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Professor Cipriano Universidade Lusófona

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Re: Universidade do Pais das Maravilhas

Dear Professor Cipriano,

I have completed the first phase of the analysis that you requested regarding the above referenced client as reported below. Please let me know if I can do anything further.

I. Summary

After analyzing the file, I knew immediately that I should create a new database in PhpMyadmin. I named the new database Universidade_Maravilhas and created a table within Universidade_Maravilhas named Aluno with seven columns matching the names of the SQL file. I choose "nr_aluno" as the primary key after learning that each such number was unique.¹ After this, I imported the file in to PhpMyadmin. Please *See* Exhibit A("Photographs of PHP Admin") attached hereto.

A. Issues Seen

Once the data was imported, I analyze it and noted the following:

1. The database appeared that it was not normalized. For example (as noted in footnote 1), there were several students with the same name. It was hard for me to imagine that so many students would have the same first and last name. Assuming that the names did not correspond to unique individuals, I imagined that we could create an alternative table to solve this problem with a sequential order corresponding to each unique individual. Before attempting to do this, I sent my inquiry to Professor Cipriano and was told that each person in the database was in fact a unique individual. In addition, I could have made a second chart for the courses as the values in this column contained repeat values. However, it did not seem to contribute to a more efficient way to analyze the data and therefore I did not create such a table.

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¹ It was initially unclear if the same named students were distinct individuals. If the same named people were in part duplicates, that would have posed a problem to using the student number as the primary key. However, I confirmed that each student number corresponded to a unique person.

2. The table contained several entries of negative and/or null values in the columns "medial_entrade" and "media_final" which presented a problem when computing statistics such as the mean. In addition, I found that some of the entries in the column "curso" contained nonsensical responses. To handle these issues I applied the following filter:

```
//setp 1: write down the query
$query = "SELECT * from aluno where media_entrada IS NOT NULL AND media_entrada > 0 AND
media_final IS NOT NULL AND media_final > 0 and curso in ('Informática','Comunicação','Psicologia')
AND curso_concluido = 1
order by nr_aluno ASC";
```

After cleaning up the data as set forth above, I extracted relevant data into a CSV file by using php code. See Exhibit B("Php Code for CSV file and Phase1Dados.csv"). I also sorted the flawed data into a text file. **See Exhibit C ("Faultydados.txt")** attached hereto. I converted this txt file to a CSV file so that I could include it into my exploratory analysis.

With all the data in order, I created a jupyter notebook name Universidade Maravilhas, imported the CSV files and ran some exploratory data, which included determining the range for the grades entering and exiting the program. When determining the maximum scored in both the entering grades and exiting grades, I noticed that these values were 21 and 22. I was not sure if I should filter these scores out as part of my faulty data as I believe they are not possible out of a score of 20. However, I did not filter them out because in the US we can achieve such scores. *See* Exhibit D ("Jupyter Notebook") attached hereto.

- II. Questions of Inquiry
- 1. Does there exist a relationship between the entering grades and exiting grades?
- 2. Does there exist a relationship between the student's major and the exiting grade?

III. Conclusion/Results

By organizing and analyzing the data, I was able to respond to the questions of inquiry. Namely, 1) based on the cleaned data, there does not appear to be a correlation between the entering and exiting grades as the mean values of both are nearly equal, and 2) based on the clean data, there does not appear to be a correlation between the student's entering major and the final grades because the mean with respect to the ending grades were substantially the same across the board. Please *See* Exhibit E.

EXHIBIT A

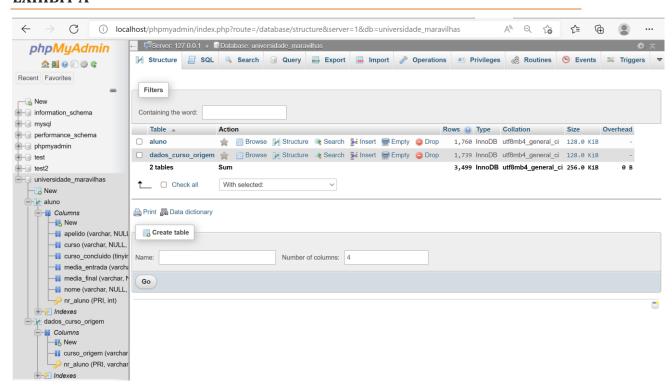


EXHIBIT B

```
<?php
$hostName = "localhost";
$username = "root";
$password = "";
$database = 'universidade_maravilhas';
$connection = new mysqli($hostName, $username, $password, $database);
// Create connection
// Check connection
if ($connection->connect_error) {
 die("Connection failed: ".$conn->connect_error);
}
//setp 1: write down the query
$query = "SELECT * from aluno where media_entrada IS NOT NULL AND
media entrada > 0 AND
media_final IS NOT NULL AND media_final > 0 and curso in
('Informática','Comunicação','Psicologia')
AND curso concluido = 1
 order by nr_aluno ASC";
//setp2: execute query
$execute = mysqli_query($connection, $query);
$delimiter = ",";
// $filename = "name". ".csv";
$filename = 'Phase1dados.csv';
// Create a file pointer
//create a temporary file in the memory
//allow it to write
$f = fopen('php://memory', 'w');
// Set column headers
$fields = array('nr_aluno', 'nome', 'apelido', 'curso', 'media_entrada',
'curso_concluido', 'media_final');
fputcsv($f, $fields, $delimiter);
//step 3: fetch the records using a loop
while($row = mysqli fetch array($execute)){
```

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$nr_aluno = $row['nr_aluno'];
                = $row['nome'];
                = $row['apelido'];
   $apelido
                = $row['curso'];
   $curso
   $media_entrada = $row['media_entrada'];
   $curso_concluido = $row['curso_concluido'];
   $media_final = $row['media_final'];
  $rowArray = array($nr_aluno, $nome, $apelido, $curso, $media_entrada,
$curso_concluido, $media_final);
  fputcsv($f, $rowArray, $delimiter);
}
 // Move back to beginning of file
 fseek($f, 0);
 // Set headers to download file rather than displayed
 header('Content-Type: text/csv');
 header('Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="'.$filename.'";');
 //output all remaining data on a file pointer
 fpassthru($f);
                     ▼ apelido
 r aluno |▼|nome
                                 ▼ curso
                                                 media entrada curso concluido media final
    20216 Joana
                        Castelo
                                    Comunicação
                                                                20
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    200315 Anne
                        Morais
                                    Psicologia
    200321 Pedro
                        Castelo
                                    Informática
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    200326 Patrícia
                        da Silva
                                    Psicologia
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    200331 Beatriz
                                    Comunicação
                                                                19
                        Castelo
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    200332 Bruno
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                        Machado
                                    Comunicação
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    200333 Alice
                        Sampaio
                                    Psicologia
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                                                                                          17
    200335 Diana
                                    Psicologia
                        Morais
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    200346 Olivia
                        Cintra
                                    Comunicação
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    200355 Raquel
                        Cintra
                                    Comunicação
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                        Machado
    200356 Anne
                                    Psicologia
    200362 Rita
                        Castelo-Branco Comunicação
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                        Machado
                                    Psicologia
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    200370 Olivia
                        Silva
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                        Laranieira
                                    Psicologia
                                                                18
    200371 Jorge
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    200374 Sandra
                        da Silva
                                    Comunicação
                                                                11
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    200380 Nuno
                        Silva
                                    Comunicação
    200381 Rita
                                                                18
                        Cintra
                                    Informática
                                                                                          12
    200389 Joana
                        da Silva
                                    Psicologia
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    200391 Carla
                        Laranjeira
                                    Psicologia
                                                                13
    200397 Miguel
                        Castelo-Branco Comunicação
                                                                16
                                                                                          15
    200714 Rui
                        Sampaio
                                    Comunicação
                                                                17
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    200719 Maria João
                        Pereira
                                    Psicologia
                                                                10
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                        Silva
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    200728 Maria
                                    Informática
    200729 Rodrigo
                        Cintra
                                    Informática
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    200734 Ana
                                    Psicologia
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                        Morais
    200737 Lucas
                        Capicua
                                    Psicologia
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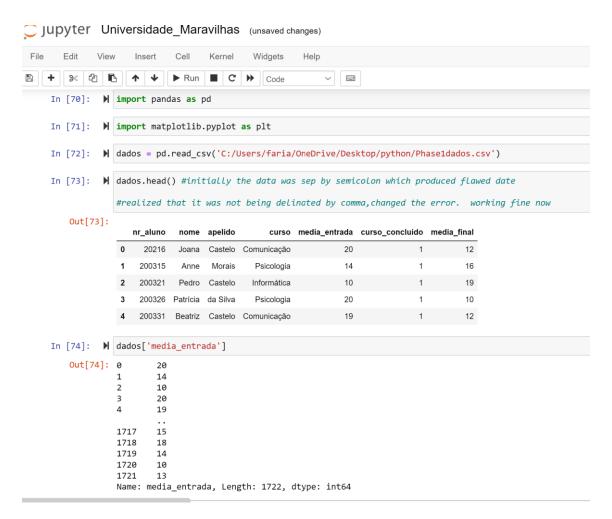
 Please note that I have attached this file in GitHub for your review.

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EXHIBIT C

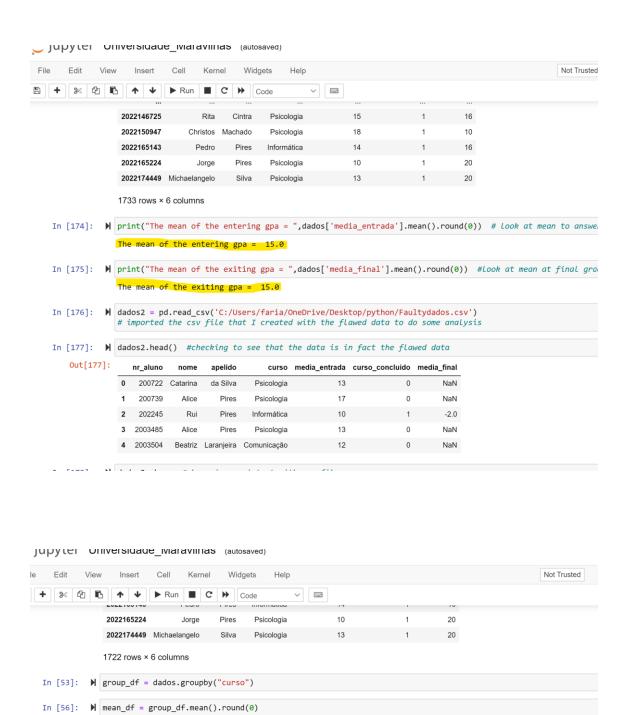
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	Catarina	da Silva	Psicologia	13	0	
200739		Pires	Psicologia	17	0	2
202245		Pires	Informática	10	1	-2
2003485		Pires	Psicologia	13	0	
2003504		Laranjeira	Comunicação	12	0	
2003821		Laranjeira	Psicologia	16	0	
	Catarina	Castelo	Informática	14	0	
2007469		da Silva	Psicologia	14	1	-1
2007691		Silva	Informática	14	1	-2
2019514		Sampaio	Informática	-2	1	12
2020188	Nuno	Cintra	Desconhecido	15	1	16
			Medicina			
2020254	Michaelangelo	Morais	Veterinária	12	1	20
			Medicina			
2020264		Pires	Veterinária	13	1	20
2020537	Maria João	Sampaio	Comunicação	12	0	
			Medicina			
2021320	Jorge	Pires	Veterinária	17	1	11
2021715	Avelino	da Silva	Desconhecido	16	1	15
2021847	Patrícia	Pires	Psicologia	10	0	
2022848	Carla	Pereira	Psicologia	17	0	
		(Terra do				
2210030	Sininho	Nunca)	Cintilar	-20	1	-20
		Alien Life				
2300910	Alf	Form	Má Vida	20	1	20
20031072	Nuno	Pires	Comunicação	14	0	
20071679	Jorge	Sampaio	Comunicação	10	1	-1
20191494	Joana	Castelo	Psicologia	15	0	
20191750	Anne	Cintra	Comunicação	12	0	
20201046	Miguel	Silva	Psicologia	-1	1	17
20201546	Anne	Sampaio	Informática	15	1	
20211052	Raquel	Castelo	Comunicação	16	0	
20211156		Morais		20	1	
20211328		Sampaio	Informática	12	1	-1
			Medicina			
20211394	Bruno	Cintra	Veterinária	18	1	13
20211664	Beatriz	Capicua	Informática	16	0	
20221087	Rodrigo	Morais	Informática	16	0	
20221456			Informática		1	-1
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EXHIBIT D



Please note that this notebook has been provided in Github

EXHIBIT E



To be sure, I ran a sql query to confirm the results

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In [57]: print(mean_df)

curso

In [58]: Η print("The mean of the entering gpa = ",dados['media_entrada'].mean().round(Θ)) # Look at mean to answer th

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15.0

nr_aluno media_entrada curso_concluido media_final

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15.0

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