TASK 6

6.1 Complete these sentences with words from A opposite.

1. The differences in resolution are noticeable: the more dots per inch, the clearer the image.
2. A resolution of between 600 and 2400 dots per inch ensured that even text as small as 2 pt was legible.
3. Passengers with an electronic ticket will need a printout of ticket confirmation or a boarding pass to be admitted to secured gate areas.
4. The key advance of recent years is printing speed: the latest generation of ink-jets prints black-and-white text at 15 pages per minute(ppm)
5. With appropriate software, you can view the images on a computer, manipulate them, or send them to a printer and produce excellent quality colour copies.
6. A print server is a dedicated computer that connects a printer to a network. It enables users to share printing resources.
7. A print spooler is a utility that organizes and arranges any documents waiting to be printed.
8. In computers, a printer driver is a program installed to control a particular type of printer.

6.2 Choose the most appropriate type of printer for these situations.

1. An inkjet printer a home user who wants to print text documents and family photographs.

2. A laser printer businessman who needs to print in large quantities at high quality in an office.

3. A plotter engineers who want to make detailed line drawings.

4. A laser printer professional typesetter in desktop publishing (e.g.to publish magazines).

5. A matrix printer a company that wants to print carbon copies of bills and receipts.

6.3. Find the terms which correspond to these definitions.

1. a container that holds the ink in an ink-jet printer. **Ink cartridge**

2. powdered ink used in laser printers. toner

3. small needles that press on the inked ribbon to make the characters on paper. Print head

4. technology that produces text and pictures by hammering pins against a ribbon and the paper. Dot matrix printer

5. a language that tells a printer how to print a document. PDL

6. a peripheral combining a printer, a fax machine, a photocopier and a scanner into one device. Multi-function printer