

ECON 7010: MICROECONOMIC THEORY 1  
COURSE SYLLABUS  
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Lectures: MW 9:00-10:15AM @ ECON 119

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This is the first sequence of courses on microeconomics, where the aim is to introduce classical theories and analytic tools used in modern microeconomic analysis. We will cover basic optimization techniques, consumer and producer theories, and decision-making under uncertainty.

There will be two midterms and a final exam, where the second midterm is *not* cumulative, but the final is. Each midterm counts **30%** and the final **40%** of your grade. Missed exam(s) will result in a zero unless there is a special circumstance with appropriate documentation.

We will cover **Part I** of Microeconomic Theory by Mas-Colell et al. (*required*), and **Part II** of Mathematical Methods and Models for Economists by de la Fuente (*optional*) can be read independently for those who need a review of some more math background. There is also a **course packet** available at CU Bookstore.

*Prerequisite:* Students must pass the math camp.

Tentative Schedule

1. Optimization Theory

Midterm 1

2. Consumer Theory (MWG Chapters 1-4)

Midterm 2

3. Producer Theory (MWG Chapter 5)

4. Decision Theory (MWG Chapter 6)

Final Exam

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