Course and Examination Fact Sheet: Autumn Semester 2017

7,300: Mathematics

ECTS credits: 3

Overview examination/s
(binding regulations see below)
Decentral - Written examination (100%, 90 mins.)

Attached courses
Timetable -- Language -- Lecturer
7,300.1.00 Mathematics -- Englisch -- De Giorgi Enrico

Course information

Course prerequisites

Course content
Quantitative methods provide the foundation for many of the theoretical advancements of modern economics. The course introduces mathematical tools and methods used in economic analysis. The lectures combine theoretical parts with exercises.

Content
I. Optimization and Sensitivity Analysis
- Implicit Function Theorem
- Optimization under Constraints
- Envelope Theorem
- Convex Optimization
II. Optimal Control
- Maximum Principle
- Transversality Conditions
- Current Value Hamiltonian
III. Selected Topics in Measure Theory
- Riemann-Stieltjes Integral
- Lebesque Measures
- Measurability of Functions
- Lebesque Integral
IV. Selected Topics in Probability theory

- Probability spaces
- Random variables
- Expectations

Course structure

Lectures and exercise sessions on Mondays and Fridays during the first 6 weeks of the term.

Course literature


Additional Literature:


Additional course information

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Examination information

Examination sub part/s

1. Examination sub part (1/1)

Examination time and form
Decentral - Written examination (100%, 90 mins.)

Remark
The exams take place during the semester break.
Examination-aid rule
Extended Closed Book
The use of aids is limited; any additional aids permitted are exhaustively listed under "Supplementary aids". Basically, the following is applicable:

- At such examinations, all the pocket calculators of the Texas Instruments TI-30 series and mono- or bilingual dictionaries (no subject-specific dictionaries) without hand-written notes are admissible. Any other pocket calculator models and any electronic dictionaries are inadmissible.
- In addition, any type of communication, as well as any electronic devices that can be programmed and are capable of communication such as notebooks, tablets, PDAs, mobile telephones and others, are inadmissible.
- Students are themselves responsible for the procurement of examination aids.

Supplementary aids
No additional aids.

Examination languages
Question language: English
Answer language: English

Examination content
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Examination relevant literature

Please note
We would like to point out to you that this fact sheet has absolute priority over other information such as StudyNet, faculty members' personal databases, information provided in lectures, etc.

When will the fact sheets become binding?
- Information about courses and examination time (central/decentral and grading form): from the start of the bidding process on 24 August 2017
- Information about decentral examinations (examination-aid rule, examination content, examination relevant literature): after the 4th semester week on 16 October 2017
- Information about central examinations (examination-aid rule, examination content, examination relevant literature): from the start of the enrolment period for the examinations on 06 November 2017

Please look at the fact sheet once more after these deadlines have expired.