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Module Title:	Document Architectures	Module Code:	CS4146
Exam Duration:	2½ Hours	Total Marks:	75 (75% of the final grade)
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Instructions to Candidates:

Please write all answers in the answer booklet.
State clearly any assumptions you make.

Choose to answer either Q2.1 or Q2.2. All other questions should be answered.

QUESTIONS

Q1. Multiple-choice and short-answer questions (15 marks)

(N.B. Each multiple-choice question has **exactly one** correct answer.)

Q1.1.1. Which of the following is a binary document format? (1 mark)

Q1.2. XHTML is an _____ application. (1 mark)

Q1.3. Describe briefly how structure can be separated from presentation in HTML documents. (3 marks)

Q1.4. If used in a DTD, B* refers to element B that occurs in an XML document (1 marks)

In the following three questions consider the XML file:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<Class>
  <Student>
    <Name>Michelle</Name>
    <Course>Computer Systems</Course>
  </Student>
```

```
<Student>
  <Name>Norah</Name>
  <Course>Software Localisation</Course>
</Student>
<Student>
  <Name>Peter</Name>
  <Course>Software Engineering</Course>
</Student>
</Class>
```

Q1.5. What will be selected by the following XPath expression? **(1 mark)**

`/Class/Student[3]/*[2]`

Q1.6. What will be selected by the following XPath expression? **(1 mark)**

`/Class/Student[2]/*[2]/ancestor::*[2]`

Q1.7. What will be selected by the following XPath expression? **(1 mark)**

`/Class/Student[2]/ancestor::*[1]/child::*[2]`

Hint: The first child element of an element has index 1.

Q1.8. What are the four requirements for an XML document to be well formed? **(3 marks)**
Can an XML document be well formed but not valid? Why?

Q1.9. Compare briefly bitmaps vs. vector images. **(3 marks)**

Q2. Document Type Definition and XML Schema

(20 marks)

Choose to answer either Q2.1 or Q2.2.

Consider the following two XML documents.

tvshow01.xml	tvshow02.xml
<pre><?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?> <tvshow year="1999" rating="PG" season="1"> <title>Futurama</title> <genrelist> <genre name="Animation"/> <genre name="SciFi"/> <genre name="Comedy"/> </genrelist> <creator> <firstname>Matt</firstname> <surname>Groening</surname> </creator> <cast> <castmember role="Philip J. Fry"> <firstname>Billy</firstname> <surname>West</surname> </castmember> <castmember role="Turanga Leela"> <firstname>Katey</firstname> <surname>Sagal</surname> </castmember> </cast> </tvshow></pre>	<pre><?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?> <tvshow year="1999" rating="PG" season="1"> <title>Futurama</title> <genrelist> <genre name="Cartoon"/> </genrelist> <creator> <firstname>Matt</firstname> <surname>Groening</surname> </creator> <cast> <castmember role="Philip J. Fry"> <firstname>Billy</firstname> <surname>West</surname> </castmember> </cast> </tvshow></pre>

Q2.1. Write a DTD such that tvshow01.xml conforms to it (i.e. it is valid), and tvshow02.xml does NOT conform to it (i.e. it is invalid).

Hint: Use any of the DTD declarations:

```
<!ELEMENT name (type)>
<!ATTLIST element_name
  attribute_name type default_value
  attribute_name type default_value
  ...
>
```

Q2.2. Write an XML Schema such that tvshow01.xml conforms to it (i.e. it is valid), and tvshow02.xml does NOT conform to it (i.e. it is invalid).

Hint: Use the following general structure for the schema

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<xs:schema xmlns:xs="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
  <!-- definition of simple types --> ...
  <!-- definition of complex types --> ...
  <xs:element name="root_element" type="root_element_type"/>
</xs:schema>
```

Q3. Consider the following XML document.

(20 marks)

```
library.xml
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>

<library>
  <section id="1" subject="Computer Science">
    <book language="English" copies="30">
      <title>C++ Primer</title>
      <author>
        <firstname>John</firstname>
        <surname>Murphy</surname>
      </author>
      <author>
        <firstname>Dan</firstname>
        <surname>North</surname>
      </author>
    </book>
    <book language="English" copies="40">
      <title>Problem Solving with Java</title>
      <author>
        <firstname>Nell</firstname>
        <surname>Dale</surname>
      </author>
    </book>
  </section>
  <section id="2" subject="Chemistry"/>
</library>
```

Let

```
xmlDoc = new ActiveXObject('Microsoft.XMLDOM');
xmlDoc.load('books.xml');
```

- a. (5 marks) Draw the XML DOM tree for **library.xml**. For each node, specify its name, type and value.
- b. (5 marks) What are the values of the variables **a**, **b**, and **c** after executing the following fragment of JavaScript code.

```
doc = xmlDoc.documentElement; //root
a = doc.firstChild.childNodes.item(0).firstChild.nodeValue;
b = doc.firstChild.childNodes.item(0).firstChild.firstChild.nodeValue;
c = doc.lastChild.getAttribute("subject");
```

- c. (5 marks) Write a JavaScript statement that assigns the contents of the last **surname** element (i.e., the string **"Dale"**) to a variable called **sname**.
- d. (5 marks) Write a JavaScript statement that assigns the value of the attribute **copies** of the first **book** element (i.e., **"30"**) to a variable called **ncopies**.

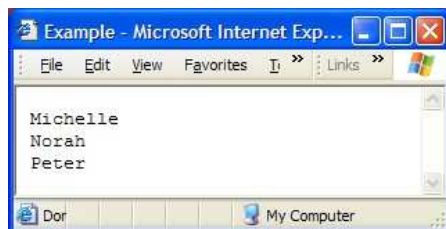
Q4. Consider the following XML document.

(20 marks)

class.xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<Class>
  <Students>
    <Student id="03453345">
      <Name>Michelle</Name>
      <Grade module="CS8182" value="3"/>
      <Grade module="CS8358" value="3"/>
      <Grade module="CS8234" value="1"/>
      <Grade module="CS8742" value="4.5"/>
    </Student>
    <Student id="03329032">
      <Name>Norah</Name>
      <Grade module="CS8182" value="8"/>
      <Grade module="CS8358" value="6.25"/>
      <Grade module="CS8234" value="5"/>
      <Grade module="CS8742" value="4"/>
    </Student>
    <Student id="03353453">
      <Name>Peter</Name>
      <Grade module="CS8182" value="1"/>
      <Grade module="CS8358" value="2"/>
      <Grade module="CS8234" value="2"/>
      <Grade module="CS8742" value="2"/>
    </Student>
  </Students>
</Class>
```

a. (5 marks) Write an XSLT stylesheet that transforms **class.xml** into an HTML document which contains only the names of the students. That is, when loaded in a browser the HTML document should look like:



b. (15 marks) Write an XSLT stylesheet that transforms **class.xml** into an XML document which contains only the students whose second grade is greater than or equal to 3, and has the following format:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<Class>
  <Student name="Michelle">
    <Grades>3, 2, 1, 4.5</Grades>
  </Student>
  <Student name="Norah">
    <Grades>8, 6.25, 5, 4</Grades>
  </Student>
</Class>
```

Hint: Use the expression `<xsl:if test="Grade[2] /@value >= 3">` to check the value of the second grade.

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