

III B. Tech II Semester Supplementary Examinations, November - 2018
INTERACTIVE COMPUTER GRAPHICS
(Mechanical Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

- Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)
2. Answering the question in **Part-A** is compulsory
3. Answer any **THREE** Questions from **Part-B**

PART -A

- 1 a) List out the merits and demerits of Direct View Storage Tube (DVST) devices. [3M]
- b) Write about Affine transformations. [4M]
- c) What is the significance of dot products in Cyrus-Beck line clipping algorithm? [4M]
- d) Distinguish between curve and surface in 3-D space. [4M]
- e) Mention the difficulties that can be encountered in implementing the painter's algorithm. [4M]
- f) Define interframe coherence. [3M]

PART -B

- 2 a) Discuss the design issues in color CRT monitors. [4M]
- b) Explain the differences between a general graphics system designed for a programmer and one designed for a specific application, such as architectural design? [8M]
- c) Differentiate between pixel addressing and object addressing. [4M]
- 3 a) Show that two successive reflections about any line passing through the coordinate origin is equivalent to a single rotation about the origin. [8M]
- b) Calculate the pixel location approximating the first octant of a circle having centre at (4, 5) and radius 4 units using Bresenham's algorithm. [8M]
- 4 a) What are the phases defined in typical viewing pipeline? Explain briefly about each phase. [8M]
- b) Justify that the Sutherland - Hodgeman algorithm is not suitable for clipping when the clipping polygon is a concave window. [8M]
- 5 a) Derive the matrix form for the cubic Bezier curves. [8M]
- b) Describe the Phong illumination model. Explain the parameters used in Phong's model. [8M]
- 6 a) Show how the calculation of the intersection of an edge with a scan line can be made incremental as opposed to absolute. [8M]
- b) Derive the transformation matrix for scaling an object by a scaling factor 's' in a direction defined by the direction angles α , β and γ . [8M]
- 7 a) Describe linear list notation of animation languages. [8M]
- b) Discuss in detail the steps of Animation [8M]

