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**FACULTY OF SCIENCES**  
**Department of Computer Science**  
**April 2019 Examination**

**COURSE CODE: CIT 371**

**COURSE TITLE: Computer Graphics And Animation**

**CREDIT: 3 Units**

**TIME ALLOWED: 2½ Hours**

**INSTRUCTION: Answer Question ONE (1) and any other FOUR (4) Questions**

**Question #1**

- a. Define computer graphics (3 marks)
- b. Name five areas where computer graphics is applied (5 marks)
- c. What is a raster? (2 marks)
- d. Identify the available types of raster devices with examples (4 marks)
- e. Outline the forms of line generation (3 marks)
- f. Enumerate three (3) basic representations of curve shapes (3 marks)
- g. Enumerate four (4) Pixel Operations (2 marks)

**(Total = 22 marks)**

**Question #2**

- a. Mention three tools that are needed in studying computer graphics? **(3 marks)**
- b. Enumerate the basic components of an interactive graphics system **(3 marks)**
- c. With appropriate examples, describe the types of input devices for computer graphics **(3 marks)**
- d. List any three (3) display hardware **(3 marks)**

**(Total = 12 marks)**

**Question #3**

- a. List the data structures for graphical representation **(3 marks)**
- b. Briefly describe two of the data structures for graphical representation **(3 marks)**
- c. The BSP trees (Binary Space Partitioning) can be viewed as a generalization of k-d trees. Describe the BSP trees giving its characteristics and organisation **(6 marks)**

**(Total = 12 marks)**

**Question #4**

a. Define the following terms: **(6 marks each)**

- Spectroradiometer
- The RGB Colour Cube

b. Green paper is green because it reflects green and absorbs other wavelengths. Explain the colour printing process and summarise the output colour under different combinations **(4 marks)**

c. Explain the colour conversion mechanism and show the appropriate formula **(2 marks)**

**(Total = 12 marks)**

**Question #5**

a. Enumerate the Basic Vector Algebra **(4 marks)**

b. write short note on four (4) basic vector algebra **(8 marks)**

**(Total = 12 marks)**

**Question #6**

a. Using short note explain the process of determining the viewing ray in camera space **(4 marks)**

b. Explain the term Ray casting, the basic ideas for it and highlight two of its goal **(5 marks)**

c. The mapping between the two spaces is defined parametrically in terms of the maximum and minimum coordinates, considering this write short note on: **(3 marks)**

**(Total = 12 marks)**