



**Examination
areas
and Suggested
study literature**

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1 Economics and Management (Master)

Entrance exam from:

Economics and Management

Specification of examination areas:

- a) Principles of market mechanism functioning.
- b) The consumer theory, market demand formation.
- c) The firm theory, market supply formation.
- d) Market equilibrium and efficiency, market structures' models, production factors' markets.
- e) Principles of market economy functioning. Macroeconomic aggregates.
- f) Equilibrium of market economy, business cycles and economic growth.
- g) Money and money market, Inflation.
- h) The role of the state in the economy, macroeconomic policies.
- i) Managerial functions, roles and competencies.
- j) Management techniques focused on people, processes and organization.
- k) Management environment and its analysis.
- l) Enterprise as an economic entity (stakeholders, risk in business, phases of company life cycle).
- m) Property and financial structure of the company (characteristics of the company's assets and financial resources, depreciation of assets, cost of capital).
- n) Financial management of the company (profit/loss and its revenue and expense relationship, internal and external funding, cost classification and management, cost modelling, cash flow and its management, basics of financial analysis).
- o) Investment activity of the company (types of investments, economic efficiency of investments, methods for economic assessment of investment, risk in investment decision making).
- p) Personnel management (planning, evaluation and remuneration of employees).

Suggested study literature:

- MANKIW, N. Gregory. *Principles of Economics*. 8th edition. Boston: Cengage Learning, 2017, 888 p. ISBN 978-130558512-6.
- GRIFFIN, Ricky W. *Management*. 11th edition. South-Western, USA: Cengage Learning, 2012. 720 p. ISBN 978-111196971-4.
- EBERT, Ronald J., GRIFFIN, Ricky W. *Business Essentials*. 11th edition. Boston: Pearson, 2016. 696 p. ISBN 978-013412996-9.
- ARNOLD, Glen. *Corporate financial management*. 5th edition. Harlow, England: Pearson, 2012, 992 p. ISBN 978-027375883-9.

Sample test available at: <https://www.pef.mendelu.cz/en/admission-process>

2 Open Informatics

Entrance exam from:

Informatics

Specification of examination areas:

- a) Software development (algorithms, complexity, data types, structured and modular programming).
- b) Object-oriented approach to software design (classes, bindings, inheritance).
- c) Theoretical foundations of computer science (propositional and predicate logic, sets, graphs).
- d) Database systems (data models, relational databases, SQL).
- e) Development of information systems (life cycle models, development methodologies, analysis, UML).
- f) Computer architecture and computer networks (computer construction, computer network protocols, network hardware).
- g) Operating systems architecture (principles, process management, filesystem management, user management).

Suggested study literature:

- ARLOW, Jim and NEUSTADT, Ila. *UML 2 and the Unified Process: Practical Object-Oriented Analysis and Design*. 2nd edition. Boston, Massachusetts, USA: Addison-Wesley, 2005, 624 p. ISBN 973-0321321275.
- FOSTER, Thomas. *Logic, induction and sets*. 1st edition. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2003, 244 p. ISBN 973-0521826217.
- GROSS, Jonathan L., YELLEN, Jay and ZHANG, Ping. *Handbook of Graph Theory (Discrete Mathematics and Its Applications)*. 2nd edition. London: Chapman & Hall/CRC Press, 2013, 1630 p. ISBN 978-1439880180.
- KEOGH, Jim and GIANNINI, Mario. *OOP Demystified*. 1st edition. New York, New York, USA: McGraw-Hill Education, 2004, 288p. ISBN 978-0072253634.
- KIRCH-PRINZ, Ulla and PRINZ, Peter. *A Complete Guide to Programming in C++*. 1st edition. Burlington, Massachusetts, USA: Jones & Bartlett Learning, 2001, 848 p. ISBN 978-0763718176.
- KUROSE, James and ROSS, Keith. *Computer Networking: A Top-Down Approach*. 7th edition. London: Pearson, 2016, 864 p. ISBN 978-0133594140.
- RAMAKRISHNAN, Raghu and GEHRKE, Johannes. *Database Management Systems*. 3rd edition. New York, New York, USA: McGraw-Hill Education, 2002, 1104 p. ISBN 978-0072465631.
- STALLING, Williams. *Operating Systems: Internals and Design Principles*. 8th edition. London: Pearson, 2014. 800 p. ISBN 978-0133805918.

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