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Statistics 120 (STK 120)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	13.00
Programmes	BAdmin Public Management and International Relations BCom BCom Business Management BCom Economics BCom Financial Sciences BCom Human Resource Management BCom Informatics Information Systems BCom Law BCom Marketing Management BCom Statistics BCom Supply Chain Management BSc Computer Science BSc Information and Knowledge Systems BTRP BA BSc Geoinformatics
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology Faculty of Humanities Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Prerequisites	STK 110 GS or both STK 113 GS and STK 123 GS or both WST 133 and WST 143 or STK 133 and STK 143
Contact time	1 practical per week, 1 tutorial per week, 3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Statistics
Period of presentation	Semester 2



Module content

Students can only get credit for one of the following two modules: STK 120 or STK 121.

Analysis of variance, categorical data analysis, distribution-free methods, curve fitting, regression and correlation, the analysis of time series and indices. Statistical and economic applications of quantitative techniques: Systems of linear equations: solving and application. Optimisation, linear functions, non-linear functions. Marginal and total functions. Stochastic and deterministic variables in statistical and economic context: producers' and consumers' surplus. Supporting mathematical concepts. Statistical concepts are illustrated using simulation within a data science framework.

This module is also presented as STK 121, an anti-semester module. This is a terminating module.

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