

**TASKS of MATHEMATICS**  
**for Economic Applications AA. 2017/18**

Intermediate Test December 2017

I M 1) Using the trigonometric form of the complex numbers, calculate  $\left(\frac{1+i}{1+\sqrt{3}i}\right)^4$ .

I M 2) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & k & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$ , determine the values of the parameter  $k$  for

which it admits a multiple eigenvalue and verify if, for these values of  $k$ , the matrix is a diagonalizable one.

I M 3) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} m & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & k \end{vmatrix}$ , determine, on varying the parameters  $m$  and

$k$ , the dimensions of the Image and the Kernel of the linear map  $f: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ ,  $f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}$ .

I M 4) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$ , determine a basis for the Kernel of the

linear map  $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ ,  $f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{A}^T \cdot \mathbb{X}$ .

I M 5) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , verify that it has two eigenvalues equal to those

of the matrix  $\mathbb{A}^2 = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{A}$ .

I Winter Exam Session 2018

I M 1) Calculate the fourth roots of  $z = e^{\log 16 - i\pi}$ .

I M 2) Given  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & k \\ 0 & k & 0 \\ k & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$  determine, on varying  $k$ , its eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors, their algebraic and geometric multiplicity, a basis for the eigenspace.

I M 3) For the linear map  $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  generated by the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x_1 & y_1 \\ 2 & x_2 & y_2 \\ -1 & x_3 & y_3 \end{vmatrix}$  it re-

sults  $\begin{cases} f(1, 1, 1) = (3, 3, 1) \\ f(1, 1, -1) = (-1, 5, -1) \end{cases}$ . Find the dimensions of the Image and the Kernel of such linear map.

I M 4) In the base  $\mathbb{W} : \{(1, 0, 1); (1, 1, 0); (1, 1, 1)\}$  the vector  $\mathbb{X}$  has coordinates  $(2, -1, 1)$ . Find its coordinates in the base  $\mathbb{V} = \{(1, 0, 1); (1, 1, 0); (2, 1, 2)\}$ .

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y) = y \log x + (x - 1)e^y - y = 0$  satisfied at the point  $(1, 0)$ , verify that with it an implicit function  $y = y(x)$  can be defined and then calculate, for this function, the expression of the Taylor polynomial of the second degree at the appropriate point.

II M 2) Solve the problem 
$$\begin{cases} \text{Max/min } f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2 \\ \text{u.c. } \begin{cases} x^2 + 4y^2 \leq 4 \\ 2y \leq 2 - x \end{cases} \end{cases} .$$

II M 3) Given the function  $f(x, y) = y^2 - x^3 - 2xy^2 + 27x$ , analyze the nature of its stationary points.

II M 4) Given the function  $f(x, y) = \alpha x^2 + \beta y^3 + 2x - 3y^2$ , with  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ , find the values of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  if  $f'_x(1, 1) = f''_{y,y}(1, 1)$  and  $f'_y(-1, -1) = f''_{x,x}(-1, -1)$ .

### II Winter Exam Session 2018

I M 1) If  $e^z = 1 + i$ , determine  $z$ .

I M 2) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & -9 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$  determine its real and complex eigenvalues,

and, for the real eigenvalue, the corresponding eigenvectors.

I M 3) Given the linear homogeneous system  $\begin{cases} x_1 + mx_2 + mx_3 + 2x_4 = 0 \\ x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + 2mx_4 = 0 \end{cases}$ , find, on varying the parameter  $m$ , the dimension of the linear space of its solutions, and when this dimension is maximum, find a basis for such space.

I M 4) Given the two orthogonal vectors  $\mathbb{X}_1 = (1, 2, -3)$  and  $\mathbb{X}_2 = (1, 1, 1)$ , determine a third vector  $\mathbb{X}_3$  orthogonal to  $\mathbb{X}_1$  and  $\mathbb{X}_2$ . With these three vectors realize a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Finally determine the coordinates of the vector  $\mathbb{Y} = (1, 0, 1)$  in such basis.

II M 1) With the system  $\begin{cases} f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^3 - 3xy = 0 \\ g(x, y, z) = x^3 + y^3 - 3z^2 + xyz = 0 \end{cases}$  satisfied at the point  $P = (1, 1, 1)$  we can define an implicit function. Calculate its first order derivatives.

II M 2) Solve the problem 
$$\begin{cases} \text{Max/min } f(x, y) = x(y + 1) \\ \text{u.c.: } \begin{cases} x + y^2 \leq 1 \\ 0 \leq x \end{cases} \end{cases} .$$

II M 3) Given the function  $f(x, y) = \log\left(\frac{x - y + 1}{y - x^2 + 1}\right)$  graphically represent its existence field and then calculate the gradient  $\nabla f(0, 0)$ .

II M 4) Given the function  $f(x, y) = k(x^2 - y^2) + x - y$  and the unit vectors  $e_1 = (1, 0)$ ,  $e_2 = (0, 1)$ , if the first order directional derivatives  $D_{e_1}f(1, 0)$  and  $D_{e_2}f(0, 1)$  are equal, find the value of  $k$  and then calculate the second order directional derivative  $D_{e_1, e_2}^2 f(1, 1)$ .

### I Additional Exam Session 2018

I M 1) Find the cubic (third) roots of  $z$  if  $z = e^{1+4\pi i} \cdot e^{-1+3\pi i}$ .

I M 2) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} x + 1 & x & x \\ y & y + 1 & y \\ -y & -y & 1 - y \end{vmatrix}$ , find the relationship that must exist

between  $x$  and  $y$  so that the matrix admits an eigenvalue whose algebraic multiplicity is equal to 3.

I M 3) Given the linear map:

$$f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, \text{ with } f(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (ax_1, x_1 + bx_2, x_1 + x_2 + cx_3),$$

since  $f(1, 1, 1) = (0, 1, 2)$ , calculate the values of the parameters  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  and then find a basis for the kernel and a basis for the image of  $f$ .

I M 4) Given the matrices  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  and  $\mathbb{B} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , calculate the matrix

$(\mathbb{A} + \mathbb{B}^T)^{-1}$ , the inverse of the sum of the matrix  $\mathbb{A}$  with the transpose of the matrix  $\mathbb{B}$ .

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y, z) = xe^{y-z} - ye^{z-x} + ze^{x-y} = 0$  satisfied at point  $(0, 0, 0)$ , verify that an implicit function  $z = z(x, y)$  can be defined and then calculate the equation of the tangent plane for this function at the point  $(0, 0)$ .

II M 2) Solve the problem  $\begin{cases} \text{Max/min } f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2 \\ \text{u.c.: } x^2 + 4y^2 \leq 4 \end{cases}$ .

II M 3) Given  $f(x, y) = x \cdot e^y + y \cdot e^x$  and the unit vector  $v = (\cos \alpha, \sin \alpha)$ , determine the values for  $\alpha$  for which the directional derivatives  $\mathcal{D}_v f(0, 0)$  are equal to zero and then calculate  $\mathcal{D}_{v,v}^2 f(0, 0), \forall \alpha$ .

II M 4) Given  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, t \rightarrow (\sin(t^2), e^{2t}, \log(1+t))$ , determine the equation of the tangent line to this curve at the point  $t = 0$ .

### I Summer Exam Session 2018

I M 1) Find the square roots of the complex number  $z = \frac{1+i}{1-i} - \frac{1-i}{1+i}$ .

I M 2) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$ , find its eigenvalues and study the corresponding associated eigenspaces.

I M 3) Given the linear map  $\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}$ , with  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & k & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$ , since

the dimension of the Kernel of such map is equal to 1, check if the matrix is a diagonalizable one.

I M 4) Check if, on varying the parameters  $m$  and  $k$ , the vector  $\mathbb{Y} = (-1, 1, k)$  can be expressed with a linear combination of the vectors  $\mathbb{X}_1 = (1, 1, 0)$ ,  $\mathbb{X}_2 = (-1, 0, -1)$ ,  $\mathbb{X}_3 = (1, 1, m)$  and  $\mathbb{X}_4 = (-1, 1, -2)$ .

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y, z) = x^3 + y^3 + z^3 + 3xy + 3yz = 1$ , satisfied at the point  $P = (1, 1, -1)$ , determine the first order partial derivatives of the implicit function defined by such equation having  $z$  as its dependent variable.

II M 2) Solve the problem  $\begin{cases} \text{Max/min } f(x, y) = x^4 + y^4 \\ \text{u.c.: } x^2 + y^2 \leq 1 \end{cases}$ .

II M 3) Given the vectors  $v = \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$  and  $w = \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$  and the function

$f(x, y) = \log(e^{x^2+y^2} + e^{x^2-y^2})$ , calculate the first order directional derivatives  $\mathcal{D}_v f(0, 0)$  and  $\mathcal{D}_w f(-1, 1)$ .

II M 4) Given the function  $f(x, y) = (x - y)^2 + (y - 3x)^2$  analyze the nature of its stationary points.