

# Stat 142 (Time Series Analysis)

## Course Outline

### Course Information

*Course Code:* Stat 142

*Course Title:* Time Series Analysis

*Pre-requisite:* Stat 134 (Regression Analysis)

*Credit:* 3.0 units

*Semester Offered:* Second Semester

*Number of Contact Hours per Week:* 2 hours lecture (3-5 M) and 3 hours laboratory (1-4 W) per week

*Course Description:* Classical methods, ARIMA models, Box-Jenkins method, intervention analysis, GARCH models, regression with time series data, applications

### Course Outcomes

1. Articulate basic concepts in time series analysis;
2. Apply smoothing methods for time series;
3. Demonstrate decomposition of time series; and
4. Develop models for stationary and nonstationary time series

### Topical Outline

#### Module 1. Introduction to Time Series Analysis

1. Basic Terms in Time Series Analysis
2. Components of a time series
3. Overview of forecasting methods

## **Module 2. Simple Smoothing Methods**

1. Moving averages
2. Simple exponential smoothing
3. Smoothing methods for trend and seasonality

## **Module 3. Trend-Seasonal Smoothing Methods**

1. Differencing
2. Estimating trend using the first difference
3. Double moving average
4. Brown's double exponential smoothing
5. Holt's two-parameter trend model

## **Module 4. Decomposition Methods and Seasonal Indices**

1. Additive and multiplicative seasonality
2. Classical decomposition
3. The X11 and X12 procedures

## **Module 5. Models for Stationary Time Series**

1. Autoregressive processes
2. Moving average processes
3. ARIMA processes

## **Module 6. Nonstationary Time Series Models and ARCH and GARCH**

1. The Box-Jenkins Method
2. SARIMA models
3. Introduction to ARCH and GARCH models

## Course Requirements and Grading System

1. Quizzes (15%)
2. Problem Sets (25%)
3. Long Examinations (60%)

Rating (%)	Grade Equivalent
98-100	1.00
95-97	1.25
90-94	1.50
85-89	1.75
80-84	2.00
75-79	2.25
70-74	2.50
65-69	2.75
60-64	3.00
53-59	3.25
46-52	3.50
39-45	3.75
32-38	4.00
25-31	4.25
18-24	4.50
11-17	4.75
0-10	5.00

## Suggested References

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