

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2016

Economics 110 (EKN 110)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	10.00
Programmes	BAdmin International Relations
	BAdmin Public Management
	BCom Accounting Sciences
	BCom Agribusiness Management
	BCom Business Management
	BCom Communication Management
	BCom Econometrics
	BCom Economic and Management Sc
	BCom Economics
	BCom Entrepreneurship
	BCom Financial Sciences
	BCom Human Resource Management
	BCom Informatics: Information Systems
	BCom Investment Management
	BCom Law
	BCom Marketing Management
	BCom Option: Supply Chain Management
	BCom Recreation and Sports Management
	BCom Statistics
	BEd Senior Phase and Further Education and Training Teaching
	BSc (Construction Management) Construction Management (3Years)
	BSc Real Estate
	BSc: Quantity Surveying (3Yrs) Quantity Surveying
	BTown and Regional Planning Town and Regional Planning
	BPolSci International Studies



	BPolSci Political Studies
	BSocSci Industrial Sociology and Labour Studies
	BSocSci Option: Philosophy, Politics and Economics
	BConsumer Science Clothing: Retail Management
	BConsumer Science Foods: Retail Management
	BConsumer Science Hospitality Management
	BScAgric Agricultural Economics: Agribusiness Management
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
	Faculty of Education
	Faculty of Humanities
	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week, 1 discussion class per week
Language of tuition	Both Afr and Eng
Academic organisation	Economics
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

This module deals with the core principles of economics. A distinction between macroeconomics and microeconomics is made. A discussion of the market system and circular flow of goods, services and money is followed by a section dealing with microeconomic principles, including demand and supply analysis, consumer behaviour and utility maximisation, production and the costs thereof, and the different market models and firm behaviour. Labour market institutions and issues, wage determination, as well as income inequality and poverty are also addressed. A section of money, banking, interest rates and monetary policy concludes the course.

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