

# Test #2

Due Mar 26 at 11:59pm	Points 100	Questions 40	Available Mar 22 at 12:01pm - Mar 26 at 11:59pm
Time Limit 60 Minutes			

## Instructions

Congratulations on getting to Finals Week! It has been a real pleasure having all of you in CS 457/557 this quarter. Thanks for being here!

### Attempt History

	Attempt	Time	Score
LATEST	<a href="#">Attempt 1</a>	39 minutes	97.5 out of 100

⚠️ Correct answers will be available on Mar 27 at 12:01am.

Score for this quiz: **97.5** out of 100  
Submitted Mar 26 at 9:14pm  
This attempt took 39 minutes.

Question 1

2.5 / 2.5 pts

If you want to *transform (enlarge, rotate, etc.) an image*, the transformation you need to perform on the *image’s s and t coordinates* is:

☐ The transverse of the desired image transform

☒ The inverse of the desired image transform

☐ The same as the desired image transform

☐ The transpose of the desired image transform

Question 2

2.5 / 2.5 pts

In the Geometry Shader Project, what does this code do?

```
f *= 10.;
int fi = int( f + 0.5 );
f = float( fi ) / 10.;
```

☐ Rounds the number *f* to the nearest integer

☒ Rounds the number *f* to the nearest multiple of 0.1

☐ Rounds the number *f* to the nearest multiple of 10.

☐ Rounds the number *f* to the next lower integer

Question 3	2.5 / 2.5 pts
<p>Line Integral Convolution is a way to perform:</p>	
<div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Vector flow visualization by drawing a series of streamlines using line strips</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Scalar flow visualization by smearing the flow field</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Scalar flow visualization by drawing a series of streamlines using line strips</div> <div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/></div>Vector flow visualization by smearing the flow field</div>	

Question 4	2.5 / 2.5 pts
<p>To display a shadow, you:</p>	
<div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Paint the shadow area a shade of gray</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Paint just the diffuse and skip the ambient and specular</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Paint the shadow area black</div> <div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/></div>Paint just the ambient and skip the diffuse and specular</div>	

Question 5	2.5 / 2.5 pts
<p>When a Compute Shader extracts information from an array of all Work Items (such as in the particle system program), the array index comes from:</p>	
<div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/></div>gl_GlobalInvocationID</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>gl_LocalInvocationID</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>gl_WorkGroupID</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>gk_WorkGroupSize</div>	

Question 6	2.5 / 2.5 pts
<p>When using the fragment shader to work with images, you read the image in as a texture whose dimensions are ResS and ResT. From the (s,t) location where you are right now, how do you look at one texel to the right?</p>	
<div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Add (1.,1.) to (s,t)</div> <div><div><input type="radio"/></div>Add( 1.,0.) to (s,t)</div>	

☐ Add (1./ResS,1./ResT) to (s,t)

☒ Add (1./ResS,0.) to (s,t)

### Question 7

2.5 / 2.5 pts

In the silhouette shader, why are *triangles\_adjacency* used as the input topology?

☐ Because it is the only triangle-ish topology that geometry shaders are allowed to use

☐ Because we need to look at the s and t coordinates of the adjacent triangles

☒ Because we need to look at the normals of the adjacent triangles

### Question 8

2.5 / 2.5 pts

What is the one thing that a Tessellation Shader can do that *no other shader* can do?

☐ Draw a Bezier curve

☐ Create more detail

☒ Apply built-in patterns

☐ Change topology

### Question 9

2.5 / 2.5 pts

Which of these is *not* one of the 5 Geometry Shader legal *input* topologies?

☐ GL\_POINTS

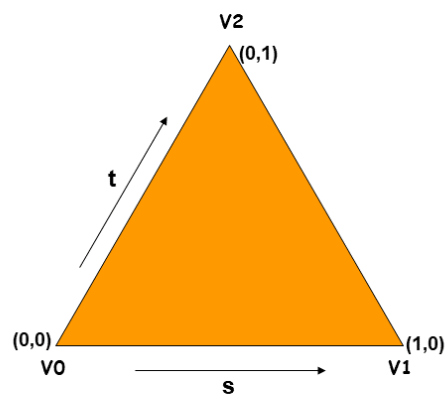
☐ GL\_TRIANGLES

☐ GL\_LINES\_WITH\_ADJACENCY

☒ GL\_QUADS

### Question 10

2.5 / 2.5 pts



Given this diagram, what is the triangle interpolation equation?

- ☒  $V = V_0 + s*(V_1-V_0) + t*(V_2-V_0)$
- ☐  $V = (V_1-V_0) + s*(V_2) + t*(V_1)$
- ☐  $V = V_0 + s*(V_2-V_0) + t*(V_1-V_0)$
- ☐  $V = (V_1-V_0) + s*(V_1) + t*(V_2)$

#### Question 11

2.5 / 2.5 pts

The special thing about Shader Storage Buffer Objects, compared with other OpenGL buffer objects is:

- ☐ They can hold floats as well as ints
- ☒ Your shaders can both read from them and write to them
- ☐ They can hold doubles as well as floats

#### Question 12

2.5 / 2.5 pts

Surface Local Coordinates are used to:

- ☐ Apply bump-mapping to planar surfaces
- ☐ Apply bump-mapping to create ripple effects
- ☐ Apply bump-mapping to create the appearance of terrains
- ☒ Apply bump-mapping to non-planar surfaces

#### Question 13

2.5 / 2.5 pts

What is the un-mask image (i.e., what you don't want) for Saturation?

☐ All gray

☐ All white

☒ Luminance/Grayscale

☐ All Black

Question 14

2.5 / 2.5 pts

How does a Jitter Cloud differ from a Point Cloud?

☐ The Jitter Cloud adds some points to the Point Cloud to create more detail

☒ The Jitter Cloud has its points randomly moved to eliminate distracting artifact patterns

☐ The Jitter Cloud removes some points from the Point Cloud to de-clutter the scene

☐ There is no difference – they are two phrases that describe the same thing

Question 15

2.5 / 2.5 pts

A scene depicting a street oil slick has rainbow colors because:

☒ At each fragment, there will be one wavelength (color) that reinforces and thus is visible

☐ At each fragment, there will be one wavelength (color) that cancels and thus is visible

☐ At each fragment, you look for a light-fragment-eye angle between 40 and 42 degrees

Question 16

2.5 / 2.5 pts

In RenderMan, what is a *microfacet*?

☐ A subset of the rendering process

☐ A sub-pixel, usually smaller than a pixel

☐ It's the same as a polygon, just a different word for it

☒ A sub-polygon, usually smaller than a pixel

Question 17

2.5 / 2.5 pts

**What is one Point Cloud problem that a Jitter Cloud solves?**

- ☒ The row-of-corn problem
- ☐ Lighting-fighting
- ☐ Texturing
- ☐ Z-fighting

**Question 18**

**2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**What is the un-mask image (i.e., what you don't want) for Contrast?**

- ☐ Luminance/Grayscale
- ☐ All white
- ☐ All black
- ☒ All Gray

**Question 19**

**2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**A Tessellation Evaluation Shader (TES) is given a (u,v,w) and produces:**

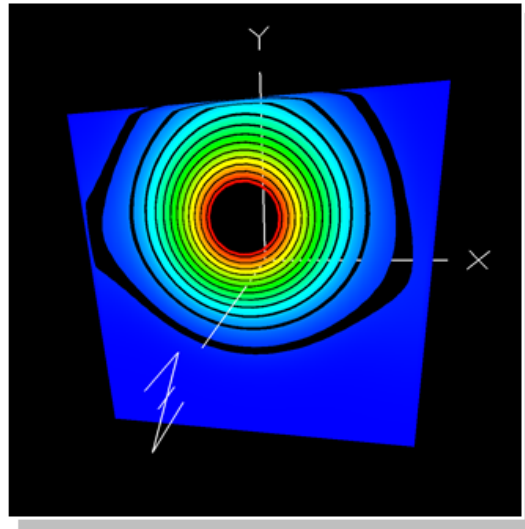
- ☐ An (s,t,p)
- ☒ An (x,y,z)
- ☐ An (s,t)
- ☐ An s

**Question 20**

**2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**The goals of RenderMan vs. the goals of GLSL are:**

- ☐ The same -- both emphasize rendering quality above all else
- ☐ GLSL emphasizes rendering quality, RenderMan emphasizes rendering speed
- ☒ GLSL emphasizes rendering speed, RenderMan emphasizes rendering quality
- ☐ The same -- both emphasize rendering speed above all else

**Question 21****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

When using the fragment shader to color the temperature-data cutting plane, you can add the see-through gapped contours, like is being shown here, by:

- ☒ Checking how close the temperature is to a multiple of 10., then discard
- ☐ Checking how close the color is to black, then set alpha=0
- ☐ Checking how close the color is to black, then discard
- ☐ Checking how close the temperature is to a multiple of 10., then set alpha=0.

**Question 22****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

Which of these is *not* a way that an OpenGL-GLSL shader differs from a Vulkan-GLSL shader? (I.e., which of these is false?)

- ☐ A Vulkan GLSL shader must give a set-number for all uniform variables
- ☒ An OpenGL GLSL shader compiler has a built-in #define called OPENGL
- ☐ A Vulkan GLSL shader must be pre-compiled with an external compiler
- ☐ A Vulkan GLSL shader compiler has a built-in #define called VULKAN

**Question 23****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

### A Transfer Function:

- ☐ Transfers data from the GPU back to the CPU
- ☒ Turns a scalar data value into its appropriate red, green, blue, and alpha
- ☐ Transfers data from the CPU over to the GPU
- ☐ Transfers a function from your C/C++ code to your GLSL program

### Question 24

2.5 / 2.5 pts

#### Image Un-masking is a recognition of the fact that:

- ☒ It is sometimes easier to ask for what you don't want than to ask for what you do want.
- ☐ It is usually easier to derive the mage maipulation equations from scratch
- ☐ It is sometimes better to filter an image by and'ing with a bit-mask
- ☐ It is sometimes better to filter an image by or'ing with a bit-mask

### Question 25

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**When we discussed Cube-mapping with refraction, we said that you could not refract out the back of an object. Yet, when we talked about lenses, we found out that we *could* refract out the back. How did we accomplish this bit of trickery?**

- ☐ we did it as a two-pass render
- ☐ We rendered it with very tiny "micropolygons" instead of our normally-sized polygons
- ☐ We had to use two separately-written shaders
- ☒ We knew the equations for the lens surfaces

### Question 26

2.5 / 2.5 pts



In modeling wave motion, the individual vertices move:

- ☐ Up and down
- ☐ Up, down, left, and right
- ☒ In circles
- ☐ Left and right

### Question 27

2.5 / 2.5 pts

What is the purpose of the *second* vertex+fragment shader in the shadow operation?

- ☒ It uses the depth map to decide if a given fragment is blocked from seeing the light source
- ☐ It generates the depth map from the eye's point of view
- ☐ It animates the objects in the scene
- ☐ It picks the color to paint the shadow

### Question 28

2.5 / 2.5 pts

In using shaders to create a contour plane for visualization, the way to turn a fragment's XYZ in the range (-1.,+1.) into an STP in the range (0.,1.) is:

- ☐ `vec3 stp = dot( stp, stp );`
- ☐ `vec3 stp = -1. + ( 2. * xyz );`
- ☒ `vec3 stp = ( xyz + 1. ) / 2.;`
- ☐ `vec3 stp = xyz;`

### Question 29

2.5 / 2.5 pts

The Silhouette Shader works by starting with a triangle and:

- ☒ Examining adjacent triangles and looking for a sign-change in the z-component of their normals
- ☐ Drawing the 3 edges of the triangle with a slightly closer z coordinate to avoid z-fighting
- ☐ Checking the curvature within the triangle for a point of inflection
- ☐ Checking its own 3 per-vertex normals and looking for a sign-change in their z-component

Question 30

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Parallax Mapping:

☒ Is a form of bump-mapping in that no surface is actually displaced

☐ Causes surfaces to actually be displaced, unlike bump-mapping

Question 31

2.5 / 2.5 pts

An example of an application that *requires* Render-to-Texture operations is:

☐ Drawing a Julia set

☐ Applying a tessellation to a triangle shrinking operation

☒ Applying an image edge-detection to a 3D scene

☐ Morphing a cow

Question 32

2.5 / 2.5 pts

When we want to latch a set of vertex output values in a Geometry Shader, we call

☐ glEmitVertex( )

☐ EndPrimitive( )

☐ glEndPrimitive( )

☒ EmitVertex( )

Incorrect

Question 33

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Vulkan Ray-tracing involves:

☐ Using compute shaders

☒ Using two new types of GLSL shader

☐ Using five new types of GLSL shaders

☐ Using all the pipeline shaders we already know about

**Question 34****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**A Compute Shader differs from all other OpenGL shaders in that:**

- ☐ It cannot call the built-in functions, such as reflect( )
- ☐ It cannot use 32-bit integers and floats
- ☒ It is not part of the graphics pipeline
- ☐ It cannot access any of the uniform variables

**Question 35****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**What does this line of code do (in a 1D compute shader)?**

**uint gid = gl\_GlobalInvocationID.x**

- ☒ It tells us where we are in the list of all (global) work items
- ☐ It reads one group from the list of all work groups
- ☐ It reads one item from the list of all work items
- ☐ It tells us where we are in the list of just the local work items

**Question 36****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**What is the purpose of the *first* vertex+fragment shader combination in the shadow operation?**

- ☐ It picks the color to paint the shadow
- ☒ It generates the depth map from the eye's point of view
- ☐ It animates the objects in the scene
- ☐ It uses the depth map to decide if a given fragment is blocked from seeing the light source

**Question 37****2.5 / 2.5 pts**

**Vulkan was developed to be:**

- ☐ A replacement for Direct3D
- ☐ A replacement for OpenGL

☒ A more efficient computer graphics API

☐ A Python equivalent to OpenGL

### Question 38

2.5 / 2.5 pts

**What do the Primitive Assembly stages of the graphics pipeline do?**

☒ Gather individual vertices into an array before proceeding

☐ Build a quadrilateral from individual normals

☐ Guarantee that the texture coordinates correspond to actual texels

☐ Guarantee that the color values actually fall between 0. and 1.

### Question 39

2.5 / 2.5 pts

**What is the one thing that a Geometry Shader can do that *no other shader* can do?**

☐ Draw a Bezier curve

☐ Apply built-in patterns

☐ Create more detail

☒ Change topology

### Question 40

2.5 / 2.5 pts

**Normal-mapping (e.g., the bricks demo) differs from usual Bump-mapping (e.g., the ripples) in that:**

☐ In Normal-mapping, the surface normal vectors are known only in some places, but not all

☐ In Normal-mapping, the surface normal vectors are known everywhere from a cross product

☐ In Normal-mapping, the surface normal vectors are known everywhere from an equation

☒ In Normal-mapping, the surface normal vectors are known everywhere from a texture image

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