

SUBJECT CARD

1. Basic information

Subject	Mathematics for Economists
Faculty	Faculty of Law
Field of studies	International Relations
Specialization	international business
PRK level	6 PRK
Education level	
Form of studies	full-time studies
Group of activities	—
Number of ECTS points	3
Type of subject	specialization
Total number of hours	30 h
Didactic cycle	2022/2023 winter
Academic semester	2
Academic year	1
Education profile	general academic
Year of implementation	2022/2023
Language of instruction	English
Teacher(s)	dr Piotr Staliński

Semester, number of ECTS points, type of subject, number of hours

Semester	Lecture	Class	ECTS
2	15 godz.	15 godz.	3

2. General objectives

C1	The objective of this course is to help students acquire basic mathematical skills needed to succeed in undergraduate courses in micro and macroeconomics, finance, operations management, and other quantitative subjects. The topics include: matrix algebra and systems of linear equations, functions and their properties, and differential calculus and its applications.
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3. Introductory requirements

High school algebra.

4. Learning outcomes

W1	Knowledge: has a practical knowledge of algebraic symbols, terms, and operations.
W2	Knowledge: to solve small-scale systems of linear equations using concepts of matrix algebra.
W3	Knowledge: to examine and make practical use of the elementary functions properties.
W4	Knowledge: to apply differential calculus techniques to examine properties of functions.
U1	Skills: Students can apply mathematical tools of linear algebra and calculus to formulate and solve mathematical or economical problems and interpret results.
K1	Social competence: Students have attitudes towards mathematics, such as: beliefs about mathematics and its usefulness, interest and enjoyment in learning mathematics, confidence in using mathematics, perseverance in solving a problem. Students respect teachers and other students and can learn cooperatively and independently.

5. Course program

Lecture (15 h)

Code	Detailed description of the topic blocks (semester: 2)
Wyk1	Introductory topics: elementary mathematical symbols and operations.
Wyk2	Matrix algebra and systems of linear equations.
Wyk3	Functions, their properties, and applications.
Wyk4	The concept of the derivative. The application of derivatives to examine properties of functions.
Wyk5	The single-variable optimization using differential calculus.

Class (15 h)

Code	Detailed description of the topic blocks (semester: 2)
Cw1	Matrix algebra and systems of equations.
Cw2	Functions, their properties and applications.
Cw3	The derivatives and their applications to examine properties of functions.

6. Didactic methods

Lecture	
M18	Problem solving
M20	Lecture
Class	
M16	Group work
M18	Problem solving
M20	Lecture

7. Student workload

Number of hours under supervision	Student workload
Lecture	15 h
Including e-learning:	0 h

Class	15 h
Including e-learning:	0 h

Student's own work	
zapoznanie się z literaturą, Praca własna studenta	45 h

Total workload	
Total number of hours for the course	75 h
Total number of ECTS points	3 ECTS

8. Conditions for course completion

Course completion criteria

The workshop test (a mark of at least 3.0 at Workshop is required to be admitted to the Exam).

The exam.

Both the workshop test and the exam involve problem solving.

Lectures (Final exam / Final pass)	
Grade 5:	88-100 pkt.
Grade 4,5:	80-87 pkt.
Grade 4:	70-79 pkt.
Grade 3,5:	60-69 pkt.
Grade 3:	45-59 pkt.

Class	
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Grade 4:	70-79 pkt.
Grade 3,5:	60-69 pkt.
Grade 3:	45-59 pkt.

9. Literature

Basic literature

1. Sydsaeter, K, Hammond, P, Essential Mathematics For Economic Analysis, Prentice Hall, 2012 (electronic version available)

Supplementary literature

1. Banaś, J., Podstawy matematyki dla ekonomistów, Wydawnictwa Naukowo-Techniczne, W-wa, 2005.

11. Information about academic teachers

The person responsible for the card

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Teacher(s) conducting the subject

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