

# TASKS Quantitative Methods/Mathematics for Economic Applications AA. 2020/21

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I Winter Exam Session 2021

I M 1) If  $e^z = \frac{\sqrt[3]{e}}{2}(\sqrt{3} - i)$ , find  $z$ .

I M 2) Given the vectors  $\mathbb{X}_1 = (1, 0, -2, 2)$ ,  $\mathbb{X}_2 = (2, 1, -1, 2)$  and  $\mathbb{X}_3 = (1, 2, 4, k)$ , check, depending on the parameter  $k$ , when they are linearly independent.

I M 3) Determine the only value of the parameter  $k$  for which the matrix  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & k & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  is diagonalizable.

I M 4) Consider the linear map  $f : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $\mathbb{Y} = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}$  with  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & m & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & k \\ 1 & 1 & 2k & m \end{vmatrix}$ .

Since  $f(1, 1, 1, 1) = (4, 5, 9)$ , determine the values of the parameters  $m$  and  $k$  and then find the dimensions of the Kernel and of the Image of this linear map.

II M 1) Given  $f(x, y) = x^2 - 3xy + 2y^2$ ,  $v$  and  $w$  the unit vectors of  $(1, 1)$  and  $(1, -1)$ , since  $\mathcal{D}_v f(P_0) = \sqrt{2}$  and  $\mathcal{D}_w f(P_0) = 2\sqrt{2}$ , determine  $P_0$  and then calculate  $D_{v,w}^2 f(P_0)$ .

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

II M 3) Given the equation  $f(x, y, z) = 2xy - e^{z-x} - e^{z-y} = 0$ , satisfied at  $(1, 1, 1)$ , verify that an implicit function  $(x, y) \rightarrow z(x, y)$  can be defined with it and then calculate the first order derivatives of such function.

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

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I M 1) Two complex numbers are given  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  such that, written in trigonometric form, have moduli equal respectively to 4 and  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and arguments respectively equal to  $\frac{17}{5}\pi$  and  $\frac{23}{20}\pi$ . Calculate their quotient  $\frac{z_1}{z_2}$ .

I M 2) Determine an orthogonal matrix that diagonalizes  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ .

I M 3) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ , after having determined the dimensions of the

Kernel and the Image of the linear map  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}$ , find all the vectors  $\mathbb{X}$  that in this linear map coincide with their image:  $f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{X}$ .

I M 4) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 5 & -4 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  and the linear map  $f: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ,

$f(\mathbb{X}) = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}$ , determine if the vector  $\mathbb{Y} = (1, 1, 4)$  belongs to the Image of that linear map.

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y) = e^{x^2-y} - e^{y^2-x} = 0$ , verify that at the point  $P_0 = (1, 1)$  the hypotheses of Dini's Theorem are satisfied and then find the equation of the tangent line to the implicit function  $y = y(x)$  so determined at  $x_0 = 1$ .

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

II M 3) Given the function  $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 + xy$  find all directions  $v = (\cos \alpha, \sin \alpha)$  for which it results  $\mathcal{D}_v f(1, 1) = 0$ .

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

### I Additional Exam Session QMfEA 2021

I M 1) If  $z = e(\cos \alpha + i \sin \alpha)$ , since  $e^{1-3i} \cdot z = e^{2+i}$ , determine  $\alpha$ .

I M 2) In the basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$  formed by the vectors  $\mathbb{V}_1 = (1, 2, -1)$ ,  $\mathbb{V}_2 = (2, 1, 1)$  and  $\mathbb{V}_3 = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$ , the coordinates of the vector  $\mathbb{Y} = (1, 3, 0)$  are  $(2, -2, 1)$ . Determine  $\mathbb{X}_3$ .

I M 3) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & m & 4 \end{vmatrix}$ , determine, on varying the parameter  $m$ , the

existence of multiple eigenvalues and determine if, for these values, the matrix is diagonalizable.

I M 4) Given the linear system  $\begin{cases} x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 + x_4 = 2 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + 2x_4 = 1 \\ x_1 - 4x_2 + 7x_3 + x_4 = k \end{cases}$ , find the values of the parameter

$k$  for which the system has solutions.

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y) = x^3 - 3xy + y^3 - 3 = 0$  and the point  $P = (-1, 1)$  that satisfies such equation, find the equation of the tangent line to the graphic of the implicit function  $y = y(x)$  defined at the point  $x = -1$ .

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

II M 3) Given  $f(x, y) = xy - 2x + y$ , let  $v$  and  $w$  be the unit vectors of  $(1, 1)$  and  $(1, -1)$ ; determine if there are points  $P$  where  $\mathcal{D}_v f(P) = \sqrt{2}$  and  $\mathcal{D}_w f(P) = -\sqrt{2}$ .

II M 4) Find the pair  $(x, y)$  for which the determinant of the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} xy & y \\ x & x+y \end{vmatrix}$  has a minimum value.

### I Summer Exam Session 2021

I M 1) Find  $z$  if  $z^3 = 1 - i$ .

I M 2) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$  and linear map  $\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 : \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X} = \mathbb{Y}$ , calculate the dimensions of its Kernel and its Image. Then given the two linearly independent

vectors  $\mathbb{X}_1 = (2, 1, 0)$  and  $\mathbb{X}_2 = (1, 2, 2)$  determine if  $\mathbb{Y}_1 = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}_1$  and  $\mathbb{Y}_2 = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}_2$  are also linearly independent.

I M 3) Given the linear system 
$$\begin{cases} 2x + 3y - z = 1 \\ 2x + y + 2z = 2 \\ 2x + 5y + kz = m \end{cases}$$
, determine for which values of the parameters  $k$  and  $m$  it admits none, only one or infinite solutions.

I M 4) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$ , knowing that it admits the eigenvalue  $\lambda = 2$ , determine if it is diagonalizable and if it admits orthogonal eigenvectors.

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y) = e^{(x-1)y} - y^2 e^{x-1} = 0$ , find all the points  $(1, y)$  that satisfy this equation, verify in these points the applicability of the Dini's Theorem to obtain an implicit function  $y = y(x)$ , and calculate the first derivative of this function at the points found.

II M 2) Solve the problem 
$$\begin{cases} \text{Max/min } f(x, y) = x(y - 1) \\ \text{u.c.: } \begin{cases} y^2 + x - 1 \leq 0 \\ x \geq 0 \end{cases} \end{cases}$$
. It may be useful to study the sign of the function.

II M 3) Given  $f(x, y) = x y^2 - x^2$ , calculate  $\mathcal{D}_v f(P_0)$ , where  $v$  represents the direction from  $P_0 = (1, 2)$  to the origin  $(0, 0)$ .

II M 4) Determine the value of  $x$  that minimizes the value of the determinant of the matrix 
$$\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 2x - 1 & 2 & x - 5 \\ 2x & 1 & x + 1 \\ x + 1 & 3 & x + 2 \end{vmatrix}.$$

## II Summer Exam Session 2021

I M 1) The polynomial equation  $x^3 - i x^2 - x + i = 0$  has two real solutions and one imaginary solution. Calculate the cubic roots of the product of the three solutions.

I M 2) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 & k \end{vmatrix}$ , the linear map  $\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 : \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X} = \mathbb{Y}$ , and

the vector  $\mathbb{Y} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ m \end{vmatrix}$ , determine for which values of the parameters  $k$  and  $m$  the vector  $\mathbb{Y}$  belongs to the Image of the map.

I M 3) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$ , determine an orthogonal matrix that diagonalizes it.

I M 4) Find the coordinates of the vector  $\mathbb{X}$  in the basis  $\mathbb{A} = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1)\}$  if it has coordinates  $(2, 1, 2)$  in the basis  $\mathbb{B} = \{(1, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1)\}$

II M 1) Given the system 
$$\begin{cases} f(x, y, z) = e^{x-y} + e^{x-z} - 2e^{y-z} = 0 \\ g(x, y, z) = x^3 + y^3 + z^2 - 3xyz = 0 \end{cases}$$
 and  $P = (1, 1, 1)$ , point satisfying it, an implicit function is determined  $x \rightarrow (y, z)$ ; of this function calculate the derivatives in the considered point.

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

II M 3) Given  $f(x, y) = 2xy - x^2$ , calculate  $\mathcal{D}_v f(1, 1)$ , where  $v$  represents the direction from  $(1, 1)$  to  $P_0 = (1, 2)$ .

II M 4) Determine, on varying the parameter  $k$ , the nature of the stationary points of the function  $f(x, y) = x^3 - 3kxy + y^2$ .

### I Autumn Exam Session 2021

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

I M 2) Given the two orthogonal vectors  $\mathbb{X}_1 = (1, 1, -2)$  and  $\mathbb{X}_2 = (1, 1, 1)$ , determine a third vector  $\mathbb{X}_3$  orthogonal to both them and, with their unit vectors, form an orthogonal matrix. Finally, determine the inverse of this orthogonal matrix.

I M 3) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} k & 0 & k \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ k & 0 & k \end{vmatrix}$ , determine the values of  $k$  for which the matrix admits a multiple eigenvalue.

I M 4) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & m & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & -4 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$  and the vector  $\mathbb{Y} = (2, 6, m)$ , determine for which value of  $m$  the vector  $\mathbb{Y}$  belongs to the Image of the linear map generated by  $\mathbb{A}$ .

II M 1) Given  $f(x, y) = x e^y$  and  $P_0 = (1, 0)$ , find all the directions  $v = (\cos \alpha, \sin \alpha)$  for which it is:  $\mathcal{D}_v f(P_0) = 0$ .

II M 2) Solve the problem  $\begin{cases} \text{Max/min } f(x, y) = 2x - 3y \\ \text{u.c.: } x^2 + y^2 \leq 4 \end{cases}.$

II M 3) Given the function  $f(x, y, z) = x e^{y-z} + x \log(2y - x)$ , calculate its gradient at the point  $P_0 = (1, 1, 1)$ .

II M 4) Given the equation  $f(x, y) = x^3 - 2y^3 - 3x + 4y = 0$ , satisfied at the point  $(1, 1)$ , verify that the hypotheses of Dini's theorem for defining an implicit function  $x \rightarrow y(x)$  are satisfied and then calculate  $y'(1)$ .

### II Autumn Exam Session 2021

I M 1) The two complex numbers  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  have both modulus equal to 1, while the first has for argument  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  and the second has as its argument  $\frac{\pi}{3}$ . From this information, deduce the values of  $\cos \frac{7\pi}{12}$  and of  $\sin \frac{7\pi}{12}$ .

I M 2) Given the linear map  $\mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, \mathbb{Y} = \mathbb{A} \cdot \mathbb{X}$ , with  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 & m \\ 4 & 0 & 5 & k \end{vmatrix}$ , determine the values of  $m$  and  $k$  for which are equal the dimensions of the Kernel and the Image of this map, and for which the image of the vector  $(1, 1, 1, 1)$  is the vector  $(0, 4, 4)$ .

I M 3) Given the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & m \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & k & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , determine some value of  $m$  and  $k$  for which the eigenvectors of the matrix are all orthogonal each other.

I M 4) Determine the eigenvalues of the matrix  $\mathbb{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & k \end{pmatrix}$ , knowing that the matrix has no inverse matrix.

II M 1) Given the equation  $f(x, y) = e^{x-y} + e^{y-x} - 2e^{x+y-2} = 0$  satisfied at the point  $P = (1, 1)$ , an implicit function  $x \rightarrow y(x)$  is determined; of this function calculate the first derivative at the point  $x = 1$ .

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

II M 3) Given the function  $f(x, y) = x e^{y-x} - y e^{x-y}$ , calculate  $\mathcal{D}_v f(1, 1)$ , with  $v$  the unit vector of the vector from the point  $(1, 1)$  to the point  $(2, 2)$ .

II M 4) Given the function  $f(x, y, z) = x^3 e^{xy-z} + \log(2yz - x^2)$ , calculate its gradient at the point  $P_0 = (1, 1, 1)$ .