Research Methodology

It is a survey of 5 Agricultural Universities selected for the study on the basis of their standing research programmes and courses. All agriculture universities have been serving in U.P. and Uttrakhand.

There is always a need of applying a research methodology for conducting a research programme. Since this is a survey of all five universities. Therefore survey method of research will be applied in this study. A questionnaire will be prepared covering all problems and prospects of agriculture university libraries of U.P. and Uttarakhand. It will be based on contents of the study. This questionnaire will be distributed to the concerned libraries to be duly filled-by them.

On the basis of the questionnaire, data will be collected and analysed and interpreted. The analysis of data will be presented in the form of table diagram charts etc.

5.1 Hypothesis
The study will evaluate and prove the following hypothesis:

(i) Majority of the Agriculture University Library have adopted information services.

(ii) Agriculture libraries are adopting information sharing programmes for providing efficient library service.

(iii) Agriculture University Libraries are in developing stage.

(iv) Library staff is essential and capable to implement the information sharing programmes.

Networking has been useful for Agriculture. University Libraries for consortia programmes.