Subject card

Subject name and code	Microeconomics I, PG_00169889						
Field of study	Economics						
Date of commencement of studies	October 2025			Academic year of realisation of subject	2025/2026		
Education level	Bachelor's studies			Subject group	Obligatory subject group in the field of study		
Mode of study	full-time studies			Mode of delivery	at the university		
Year of study	1			Language of instruction	Polish		
Semester of study	2			ECTS credits	4.0		
Learning profile	academic			Assessment form			
Conducting unit	Department of Microeconomics -> Faculty of Economics -> Rector						
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor		dr Ewa Ignaciuk				
	Teachers						
Lesson types	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Project	Seminar	SUM
	Number of study hours	0.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30
	E-learning hours included: 0.0						
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity	Participation in didactic classes included in study plan		Participation in consultation hours	Self-study		SUM
	Number of study hours	30		10.0	60.0		100
Subject objectives	Introducing students to the decision-making process of key actors in different market conditions. Provide knowledge and skills on the rules of behaviour of market participants and their consequences for individuals and the whole economy.						

Learning outcomes	<table><tr><th>Course outcome</th><th>Subject outcome</th><th>Method of verification</th></tr><tr><td>[EKONL3_W01] has advanced knowledge of the nature of social sciences, their place in the system of sciences, knows the role of economic sciences in this system and uses universal economic terminology</td><td>The student has an advanced knowledge of the place and role of microeconomics in the system of sciences; the student uses the basic economic rights and categories related to the functioning of the market economy</td><td>[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion</td></tr><tr><td>[EKONL3_U13] be able to interact and work in a group (including an international one), assuming various roles within it</td><td>The student has the ability to work in a group, taking on different roles</td><td>[SU1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion [SU2] presentation/project/paper/ report [SU5] implementation of a problem task</td></tr><tr><td>[EKONL3_W02] has advanced knowledge of the different types of existing business entities and organisations and public institutions</td><td>The student has an advanced knowledge of the types of market players and the criteria they use to make economic choices</td><td>[SW4] test/exam - oral or written [SW1] oral statement/ conversation/discussion</td></tr><tr><td>[EKONL3_K02] is aware of the level of knowledge in the field of economics and understands the need to deepen and update this knowledge throughout life</td><td>The student is aware of the level of his/her knowledge in microeconomics and understands the need to deepen and update this knowledge throughout his/her life. This awareness is further developed during consultations, where the student identifies areas requiring improvement, and participation in these consultations reflects their active attitude towards the learning process and the continuous enhancement of their competencies</td><td>[SK1] oral statement/conversation/ discussion</td></tr></table>
Subject contents	1.The Logic of Economic Choice (e.g. the subject and research methods of microeconomics, opportunity cost and economic choice, production possibility curve and marginal rate of transformation) 2. Demand, Supply, Market Mechanism, Price Elasticity of Demand and Supply (e.g. equilibrium price and quantity; determinants of demand and supply; point and arc elasticity; price elasticity of demand and supply; income elasticity of demand; cross-price elasticity of demand; Engel curves; normal goods, inferior goods, Giffen goods, necessities, luxury goods, substitute goods, complementary goods; deviations from the law of demand) 3. Revenue, Costs, and Economic Profit (e.g. the goal of the model producer; short-run and long-run costs; total, marginal, and average revenue of the producer; accounting profit and economic profit) 4. Perfect Competition (e.g. characteristics of perfect competition, output level, short-run and long-run economic profit, efficiency of a perfectly competitive firm) 5. Imperfect Competition (e.g. characteristics of monopoly, monopolistic competition, oligopoly; models of oligopoly; short-run and long-run economic outcomes in different market structures; pricing methods used by producers; efficiency of monopolists, monopolistic competitors, and oligopolists)
Prerequisites and co-requisites	
Assessment methods and criteria	<table><tr><th>Subject passing criteria</th><th>Passing threshold</th><th>Percentage of the final grade</th></tr><tr><td>Obtaining a positive rating is based on the results of partial test written by students during the semester, individual and group activity in class, and case studies solved by students.</td><td>51.0%</td><td>100.0%</td></tr></table>

Recommended reading	Basic literature	Mankiw N.G., Taylor M.P., Mikroekonomia, PWE, Warszawa 2021. Krugman P., Wells R., Mikroekonomia, PWE, Warszawa 2021.
	Supplementary literature	Kątowski T., Podstawowy wykład z mikroekonomii, Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Gdańskiego, Gdańsk 2000.Kamińska T., Kubska-Maciejewicz B., Laudańska-Trynka J., Teoria podejmowania decyzji przez podmioty rynkowe, Wydawnictwo Uniwersytetu Gdańskiego, Gdańsk 2006.Kątowski T., Ignaciuk E., Podstawy mikroekonomii w zadaniach z rozwiązaniami i komentarzem, Wydawnictwo UG, Gdańsk 2006.Kamińska T., Krysińska A., Kubska-Maciejewicz B., Laudańska-Trynka J., Wybrane problemy z mikroekonomii - zadania, Wydawnictwo UG, Gdańsk 2013.
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie:
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	Alternative cost, Average costs, Average physical product, Average revenue, Book prot, Changes of long-run tatal cost and economies of scale, Consumer surplus, Demand, Determinants of factor demand, Economic eectiveness, Economic goods, Economic loss, Economic postulates of decision rationality, Economic prot, Economic rent, Economies of scale increasing, constant and decreasing, Engel curves, Equilibrium of producer, Equilibrium price, Equilibrium quantity, Explicit costs, Free goods, Gien goods, Implicit costs, Index of price elasticity of demand, Indexes of point and arch elasticity, Indexes of elasticity of demand, Inferior goods, Inuence of price changes on total revenues, Isocost curve, Isoquant curve, Long-run costs, Marginal cost, Marginal cost curve of production factor emploiment, Marginal physical product, Marginal product decreasing rule, Marginal rate of factor production technical substitution, Marginal rate of transformation, Marginal revenue, Market, Market labour supply curve, Market models, Market shortage, Market surplus, Model of kinked demand curve, Normal basic and luxurious goods, Perfect price discrimination, Price, Price ceiling, Price discrimination, Price discrimination as to the ammount of consumption, Price discrimination as to the price elasticity of demand, Price oor, Price of production factor, Producer surplus, Production, Production factors, Production method, Production possibilities curve, Quantity of demand, Quantity of production factor employment, Quantity of supply, Relations between average productivity and average cost, Relations between marginal cost and average costs, Relations between marginal productivity and marginal cost, Short- and long-run production factors demand, Short- and long-run production function, Short-run costs, Shut-down point, Stickness of prices, Subject of economic research, Supply, Technical eectiveness, Technically eective production methods, Total costs, Total revenue,Veblen goods	
Work placement	Not applicable	

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