

On the composition of quasiconvex functions and the transposition

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Abstract: If $G: \mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{R}} := \mathbb{R} \cup \{+\infty\}$ is a convex, polyconvex or rank-one convex function, then the function $g: \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \rightarrow \bar{\mathbb{R}}$ defined as $g(A) = G(A^t)$ preserves convexity, polyconvexity, or rank-one convexity, respectively. The paper shows that this does not hold in general for quasiconvexity provided $n \geq 2$ and $m \geq 3$.

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