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Problem #3

(a) [4 points] In the scene below, label the brightest spot on the object assuming that it has a diffuse (Lambertian) surface.







(b) [4 points] Label the brightest spot on the object assuming that it has a highly specular surface.







Problem #4

[4 points] In 25 words of less, what is the difference between local and global illumnation?

Problem #7

[9 points] Indicate which cubic splines have the specified properties.

	Hermite	Bézier	Catmull-Rom
(a) Convex hull property			
(b) Fully interpolatory			
(c) Specify the slop of the curve at the endpoints of each segment			

Problem #8

[1 point] Did you put your name on the front of this exam?

Problem #9

[5 points] Which of the following would allow a ray tracer to simulate diffuse reflection?

- (a) Deeper recursion
- (b) Shooting more rays at each bounce (in random directions)
- (c) Fuzzy logic
- (d) Higher precision arithmetic

Please explain your answer.

Problem #10

[4 points] A radiosity solution for a particular environment is computed and displayed. What parts (if any) of the solution would need to be recomputed if the viewpoint is moved?

Problem #13

[9 points] What is the difference between bump mapping, dispacement mapping, and environment mapping?

Problem #14

[4 points] Why would you want to perform back-face culling if you already had a built in hardware Z-buffer?

Problem #15

[4 points] You are producing a film for a screen that is not flat (like an IMAX screen). What would be a good rendering technique to use?

Problem #16

[4 points] Name two shapes which could be the result of (planar) perspective projection applied to a line segment.

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