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**CIT 771 - INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER GRAPHICS AND ANIMATION**

**Instruction: Answer Any Five Questions**

**Time Allowed: 3 Hours**

**1a. Explain what is meant by computer graphics  
4marks**

**b. List the six major elements of a graphic system.  
6marks**

**c. List four major areas of computer graphics.  
4marks**

**2a. Explain what is meant by BRDF  
4marks**

**b. Explain the two classes and two properties of BRDFs.  
10marks**

**3a. Explain the term transformations.  
3 marks**

**b. Outline, with an example each, the three classes of transformations.  
9 marks**

**c. What are homogeneous coordinates?  
2 marks**

**4a. Explain the thin lens Camera Model.  
5 marks**

**b. Define focal length.  
3 marks**

**c. Outline two important properties of perspective projection.  
6 marks**

**5a. Explain what is meant by rasterization  
4 marks**

**b. Explain Z-buffering and state one of its uses.  
4 marks**

**c. Outline the three major techniques of mapping methods.  
6 marks**

**6a. What are models?**

**5 marks**

**b. State two advantages and three disadvantages of hierarchies.**

**5 marks**

**c. State two applications of models.**

**4 marks**

**7a. Explain what is meant by keyframing**

**3 marks**

**b. State two advantages and two disadvantages of keyframing.**

**4 marks**

**c. What is motion capture?**

**3 marks**

**d. Enumerate two advantages and two disadvantages of motion capture.**

**4 marks**