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FINAL EXAMINATION: 2009/2010
CSE1176: DESKTOP PUBLISHING



DURATION: TWO HOURS

Date: 20th July, 2010

Time: 10.00 am – 12.00 noon

Answer FOUR Questions ONLY.

Q1.

- a. What do you mean by desktop publishing?
- b. What are the three pallets appear by default, unless you didn't clear them out in a previous session of PageMaker?
- c. What are the differences in between *rulers* and *guides*?
- d. Explain the skills of a desktop publisher

Q2.

- a. What are the two text editing modes when you are formatting a text in a PageMaker document?
- b. What are the facts that should be considered in using *process colors*?
- c. What does it mean by the *view area* of a document?
- d. Write down four components that are visible on the view area of a document?

Q3.

- a. State whether the following statements are TRUE or FALSE.
 - i. Bitmapped images are good for representing continuous ranges of colors with soft edges.
 - ii. Printer setup is a job of PageMaker.
 - iii. Bitmapped graphics are made up of lines and vector graphics are made up of square dots called pixels.
 - iv. The HLS colour schema represents the colour combination using the Lightness and Saturation only.
 - v. Plug-ins are short programs that are created for especially designed task.
- b. Briefly explain the words *tracking* and *kerning* in the context of text editing.
- c. Write down four aspects that may depend on the selection of fonts on a PageMaker document
- d. How do you import text into PageMaker from a word processing document?

Q4.

- a. What are styles?
- b. Explain how styles could help you as a time saver.
- c. What are the two methods of creating a style in PageMaker? State the common formatting of both methods.
- d. What is the purpose of *Hyphenation* in PageMaker?

Q5.

- a. Suppose you need to change the number of sides of a polygon that you draw in a PageMaker document. Briefly explain the steps involved for the above task.
- b. A rectangle graphic that we created by the rectangle tool sometimes might need its corners to be rounded. How can you do it?
- c. Briefly describe the three types of graphic formats that page can import.
- d. Give a common name for *EPS*, *DCS*, and *WMF* in the context of graphics in PageMaker.

Q6.

- a. What are the two basic types of graphics?
- b. What is the difference between the above two types of graphics?
- c. How can you import a graphic format into the Master Page?
- d. What is the difference between *fill* and *stroke* of a graphic object?

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