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## Agricultural economics 310 (LEK 310)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	12.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BCom Agribusiness Management</a> <a href="#">BCom Statistics</a> <a href="#">BScAgric Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness Management</a>
<b>Service modules</b>	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
<b>Prerequisites</b>	[LEK 210 or EKN 110] and [EKN 120]
<b>Contact time</b>	3 lectures per week
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Afrikaans and English is used in one class
<b>Academic organisation</b>	Agric Econ, Ext + Rural Dev
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

### Module content

Historical evolution of South African agricultural policy. Agriculture and the state: reasons for government intervention. Theoretical aspects of agricultural policy. Introduction to agricultural policy analysis. Welfare principles, pareto optimality. Macroeconomic policy and the agricultural sector. International agricultural trade.

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