

B.TECH. DEGREE VI SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN
COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
NOVEMBER 2001

CS 605 COMPUTER GRAPHICS
(1998 Admissions)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 100

- I. (a) Explain the desirable qualities of a good line drawing algorithm. (5)
 (b) Explain the DDA line drawing algorithm. What are its advantages and disadvantages when compared to other algorithms? (15)
- OR**
- II. (a) Show the working of shadow mask CRT with a neat diagram. What are its drawbacks? (10)
 (b) Write any one circle generating algorithm and explain the implementation. (10)
- III. (a) What do you mean by a two dimensional transformation? (2)
 (b) What are the basic two dimensional transformations? Write the matrix representations of each. (10)
 (c) Explain Cohen-Sutherland line clipping algorithm. (8)
- OR**
- IV. (a) Explain the terms Window and Viewport. (2)
 (b) Illustrate windowing transformation with a diagram. Derive the expressions. (10)
 (c) What are the steps involved in midpoint subdivision line clipping algorithm? (8)
- V. (a) What do you mean by a display file? Explain its structure. (15)
 (b) What is posting and unposting a segment? What is its use? (5)
- OR**
- VI. (a) Explain how the free-storage allocation system meet the demands of a display file compiler. (15)
 (b) Discuss the functions required for segmenting the display file. (5)
- VII. (a) What are the basic 3 dimensional transformations? Show the corresponding matrix representations. (10)
 (b) What do you mean by homogenous coordinate representation? What is its advantage? (10)
- OR**
- VIII. (a) Explain the depth buffer algorithm for hidden surface removal. What are its limitations? (10)
 (b) Derive the transformation matrix required for perspective projection. (10)
- IX. Explain briefly **ANY FOUR** of the following: (4 x 5 = 20)
- (i) Refresh line drawing display
 (ii) Random-scan storage tube displays
 (iii) Functions in derive independent graphics system
 (iv) Keyboard command languages
 (v) Menu driven command languages
 (vi) A computer graphics application-animation.