

Course Syllabus

1	Course title	Macroeconomics Theory	
2	Course number	1607211	
3	Credit hours	3 Hours	
	Contact hours (theory, practical)		
4	Prerequisites/corequisites	Principles of Macroeconomics (1607111)	
5	Program title	BSc. Economics	
6	Program code	07	
7	Awarding institution		
8	School	Business School	
9	Department	Economics	
10	Course level	Bachelor	
11	Year of study and semester (s)	First Semester – 2023/2024	
12	Other department (s) involved in teaching the course		
13	Main teaching language	Arabic and English	
14	Delivery method	<input type="checkbox"/> Face to face learning <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Blended <input type="checkbox"/> Fully online	
15	Online platforms(s)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moodle <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Microsoft Teams <input type="checkbox"/> Skype <input type="checkbox"/> Zoom <input type="checkbox"/> Others.....	
16	Issuing/Revision Date		

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19 Course Description:

Theory of Macroeconomics (11707211) is an intermediate course in macroeconomics. Some of the issues covered include the determinants of output, interest rates, money, the government budget, aggregate demand, aggregate supply and stabilization policy, inflation and unemployment, the role of monetary and fiscal policy, sources of instability in the economy, and economic growth.

A- Aims:

1. To equip the student with the principles he or she needs to make sense out of the conflicting and contradictory discussions of economic conditions and policies in newspapers and news magazines.
2. To make the student able to evaluate the performance of decision makers, and to predict the impact of their policy actions on families and business.

B- Students Learning Outcomes (SLOs):

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

SLOs SLOs of the course	SLO (1)	SLO (2)	SLO (3)	SLO (4)
1	A1) Understand an overview of the economy including macroeconomics and how the overview applies to the free enterprise system and the role of the government in the economy.			
2		A2) Demonstrate a knowledge of the measurement and use of national output, national income, the price level, aggregate demand, and aggregate supply and their impact on the problems associated with the business cycle: unemployment and inflation.		
3			A3) Understand macroeconomic problems and relate it to various government policies.	
4		A4) Describe and discuss the creation of money by the local banking system, the role of money in our economy, and the role of the Central bank in this process.		



A5) To comprehend how external developments can affect domestic economy.

20 Course aims and outcomes:

21. Topic Outline and Schedule:

Week	Lecture	Topic	Student Learning Outcome	Learning Methods (Face to Face/Blended/ Fully Online)	Platform	Synchronous / Asynchronous Lecturing	Evaluation Methods	Resources
1	1.1	CHAPTER 1 What Is Macroeconomics?	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	1.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	1.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book

2	2.1	CHAPTER 1 What Is Macroeconomics?	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	2.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	2.3		1+2+3+4		Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
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3	3.1	CHAPTER 2 The Measurement of Income, Prices, and Unemployment	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	3.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	3.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
4	4.1	CHAPTER 2 The Measurement of Income, Prices, and Unemployment	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	4.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	
	4.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book

5	5.1	CHAPTER 3 Income and Interest Rates: The Keynesian Cross Model and the IS Curve	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	5.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	5.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
6	6.1	CHAPTER 3 Income and Interest Rates: The Keynesian Cross Model and the IS Curve	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	6.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	6.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
7	7.1	CHAPTER 4 Strong and Weak Policy Effects in the IS-LM Model	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	7.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	7.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
8	8.1	CHAPTER 4 Strong and Weak	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	

		Policy Effects in the IS-LM Model						Lectures and Text Book
	8.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	8.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
9	9.1		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	9.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	9.3	CHAPTER 6 The Government Budget, the Government Debt, and the Limitations of Fiscal Policy	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
10	10.1		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	10.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	10.3	CHAPTER 6 The Government Budget, the Government Debt, and the Limitations of Fiscal Policy	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	
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11	11.1	CHAPTER 7 International Trade, Exchanges Rates, and Macroeconomic Policy	1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	11.2		1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	11.3		1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
12	12.1	CHAPTER 7 International Trade, Exchanges Rates, and Macroeconomic Policy	1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	12.2		1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	12.3		1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
13	13.1	CHAPTER 8 Aggregate Demand, Aggregate Supply, and the Great Depression	1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	13.2		1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	13.3		1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
14	14.1	CHAPTER 8 Aggregate Demand, Aggregate Supply,	1+2+3+ 4	Face to Face	Teams and e- learning	Synchronous	Exams	

		and the Great Depression						Lectures and Text Book
	14.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	14.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
15	15.1	CHAPTER 9 Inflation: Its Causes and Cures	1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	15.2		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book
	15.3		1+2+3+4	Face to Face	Teams and e-learning	Synchronous	Exams	Lectures and Text Book

22 Evaluation Methods:

Opportunities to demonstrate achievement of the SLOs are provided through the following assessment methods and requirements:

Evaluation Activity	Mark	Topic(s)	SLOs	Period (Week)	Platform
Midterm Exam	30	Chapters (1-4)	1+2+3+4	TBA	Class
2 nd Exam	15	Chapters (6+7)	1+2+3+4	TBA	Class
Assignment	5		1+2+3+4	TAB	
Final Exam	50		1+2+3+4	TBA	Class



(e.g: students should have a computer, internet connection, webcam, account on a specific software/platform...etc):

24 Course Policies:

A- Attendance policies:

There will be 3 lectures per week. Although the lectures cover the vast majority of the module material, students must make use of the textbooks extensively especially the empirical cases presented in the book.

B- Absences from exams and submitting assignments on time:

C- Health and safety procedures:

D- Honesty policy regarding cheating, plagiarism, misbehavior:

All the assignments and work submitted by the student should be his or her own. All actions of academic dishonesty including cheating, plagiarism or helping other students in such actions will be dealt with strictly according to the university regulations.

E- Grading policy:

Students will be assessed based on the following:

- **Mid-term Exam 30%**
- **2nd Exam 15%**
- **Assignments 5%**
- **Final Exam 50%**

Assignments are individual assignments. Details of these assignments and the submission deadlines will be announced in class. Dates of exams will be announced in the class.

F- Available university services that support achievement in the course:

25 References:

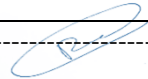
A- Required book(s), assigned reading and audio-visuals:

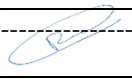
Gordon Robert J., Macroeconomics, 12th edition, Pearson Addison Wesley, USA, 2012.

B- Recommended books, materials, and media:



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