

Microeconomics
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The course provides students with the basic notions of microeconomic theory. In particular, the course is organized in four main parts.

- 1) Theory of consumer's behaviour and welfare
- 2) Theory of production
- 3) Choice under uncertainty

The adopted textbook is "Microeconomic Theory", by Andreu Mas-Colell, Michael Whinston, and Jerry Green, chapters 1-6. The approach is quite formal and mathematical, and is aimed not only at delivering the main elements of microeconomic theory, but also at providing students with the necessary tools to address theoretical problems grounded in choice theory. Basic mathematical concepts and familiarity with logical and abstract thinking are therefore a pre-requisite of this course.