

**UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND**

**FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER 2016**

**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.**

[ 7 + 10 + 6 + 2 marks ]

A student organization wanted to determine the students IQ of all students admitted this academic year. They randomly selected 3 students from Science faculty, 4 students from Social Science and 5 students from Humanities. All students selected were given three special tests in English, Mathematics and General Knowledge, each with a maximum mark of 10. The followings results were computed from their marks obtained in those three tests:

$$\bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 9 & 5 \\ 5 & 8 & 6 \\ 7 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \bar{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 5.58 \\ 6.17 \\ 5.75 \end{pmatrix}, \quad S^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4.5 \\ 9.8 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad C^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.14 & -3.27 & 0.41 \\ -3.27 & 6.55 & -3.82 \\ 0.41 & -3.82 & 4.23 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} 30 & 25 & 17 \\ & 24 & 17 \\ & & 14 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \& \quad T = \begin{bmatrix} 49 & 15 & 22 \\ & 112 & 9 \\ & & 16 \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $\bar{x}$  is the matrix of means, the first row represents the means of the three tests in Science, next row is for Social Science and last for Humanities;  $\bar{X}$  is the vector of means of the three tests;  $S^2$  is the vector of variances of the three tests;  $C^{-1}$  is the inverse of the pooled covariance matrix of Social Science and Humanities;  $W$  is the within groups sum of square matrix and  $T$  is the total sum of square matrix.

- 1.1 Perform Hotellings'  $T^2$  test considering Science and Humanities.
- 1.2 Compute Wilk's  $\Lambda$  statistic. Use  $F$  test to test the equality of population mean vectors of test scores.
- 1.3 Perform the one-way analysis of variance procedure to test the equality of variable means for each of those three tests.
- 1.4 Comment on the results found in part (1.2) and (1.3).

**QUESTION TWO.**

[ 3 + 3 + 12 + 8 marks ]

- 2.1 Explain why we use factor analysis in multivariate data analysis.
- 2.2 We have three stages in the procedure for factor analysis. List those.
- 2.3 Compare the principal component analysis and the factor analysis with respect to their properties.
- 2.4 Write the unrotated factor model along with the respective communalities using the following table which shows the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of correlation matrix:

Eigenvalue	Eigenvectors				
	$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$	$X_5$
2.111	0.512	0.375	-0.246	-0.315	-0.222
1.527	-0.024	0.000	0.432	0.109	-0.242
0.836	-0.278	0.516	-0.503	-0.292	0.071
0.392	0.016	0.113	0.058	0.023	0.783
0.134	0.025	-0.345	0.231	-0.854	-0.064

**QUESTION THREE.**

[ 2 + 3 + 1 + 2 + 1 + 3 + 2 + 2 + 8 marks ]

The following tables are part of the complete output running SPSS for a set of multivariate variables. Tables 1-4 are obtained running Factor Analysis and Tables 5-7 are obtained running Discriminant Function Analysis:

**Table 1:**

**Correlation Matrix**

	x1	x2	x3	x4	x5	x6	x7	x8
Correlation x1	1.000	-.019	-.183	-.070	-.031	-.064	-.050	.085
x2	-.019	1.000	.221	.129	.152	.031	-.165	-.144
x3	-.183	.221	1.000	.756	.744	.650	-.358	-.733
x4	-.070	.129	.756	1.000	.983	.865	-.583	-.962
x5	-.031	.152	.744	.983	1.000	.809	-.508	-.937
x6	-.064	.031	.650	.865	.809	1.000	-.699	-.900
x7	-.050	-.165	-.358	-.583	-.508	-.699	1.000	.607
x8	.085	-.144	-.733	-.962	-.937	-.900	.607	1.000

**Table 2:**

**Total Variance Explained**

Component	Initial Eigenvalues		
	Total	% of Variance	Cumulative %
1	4.798	59.976	59.976
2	1.061	13.268	73.244
3	.999	12.494	85.738
4	.659	8.240	93.978
5	.290	3.622	97.600
6	.142	1.774	99.374
7	.041	.508	99.882
8	.009	.118	100.000

**Table 3:**

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

	Component		
	1	2	3
x1	-.094	.908	.287
x2	.192	-.286	.934
x3	.805	-.256	.039
x4	.974	.018	-.062
x5	.946	.022	-.029
x6	.921	.114	-.143
x7	-.684	-.275	-.126
x8	-.973	-.015	.052

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.

a. 3 components extracted.

**Table 4:**

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

	Component		
	1	2	3
x1	-.037	.956	-.004
x2	.081	-.002	.992
x3	.772	-.280	.202
x4	.974	-.059	.046
x5	.943	-.043	.073
x6	.936	.011	-.066
x7	-.692	-.259	-.116
x8	-.971	.059	-.055

Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.  
Rotation Method: Varimax with Kaiser Normalization.

a. Rotation converged in 4 iterations.

**Table 5:**

**Component Score Coefficient Matrix**

	Component		
	1	2	3
x1	.032	.902	.020
x2	-.068	.022	.970
x3	.141	-.228	.126
x4	.208	-.014	-.041
x5	.200	.000	-.011
x6	.213	.047	-.146
x7	-.153	-.276	-.060
x8	-.207	.014	.031

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 4	.096	236.520	20	.000
2 through 4	.374	99.244	12	.000
3 through 4	.704	35.509	6	.000
4	.944	5.821	2	.054

Table 7:

	Function			
	1	2	3	4
x2	.424	-.043	-.544	.830
x4	-.329	-.881	3.331	2.697
x5	-.221	1.743	-3.062	-2.472
x7	.774	.601	.473	.340

Table 8:

	Function			
	1	2	3	4
x2	.001	.000	-.001	.001
x4	-.049	-.132	.499	.404
x5	-.037	.293	-.514	-.415
x7	1.121	.871	.685	.493
(Constant)	3.847	-11.174	-2.615	-2.498

Unstandardized coefficients

- 3.1 Examine Tables 1 and explain the suitability of principal component analysis.
- 3.2 How many principal components will you obtain from the original data set? How many principal components will you choose? Explain.
- 3.3 Check whether your answer of part 3.2 is consistent with part 3.1.
- 3.4 How many factors were chosen in Table 3? Explain the reason.
- 3.5 Do you agree with part 3.4? If not what will you do, explain?
- 3.6 List the first two equations of your chosen factor model and compute their communalities.
- 3.7 List all equations needed to compute factor scores based on the number of factors chosen in part 3.4.
- 3.8 Is it possible to say how many groups and variables were considered in discriminant function analysis (Tables 1-8)? If possible write the number of variables and the number of groups.
- 3.9 Write all the discriminant functions and test whether each of those is significant at 5% level of significance.

**QUESTION FOUR.**

[ 8 + 3 + 4 + 4 + 6 marks ]

- 4.1 State and discuss the important properties of Principal Component Analysis.  
 4.2 Discuss why the correlation matrix plays an important role in Principal Component Analysis.  
 4.3 State the four steps of the procedure for a principal component analysis.  
 4.4 Consider the following table:

	Component								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
X1	.629	-.089	-.370	.567	.259	-.222	-.118	.018	.084
X2	.639	-.274	.655	.038	-.203	-.048	-.076	.010	.193
X3	.851	-.127	.084	.243	.044	.391	-.019	.171	-.092
X4	.767	-.215	-.421	-.031	-.208	.010	.373	-.037	.064
X5	.271	.831	-.312	-.223	-.199	-.026	-.123	.162	.087
X6	-.870	-.323	.071	-.019	.121	-.114	.178	.264	.064
X7	.599	.496	.293	-.290	.440	.014	.169	-.030	.050
X8	-.854	.165	-.146	.239	.061	.346	.016	-.080	.189
X9	-.248	.642	.355	.574	-.149	-.093	.187	-.004	-.071
Eigenvalue	4.096	1.625	1.085	.905	.427	.347	.270	.135	.111

- a. How many components do you have? How many components will you choose? Explain why.  
 b. List those selected components and interpret those in terms of original variables,  $X_i$ 's.

**QUESTION FIVE.**

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

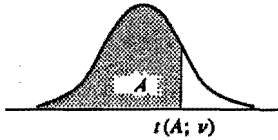
- 5.1 What is Discriminant Function Analysis? Why it is important in multivariate studies?  
 5.2 State the criteria for finding the number of discriminant functions and the significant discriminant functions.  
 5.3 The following table shows the eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of  $W^{-1}B$ :

Component	Eigenvalue	Eigenvectors				
		$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$	$X_5$
1	1.616	0.452	0.462	0.451	0.471	0.398
2	0.532	-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	0.115	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.

TABLE A.2 Percentiles of the *t* Distribution

Entry is  $t(A; \nu)$  where  $P\{t(\nu) \leq t(A; \nu)\} = A$



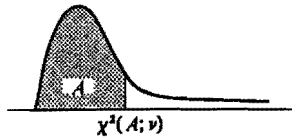
$\nu$	A						
	.60	.70	.80	.85	.90	.95	.975
1	0.325	0.727	1.376	1.963	3.078	6.314	12.706
2	0.289	0.617	1.061	1.386	1.886	2.920	4.303
3	0.277	0.584	0.978	1.250	1.638	2.353	3.182
4	0.271	0.569	0.941	1.190	1.533	2.132	2.776
5	0.267	0.559	0.920	1.156	1.476	2.015	2.571
6	0.265	0.553	0.906	1.134	1.440	1.943	2.447
7	0.263	0.549	0.896	1.119	1.415	1.895	2.365
8	0.262	0.546	0.889	1.108	1.397	1.860	2.306
9	0.261	0.543	0.883	1.100	1.383	1.833	2.262
10	0.260	0.542	0.879	1.093	1.372	1.812	2.228
11	0.260	0.540	0.876	1.088	1.363	1.796	2.201
12	0.259	0.539	0.873	1.083	1.356	1.782	2.179
13	0.259	0.537	0.870	1.079	1.350	1.771	2.160
14	0.258	0.537	0.868	1.076	1.345	1.761	2.145
15	0.258	0.536	0.866	1.074	1.341	1.753	2.131
16	0.258	0.535	0.865	1.071	1.337	1.746	2.120
17	0.257	0.534	0.863	1.069	1.333	1.740	2.110
18	0.257	0.534	0.862	1.067	1.330	1.734	2.101
19	0.257	0.533	0.861	1.066	1.328	1.729	2.093
20	0.257	0.533	0.860	1.064	1.325	1.725	2.086
21	0.257	0.532	0.859	1.063	1.323	1.721	2.080
22	0.256	0.532	0.858	1.061	1.321	1.717	2.074
23	0.256	0.532	0.858	1.060	1.319	1.714	2.069
24	0.256	0.531	0.857	1.059	1.318	1.711	2.064
25	0.256	0.531	0.856	1.058	1.316	1.708	2.060
26	0.256	0.531	0.856	1.058	1.315	1.706	2.056
27	0.256	0.531	0.855	1.057	1.314	1.703	2.052
28	0.256	0.530	0.855	1.056	1.313	1.701	2.048
29	0.256	0.530	0.854	1.055	1.311	1.699	2.045
30	0.256	0.530	0.854	1.055	1.310	1.697	2.042
40	0.255	0.529	0.851	1.050	1.303	1.684	2.021
60	0.254	0.527	0.848	1.045	1.296	1.671	2.000
120	0.254	0.526	0.845	1.041	1.289	1.658	1.980
$\infty$	0.253	0.524	0.842	1.036	1.282	1.645	1.960

TABLE A.2 (concluded) Percentiles of the *t* Distribution

$\nu$	A						
	.98	.985	.99	.9925	.995	.9975	.9995
1	15.895	21.205	31.821	42.434	63.657	127.322	636.590
2	4.849	5.643	6.965	8.073	9.925	14.089	31.598
3	3.482	3.896	4.541	5.047	5.841	7.453	12.924
4	2.999	3.298	3.747	4.088	4.604	5.598	8.610
5	2.757	3.003	3.365	3.634	4.032	4.773	6.869
6	2.612	2.829	3.143	3.372	3.707	4.317	5.959
7	2.517	2.715	2.998	3.203	3.499	4.029	5.408
8	2.449	2.634	2.896	3.085	3.355	3.833	5.041
9	2.398	2.574	2.821	2.998	3.250	3.690	4.781
10	2.359	2.527	2.764	2.932	3.169	3.581	4.587
11	2.328	2.491	2.718	2.879	3.106	3.497	4.437
12	2.303	2.461	2.681	2.836	3.055	3.428	4.318
13	2.282	2.436	2.650	2.801	3.012	3.372	4.221
14	2.264	2.415	2.624	2.771	2.977	3.326	4.140
15	2.249	2.397	2.602	2.746	2.947	3.286	4.073
16	2.235	2.382	2.583	2.724	2.921	3.252	4.015
17	2.224	2.368	2.567	2.706	2.898	3.222	3.965
18	2.214	2.356	2.552	2.689	2.878	3.197	3.922
19	2.205	2.346	2.539	2.674	2.861	3.174	3.883
20	2.197	2.336	2.528	2.661	2.845	3.153	3.849
21	2.189	2.328	2.518	2.649	2.831	3.135	3.819
22	2.183	2.320	2.508	2.639	2.819	3.119	3.792
23	2.177	2.313	2.500	2.629	2.807	3.104	3.768
24	2.172	2.307	2.492	2.620	2.797	3.091	3.745
25	2.167	2.301	2.485	2.612	2.787	3.078	3.725
26	2.162	2.296	2.479	2.605	2.779	3.067	3.707
27	2.158	2.291	2.473	2.598	2.771	3.057	3.690
28	2.154	2.286	2.467	2.592	2.763	3.047	3.674
29	2.150	2.282	2.462	2.586	2.756	3.038	3.659
30	2.147	2.278	2.457	2.581	2.750	3.030	3.646
40	2.123	2.250	2.423	2.542	2.704	2.971	3.551
60	2.099	2.223	2.390	2.504	2.660	2.915	3.460
120	2.076	2.196	2.358	2.468	2.617	2.860	3.373
$\infty$	2.054	2.170	2.326	2.432	2.576	2.807	3.291

**TABLE A.3** Percentiles of the  $\chi^2$  Distribution

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

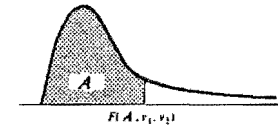


$\nu$	$A$									
	.005	.010	.025	.050	.100	.900	.950	.975	.990	.995
1	0.0 <sup>4</sup> 393	0.0 <sup>2</sup> 157	0.0 <sup>4</sup> 982	0.0 <sup>3</sup> 393	0.0158	2.71	3.84	5.02	6.63	7.88
2	0.0100	0.0201	0.0506	0.103	0.211	4.61	5.99	7.38	9.21	10.60
3	0.072	0.115	0.216	0.352	0.584	6.25	7.81	9.35	11.34	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

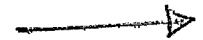
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**TABLE A.4** Percentiles of the  $F$  Distribution

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



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



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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	$\infty$	
1	.50	2.04	2.07	2.09	2.12	2.13	2.15	2.17	2.18	2.20	
	.90	60.2	60.7	61.2	61.7	62.0	62.3	62.8	63.1	63.3	
	.95	242	244	246	248	249	250	252	253	254	
	.975	969	977	985	993	997	1,001	1,010	1,014	1,018	
	.99	6,056	6,106	6,157	6,209	6,235	6,261	6,313	6,339	6,366	
.995	24,224	24,426	24,630	24,836	24,940	25,044	25,253	25,359	25,464		
.999	605,620	610,670	615,760	620,910	623,500	626,100	631,340	633,970	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	200		
.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	4.90	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	4.25	4.20	4.14	
	.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								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
8 .50	0.499	0.757	0.860	0.915	0.948	0.971	0.988	1.00	1.01
.90	3.46	3.11	2.92	2.81	2.73	2.67	2.62	2.59	2.56
.95	5.32	4.46	4.07	3.84	3.69	3.58	3.50	3.44	3.39
.975	7.57	6.06	5.42	5.05	4.82	4.65	4.53	4.43	4.36
.99	11.3	8.65	7.59	7.01	6.63	6.37	6.18	6.03	5.91
.995	14.7	11.0	9.60	8.81	8.30	7.95	7.69	7.50	7.34
.999	25.4	18.5	15.8	14.4	13.5	12.9	12.4	12.0	11.8
9 .50	0.494	0.749	0.852	0.906	0.939	0.962	0.978	0.990	1.00
.90	3.36	3.01	2.81	2.69	2.61	2.55	2.51	2.47	2.44
.95	5.12	4.26	3.86	3.63	3.48	3.37	3.29	3.23	3.18
.975	7.21	5.71	5.08	4.72	4.48	4.32	4.20	4.10	4.03
.99	10.6	8.02	6.99	6.42	6.06	5.80	5.61	5.47	5.35
.995	13.6	10.1	8.72	7.96	7.47	7.13	6.88	6.69	6.54
.999	22.9	16.4	13.9	12.6	11.7	11.1	10.7	10.4	10.1
10 .50	0.490	0.743	0.845	0.899	0.932	0.954	0.971	0.983	0.992
.90	3.29	2.92	2.73	2.61	2.52	2.46	2.41	2.38	2.35
.95	4.96	4.10	3.71	3.48	3.33	3.22	3.14	3.07	3.02
.975	6.94	5.46	4.83	4.47	4.24	4.07	3.95	3.85	3.78
.99	10.0	7.56	6.55	5.99	5.64	5.39	5.20	5.06	4.94
.995	12.8	9.43	8.08	7.34	6.87	6.54	6.30	6.12	5.97
.999	21.0	14.9	12.6	11.3	10.5	9.93	9.52	9.20	8.96
12 .50	0.484	0.735	0.835	0.888	0.921	0.943	0.959	0.972	0.981
.90	3.18	2.81	2.61	2.48	2.39	2.33	2.28	2.24	2.21
.95	4.75	3.89	3.49	3.26	3.11	3.00	2.91	2.85	2.80
.975	6.55	5.10	4.47	4.12	3.89	3.73	3.61	3.51	3.44
.99	9.33	6.93	5.95	5.41	5.06	4.82	4.64	4.50	4.39
.995	11.8	8.51	7.23	6.52	6.07	5.76	5.52	5.35	5.20
.999	18.6	13.0	10.8	9.63	8.89	8.38	8.00	7.71	7.48
15 .50	0.478	0.726	0.826	0.878	0.911	0.933	0.949	0.960	0.970
.90	3.07	2.70	2.49	2.36	2.27	2.21	2.16	2.12	2.09
.95	4.54	3.68	3.29	3.06	2.90	2.79	2.71	2.64	2.59
.975	6.20	4.77	4.15	3.80	3.58	3.41	3.29	3.20	3.12
.99	8.68	6.36	5.42	4.89	4.56	4.32	4.14	4.00	3.89
.995	10.8	7.70	6.48	5.80	5.37	5.07	4.85	4.67	4.54
.999	16.6	11.3	9.34	8.25	7.57	7.09	6.74	6.47	6.26
20 .50	0.472	0.718	0.816	0.868	0.900	0.922	0.938	0.950	0.959
.90	2.97	2.59	2.38	2.25	2.16	2.09	2.04	2.00	1.96
.95	4.35	3.49	3.10	2.87	2.71	2.60	2.51	2.45	2.39
.975	5.87	4.46	3.86	3.51	3.29	3.13	3.01	2.91	2.84
.99	8.10	5.85	4.94	4.43	4.10	3.87	3.70	3.56	3.46
.995	9.94	6.99	5.82	5.17	4.76	4.47	4.26	4.09	3.96
.999	14.8	9.95	8.10	7.10	6.46	6.02	5.69	5.44	5.24
24 .50	0.469	0.714	0.812	0.863	0.895	0.917	0.932	0.944	0.953
.90	2.93	2.54	2.33	2.19	2.10	2.04	1.98	1.94	1.91
.95	4.26	3.40	3.01	2.78	2.62	2.51	2.42	2.36	2.30
.975	5.72	4.32	3.72	3.38	3.15	2.99	2.87	2.78	2.70
.99	7.82	5.61	4.72	4.22	3.90	3.67	3.50	3.36	3.26
.995	9.55	6.66	5.52	4.89	4.49	4.20	3.99	3.83	3.69
.999	14.0	9.34	7.55	6.59	5.98	5.55	5.23	4.99	4.80

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

Den. df	Numerator df								
	10	12	15	20	24	30	60	120	$\infty$
8 .50	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.07	1.08	1.08	1.09
.90	2.54	2.50	2.46	2.42	2.40	2.38	2.34	2.32	2.29
.95	3.35	3.28	3.22	3.15	3.12	3.08	3.01	2.97	2.93
.975	4.30	4.20	4.10	4.00	3.95	3.89	3.78	3.73	3.67
.99	5.81	5.67	5.52	5.36	5.28	5.20	5.03	4.95	4.86
.995	7.21	7.01	6.81	6.61	6.50	6.40	6.18	6.06	5.95
.999	11.5	11.2	10.8	10.5	10.3	10.1	9.73	9.53	9.33
9 .50	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.05	1.07	1.07	1.08
.90	2.42	2.38	2.34	2.30	2.28	2.25	2.21	2.18	2.16
.95	3.14	3.07	3.01	2.94	2.90	2.86	2.79	2.75	2.71
.975	3.96	3.87	3.77	3.67	3.61	3.56	3.45	3.39	3.33
.99	5.26	5.11	4.96	4.81	4.73	4.65	4.48	4.40	4.31
.995	6.42	6.23	6.03	5.83	5.73	5.62	5.41	5.30	5.19
.999	9.89	9.57	9.24	8.90	8.72	8.55	8.19	8.00	7.81
10 .50	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.06	1.07
.90	2.32	2.28	2.24	2.20	2.18	2.16	2.11	2.08	2.06
.95	2.98	2.91	2.84	2.77	2.74	2.70	2.62	2.58	2.54
.975	3.72	3.62	3.52	3.42	3.37	3.31	3.20	3.14	3.08
.99	4.85	4.71	4.56	4.41	4.33	4.25	4.08	4.00	3.91
.995	5.85	5.66	5.47	5.27	5.17	5.07	4.86	4.75	4.64
.999	8.75	8.45	8.13	7.80	7.64	7.47	7.12	6.94	6.76
12 .50	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.03	1.05	1.05	1.06
.90	2.19	2.15	2.10	2.06	2.04	2.01	1.96	1.93	1.90
.95	2.75	2.69	2.62	2.54	2.51	2.47	2.38	2.34	2.30
.975	3.37	3.28	3.18	3.07	3.02	2.96	2.85	2.79	2.72
.99	4.30	4.16	4.01	3.86	3.78	3.70	3.54	3.45	3.36
.995	5.09	4.91	4.72	4.53	4.43	4.33	4.12	4.01	3.90
.999	7.29	7.00	6.71	6.40	6.25	6.09	5.76	5.59	5.42
15 .50	0.977	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.03	1.04	1.05
.90	2.06	2.02	1.97	1.92	1.90	1.87	1.82	1.79	1.76
.95	2.54	2.48	2.40	2.33	2.29	2.25	2.16	2.11	2.07
.975	3.06	2.96	2.86	2.76	2.70	2.64	2.52	2.46	2.40
.99	3.80	3.67	3.52	3.37	3.29	3.21	3.05	2.96	2.87
.995	4.42	4.25	4.07	3.88	3.79	3.69	3.48	3.37	3.26
.999	6.08	5.81	5.54	5.25	5.10	4.95	4.64	4.48	4.31
20 .50	0.966	0.977	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.03
.90	1.94	1.89	1.84	1.79	1.77	1.74	1.68	1.64	1.61
.95	2.35	2.28	2.20	2.12	2.08	2.04	1.95	1.90	1.84
.975	2.77	2.68	2.57	2.46	2.41	2.35	2.22	2.16	2.09
.99	3.37	3.23	3.09	2.94	2.86	2.78	2.61	2.52	2.42
.995	3.85	3.68	3.50	3.32	3.22	3.12	2.92	2.81	2.69
.999	5.08	4.82	4.56	4.29	4.15	4.00	3.70	3.54	3.38
24 .50	0.961	0.972	0.983	0.994	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.03
.90	1.88	1.83	1.78	1.73	1.70	1.67	1.61	1.57	1.53
.95	2.25	2.18	2.11	2.03	1.98	1.94	1.84	1.79	1.73
.975	2.64	2.54	2.44	2.33	2.27	2.21	2.08	2.01	1.94
.99	3.17	3.03	2.89	2.74	2.66	2.58	2.40	2.31	2.21
.995	3.59	3.42	3.25	3.06	2.97	2.87	2.66	2.55	2.43
.999	4.64	4.39	4.14	3.87	3.74	3.59	3.29	3.14	2.97

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	5.57	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	
60	.50	0.461	0.701	0.798	0.849	0.880	0.901	0.917	0.928	0.937
	.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	.50	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
	.975	5.15	3.80	3.23	2.89	2.67	2.52	2.39	2.30	2.22
	.99	6.85	4.79	3.95	3.48	3.17	2.96	2.79	2.66	2.56
	.995	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	

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
	.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	
60	.50	0.945	0.956	0.967	0.978	0.983	0.989	1.00	1.01	1.01
	.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	.50	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
	.975	2.16	2.05	1.95	1.82	1.76	1.69	1.53	1.43	1.31
	.99	2.47	2.34	2.19	2.03	1.95	1.86	1.66	1.53	1.38
	.995	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	

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