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Mathematical statistics 121 (WST 121)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	16.00
Programmes	BCom BCom Econometrics BCom Statistics BSc Computer Science BSc Information and Knowledge Systems BSc Actuarial and Financial Mathematics BSc Applied Mathematics BSc Extended programme - Mathematical Sciences BSc Mathematical Statistics BSc Mathematics
Service modules	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Prerequisites	WST 111 GS or WST 133, 143 and 153
Contact time	1 practical per week, 4 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Statistics
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

Sampling distributions and the central limit theorem. Statistical inference: Point and interval estimation. Hypothesis testing with applications in one and two-sample cases. Introductory methods for: Linear regression and correlation, analysis of variance, categorical data analysis and non-parametric statistics. Identification, use, evaluation and interpretation of statistical computer packages and statistical techniques.

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