

CPSC 453 – Self-test – Oct 7-8, 2019

1) Who developed the first interactive computer animation system:

- Ivan Sutherland at MIT
- Alvy Ray Smith At the University of Utah
- Marcelli Wein and Nestor Burtnyk at the NRC

2) What is the value of  $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ ?

3) Which of the following operation(s) is/are commutative:

- Vector addition
- Vector subtraction
- Dot Product
- Cross product
- Multiplication of a vector by a number.

4) Does the equality  $\vec{a} \times (\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) = (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \times \vec{c}$  hold for any vectors  $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ ? Some vectors? Never? Justify your answer.

5) Consider vectors defined as follows:

```
struct V3f
{
    float x, y, z;
    V3f(float x1, float y1, float z1)
        {x=x1; y=y1; z = z1}
    V3f()
        {x=0; y=0; z=0}
};
```

Define the overloaded operator `*` for computing the dot product of two vectors in C++.

6) Write the transformation matrix for rotating by angle  $\alpha$  around the  $y$  axis in 3D.

7) Point  $P$  has homogeneous coordinates  $[1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4]^T$ . What are its  $x, y, z$  coordinates in 3D?

7) Which of the following operation(s) can be performed as matrix multiplication without using homogeneous coordinates:

- Translation
- Scaling with respect to the origin of the coordinate system
- Parallel projection
- Perspective projection
- Rotation with respect to the origin of the coordinate system

8) What is Rodrigues's formula for?

9) What are the normalized device coordinates (NDC)?

10) Oblique projections are a special case of:

- Orthographic projections
- Parallel projections
- One-point perspective
- Two-point perspective
- Three-point perspective