

## Exam – Computer Graphics

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- 1 (a) What is a *rigid body transform*? Given an as exact answer as you can. Also give one or more examples of transforms which are not rigid body transforms. (0.4)  
(b) Give an expression for the *projection* of a vector  $\mathbf{a}$  on another vector  $\mathbf{b}$ . (0.6)
  
- 2 (a) How do you distinguish between the front side and the back side of a triangle? (0.4)  
(b) Explain the notion of *tesselation*. (0.4)  
(c) What is the so called *minification* problem? (0.2)
  
- 3 (a) How is the specular reflection computed in Blinn's reflection model? (0.3)  
(b) What is a *BRDF*? (0.4)  
(c) What is *light mapping* and what is it useful for? (0.3)
  
- 4 (a) What is the fundamental difference between *ray-tracing* and *radiosity*? (0.3)  
(b) Describe how each of the algorithms work. (0.5)  
(c) What is *image based lighting*? (0.2)
  
- 5 Compute  $T^*(1,1,1)$  where  $T$  is defined as the matrix product

$$T = M1 * R1 * S * M2 * R2$$

where each term is the matrix for a two-dimensional transform in homogenous coordinates as given below:

- $M1$ : translation by the vector (-1,-1)  
 $R1$ : rotation 45 degrees clockwise  
 $S$ : scaling by the factor 2  
 $M2$ : translation by the vector (1,1)  
 $R2$ : rotation 90 degrees anti-clockwise

- 6 (a) Compute the shading of a triangle surface defined by vertex positions  $P_0$ - $P_2$  with flat shading, and Phong's reflection model, given a point light source with the attenuation function  $f(r)$  and light intensity at the light source  $I_l$  and given that a point on the surface has incident light angle  $\theta$ , viewer angle  $\Omega$  and the material properties given below. (0.6)

Material properties	Vertex positions	Light source	Viewer
$k_a = 0.2$ $k_d = 0.3$ $k_s = 0.5$ $\alpha = 4$	$P_0 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $P_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ $P_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$	$I_l = 0.8$ $f(r) = 1$ $\theta = 30^\circ$	$\Omega = 45^\circ$

- (a) Now change to a somewhat artificial light model where you find the color of a surface point by doing a lookup with its normal in a cube map. Which color would the triangle get if the cube map is defined as below? (0.4)

Side	RGB value
positive X-direction:	(1,0,0)
negative X- direction:	(0,1,1)
positive Y- direction:	(0,1,0)
negative Y- direction:	(1,0,1)
positive Z- direction:	(0,0,1)
negative Z- direction:	(1,1,0)

THE END!