

**UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND**

**FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER 2011**

**TITLE OF PAPER : MULTIVARIATE ANALYSIS**

**COURSE CODE : ST410**

**TIME ALLOWED : 2 (TWO) HOURS**

**REQUIRMENTS : STATISTICAL TABLES  
AND CALCULATOR**

**INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER ANY 4 (FOUR) QUESTIONS.  
ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.**

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**QUESTION ONE.**

[ 4 + 10 + 6 + 5 marks ]

- 1.1 Explain why factor analysis is important in multivariate data analysis.
- 1.2 Discuss Factor analysis and principal component analysis with respect to the similarities and differences.
- 1.3 The procedure for a factor analysis can be described in terms of three stages. State these three stages.
- 1.4 The table below was found by running factor analysis using SPSS. Find the first equation of the un-rotated factor model. Assume  $\lambda_1 = 3.112$ .

**Component Matrix**

	Component								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
X1	-.902	.032	-.341	.017	-.020	.024	-.089	.244	.002
X2	-.662	-.001	.630	.117	.292	-.111	.115	-.203	.001
X3	.434	-.581	-.614	.060	-.197	.017	.128	-.195	.001
X4	.558	-.147	-.359	.024	.720	-.115	-.033	.070	.000
X5	.391	.326	.087	.807	.052	.280	-.011	.014	.000
X6	.673	.549	.080	.174	-.225	-.375	.095	.091	.001
X7	.231	.744	-.117	-.504	.111	.227	.248	-.012	.001
X8	.755	-.074	.441	-.327	-.039	.088	-.337	-.019	.001
X9	.362	-.695	.505	-.043	-.019	.079	.267	.227	.000

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.

a. 9 components extracted.

**QUESTION TWO.**

[ 10 + 3 + 7 + 5 marks ]

- 2.1 What is Principal component analysis (PCA) and states all important properties of PCA.
- 2.2 It is not necessary to standardise the variables while doing PCA. But in certain situation, we need to do standardisation of variables for PCA. Explain that situation.
- 2.3 Show that the covariance matrix becomes correlation matrix if we standardise the variables.
- 2.4 The following table represent the correlation matrix of seven variables. Examine the table and discuss the suitability of principal component analysis. How many principal components will you have?

**Correlation Matrix**

	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5	X6	X7
Correlation X1	1.000	.650	.095	.094	.107	.009	.082
X2	.650	1.000	-.128	-.076	.009	-.064	-.026
X3	.095	-.128	1.000	.639	.683	.568	.363
X4	.094	-.076	.639	1.000	.907	.598	.879
X5	.107	.009	.683	.907	1.000	.788	.722
X6	.009	-.064	.568	.598	.788	1.000	.255
X7	.082	-.026	.363	.879	.722	.255	1.000

**QUESTION THREE.**

[ 5 + 12 + 6 + 2 marks]

Suppose we have three variables in each of the 3 groups with sample sizes  $n_A=3$ ,  $n_B=4$  and  $n_C=5$ . Consider the followings:

$$\bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 13 & 5 \\ 6 & 10 & 6 \\ 3 & 12 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 4.25 \\ 11.58 \\ 6.17 \end{pmatrix}, \quad S^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 5.7 \\ 8.6 \\ 1.6 \end{pmatrix}, \quad C^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.170 & -0.258 & -2.435 \\ -0.258 & 0.156 & 0.148 \\ -2.435 & 0.148 & 3.643 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} 42.0 & 39.0 & 10.0 \\ 39.0 & 78.0 & 11.0 \\ 10.0 & 11.0 & 10.0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \& \quad T = \begin{bmatrix} 62.25 & 24.25 & 8.5 \\ 24.25 & 94.92 & 8.83 \\ 8.5 & 8.83 & 17.67 \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $\bar{x}$  is the matrix of means, the first row represents the means of the three variables in group A, etc.;  $\bar{X}$  is the vector of means of the three variables;  $S^2$  is the vector of variances of the three variables;  $C^{-1}$  is the inverse of the pooled covariance matrix of group B and C;  $W$  is the within sum of square matrix and  $T$  is the total sum of square matrix.

- 3.1 Perform Hotellings'  $T^2$  test considering groups B and C.
- 3.2 Compute Wilk's  $\Lambda$  statistic and  $\phi$ . Use  $\chi^2$  and  $F$  approximation to test the equality of population mean vectors. Specify the null and alternative hypotheses.
- 3.3 Complete the ANOVA tables, with one extra column for the conclusion, of the one-way analysis of variance procedure to test the equality of variable means for each of those three variables.
- 3.4 Comment on the results found in part (3.3) and (3.4).

**QUESTION FOUR.**

[ 3 + 4 + 3 + 5 + 10 marks ]

- 4.1 Define the discriminant function analysis and discuss why we do this analysis.
- 4.2 State the steps to obtain canonical discriminant functions.
- 4.3 The following table shows the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of  $W^{-1}B$ :

Component	Eigenvalue	Eigenvectors				
		$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$	$X_5$
1	2.616	0.452	0.462	0.451	0.471	0.398
2	1.532	-0.051	0.300	0.325	0.185	-0.377
3	0.386	0.691	0.341	-0.455	-0.411	-0.179
4	0.302	-0.420	0.548	-0.606	0.388	0.069
5	0.165	0.374	-0.530	-0.343	0.652	-0.192

- a. How many groups and variables were considered in this problem?
- b. List all the canonical discriminant functions.
- c. Assuming that the  $i^{\text{th}}$  sample size,  $n_i = 30$  for all  $i$ ; test whether each of these functions varies significantly from group to group.

**QUESTION FIVE.**

[ 4 + 4 + 4 + 4 + 9 marks ]

The following tables are part of the complete output from running SPSS for a set of variables; not necessarily from the same set of variables. Tables 1-5 are obtained running Factor Analysis and Tables 6-8 are obtained from Discriminant Function Analysis:

**Table 1:**

Component	Eigenvalues
1	3.724
2	1.857
3	0.663
4	0.391
5	0.293
6	0.044
7	0.028

**Table 2:**

**Component Matrix<sup>a</sup>**

	Component					
	1	2	3	4	5	6
X1	.114	.902	.060	-.246	-.332	-.010
X2	-.059	.912	.036	.232	.331	.022
X3	.763	-.063	.349	-.489	.228	.009
X4	.958	-.006	-.241	.003	-.023	.114
X5	.973	.035	.043	.147	.009	-.165
X6	.752	-.079	.533	.341	-.141	.060
X7	.772	.041	-.626	.017	.003	.001

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.

a. 6 components extracted.

**Table 3:**

**Component Matrix<sup>a</sup>**

	Component	
	1	2
X1	.114	.902
X2	-.059	.912
X3	.763	-.063
X4	.958	-.006
X5	.973	.035
X6	.752	-.079
X7	.772	.041

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.

a. 2 components extracted.

**Table 4:**

**Rotated Component Matrix**

	Component	
	1	2
X1	.091	.904
X2	-.083	.910
X3	.764	-.044
X4	.958	.018
X5	.971	.060
X6	.754	-.060
X7	.770	.060

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.

Rotation Method: Varimax with Kaiser Normalization.

a. Rotation converged in 3 iterations.

**Table 5:**

**Component Score Coefficient Matrix**

	Component	
	1	2
X1	.017	.545
X2	-.030	.550
X3	.211	-.033
X4	.264	.003
X5	.268	.028
X6	.209	-.043
X7	.212	.030

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.

Rotation Method: Varimax with Kaiser Normalization.

Table 6:

Test of Function(s)	Wilks' Lambda	Chi-square	df	Sig.
1 through 3	.031	109.114	21	.000
2 through 3	.483	22.894	12	.029
3	.799	7.055	5	.217

Table 7:

	Function		
	1	2	3
X1	1.061	.138	.026
X2	-.165	-.215	-.153
X3	-.161	.304	1.481
X4	.036	-1.449	-1.390
X5	.904	-2.608	-1.039
X6	-.473	1.913	.510
X7	-.371	2.190	1.599

Table 8:

	Function		
	1	2	3
X1	.151	.020	.004
X2	-.010	-.013	-.009
X3	-.009	.017	.082
X4	.003	-.131	-.125
X5	.076	-.219	-.087
X6	-.040	.161	.043
X7	-.020	.116	.085
(Constant)	-5.498	.573	-.220

Unstandardized coefficients

- 5.1 How many factors will you choose if you wish to use factor analysis method? Explain your answer.
- 5.2 How many factors will you get in your factor model from Table 2? List the last two equations of your model and compute their communalities.
- 5.3 Suppose the same data were analyzed using with a restriction on the number of factors. How many factors were chosen in Table 3? List the first two equations of your model and compute their communalities.
- 5.4 List all equations needed to compute factor scores.
- 5.5 Write all the discriminant functions and test whether each of those are significant at 5% level of significance.

Table 5  
Percentage points of the *t* distributions




$t_{.100}$	$t_{.050}$	$t_{.025}$	$t_{.010}$	$t_{.005}$	df.
3.078	6.314	12.706	31.821	63.657	1
1.886	2.920	4.303	6.965	9.925	2
1.638	2.353	3.182	4.541	5.841	3
1.533	2.132	2.776	3.747	4.604	4
1.476	2.015	2.571	3.365	4.032	5
1.440	1.943	2.447	3.143	3.707	6
1.415	1.895	2.365	2.998	3.499	7
1.397	1.860	2.306	2.896	3.355	8
1.383	1.833	2.262	2.821	3.250	9
1.372	1.812	2.228	2.764	3.169	10
1.363	1.796	2.201	2.718	3.106	11
1.356	1.782	2.179	2.681	3.055	12
1.350	1.771	2.160	2.650	3.012	13
1.345	1.761	2.145	2.624	2.977	14
1.341	1.753	2.131	2.602	2.947	15
1.337	1.746	2.120	2.583	2.921	16
1.333	1.740	2.110	2.567	2.898	17
1.330	1.734	2.101	2.552	2.878	18
1.328	1.729	2.093	2.539	2.861	19
1.325	1.725	2.086	2.528	2.845	20
1.323	1.721	2.080	2.518	2.831	21
1.321	1.717	2.074	2.508	2.819	22
1.319	1.714	2.069	2.500	2.807	23
1.318	1.711	2.064	2.492	2.797	24
1.316	1.708	2.060	2.485	2.787	25
1.315	1.706	2.056	2.479	2.779	26
1.314	1.703	2.052	2.473	2.771	27
1.313	1.701	2.048	2.467	2.763	28
1.311	1.699	2.045	2.462	2.756	29
1.282	1.645	1.960	2.326	2.576	inf.

From "Table of Percentage Points of the *t*-Distribution,"  
Computed by Maxine Merrington, *Biometrika*, Vol. 32 (1941), p.  
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TABLE A.3 Percentiles of the  $\chi^2$  Distribution

Entry is  $\chi^2(A; \nu)$  where  $P\{\chi^2(\nu) \leq \chi^2(A; \nu)\} = A$

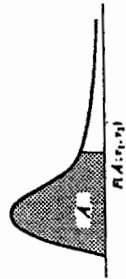


$\nu$	.005	.010	.025	.050	.100	.900	.950	.975	.990	.995
1	0.00393	0.0157	0.00982	0.00393	0.0158	2.71	3.84	5.02	6.63	7.88
2	0.0100	0.0201	0.0506	0.103	0.211	4.61	5.99	7.38	9.21	10.60
3	0.072	0.115	0.216	0.352	0.584	6.25	7.81	9.35	11.34	12.84
4	0.207	0.297	0.484	0.711	1.064	7.78	9.49	11.14	13.28	14.86
5	0.412	0.554	0.831	1.145	1.61	9.24	11.07	12.83	15.09	16.75
6	0.676	0.872	1.24	1.64	2.20	10.64	12.59	14.45	16.81	18.55
7	0.989	1.24	1.69	2.17	2.83	12.02	14.07	16.01	18.48	20.28
8	1.34	1.65	2.18	2.73	3.49	13.36	15.51	17.53	20.09	21.96
9	1.73	2.09	2.70	3.33	4.17	14.68	16.92	19.02	21.67	23.59
10	2.16	2.56	3.25	3.94	4.87	15.99	18.31	20.48	23.21	25.19
11	2.60	3.05	3.82	4.57	5.58	17.28	19.68	21.92	24.73	26.76
12	3.07	3.57	4.40	5.23	6.30	18.55	21.03	23.34	26.22	28.30
13	3.57	4.11	5.01	5.89	7.04	19.81	22.36	24.74	27.69	29.82
14	4.07	4.66	5.63	6.57	7.79	21.06	23.68	26.12	29.14	31.32
15	4.60	5.23	6.26	7.26	8.55	22.31	25.00	27.49	30.58	32.80
16	5.14	5.81	6.91	7.96	9.31	23.54	26.30	28.85	32.00	34.27
17	5.70	6.41	7.56	8.67	10.09	24.77	27.59	30.19	33.41	35.72
18	6.26	7.01	8.23	9.39	10.86	25.99	28.87	31.53	34.81	37.16
19	6.84	7.63	8.91	10.12	11.65	27.20	30.14	32.85	36.19	38.58
20	7.43	8.26	9.59	10.85	12.44	28.41	31.41	34.17	37.57	40.00
21	8.03	8.90	10.28	11.59	13.24	29.62	32.67	35.48	38.93	41.40
22	8.64	9.54	10.98	12.34	14.04	30.81	33.92	36.78	40.29	42.80
23	9.26	10.20	11.69	13.09	14.85	32.01	35.17	38.08	41.64	44.18
24	9.89	10.86	12.40	13.85	15.66	33.20	36.42	39.36	42.98	45.56
25	10.52	11.52	13.12	14.61	16.47	34.38	37.65	40.65	44.31	46.93
26	11.16	12.20	13.84	15.38	17.29	35.56	38.89	41.92	45.64	48.29
27	11.81	12.88	14.57	16.15	18.11	36.74	40.11	43.19	46.96	49.64
28	12.46	13.56	15.31	16.93	18.94	37.92	41.34	44.46	48.28	50.99
29	13.12	14.26	16.05	17.71	19.77	39.09	42.56	45.72	49.59	52.34
30	13.79	14.95	16.79	18.49	20.60	40.26	43.77	46.98	50.89	53.67
40	20.71	22.16	24.43	26.51	29.05	51.81	55.76	59.34	63.69	66.77
50	27.99	29.71	32.36	34.76	37.69	63.17	67.50	71.42	76.15	79.49
60	35.53	37.48	40.48	43.19	46.46	74.40	79.08	83.30	88.38	91.95
70	43.28	45.44	48.76	51.74	55.33	85.53	90.53	95.02	100.4	104.2
80	51.17	53.54	57.15	60.39	64.28	96.58	101.9	106.6	112.3	116.3
90	59.20	61.75	65.65	69.13	73.29	107.6	113.1	118.1	124.1	128.3
100	67.33	70.06	74.22	77.93	82.36	118.5	124.3	129.6	135.8	140.2

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TABLE A.4 Percentiles of the F Distribution

Entry is  $F(A; \nu_1, \nu_2)$  where  $P\{F(\nu_1, \nu_2) \leq F(A; \nu_1, \nu_2)\} = A$



$$F(A; \nu_1, \nu_2) = \frac{1}{F(1-A; \nu_2, \nu_1)}$$



TABLE A.4 (continued) Percentiles of the F Distribution

Den. df	A	Numerator df									
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
1	.50	1.00	1.50	1.71	1.82	1.89	1.94	1.98	2.00	2.03	
	.90	39.9	49.5	53.6	55.8	57.2	58.2	58.9	59.4	59.9	
	.95	161	200	216	225	230	234	237	239	241	
	.975	648	800	864	900	922	937	948	957	963	
	.99	4,052	5,000	5,403	5,625	5,764	5,859	5,928	5,981	6,022	
	.995	16,211	20,000	21,615	22,500	23,056	23,437	23,715	23,925	24,091	
	.999	405,280	500,000	540,380	562,500	576,400	585,940	592,870	598,140	602,280	
	2	.50	0.667	1.00	1.13	1.21	1.25	1.28	1.30	1.32	1.33
		.90	8.53	9.00	9.16	9.24	9.29	9.33	9.35	9.37	9.38
		.95	18.5	19.0	19.2	19.2	19.3	19.3	19.4	19.4	19.4
.975		38.5	39.0	39.2	39.2	39.3	39.3	39.4	39.4	39.4	
.99		98.5	99.0	99.2	99.2	99.3	99.3	99.4	99.4	99.4	
.995		199	199	199	199	199	199	199	199	199	
.999		998.5	999.0	999.2	999.2	999.3	999.3	999.4	999.4	999.4	
3		.50	0.585	0.881	1.00	1.06	1.10	1.13	1.15	1.16	1.17
		.90	5.54	5.46	5.39	5.34	5.31	5.28	5.27	5.25	5.24
		.95	10.1	9.55	9.28	9.12	9.01	8.94	8.89	8.85	8.81
	.975	17.4	16.0	15.4	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.5	
	.99	34.1	30.8	29.5	28.7	28.2	27.9	27.7	27.5	27.3	
	.995	55.6	49.8	47.5	46.2	45.4	44.8	44.4	44.1	43.9	
	.999	167.0	148.5	141.1	137.1	134.6	132.8	131.6	130.6	129.9	
	4	.50	0.549	0.828	0.941	1.00	1.04	1.06	1.08	1.09	1.10
		.90	4.54	4.32	4.19	4.11	4.05	4.01	3.98	3.95	3.94
		.95	7.71	6.94	6.59	6.39	6.26	6.16	6.09	6.04	6.00
.975		12.2	10.6	9.98	9.60	9.36	9.20	9.07	8.98	8.90	
.99		21.2	18.0	16.7	16.0	15.5	15.2	15.0	14.8	14.7	
.995		31.3	26.3	24.3	23.2	22.5	22.0	21.6	21.4	21.1	
.999		74.1	61.2	56.2	53.4	51.7	50.5	49.7	49.0	48.5	
5		.50	0.528	0.799	0.907	0.965	1.00	1.02	1.04	1.05	1.06
		.90	4.06	3.78	3.62	3.52	3.45	3.40	3.37	3.34	3.32
		.95	6.61	5.79	5.41	5.19	5.05	4.95	4.88	4.82	4.77
	.975	10.0	8.43	7.76	7.39	7.15	6.98	6.85	6.76	6.68	
	.99	16.3	13.3	12.1	11.4	11.0	10.7	10.5	10.3	10.2	
	.995	22.8	18.3	16.5	15.6	14.9	14.5	14.2	14.0	13.8	
	.999	47.2	37.1	33.2	31.1	29.8	28.8	28.2	27.6	27.2	
	6	.50	0.515	0.780	0.886	0.942	0.977	1.00	1.02	1.03	1.04
		.90	3.78	3.46	3.29	3.18	3.11	3.05	3.01	2.98	2.96
		.95	5.99	5.14	4.76	4.53	4.39	4.28	4.21	4.15	4.10
.975		8.81	7.26	6.60	6.23	5.99	5.82	5.70	5.60	5.52	
.99		13.7	10.9	9.78	9.15	8.75	8.47	8.26	8.10	7.98	
.995		18.6	14.5	12.9	12.0	11.5	11.1	10.8	10.6	10.4	
.999		35.5	27.0	23.7	21.9	20.8	20.0	19.5	19.0	18.7	
7		.50	0.506	0.767	0.871	0.926	0.960	0.983	1.00	1.01	1.02
		.90	3.59	3.26	3.07	2.96	2.88	2.83	2.78	2.75	2.72
		.95	5.59	4.74	4.35	4.12	3.97	3.87	3.79	3.73	3.68
	.975	8.07	6.54	5.89	5.52	5.29	5.12	4.99	4.90	4.82	
	.99	12.2	9.55	8.45	7.85	7.46	7.19	6.99	6.84	6.72	
	.995	16.2	12.4	10.9	10.1	9.52	9.16	8.89	8.68	8.51	
	.999	29.2	21.7	18.8	17.2	16.2	15.5	15.0	14.6	14.3	

TABLE A.4 (continued) Percentiles of the F Distribution

Den. df	A	Numerator df										
		10	12	15	20	24	30	60	120	∞		
1	.50	2.04	2.07	2.09	2.12	2.13	2.15	2.17	2.18	2.20	2.20	
	.90	60.2	60.7	61.2	61.7	62.0	62.3	62.8	63.1	63.3	63.3	
	.95	242	244	246	248	249	250	252	253	254	254	
	.975	969	977	985	993	997	1,001	1,010	1,014	1,018	1,018	
	.99	6,056	6,106	6,157	6,209	6,235	6,261	6,313	6,339	6,366	6,366	
	.995	24,224	24,426	24,630	24,836	24,940	25,044	25,253	25,359	25,464	25,464	
	.999	605,620	610,670	615,760	620,910	623,500	626,100	631,340	633,970	636,620	636,620	
	2	.50	1.34	1.36	1.38	1.39	1.40	1.41	1.43	1.43	1.44	
		.90	9.39	9.41	9.42	9.44	9.45	9.46	9.47	9.48	9.49	
		.95	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.4	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	19.5	
.975		39.4	39.4	39.4	39.4	39.5	39.5	39.5	39.5	39.5		
.99		99.4	99.4	99.4	99.4	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5		
.995		199	199	199	199	199	199	199	199	199		
.999		999.4	999.4	999.4	999.4	999.5	999.5	999.5	999.5	999.5		
3		.50	1.18	1.20	1.21	1.23	1.23	1.24	1.25	1.26	1.27	
		.90	5.23	5.22	5.20	5.18	5.18	5.17	5.15	5.14	5.13	
		.95	8.79	8.74	8.70	8.66	8.64	8.62	8.57	8.55	8.53	
	.975	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.9		
	.99	27.2	27.1	26.9	26.7	26.6	26.5	26.3	26.2	26.1		
	.995	43.7	43.4	43.1	42.8	42.6	42.5	42.1	42.0	41.8		
	.999	129.2	128.3	127.4	126.4	125.9	125.4	124.5	124.0	123.5		
	4	.50	1.11	1.13	1.14	1.15	1.16	1.16	1.18	1.18	1.19	
		.90	3.92	3.90	3.87	3.84	3.83	3.82	3.79	3.78	3.76	
		.95	5.96	5.91	5.86	5.80	5.77	5.75	5.69	5.66	5.63	
.975		8.84	8.75	8.66	8.56	8.51	8.46	8.36	8.31	8.26		
.99		14.5	14.4	14.2	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.5		
.995		21.0	20.7	20.4	20.2	20.0	19.9	19.6	19.5	19.3		
.999		48.1	47.4	46.8	46.1	45.8	45.4	44.7	44.4	44.1		
5		.50	1.07	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.12	1.14	1.14	1.15	
		.90	3.30	3.27	3.24	3.21	3.19	3.17	3.14	3.12	3.11	
		.95	4.74	4.68	4.62	4.56	4.53	4.50	4.43	4.40	4.37	
	.975	6.62	6.52	6.43	6.33	6.28	6.23	6.12	6.07	6.02		
	.99	10.1	9.89	9.72	9.55	9.47	9.38	9.20	9.11	9.02		
	.995	13.6	13.4	13.1	12.9	12.8	12.7	12.4	12.3	12.1		
	.999	26.9	26.4	25.9	25.4	25.1	24.9	24.3	24.1	23.8		
	6	.50	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.12	
		.90	2.94	2.90	2.87	2.84	2.82	2.80	2.76	2.74	2.72	
		.95	4.06	4.00	3.94	3.87	3.84	3.81	3.74	3.70	3.67	
.975		5.46	5.37	5.27	5.17	5.12	5.07	4.96	4.85	4.85		
.99		7.87	7.72	7.56	7.40	7.31	7.23	7.06	6.97	6.88		
.995		10.2	10.0	9.81	9.59	9.47	9.36	9.12	9.00	8.88		
.999		18.4	18.0	17.6	17.1	16.9	16.7	16.2	16.0	15.7		
7		.50	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.07	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.10	
		.90	2.70	2.67	2.63	2.59	2.58	2.56	2.51	2.49	2.47	
		.95	3.64	3.57	3.51	3.44	3.41	3.38	3.30	3.27	3.23	
	.975	4.76	4.67	4.57	4.47	4.42	4.36	4.20	4.14	4.12		
	.99	6.62	6.47	6.31	6.16	6.07	5.99	5.82	5.74	5.65		
	.995	8.38	8.18	7.97	7.75	7.65	7.53	7.31	7.19	7.08		
	.999	14.1	13.7	13.3	12.9	12.7	12.5	12.1	11.9	11.7		



TABLE A.4 (continued) Percentiles of the F Distribution

Den. df	Numerator df														
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12	15	20	24	30	60	120	∞
8	.50	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.13	1.14	1.15
	.90	2.54	2.50	2.46	2.42	2.40	2.38	2.34	2.32	2.30	2.28	2.25	2.21	2.18	2.16
	.95	3.35	3.28	3.22	3.15	3.12	3.08	3.01	2.97	2.90	2.86	2.79	2.75	2.71	2.69
	.975	4.30	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.95	3.89	3.78	3.73	3.67	3.61	3.56	3.45	3.39	3.33
	.99	5.81	5.67	5.52	5.36	5.28	5.20	5.03	4.95	4.86	4.73	4.65	4.48	4.40	4.31
	.995	7.21	7.01	6.81	6.61	6.50	6.40	6.18	6.06	5.95	5.73	5.62	5.41	5.30	5.19
	.999	11.5	11.2	10.8	10.5	10.3	10.1	9.73	9.53	9.33	8.99	8.72	8.19	8.00	7.81
9	.50	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.05	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.13	1.14
	.90	2.42	2.38	2.34	2.30	2.28	2.25	2.21	2.18	2.16	2.11	2.06	1.96	1.93	1.90
	.95	3.14	3.07	3.01	2.94	2.90	2.86	2.79	2.75	2.71	2.62	2.58	2.34	2.30	2.29
	.975	3.96	3.87	3.77	3.67	3.61	3.56	3.45	3.39	3.33	3.20	3.14	2.87	2.83	2.80
	.99	5.26	5.11	4.96	4.81	4.73	4.65	4.48	4.40	4.31	4.18	4.12	3.83	3.79	3.76
	.995	6.42	6.23	6.03	5.83	5.73	5.62	5.41	5.30	5.19	5.07	4.96	4.69	4.65	4.62
	.999	9.89	9.57	9.24	8.90	8.72	8.55	8.19	8.00	7.81	7.47	7.12	6.74	6.64	6.54
10	.50	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12	1.13
	.90	2.32	2.28	2.24	2.20	2.18	2.16	2.11	2.08	2.06	2.00	1.96	1.82	1.79	1.76
	.95	2.98	2.91	2.84	2.77	2.74	2.70	2.62	2.58	2.54	2.47	2.38	2.24	2.21	2.19
	.975	3.72	3.62	3.52	3.42	3.37	3.31	3.20	3.14	3.08	3.00	2.92	2.72	2.69	2.67
	.99	4.85	4.71	4.56	4.41	4.33	4.25	4.08	4.00	3.91	3.78	3.70	3.45	3.41	3.38
	.995	5.85	5.66	5.47	5.27	5.17	5.07	4.86	4.75	4.64	4.51	4.41	4.16	4.12	4.09
	.999	8.75	8.45	8.13	7.80	7.64	7.47	7.12	6.94	6.76	6.43	6.08	5.70	5.59	5.42
12	.50	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11	1.12
	.90	2.19	2.15	2.10	2.06	2.04	2.01	1.96	1.93	1.90	1.87	1.82	1.71	1.68	1.66
	.95	2.75	2.69	2.62	2.54	2.51	2.47	2.38	2.34	2.30	2.25	2.16	2.02	1.99	1.97
	.975	3.37	3.28	3.18	3.07	3.02	2.96	2.85	2.79	2.72	2.62	2.52	2.26	2.22	2.20
	.99	4.30	4.16	4.01	3.86	3.78	3.70	3.54	3.45	3.36	3.21	3.05	2.76	2.72	2.70
	.995	5.09	4.91	4.72	4.53	4.43	4.33	4.12	4.01	3.90	3.76	3.60	3.31	3.27	3.25
	.999	7.29	7.00	6.71	6.40	6.25	6.08	5.72	5.54	5.35	5.01	4.66	4.28	4.24	4.21
15	.50	0.977	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.11
	.90	2.06	2.02	1.97	1.92	1.90	1.87	1.82	1.79	1.76	1.71	1.62	1.48	1.45	1.43
	.95	2.54	2.48	2.40	2.33	2.29	2.25	2.16	2.11	2.07	2.00	1.92	1.76	1.73	1.71
	.975	3.06	2.96	2.86	2.76	2.70	2.64	2.52	2.46	2.40	2.30	2.22	1.96	1.92	1.90
	.99	3.80	3.67	3.52	3.37	3.29	3.21	3.05	2.96	2.87	2.72	2.56	2.27	2.23	2.21
	.995	4.42	4.25	4.07	3.88	3.79	3.69	3.48	3.37	3.26	3.11	2.95	2.66	2.62	2.60
	.999	6.08	5.81	5.54	5.25	5.10	4.95	4.64	4.48	4.31	4.00	3.65	3.27	3.23	3.21
20	.50	0.966	0.977	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09	1.10
	.90	1.94	1.89	1.84	1.79	1.77	1.74	1.68	1.64	1.61	1.57	1.48	1.34	1.31	1.29
	.95	2.35	2.28	2.20	2.12	2.08	2.04	1.95	1.90	1.84	1.74	1.66	1.40	1.36	1.34
	.975	2.77	2.68	2.57	2.46	2.41	2.35	2.22	2.16	2.09	1.99	1.91	1.64	1.60	1.58
	.99	3.37	3.23	3.09	2.94	2.86	2.78	2.61	2.52	2.42	2.27	2.11	1.82	1.78	1.76
	.995	3.85	3.68	3.50	3.32	3.22	3.12	2.92	2.81	2.70	2.55	2.39	2.10	2.06	2.04
	.999	5.08	4.82	4.56	4.29	4.15	4.00	3.70	3.54	3.38	3.07	2.72	2.34	2.30	2.28
24	.50	0.961	0.972	0.983	0.994	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.09
	.90	1.88	1.83	1.78	1.73	1.70	1.67	1.61	1.57	1.53	1.48	1.39	1.25	1.22	1.20
	.95	2.25	2.18	2.11	2.03	1.98	1.94	1.84	1.79	1.73	1.64	1.56	1.30	1.26	1.24
	.975	2.64	2.54	2.44	2.33	2.27	2.21	2.08	2.01	1.94	1.84	1.76	1.50	1.46	1.44
	.99	3.17	3.03	2.89	2.74	2.66	2.58	2.40	2.31	2.21	2.06	1.90	1.61	1.57	1.55
	.995	3.59	3.42	3.25	3.06	2.97	2.87	2.69	2.60	2.50	2.35	2.19	1.90	1.86	1.84
	.999	4.64	4.39	4.14	3.87	3.74	3.59	3.29	3.14	3.03	2.88	2.72	2.43	2.39	2.37

TABLE A.4 (continued) Percentiles of the F Distribution

Den. df	Numerator df											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12	
8	.50	0.499	0.757	0.860	0.915	0.948	0.971	0.988	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03
	.90	3.46	3.11	2.92	2.81	2.73	2.67	2.62	2.59	2.56	2.51	2.44
	.95	5.32	4.46	4.07	3.84	3.69	3.58	3.50	3.44	3.39	3.33	3.18
	.975	7.57	6.06	5.42	5.05	4.82	4.65	4.53	4.43	4.36	4.30	4.03
	.99	11.3	8.65	7.59	7.01	6.63	6.37	6.18	6.03	5.91	5.84	5.54
	.995	14.7	11.0	9.60	8.81	8.30	7.95	7.69	7.50	7.34	7.27	6.94
	.999	25.4	18.5	15.8	14.4	13.5	12.9	12.4	12.0	11.8	11.6	11.1
9	.50	0.494	0.749	0.852	0.906	0.939	0.962	0.978	0.990	1.00	1.01	1.02
	.90	3.36	3.01	2.81	2.69	2.61	2.55	2.51	2.47	2.44	2.40	2.35
	.95	5.12	4.26	3.86	3.63	3.48	3.37	3.29	3.23	3.18	3.13	2.98
	.975	7.21	5.71	5.08	4.72	4.48	4.32	4.20	4.10	4.03	3.97	3.70
	.99	10.6	8.02	6.99	6.42	6.06	5.80	5.61	5.47	5.35	5.28	4.97
	.995	13.6	10.1	8.72	7.96	7.47	7.13	6.88	6.69	6.54	6.47	6.14
	.999	22.9	16.4	13.9	12.6	11.7	11.1	10.7	10.4	10.1	9.95	9.54
10	.50	0.490	0.743	0.845	0.899	0.932	0.954	0.971	0.983	0.992	1.00	1.01
	.90	3.29	2.92	2.73	2.61	2.52	2.46	2.41	2.38	2.35	2.31	2.26
	.95	4.96	4.10	3.71	3.48	3.33	3.22	3.14	3.07	3.02	2.97	2.82
	.975	6.94	5.46	4.83	4.47	4.24	4.07	3.95	3.85	3.78	3.71	3.44
	.99	10.0	7.56	6.55	5.99	5.64	5.39	5.20	5.06	4.94	4.87	4.56
	.995	12.8	9.43	8.08	7.34	6.87	6.54	6.30	6.12	5.97	5.89	5.58
	.999	21.0	14.9	12.6	11.3	10.5	9.93	9.52	9.20	8.96	8.80	8.39
12	.50	0.484	0.735	0.835	0.888	0.921	0.943	0.959	0.972	0.981	0.990	1.00
	.90	3.18	2.81	2.62	2.50	2.42	2.36	2.31	2.28	2.24	2.21	2.16
	.95	4.75	3.89	3.49	3.26	3.11	3.00	2.91	2.85	2.80	2.75	2.60
	.975	6.55	5.10	4.47	4.12	3.89	3.73	3.61	3.51	3.44	3.37	3.10
	.99	9.33	6.93	5.95	5.41	5.06	4.82	4.64	4.50	4.39	4.32	4.03
	.995	11.8	8.51	7.23	6.52	6.07	5.76	5.52	5.35	5.20	5.12	4.83
	.999	18.6	13.0	10.8	9.63	8.89	8.38	8.00	7.71	7.48	7.32	6.91
15	.50	0.478	0.726	0.826	0.878	0.911	0.933	0.949	0.960	0.970	0.980	0.990
	.90	3.07	2.70	2.49	2.36	2.27	2.21	2.16	2.12	2.09	2.05	1.99
	.95	4.54	3.68	3.29	3.06	2.90	2.79	2.71	2.64	2.59	2.54	2.39
	.975	6.20	4.77	4.15	3.80	3.58	3.41	3.29	3.20	3.12	3.05	2.78
	.99	8.68	6.36	5.42	4.89	4.56	4.32	4.14	4.00	3.89	3.82	3.54
	.995	10.8	7.70	6.48	5.90	5.37	5.07	4.85	4.67	4.54	4.47	4.16
	.999	16.6	11.3	9.34	8.25	7.57	7.09	6.74	6.47	6.26	6.10	5.69
20	.50	0.472	0.718	0.816	0.868	0.900	0.922	0.938	0.950	0.959	0.969	0.979
	.90	2.97	2.59	2.38	2.25	2.16	2.09	2.04	2.00	1.96	1.92	1.86
	.95	4.35	3.49	3.10	2.87	2.71	2.60	2.51	2.45	2.39	2.34	2.19
	.975	5.87	4.46	3.86	3.51	3.2						

TABLE A.4 (continued) Percentiles of the F Distribution

Den. df	A	Numerator df								
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
30	.50	0.466	0.709	0.807	0.858	0.890	0.912	0.927	0.939	0.948
	.90	2.88	2.49	2.28	2.14	2.05	1.98	1.93	1.88	1.85
	.95	4.17	3.32	2.92	2.69	2.53	2.42	2.33	2.27	2.21
	.975	5.37	4.18	3.59	3.25	3.03	2.87	2.75	2.65	2.57
	.99	7.56	5.39	4.51	4.02	3.70	3.47	3.30	3.17	3.07
.995	9.18	6.35	5.24	4.62	4.23	3.95	3.74	3.58	3.45	
	.999	13.3	8.77	7.05	6.12	5.53	5.12	4.82	4.58	4.39
	.50	0.461	0.701	0.798	0.849	0.880	0.901	0.917	0.928	0.937
60	.90	2.79	2.39	2.18	2.04	1.95	1.87	1.82	1.77	1.74
	.95	4.00	3.15	2.76	2.53	2.37	2.25	2.17	2.10	2.04
	.975	5.29	3.93	3.34	3.01	2.79	2.63	2.51	2.41	2.33
	.99	7.08	4.98	4.13	3.65	3.34	3.12	2.95	2.82	2.72
	.995	8.49	5.80	4.73	4.14	3.76	3.49	3.29	3.13	3.01
.999	12.0	7.77	6.17	5.31	4.76	4.37	4.09	3.86	3.69	
	120	0.458	0.697	0.793	0.844	0.875	0.896	0.912	0.923	0.932
	.90	2.75	2.35	2.13	1.99	1.90	1.82	1.77	1.72	1.68
.95	3.92	3.07	2.68	2.45	2.29	2.18	2.09	2.02	1.96	
	5.15	3.80	3.23	2.89	2.67	2.52	2.39	2.30	2.22	
	6.85	4.79	3.95	3.48	3.17	2.96	2.79	2.66	2.56	
	8.18	5.54	4.50	3.92	3.55	3.28	3.09	2.93	2.81	
	.999	11.4	7.32	5.78	4.95	4.42	4.04	3.77	3.55	3.38
∞	.50	0.455	0.693	0.789	0.839	0.870	0.891	0.907	0.918	0.927
	.90	2.71	2.30	2.08	1.94	1.85	1.77	1.72	1.67	1.63
	.95	3.84	3.00	2.60	2.37	2.21	2.10	2.01	1.94	1.88
	.975	5.02	3.69	3.12	2.79	2.57	2.41	2.29	2.19	2.11
	.99	6.63	4.61	3.78	3.32	3.02	2.80	2.64	2.51	2.41
.995	7.88	5.30	4.28	3.72	3.35	3.09	2.90	2.74	2.62	
	.999	10.8	6.91	5.42	4.62	4.10	3.74	3.47	3.27	3.10

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TABLE A.4 (concluded) Percentiles of the F Distribution

Den. df	A	Numerator df										
		10	12	15	20	24	30	60	120	∞		
30	.50	0.955	0.966	0.978	0.989	0.994	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.02	
	.90	1.82	1.77	1.72	1.67	1.64	1.61	1.54	1.50	1.46		
	.95	2.16	2.09	2.01	1.93	1.89	1.84	1.74	1.68	1.62		
	.975	2.51	2.41	2.31	2.20	2.14	2.07	1.94	1.87	1.79		
	.99	2.98	2.84	2.70	2.55	2.47	2.39	2.21	2.11	2.01		
.995	3.34	3.18	3.01	2.82	2.73	2.63	2.42	2.30	2.18			
	.999	4.24	4.00	3.75	3.49	3.36	3.22	2.92	2.76	2.59		
	.50	0.945	0.956	0.967	0.978	0.983	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.01		
60	.90	1.71	1.66	1.60	1.54	1.51	1.48	1.40	1.35	1.29		
	.95	1.99	1.92	1.84	1.75	1.70	1.65	1.53	1.47	1.39		
	.975	2.27	2.17	2.06	1.94	1.88	1.82	1.67	1.58	1.48		
	.99	2.63	2.50	2.35	2.20	2.12	2.03	1.84	1.73	1.60		
	.995	2.90	2.74	2.57	2.39	2.29	2.19	1.96	1.83	1.69		
.999	3.54	3.32	3.08	2.83	2.69	2.55	2.25	2.08	1.89			
	120	0.939	0.950	0.961	0.972	0.978	0.983	0.994	1.00	1.01		
	.90	1.65	1.60	1.55	1.48	1.45	1.41	1.32	1.26	1.19		
.95	1.91	1.83	1.75	1.66	1.61	1.55	1.43	1.35	1.25			
	2.16	2.05	1.95	1.82	1.76	1.69	1.53	1.43	1.31			
	2.47	2.34	2.19	2.03	1.95	1.86	1.66	1.53	1.38			
	2.71	2.54	2.37	2.19	2.09	1.98	1.75	1.61	1.43			
	.999	3.24	3.02	2.78	2.53	2.40	2.26	1.95	1.77	1.54		
∞	.50	0.934	0.945	0.956	0.967	0.972	0.978	0.989	0.994	1.00		
	.90	1.60	1.55	1.49	1.42	1.38	1.34	1.24	1.17	1.00		
	.95	1.83	1.75	1.67	1.57	1.52	1.46	1.32	1.22	1.00		
	.975	2.05	1.94	1.83	1.71	1.64	1.57	1.39	1.27	1.00		
	.99	2.32	2.18	2.04	1.88	1.79	1.70	1.47	1.32	1.00		
.995	2.52	2.36	2.19	2.00	1.90	1.79	1.53	1.36	1.00			
	.999	2.96	2.74	2.51	2.27	2.13	1.99	1.66	1.45	1.00		