

Econometrics I

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Text:

- Greene, W.H. (2003) *Econometric Analysis*. 5th Edition. Prentice Hall.

References:

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Description of the Course:

The purpose of this course is to introduce basic theory and applications of econometrics at the graduate level. The course requires basic knowledge of probability and statistics. Matrix algebra will be used throughout the course, but no previous knowledge is assumed. Students are required to perform computations using Eviews and Matlab.

Grading:

There will be homework, research report, midterm and final examinations. These will count toward the final grade as follows.

Midterm	20%
Final	40%
Homework	20%
Report	20%

Examinations:

There will be a midterm examination and a final examination. These are closed-book, close-note examinations, but students are allowed to bring a sheet of A4-sized paper on which they can write down or print any information which they expect to be useful for the examinations.

Course Outline and Reading Guide:

1. Introduction (G Ch 1)
2. Multiple linear regression model (G Ch 2)
3. Least squares estimation (G Ch 3)
4. Finite sample theory for least squares estimation (G Ch 4)
5. Asymptotic theory for least squares estimation (G Ch 5)
6. Hypothesis testing for linear models (G. Ch 6)

7. Generalized regression model and heteroscedasticity (G Ch 8)
8. Panel data (G Ch 13)
9. Time series analysis (G Ch 20)