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Financial management 121 (FBS 121)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	10.00
Programmes	BCom Accounting Sciences
Prerequisites	Only available to BCom (Accounting Sciences) students
Contact time	3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Both Afr and Eng
Academic organisation	Financial Management
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

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Introduction to management accounting, critical reasoning skills and problem solving techniques for management accounting, cost concepts, simple linear regression analysis for the purpose of forecasting future sales volumes and costs, time series analysis for the purpose of forecasting future sales volumes, Indexing for the purposes of inflating and deflating a set of financial data, introduction to financial management, the functioning of the financial markets including interest rate and foreign exchange mechanisms, mathematics for business including time value of money calculations, and the critical reasoning skills and problem solving techniques in a financial management context. Where appropriate spread sheet applications (Excel) will be addressed as part of the respective topics being covered.

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