

Midterm Exam Solutions

Word – Short Answer

1. What are the Rulers in Word used for? Describe **one** use.

(Pages: 454 – 459) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: The Rulers can help you creating first-line indentation in a research paper.

2. Suppose you are working on the SmartArt graphic in Word in Figure 1, “SmartArt: Before”. Where should you click to change the graphic to the one in Figure 2, “SmartArt: After”?

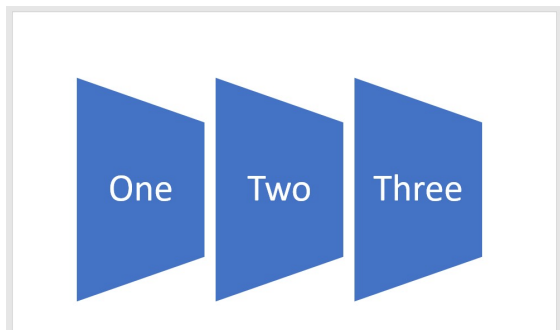


Figure 1: SmartArt: Before

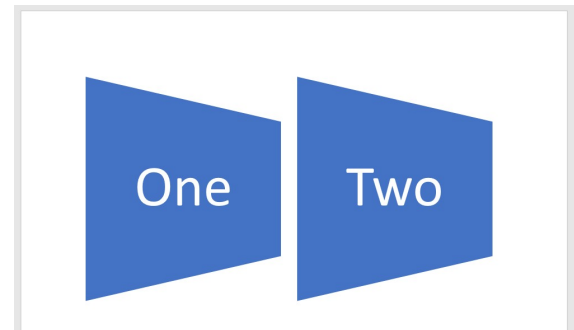


Figure 2: SmartArt: After

(Pages: 930 – 937) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the SmartArt graphic → Click on the shape with the word “Three” → Click the DELETE button on the keyboard.

3. (a) The Word application window is build up of several parts. State the name of the part displayed in the image in Figure 3.



Figure 3: Window Area

- (b) Explain the purpose of **one** element (button, icon, etc.) in the area whose name you mentioned in part a.

(Pages: 368 – 370) (7.14 points)

Correct answer:

- (a) This is the Quick Access Toolbar.

- (b) (For example:) The Save button saves the recent changes made to the Word document.
4. Where should you click to change the table in Figure 4, “Table: Before” to the one in Figure 5, “Table: After”?

Column 1	Column 2
Info	Info
Info	Info

Figure 4: Table: Before

Column 1	Column 2
Info	Info
Info	Info

Figure 5: Table: After

(Pages: 494 – 498) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Right-click inside the 2nd row, and select to insert a row below this 2nd row. Alternatively, right-click inside the 3rd row, and select to insert a row above this 3rd row.

5. Explain where you should click to:
- (a) Save the Word document for the 1st time (mention just **one** way.)
 - (b) Open an existing Word document on your Windows 10 computer (mention just **one** way.)

(Pages: 372 – 378, 544) (7.14 points)

Correct answer:

- (a) (For example:) File Tab → Save As → This PC → type the file name and choose the folder to which it will be saved → Click on “Save”.
- (b) (For example:) Open the Word app → File Tab → Open → This PC → search for the document or open the folder where it’s saved → Click on the name of the document → Click on “Open”.

the colroful flower

Figure 6: Phrase in Word

6. (a) Why does Word show a strange colorful underline in the phrase in Figure 6?
 (b) Mention **one** way to fix the issue and remove this underline with the help of Word (do NOT say “I can simply delete it and re-type it.”)
 (Pages: 419 – 423) (7.14 points)

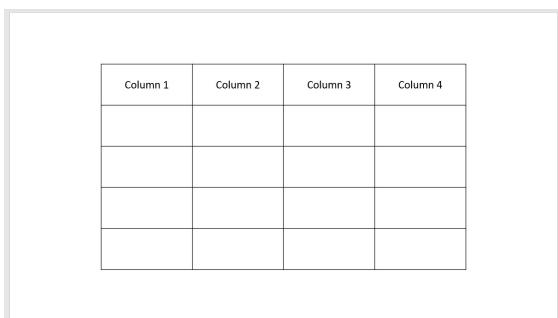
Correct answer:

- (a) The word “colroful” is misspelled, so Word warns you by drawing a red wavy underline under that word.
 (b) You can right-click the word or phrase with that underline, and from the options shown, click on the right correction. The correction will replace the mistake, and the underline will disappear. [Alternatively: open the Review tab, and click the Editor (also called Spelling and Grammar) button to view the detected grammar and spelling errors and correct them.]
7. Using Word, you are writing an MLA paper for your English class. The MLA format requires you to create a page header. Describe the steps of creating a blank header in a Word document. (Don’t write about how you add your last name and page number.)
 (Pages: 470 – 473) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Insert tab → Header button → Blank option

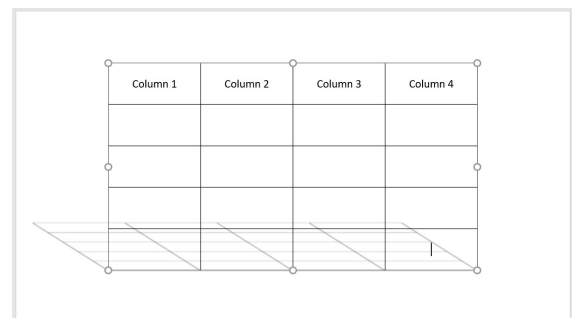
PowerPoint – Short Answer

8. Where do you need to click to change the table in Figure 7, “Table: Before” to the table in Figure 8, “Table: After”? Your answer must use a button from the Table Tools: Design tab.



Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4

Figure 7: Table: Before



Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4

Figure 8: Table: After

(Pages: 549 – 551) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the table → click on the Table Tools: Design tab → Click on the Effects button → Move the mouse over the “Shadow” option → Click on the “Perspective: Upper Left” shadow option to add it.

9. You are are working on a PowerPoint presentation with 3 slides. The thumbnails (small pictures) of your slides are displayed in the Slides tab/area shown in Figure 9, “My Slides”. Where should you click to change the Slides tab to the one in Figure 10, “My Slides: Changed”?



Figure 9: My Slides



Figure 10: My Slides: Changed

(Pages: 907 – 908) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Click on Slide 2 in the Slides tab/area → Drag it below the Slide 3 → When you notice that Slide 3 move above Slide 2, release the mouse. Now, the two slides exchanged their order!

10. Explain why the 1st slide in a PowerPoint presentation is called the “Title Slide,” according to our lectures.

(Pages: 1155 – 1156) (7.14 points)


Correct answer: The Title Slide comes with placeholders for both the title and subtitle of the entire presentation, so it serves as the title of the presentation.

11. A non-square page can have one of two orientation types: portrait and landscape. Which one is the orientation type of a PowerPoint slide, and how can you tell by looking at the slide? **Note:** The cheat-sheet page describes the orientation of an Excel page, but the same idea applies to the orientation of a PowerPoint slide.

(Pages: 770) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Landscape because the width of a slide is longer than its height.

12. (a) What is the name of the PowerPoint object appearing in the Figure 11?
(b) Where do you need to click to delete/remove this object?



Click to add title

Figure 11: Object/Box

(Pages: 880 – 883) (7.14 points)

Correct answer:

- (a) This is the placeholder of the Title, or “Title placeholder” shortly.
(b) You can either right-click it and choose “Cut” from the shortcut menu, or click its boundary and then click on the DELETE key.
13. How can you move the shapes in Figure 12, “My Shapes” so that they are positioned like those in Figure 13, “My Shapes: Moved”? In your answer, you must use a button on the Drawing Tools (Shape) Format Tab.

(Pages: 939 – 943) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select all the 3 shapes by clicking and holding the Control button on the keyboard and clicking on each of the shapes → Click the Drawing Tools (Shape) Format Tab → Click the Align button → Click “Align to Slide” → Click the Align button again → Click “Distribute Horizontally”.

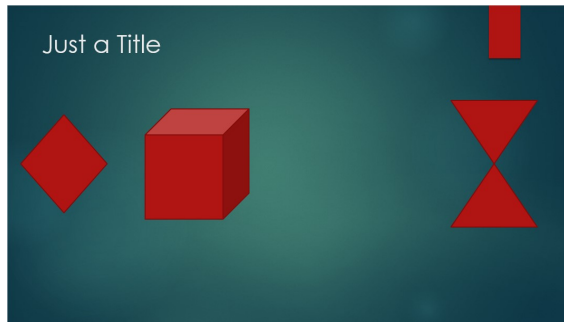


Figure 12: My Shapes

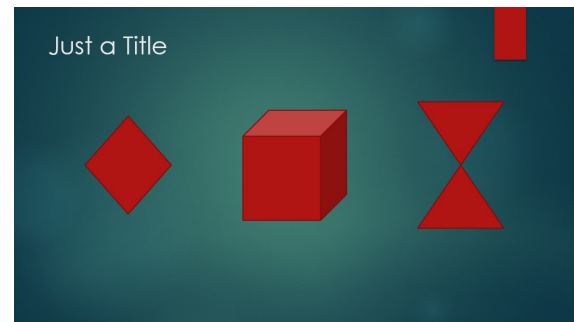


Figure 13: My Shapes: Moved

14. Which button do you need to click to add the text pointed by the red arrows in Figure 14? (Note: the object the question is asking about is below the red arrows. The arrows are for illustration only and should NOT be a part of the answer.)

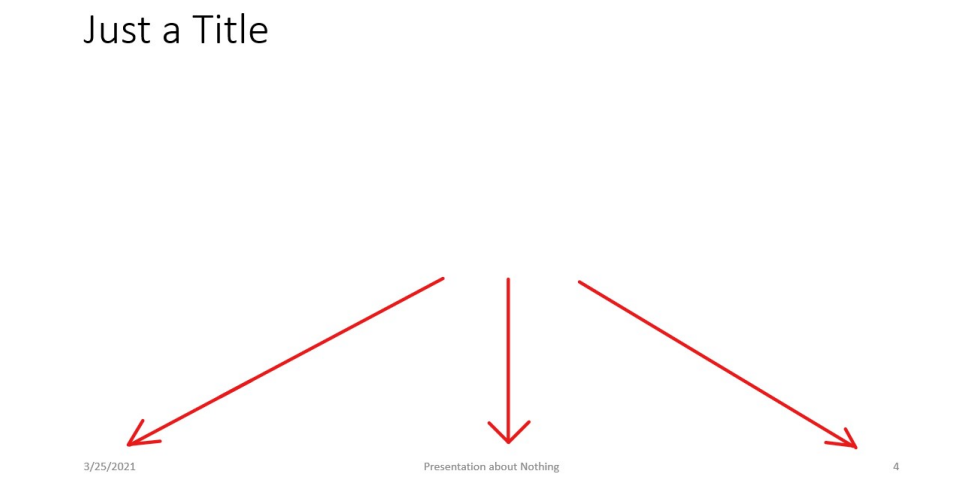


Figure 14: What is This

(Pages: 967 – 970) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Click the Insert Tab → Click the “Header & Footer” button → Check the “Date and time” box → Click on the Fixed radio button → Check the “Slide Number” box → Check the “Footer” box → Type: “Presentation about Nothing” → Click the “Apply to All” button to insert this footer.

Extra Credit

Word

15. Where should you click to save all the recently-made changes in a currently open Word document? (You already saved the document before, but just made some changes to

it.) Mention **two** ways.

(Pages: 369, 372 – 378) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: You could either (1) click on Quick Access Toolbar → ‘Save’ button, or (2) click Ctrl + S (Cmnd + S on Mac), or (3) click File → ‘Save’ option (not ‘Save As’.) Either two of the options are good for the answer.

16. Which button in Word should you click to change the paragraph:

Brooklyn College is an integral part of the artistic energy of New York.

to the following paragraph:

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(Pages: 404 – 405) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: Select the paragraph → Click the Home Tab → Click the Center button.

PowerPoint

17. How can you insert a table with 3 rows and 2 columns inside the PowerPoint box shown in Figure 15? Your answer must use the box shown in that Figure.

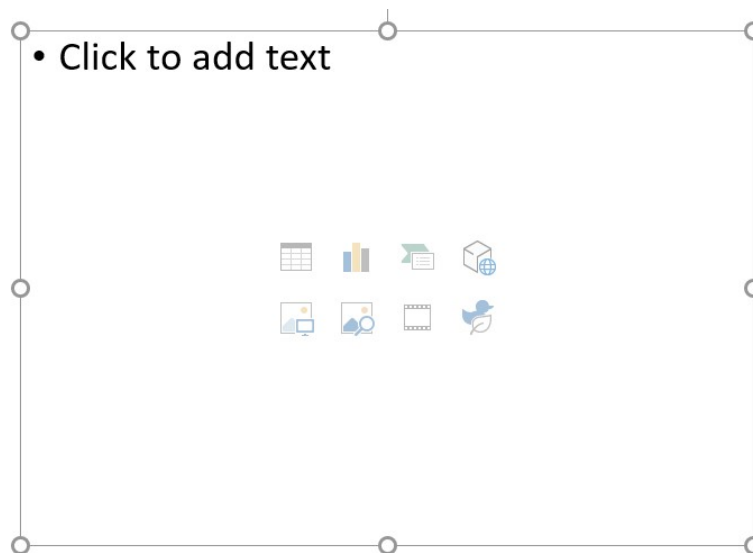


Figure 15: Insert Table Here

(Pages: 1055 – 1059) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: This object is a content placeholder. Click the “Insert Table” icon inside this content placeholder to open the Insert Table dialog box → Type 3 in the “Number of rows” box and 2 in the “Number of columns” box → Click OK for the table to be added.

18. What is the difference between this list:

- Apple
- Cherry
- Banana
- Strawberry

and this list:

- Fruit
 - Apple
 - Cherry
- Veggies
 - Banana
 - Strawberry

In your answer, speak about the hierarchy of the lists, not the content (the fruits and veggies) and not the way the bullet points look.

(Pages: 443 – 446) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: The first list is a regular first-level bulleted list, while the second list is a multi-level bulleted list with 1st-level and 2nd-level items.

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