

Midterm Exam Solutions

Word – Short Answer

1. You inserted an oval shape into your Word document shown in Figure 1, “Added Oval Shape”. Where should you click to change the location of the oval in the document to the one shown in Figure 2, “Moved Oval”? [**Note:** you must use a button on the Drawing Tools (Shape) Format Tab. Don’t answer “I can simply drag it there with the mouse.”]

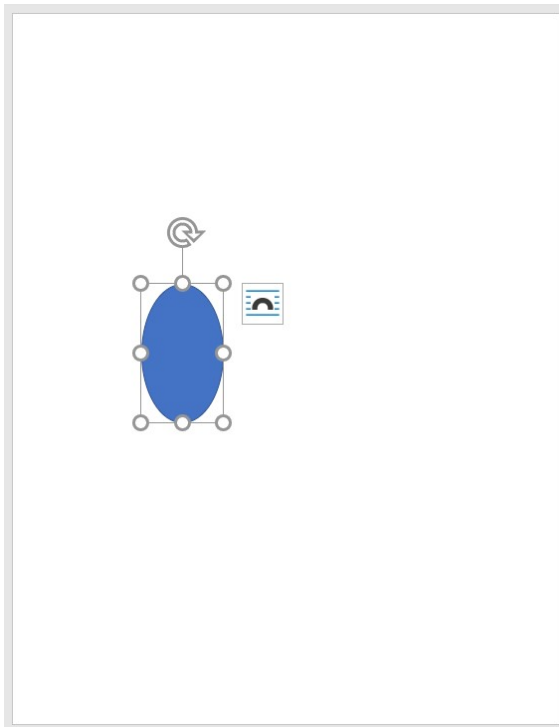


Figure 1: Added Oval Shape

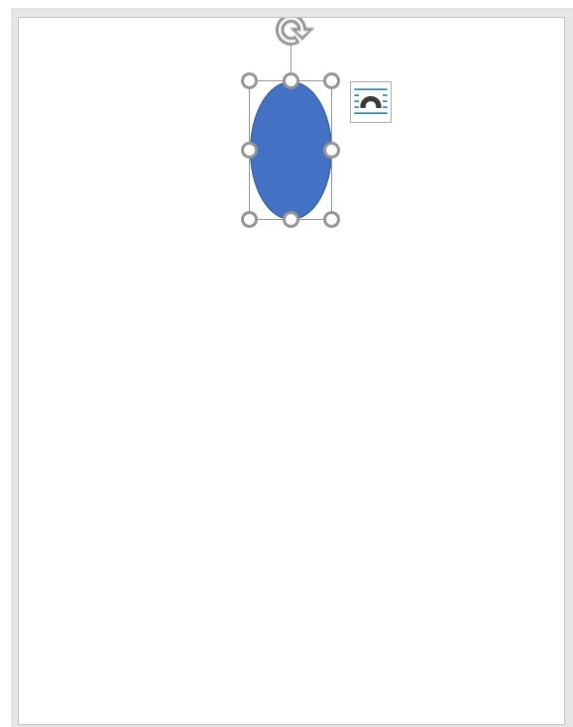


Figure 2: Moved Oval

(Pages: 519 – 521) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the shape → Click the Drawing Tools (Shape) Format → Click the Position button → Click “Position in Top Center with Square Wrapping.”

2. Describe **one** way in which you can change the picture inside a Word document shown in Figure 3, “Apple: Before” to the picture shown in Figure 4, “Apple: After”.

(Pages: 514 – 516) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the picture → Click on any one of the 4 corner sizing handles (those white small circles on the picture’s corners,) and drag it towards the opposite corner (inwards the picture) until the picture becomes as small as needed.

3. Which button in Word should you click to change the 3 paragraphs:

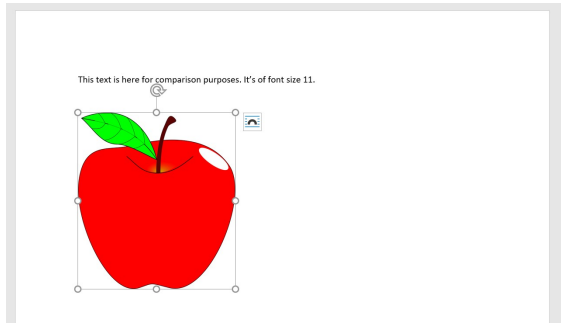


Figure 3: Apple: Before

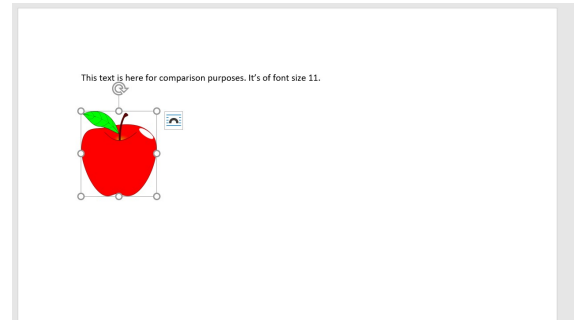


Figure 4: Apple: After

My name is Jane.

I love cats.

I also love pizza.

to:

- My name is Jane.
- I love cats.
- I also love pizza.

(Pages: 438 – 441) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the paragraphs → Click the Home Tab → Click the Bullets button

4. Name **three** commands/buttons on the Home tab of Word.

(Pages: 393) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: (For example:) Bold, Increase Font Size, and Paste

5. (a) The Word application window is build up of several parts. State the name of the part displayed in the image in Figure 5.



Figure 5: 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 Search Bar (also called “Tell Me Box.”)
- (b) The Search Bar lets you search for buttons and options in Word.
6. Where should you click to change the text layout in picture 6, “My Text Layout: Before” to the one in the picture 7, “My Text Layout: After” inside a Word document?



Figure 6: My Text Layout: Before

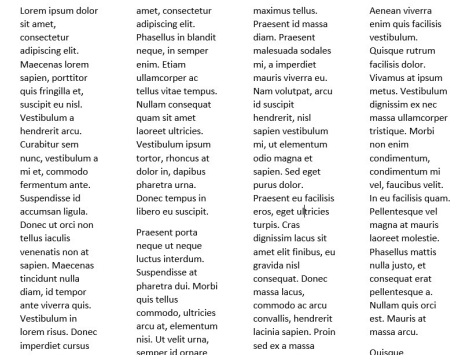


Figure 7: My Text Layout: After

(Pages: 465 – 469) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: The difference between the layout is in the number of columns: while the “My Text Layout: Before” image has 2 columns, the “My Text Layout: After” image has 4 columns. To change the layout to the one shown on the “My Text Layout: After” image, you could select the entire text in the document → click on the Layout tab → click the Column arrow → click the “More Columns...” option, and then type the number 4 next to “Number of Columns”.

7. What is the purpose of the following partially-shown dialog box in Figure 8?

(Pages: 569 – 570) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: The purpose of the dialog box is to insert/edit the details of a new bibliographic source into a Word document to later use it inside the bibliography or inside a citation.

PowerPoint – Short Answer

8. If you were to click on an option from the menu in the Figure 9, what kind of object would be added to the PowerPoint slide?

(Pages: 1116 – 1123) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: A chart of the option you specify will be added to the PowerPoint slide.

9. What is the difference between this list:

Web site Language Default

Bibliography Fields for MLA

Author Edit

☐ Corporate Author

Name of Web Page

Year

Month

Day

Year Accessed

Month Accessed

Day Accessed

Medium

☐ Show All Bibliography Fields

Tag name Placeholder1

OK Cancel

Figure 8: Dialog Box

- 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) (7.14 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.

10. If you click on any of the options shown in Figure 10, what object will change on the PowerPoint slide, and how?

(Pages: 1074 – 1078) (7.14 points)

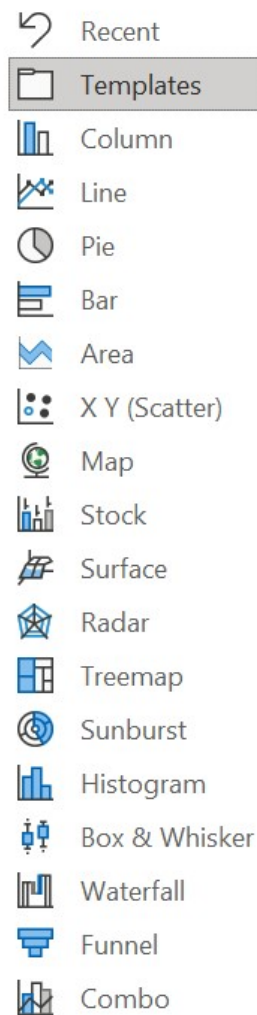


Figure 9: Long Menu

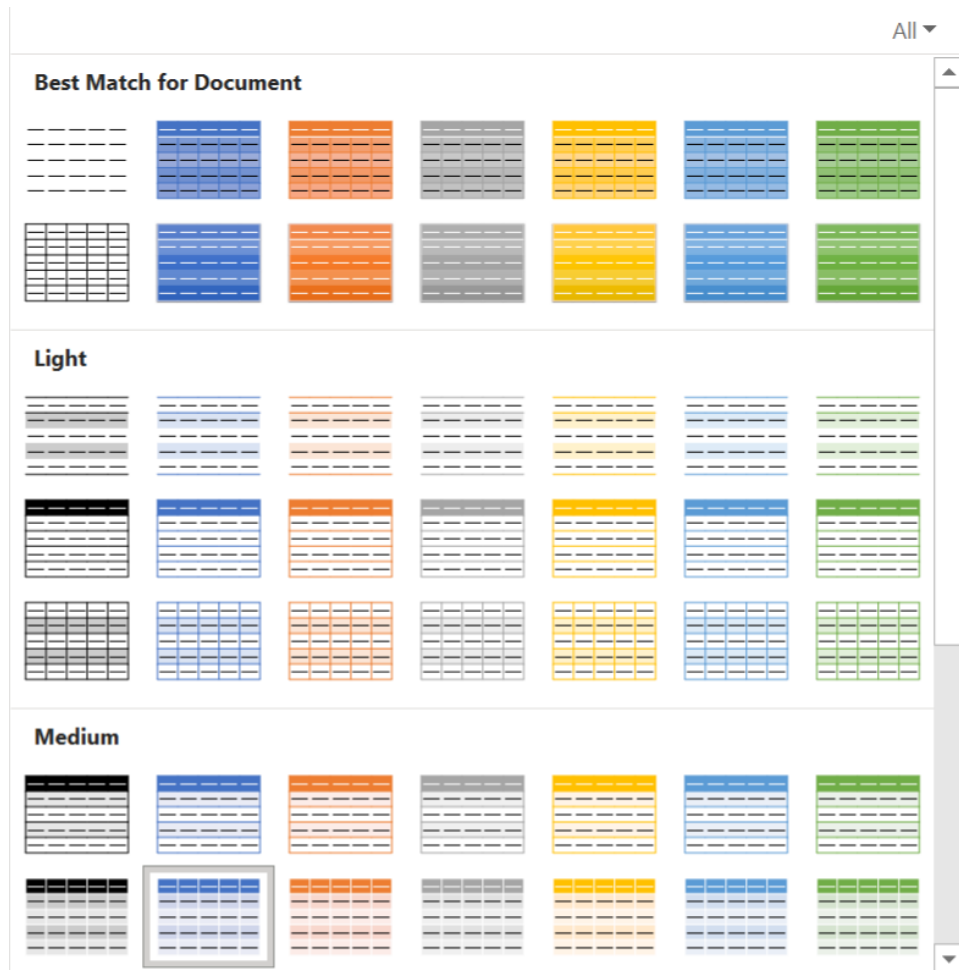


Figure 10: Many options

Correct answer: The style of the table on the PowerPoint slide will change to the one that you click among the “Many options”.

11. Where do you need to click to change the chart in Figure 11, “Chart: Before” to the chart in Figure 12, “Chart: After”? Your answer must use a button from the Chart Tools: Format tab.

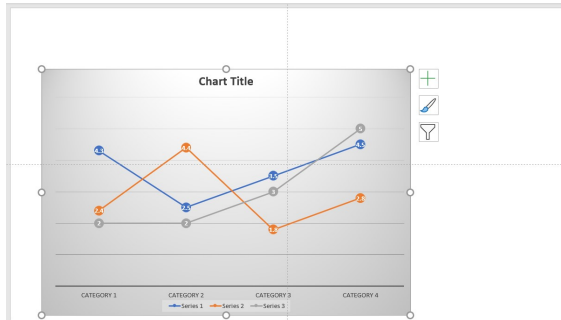


Figure 11: Chart: Before

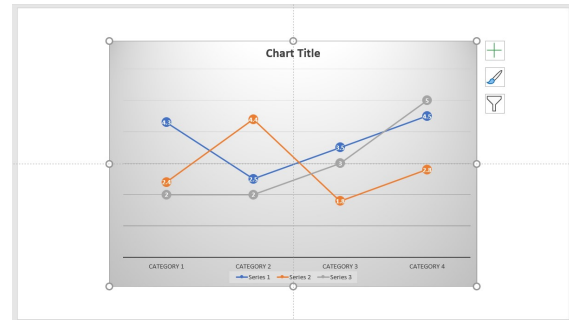


Figure 12: Chart: After

(Pages: 1126 – 1133) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the chart → click on the Chart Tools: Format tab → Click on the Align button → click on “Align Center” → Click on the Align button again → click on “Align Middle”.

12. Where do you need to click to change the table in Figure 13, “Table: Before” to the table in Figure 14, “Table: After”? Your answer must use a button from the Table Tools: Design tab.

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4

Figure 13: Table: Before

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4

Figure 14: 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.

13. 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.

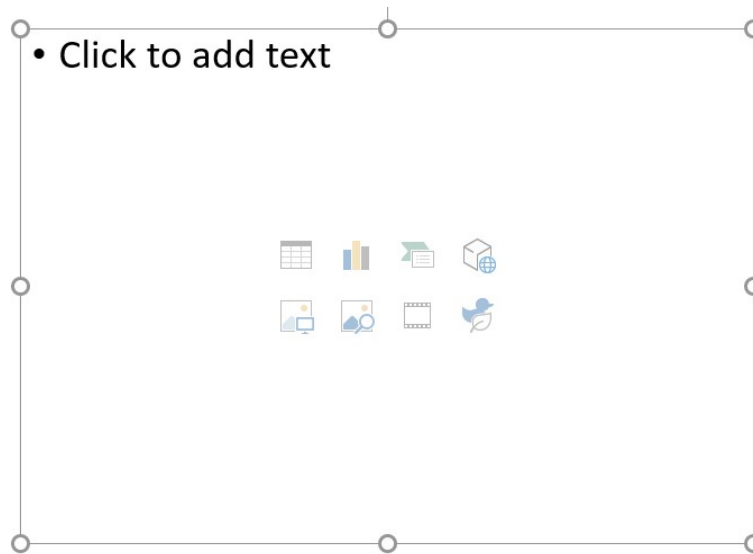


Figure 15: Insert Table Here

(Pages: 1055 – 1059) (7.14 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.

14. The bulleted list in Figure 16, “My List” was converted into the object displayed in Figure 17, “My New List”. Where should you click for this object conversion to occur? (**Hint:** what kind of object is displayed in Figure 17, “My New List”?)

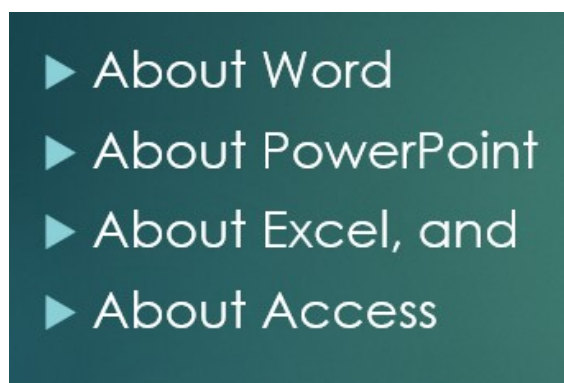


Figure 16: My List

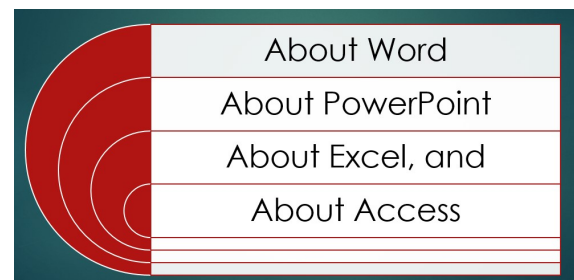


Figure 17: My New List

(Pages: 930 – 937) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select all the bulleted list’s items → Click the Home Tab → Click the “Convert to SmartArt” button → Select the appropriate SmartArt graphic to

which you want the list to be converted. The specific graphic in the “My New List” Figure is called “Targeted List,” but you did not have to mention that.

Extra Credit

Word

15. You changed the font of some text in a Word document by mistake. Describe **one** way of un-doing this change.

(Pages: 63 – 64) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: (easiest:) Click the Undo button in the Quick Access Toolbar at the top-left of the Word window OR use the Ctrl+Z / Cmnd+Z shortcuts.


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

(Pages: 454 – 459) (2.5 points)

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

PowerPoint

17. PowerPoint has several in-built slide types/layouts. What is the type of the slide shown in the image in Figure 18? **Hint:** Look at the screenshots given on the textbook pages listed below.



Click to add title

Figure 18: My Slide

(Pages: 900 – 903) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: This slide is of the type Title Only.

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

(Pages: 1155 – 1156) (2.5 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.

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