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Statistics 310 (STK 310)

Qualification Undergraduate

Faculty [Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences](#)

Module credits 25.00

Programmes

[BCom](#)

[BCom Economics](#)

[BCom Informatics Information Systems](#)

[BCom Law](#)

[BCom Statistics](#)

[BScAgric Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness Management](#)

Service modules

Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology

Faculty of Humanities

Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences

Prerequisites

STK 210, STK 220

Contact time

1 practical per week, 3 lectures per week

Language of tuition

Module is presented in English

Department

Statistics

Period of presentation

Semester 1

Module content

Regression analysis: simple and multiple regression; nonlinear regression; correlation and the use of dummy variables. Multivariate distributions: normal, multinomial and poisson distribution. Linear combinations of normal variables. Analysis of variance and covariance. Regression analysis extensions: heteroscedasticity, serial correlation and lag structures. Applications of matrices, differentiation and integration in the economic and management sciences. Evaluation of simple economic models. Identification, use, evaluation and interpretation of statistical computer packages and statistical techniques.

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