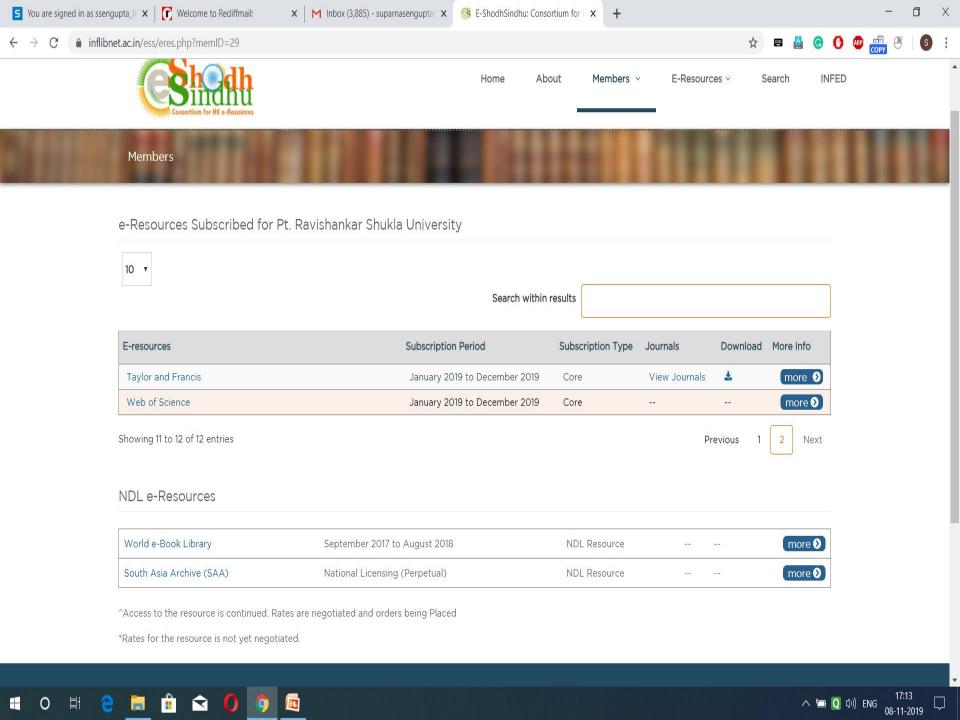




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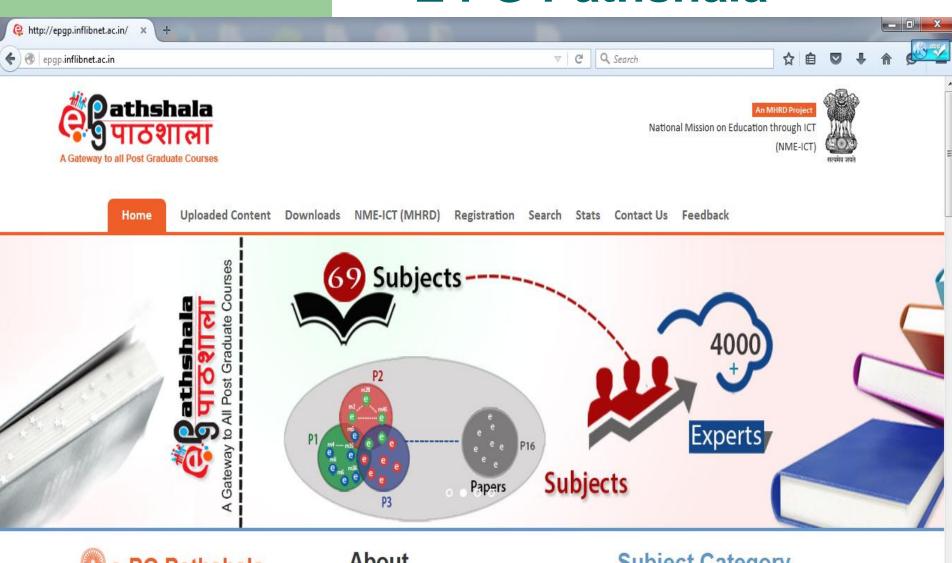
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Under the National Mission on Education through ICT (NMEICT) scheme of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, the UGC has constituted a Standing Committee for development of e-content at postgraduate level. The Committee has identified the following subjects in the first phase of this initiative:

- Anthropology History Biochemistry Law Biotechnology
- Library and Information Science Botany Linguistics Chemistry
- Management Commerce Mass Communication and Journalism
- Computer Science Mathematics Computational Science
- Microbiology Computational Social Science Philosophy
- Earth Sciences Physics Economics Political Science Education
- Public Administration English Psychology Environmental sciences Social Work Education Food Technology Sociology
- Forensic Science Statistics Geography Zoology Hindi

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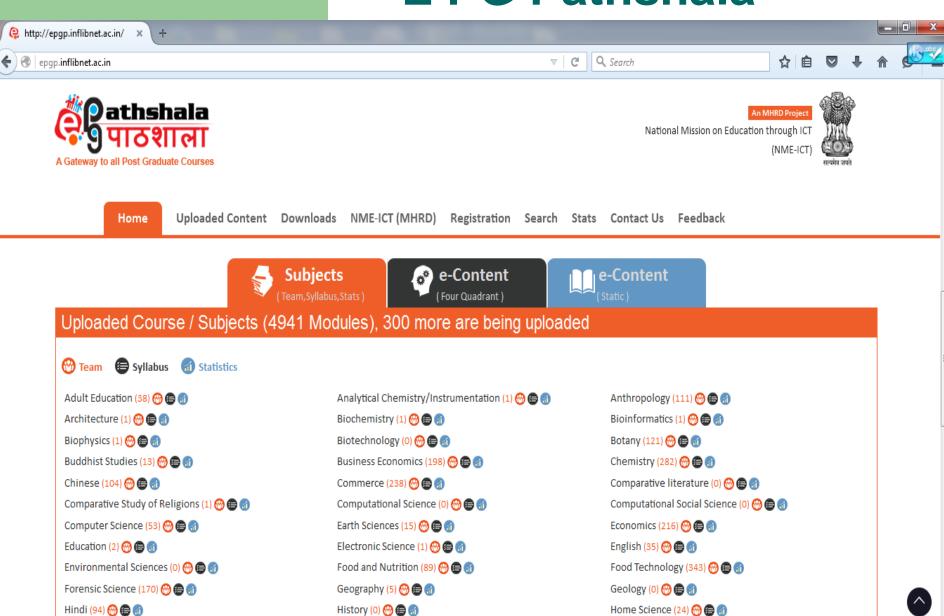








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UGC has now made it mandatory that each Ph D thesis has to deposited in e-form at a repository managed and maintained by INFLIBNET, called Shodh Ganga.

Another e-repository has been developed by INFLIBNET for Synopsis, called Shodh Gangotri.

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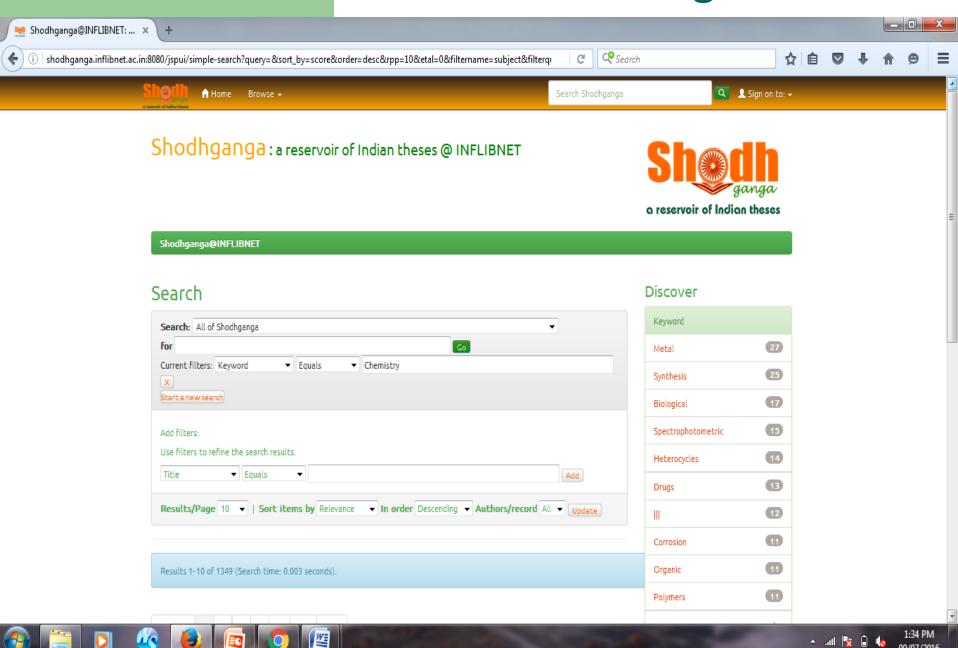




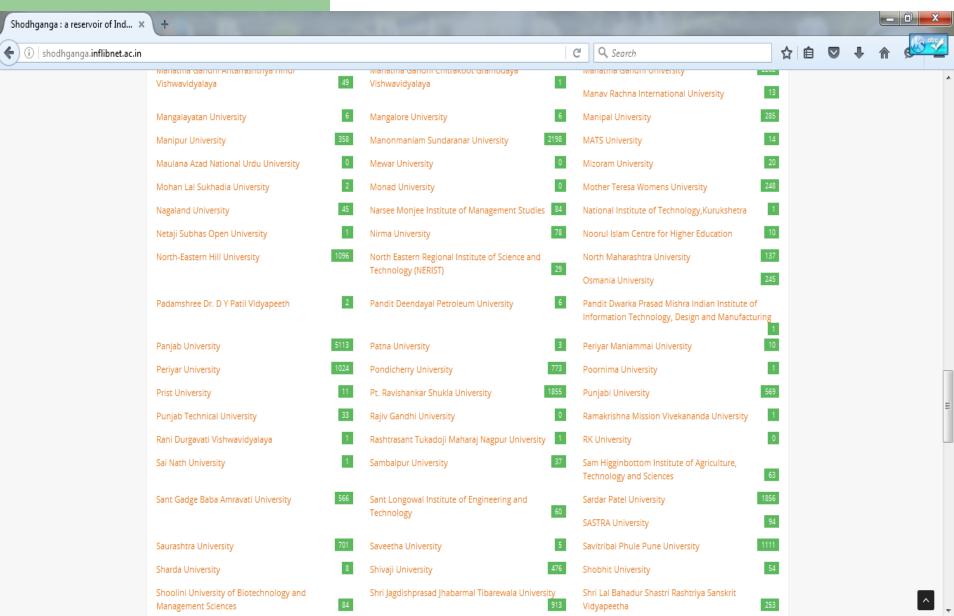




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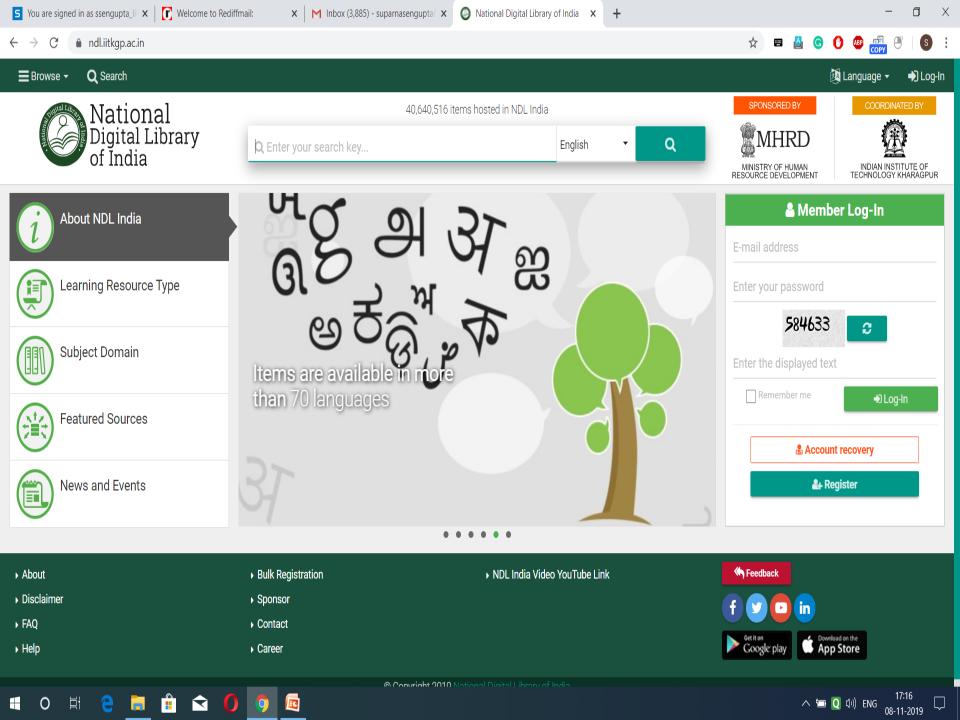










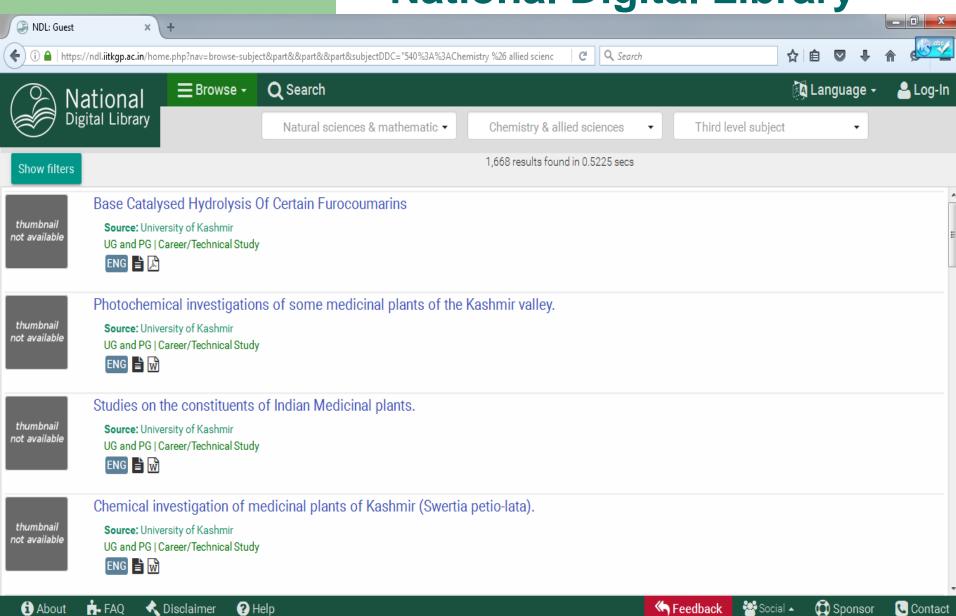


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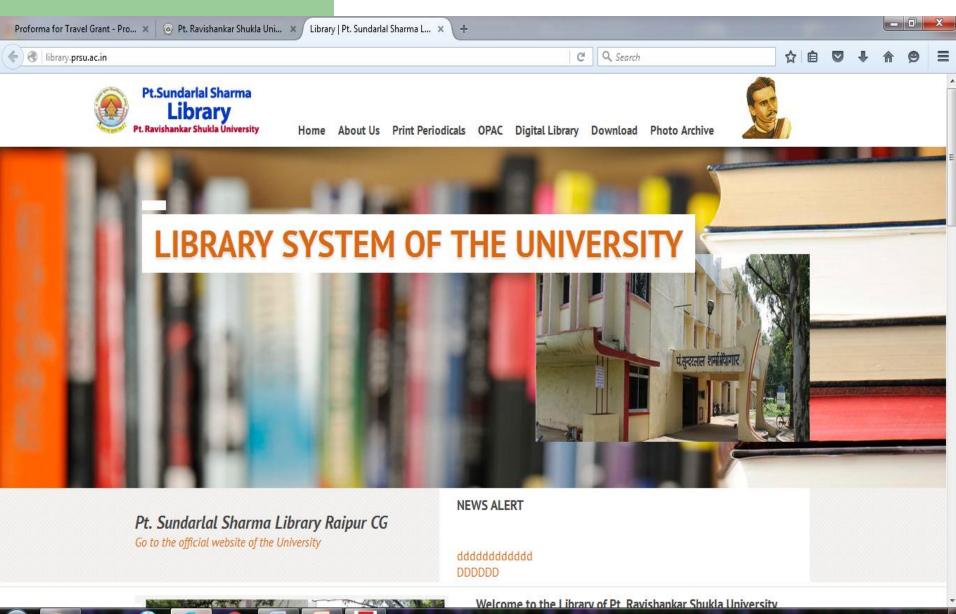
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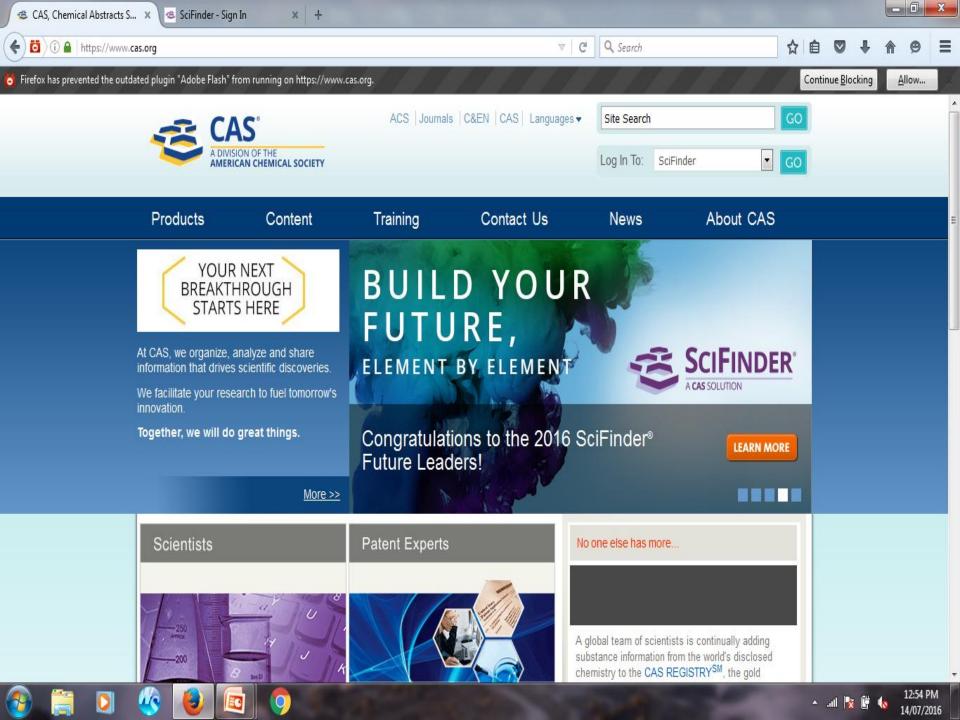
















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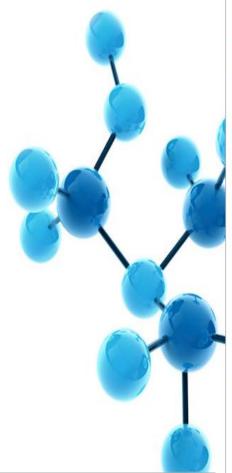
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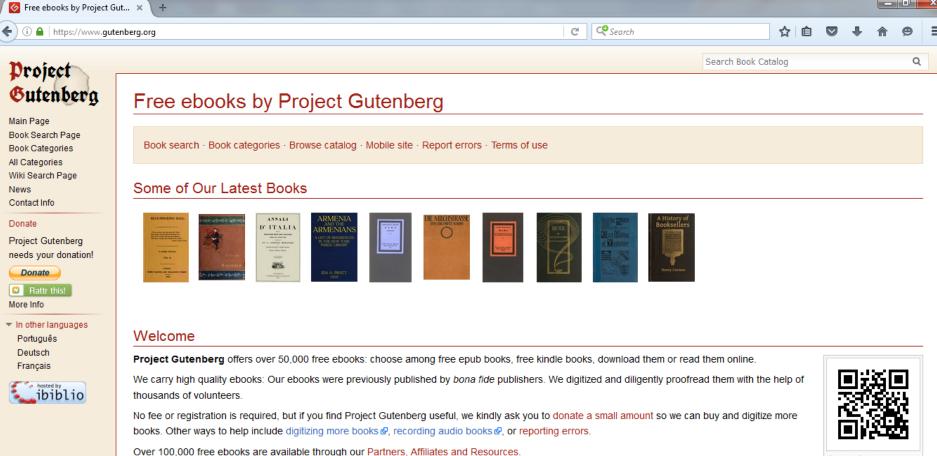
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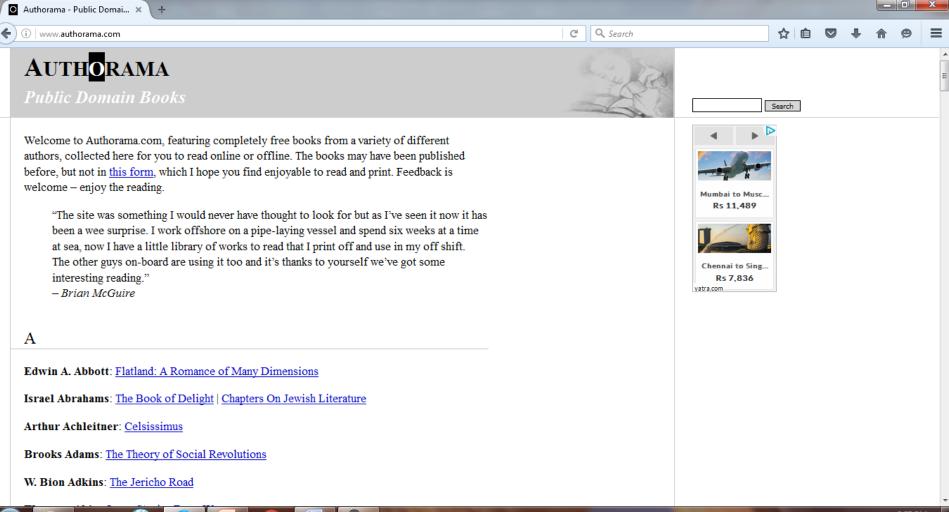






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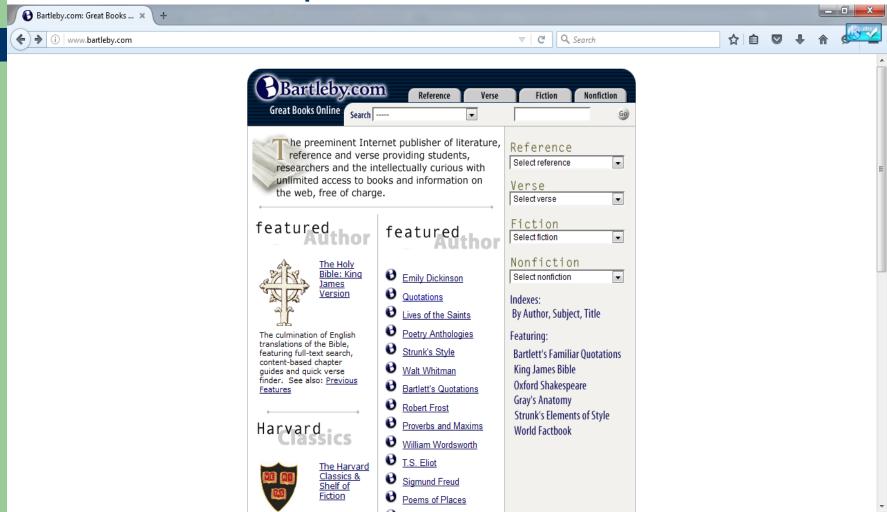
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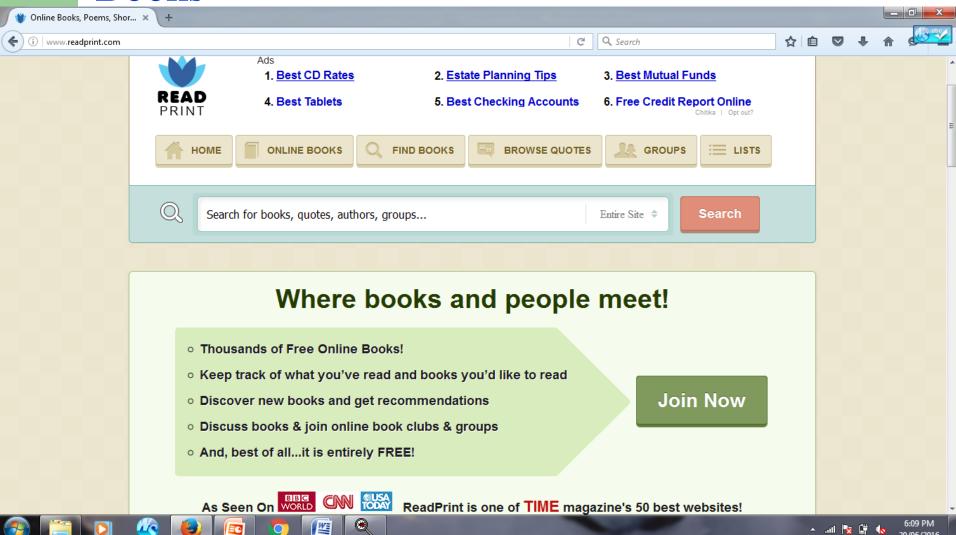
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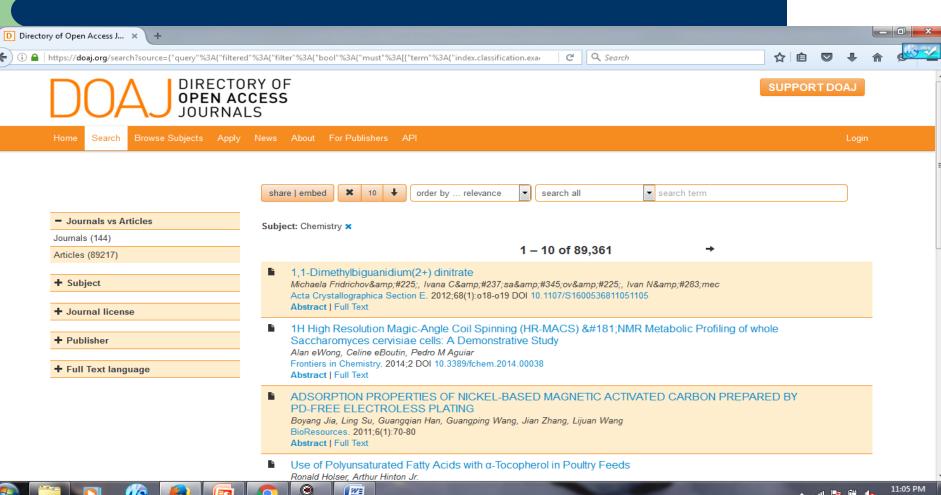








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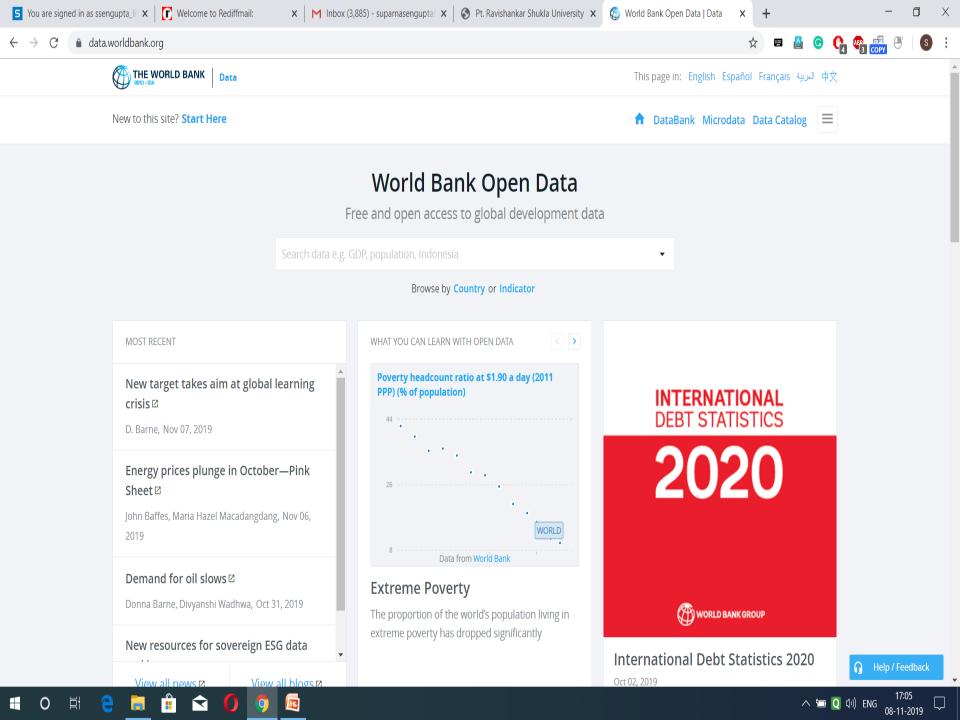
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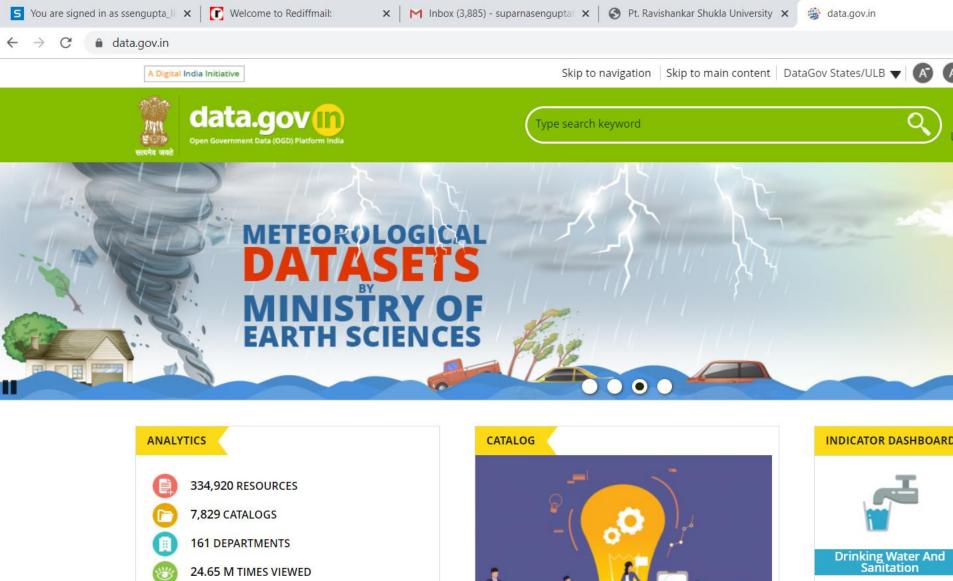
Gateways are portals to information that are usually limited to a specific domain or subject area. The resources accessible through these gateways are reviewed, selected, evaluated and catalogued by information professionals or subject experts. Some examples are:

Pinakes: A subject launchpad In ancient times, the Library of Alexandria was seen as a universal store of human knowledge. As the Library grew in size, however, it became increasingly difficult to locate relevant material. The poet Callimachus solved the problem by compiling a catalogue called *The Pinakes*. On a far smaller scale, these Web pages hope to provide a similar function for Internet resources, by linking to the major subject gateways.



























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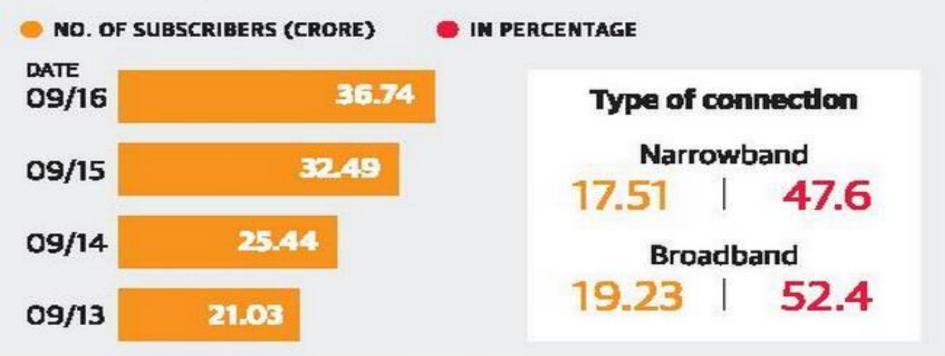
There are many challenges associated with the effective use of e-resource in India. Problems get multiplied in the light of some hard realities about our country. As per a World Bank Report –

- A quarter of world's poverty is in India
- 120 computer per 1000 people
- Nearly 10 million children do not have access to computers

Challenges:

The Digital Divide

India is adding Internet connections at a fair pace, driven mainly by mobile data plans. But a sizeable number are stuck with slow speeds. And two-thirds, or 24.7 crore of the connections, are in cities



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CONCLUSION

It is said that –

'Achieving low is not a sin, But aiming low is'.

We have to aim high, think out of the box and strive to be relevant.

The proper exploitation of new technologies is no longer a matter of choice, but a matter of survival in an era of rapidly changing technology and global knowledge society.

Any Questions Please?



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