# Handbook of Modules

for the

## Master Study Programme Data Science

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## Overview of modules

## Compulsory Courses

No.	MODULE NAME	Lectures/courses	ECTS points
MD 1	ADVANCED STATISTICAL LEARNING	Advanced Statistical Learning	9
MD 2	STATISTICAL THEORY	Statistical Theory	9
MD 3	DATA SCIENCE IN PRACTICE	Programming course	3
		Data Science in Context	3
MD 4	PROJECT WORK	Case Studies / External Internship	8
		Seminar	4
MD 5	BIG DATA	Statistical Learning for Big Data	9
MD 6	MASTER THESIS	Master Thesis	27
		Advanced Seminar	3

## Elective courses

(to choose modules with a total of 45 ECTS points)

CATALOGUE OF MODULES	No.	Lectures/courses	ECTS points	Language
	MD E1-1 Time Series Analysis		9	English
	MD E1-2	Survival Analysis	9	English
	MD E1-3	Bootstrapping	9	English
	MD E1-4	Stichprobenverfahren	5	German
	MD E1-5	Nonparametric Methods	4,5	English or German
	MD E1-6	Robust Methods	4,5	English or German
METHODS	MD E1-7	Optimization	5	English
METHODS  (to choose modules with a	MD E1-8	MD E1-8 Numerical Solution of Differential Equations		English
total of at least 24 ECTS	MD E1-9	Generalized Linear Models	9	English
points)	MD E1-10	Introduction to Computational Fluid Dynamics	5	English
	MD E1-11	Introduction to Computational Intelligence	4	English
	MD E1-12	Architecture and Implementation of Database Systems	8	English
	MD E1-13	Cyber-Physical System Fundamentals	6	English
	MD E1-14	Real-Time Systems and Applications	8	English
	MD E1-15	Model Selection and Model Averaging	9	English
	MD E1-16	Asymptotic Theory	4,5	English

	MD E1-17	Machine Learning Paradigms for Complex	8	English
		Data	0	Eligiisii
	MD E1-18	Neural networks for solving ordinary differential equations	5	English
	MD E1-19	Numerical Methods for PDEs	5	English
	MD E1-20	Artificial Intelligence	3	English
	MD E1-21	Deep Learning	9	English
	MD E1-22	Unit Root and Cointegration Analysis	9	English
	MD E1-23	Panel Data Econometrics	9	English
	MD E1-24	Text as Data	4,5	English
	MD E1-25	Statistical Network Analysis	4,5	English
	MD E1-26	Causality	6	English
	Other modu	ules upon request		English or German
	MD E2-1	Bioinformatics	9	English
	MD E2-2	Toxicology	9	English
	MD E2-3	Econometrics	9	English
	MD E2-4	Econometrics of treatment effects and policy evaluation	4,5	English
	MD E2-5	Natürlichsprachige Systeme	7	German
	MD E2-6	Control Theory and Applications	7	English
	MD E2-7	Reliability and Material Fatigue	9	English or German
	MD E2-8	Quality Control	9	English or German
	MD E2-9	Financial Econometrics	4,5	English
	MD E2-10	Machine Learning for Economic Data	4,5	English
APPLICATIONS	MD E2-11	Bayesian Econometrics	4,5	English
7 W T ETC/ CTOTO	MD E2-12	Statistics in Toxicology (Modelling)	4,5	English
(to choose modules with a	MD E2-13	Statistics in Toxicology (Testing)	4,5	English
total of at least 16 ECTS	MD E2-14	Statistics in Genetics (Bioinformatics)	9	English
points)	MD E2-15	Introduction to Linguistic Data Science with R	5	English
	MD E2-16	Introduction to Computational Linguistics with Python	5	English
	MD E2-17	Statistics meets Linguistics	4,5	English
	MD E2-18	Research Methods in English Linguistics	4,5	English
	MD E2-19	Learning in Robotics	5	English
	MD E2-20	Data-Based Dynamic Modeling	3	English
	MD E2-21	Industrial Data Science I	5	English
	MD E2-22	Game Theory	7,5	English
	MD E2-23	Introduction to Linguistic Data Science	10	English
	MD E2-24	Introduction to Computational Linguistics	10	English
	Other modu	iles upon request		English or
	00			German

## Possible requirements in case of conditional admission

No.	MODULE NAME	Lectures/courses	ECTS points
MD Req1	ADVANCED MATHEMATICS	Advanced Engineering Mathematics	7
MD Req2	DATA STRUCTURES AND PROGRAMMING	Reading Course Data Structures and Programming	10
MD Req3	INFORMATION SYSTEMS	Reading Course Information Systems	5
MD Req4	PROBABILITY	Reading Course Probability	5
MD Req5	INFERENCE	Reading Course Inference	5
MD Req6	LINEAR MODELS	Reading Course Linear Models	5
MD Req7	INTRODUCTORY CASE STUDIES	Introductory Case Studies	5
MD Req8	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICAL LEARNING	Introduction to Statistical Learning	10

#### **Notes**

- Elective courses can be in English or German (see terms of study, § 6 (6)).
- For courses with a written exam according to this handbook, there have to be two examination dates during the semester, generally one of them towards the end of the free period. Students not having passed or participated in the first date may participate in the second. If the examination is not passed at the second date, there is no right to a further attempt during the same semester, even if the student has not written the exam at the first regular date. For courses that are offered every semester, and not only once per year, it is possible to have only one exam after each lecture period, resulting in a total of two exams per year.
- Course type abbreviations:
  - o L: Lecture
  - T: Tutorial
  - S: Seminar
  - o P: Practical course

## Preface on dissemination of skills

Understanding of the methodology of mathematical statistics cannot be acquired by simple memorising, but solely by exercises and application to practical questions and problems. This is usually done in tutorials accompanying all lectures. Therefore, they are a central part of the education.

Apart from understanding of the lectures' contents, the accompanying tutorials impart strategies of learning: the students recognise the application of methods to practical questions as the easiest way of understanding. Writing out answers and solutions to exercises improves the ability to formulate propositions of mathematical statistics and the general capability of expression.

Application to real data is only possible by means of software. Therefore, after basic training in earlier phases of study, computational application of studied methods is required in the courses. Self-discipline and time management are trained by periodic and strict deadlines for finishing exercises. Motivation is increased by feedback on corrected exercises, since the students can judge their understanding of the subjects worked on. Therefore, it is an important part of the education to value and reward the students' efforts in doing exercises.

Various examination modes are provided in the regulations. In particular, credit points may be obtained by the exercises mentioned above and by oral presentations. Communication skills and the ability to describe issues of mathematical statistics and data science are trained by oral exams. Written exams require the methods' practical application.

Perhaps the most important soft skills in statistics and data analysis are communication and teamworking skills. Expedient data analysis and evaluation can only be achieved if all aspects of the data and problems are openly discussed between all the participants. The department of Statistics encourages these abilities by instructions to teamwork in various ways and by special tutorials held by fellow students.

A semester abroad also serves to develop such general, interdisciplinary skills. Students are encouraged to take some courses at a foreign partner university. In particular, the 3rd semester is suitable in this regard. Such international exchanges are for example supported by the ERASMUS programme (<a href="https://www.statistik.tu-dortmund.de/erasmus\_en.html">https://www.statistik.tu-dortmund.de/erasmus\_en.html</a>).

## Recommended course of study

## Starting in winter semester

1st semester	2nd semester	3rd semester	4th semester
Module MD 5:	Module MD 4:		Module MD 6:
Big Data	Project Work		Master Thesis
Statistical Learning for Big Data (4+2); 9	Case Studies (4P) or	Seminar (2S); 4 ECTS;	Prerequisites: Modules MD 1 and
ECTS;	External Internship; 8 ECTS;	Graded partial work	MD 4
Graded module exam	Graded partial work		30 ECTS;
Module MD 2:	Module MD 1:		Course achievement: Advanced Seminar
Statistical Theory	Advanced Statistical Learning		("Oberseminar"); Graded module exam: Master Thesis
Statistical Theory (4+2); 9 ECTS;	Advanced Statistical Learning (4+2); 9	Graded module exams or accumulated	
Graded module exam	ECTS;	graded exams	
	Graded module exam	(at least 24 ECTS in total)	
	Elective courses:		
	Methods		
Module MD 3:	■ Elective modules from catalogue	(In the entire elective area — Methods and Applications — modules with a total of 45	
Data Science in Practice		ECTS are to be chosen.)	
		•	
Programming course (2 to 4 P); 3 ECTS;	Elective courses:		
Data Science in Context (2); 3 ECTS;	Applications	Graded module exams or accumulated graded exams	
Accumulated graded exams	Elective modules from catalogue	(at least 16 ECTS in total)	
Total: 30 ECTS	Total: 30 ECTS	Total: 30 ECTS	Total: 30 ECTS

blue: courses at the Faculty of Statistics green: courses at the Faculty of Computer Science brown: (joint) courses at this or other faculties Denoted hours:

S: Seminar

P: Practical course else: Lecture + Tutorial or Lecture only

## Starting in summer semester

1st semester	2nd semester	3rd semester	4th semester
Module MD 1: Advanced Statistical Learning	Module MD 4: Project Work	Case Studies (4P) or External Internship; 8 ECTS;	Module MD 6: Master Thesis
Advanced Statistical Learning (4+2); 9 ECTS;	Seminar (2S); 4 ECTS;	Accumulated graded exams	Prerequisites: Modules MD 1 and MD 4
Graded module exam Elective courses: Methods	Module MD 5: Big Data	Graded module exams or accumulated	30 ECTS; Course achievement: Advanced Seminar ("Oberseminar");
Elective modules from catalogue	Statistical Learning for Big Data (4+2); 9 ECTS; Graded module exam	graded exams (at least 24 ECTS in total)	Graded module exam: Master Thesis
	Module MD 2: Statistical Theory		
	Statistical Theory (4+2); 9 ECTS; Graded module exam	(In the entire elective area – Methods and Applications – modules with a total of 45 ECTS are to be chosen.)	
Module MD 3: Data Science in Practice	Elective courses: Applications	Elective modules from catalogue	
Programming course (2 to 4 P); 3 ECTS;	Data Science in Context (2); 3 ECTS;	Graded module exams or accumulated graded exams	
Accumulated graded exams	T. I. I. S. FOTO	(at least 16 ECTS in total)	7.1.1.2.5070
Total: 30 ECTS	Total: 30 ECTS	Total: 30 ECTS	Total: 30 ECTS

blue: courses at the Faculty of Statistics green: courses at the Faculty of Computer Science brown: (joint) courses at this or other faculties

Denoted hours:
S: Seminar
P: Practical course
else: Lecture + Tutorial or Lecture only

## Description of modules

## Compulsory Courses

Module MD 1: Advanced Statistical Learning					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
Summer semester, annual	1 semester	1st	9	270	

anı	nual									
1	Module	structure								
-	No.	Lecture			Туре		ECTS	Hours		
	1		ed Statistical Learn	ing	L+T		9	4 + 2		
2	Language	1					1			
	English									
3	Content									
			statistical learning				•	-		
	•	-	e enhanced and ex	•						
			etworks (deep lear	•		_				
	_		ve (mixed) models duced. On the oth			_				
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	methods are shown, in particular, with regard to large data sets (big data). Furthermore, the fundamental differences between supervised and non-supervised learning are evolved.									
4			ualification Goals							
	-	-	erstand advanced i	models and ana	alysing r	nethod	s and are a	aware of their		
	limitatio	ns. They a	re able to adapt m	nethods to unus	sually st	ructure	ed data. Th	ey choose		
	appropri	ate meth	ods for real data a	nd apply them	by meai	ns of st	atistical so	ftware. They		
	understa	and the ur	nderlying mathema	atical theory.						
5	Examina	tion								
	Graded r	module ex	æm.							
6	Formalit	y of exam	nination							
		=	am as announced	by the lecturer.						
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7	Module	requirem	ents (prerequisite	s)						
	- none -									
8		on to curri								
	·	-	lle for M. Sc. study	-						
9	Respons	•	lt Durch Dool		artmen	it				
			lt, Prof. Dr. J.	Stat	istics					
	Rahnenführer, Prof. Dr. A. Groll									

Module MD 2: Statistical Theory						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
Winter semester, annual	1 semester	1st	9	270		

an	nual					<u> </u>		
1	Module s	structure						
	No.	Lecture	/Course		Туре		ECTS	Hours
	1	_	lity Theory		L+T		4,5	2 + 1
	2	Decision	n Theory		L+T		4,5	2 + 1
2	Language English	<b>2</b>						
3	Content							
	The Statistical Theory lecture (6 + 3) is divided in three parts, whereupon Probability and Decision Theory are compulsory, while the third part (Asymptotic Theory) may be chosen for another module.  The Probability Theory part deals with basics of measure and probability theory to enable students for the comprehension of more sophisticated statistical methods.  The Decision Theory part deals with basics of decision theory.							ay be chosen for
4	Competences / Qualification Goals  The students handle the formal language of statistics and understand the basics of probability theory, decision theory and mathematical statistics. They are well prepared to study, correctly apply and enhance statistical methods.							
5	<b>Examinat</b> Graded n		cam.					
6	Formality of examination Written exam on the compulsory parts. The lecturer may demand course achievements as a prerequisite to the exam, if announced at the beginning of the course.							n, if announced
7	Module requirements (prerequisites) - none -							
8	Allocatio	n to curri	iculum					
	Compulse	ory modu	ile for M. Sc. study	programm	ie Data Sciei	nce		
9	Responsi	•			Departmen	ıt		
	Prof. Dr. K. Ickstadt, Prof. Dr. C. Jentsch Statistics							

Module MD 3: Data Science in Practice						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
annual	1 to 2	1st to 2nd	6	180		
	semesters					

	Module	structure	<u> </u>				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours		
	1	Programming course	P	3	2 to 4		
Ī	2	Data Science in Context	L	3	2		
	Languag	e					
	English o	r German					
3	Content						
	No. 1: The students participate in a software or programming language course, e.g., SAS,						
	Julia, Pyt	hon, or Advanced R, which they hav	e not chosen in a	nother modul	le.		
	No. 2: The course includes introductions to international database systems, to German laws						

data science, amongst others:
Research data management (RDS) as part of the research process ensures an efficient progress of research projects, high quality comprehensible research data, and that requirements of several stakeholders were met. RDS concerns the organization of data throughout the data life cycle containing the planning, production, analysis, storage, publication, archiving, and sharing of data. This part of the lecture will explain the theory of RDS and present hands on examples from everyday research. Furthermore, the usefulness of databases in the context of RDS for placement and inquiry of research data will be shown,

and regulations related to data (data privacy and integrity), and to the practical aspects of

4 Competences / Qualification Goals

The students gain specialized knowledge on a software package or a programming language and apply methods from statistics and data analysis to real data using their own program code. They adopt unknown computation techniques.

The students know the important aspects of their profession.

with a special focus on format diversity, curation and accessibility.

- 5 Examination
  - Two accumulated graded exams.
- 6 Formality of examination

Exams as announced by the lecturers.

- 7 | Module requirements (prerequisites)
  - none -
- 8 | Allocation to curriculum

Compulsory module for M. Sc. study programme Data Science

9 Responsibility Department
Chairman of board of examiners Statistics

Module MD 4: Project Work						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
each semester, as offered	2 semesters	2nd to 3rd	12	360		

1	Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours		
	1a	Case Studies	Р	8	4		
	1b	External Internship		8			
	2	Seminar	S	4	2		

#### 2 Language

No. 1a: English (at least once per year) or German;

No. 1b: English or German, by arrangement

No. 2: English or German, by arrangement

#### 3 Content

For No. 1, the students choose between internal and external exercises in preparation for professional work.

In the "Case Studies" course, the students work on one or two extensive projects dealing with real data applications. They work independently to a large extent, collaborating in teams. They choose, adopt knowledge on, and adjust methods of statistics and data analysis for the given problem. They write reports and make presentations on the methodology and their conducted extensive data analysis. They practise interactions with other fields of science and application.

During the external internship, the students work at a company or institution related to their field of study. They participate in professional working groups conducting real data analyses. They report their project and results.

In the seminar, every student reads a scientific paper, critically reflecting its contents. The main results of this work are presented in a talk, discussed and reported in written form.

#### 4 | Competences / Qualification Goals

The students work independently on a given problem, collaborating in teams. They adopt previously unknown methods and adapt them to real data tasks. They interact with coworkers from the same and other fields, advise practitioners, transfer tasks in terms of mathematics and rephrase results accordingly. They present results in written and oral form. They conduct and finish projects within a given period of time.

The students adopt knowledge on a special field of data science and comprehend and reflect the scientific work of others. They understand a new subject and explain its methods and results in class. They give critical feedback on other talks.

#### 5 Examination

Two accumulated graded exams.

## 6 Formality of examination

Successful pass of reports and presentations.

Attendance may be compulsory for the courses of this module. This is determined by the lecturers in accordance with the principle of proportionality.

#### 7 | Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none -

If there are requirements in case of conditional admission (any of modules MD Req1 to MD Req8), these have to be fulfilled by the start of the course "Case Studies" or the external internship.

Module MD 4: Project Work					
8	Allocation to curriculum				
	Compulsory module for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
9	Responsibility	Department			
	Chairman of board of examiners	Statistics			

Module MD 5: Big Data					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
Winter semester, annual	1 semester	2nd	9	270	

an	nuai							
1	Module s	structure						
	No.	Lecture	/Course		Туре		ECTS	Hours
	1	Statistic	al Learning for Big	Data	L+T		9	4 + 2
2	Language	2						•
	English							
3	Content							
	In this co	urse, me	thods for handling	and analysin	g large da	ta sets	are preser	nted, with
	possibly l	arge nun	nbers of both the o	bservations a	and the va	ariables	s. Methods	s, algorithms and
	procedur	es gener	alized for use in a b	oig data conte	ext, are: ir	nport a	and storage	e of data,
	_		ds (including cluste	-	=			
		•	ediction for various					. •
	_		model, discrimina	•				
			Furthermore, meth			_		
	· ·		g techniques for th				•	
			methods and algori	ithms will be	discussed	l such a	is asympto	otical properties
			omplexity, etc.					
4	-	• •	ualification Goals					
			v techniques for de	_	_		•	
		•	methods for vario			•		
	-		pt methods to larg ata streams and ch				•	
		_	thods on several co		-	Hethot	is. Hiey Kii	IOW HOW to
	· ·		y methods to real of		-	stical sc	oftware Th	nev understand
			thematical theory.		or statis	reicai se	oreware. II	icy anderstand
5	Examinat							
	Graded n	nodule ex	ram.					
6	Formality	-						
	Exam as a	announce	ed by the lecturer.					
7	Module r	requirem	ents (prerequisite:	s)				
	– none –							
8	Allocatio							
			ile for M. Sc. study	· · ·				
9	Responsi	-			epartmer			
	Prof. Dr.	E. Müller		Co	mputer S	Science		

Module MD 6: Master Thesis					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
each semester	1 semester	4th	30	900	

1 Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Master Thesis		27		
	2	Advanced Seminar ("Oberseminar")	S	3		
2	Language	e				
	English o	r German				
3	Content The Mas	ter Thesis proves the student's ability	to apply and ac	dapt scientific	methods to a	
		of data science and related fields with		•		
	choose b	etween several proposed subjects or i	ntroduce their	own.	•	
	The thes	is can also be written at - or on collabo	ration with - a	n external pul	olic or private	
	institutio	n. In a special seminar, the student giv	es a talk to dis	cuss the thesi	s' results	
	followed	by a disputation. This may be replace	d by an externa	al talk, e.g., at	a company or	
	scientific	conference, in the presence of the su	pervisor.			
4	Compete	ences / Qualification Goals				
	The stud	ents independently adopt knowledge	on a new subje	ect, conduct st	udies, and adapt	
	and refle	ct methods. They communicate the pr	oject, method	s and results i	n a well-	
	structure	ed manner and discuss them critically.	They compactl	y present and	discuss their	
		k. They design their project independ		= -	ervisor and	
	-	an external partner, and finish it withi	n a given perio	d of time.		
5	Examina					
		nodule exam: Master Thesis.				
6		y of examination				
		ul pass of thesis.				
		chievement prior to submission of the	thesis: presen	tation in the A	dvanced	
	Seminar ("Oberseminar").					
	Module requirements (prerequisites)					
7	Module	<u>,                                      </u>				
7	Successf	requirements (prerequisites) ul pass of module MD 1 (Advanced Sta			'Case Studies"	
	Successfo course o	requirements (prerequisites) ul pass of module MD 1 (Advanced Sta r an external internship of module MD			'Case Studies"	
7	Successforcourse o	requirements (prerequisites) ul pass of module MD 1 (Advanced Sta r an external internship of module MD on to curriculum	4 (Project Wo	rk).	'Case Studies"	
	Successforcourse of Allocation Compuls	requirements (prerequisites) ul pass of module MD 1 (Advanced Sta r an external internship of module MD on to curriculum ory module for M. Sc. study programn	4 (Project Wo	rk).	'Case Studies"	
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8	Successfictions of Allocation Compulsing Responsi	requirements (prerequisites) ul pass of module MD 1 (Advanced Sta r an external internship of module MD on to curriculum ory module for M. Sc. study programn	4 (Project Wo ne Data Science	rk).		

#### **Elective Courses**

In the entire elective area – "Methods" and "Applications" – modules with a total of 45 credit points are to be chosen. Only courses not already chosen in the qualifying bachelor's degree may be selected.

**Preliminary note:** Offered modules in this elective area are subject to regular fluctuations, and often instructors offer special courses on current research topics at short notice. Many courses in this elective area offered only on an irregular basis. Current information can always be found in the course catalogue of the respective semester. In order to take this into account, we do not provide a complete list of contents and competencies; these can be taken from the respective course announcements. Often, we import modules from other study programs, in these cases we refer to the original module handbooks. Students are only allowed to choose modules that have not been chosen otherwise, neither in the Master Data Science nor in their qualifying Bachelor program.

**General note on competences:** The students have deep knowledge about specialized methods of data science and related fields and apply them appropriately. They understand their theoretical background and choose suitable methods for a given problem. The students familiarize themselves with unknown fields of knowledge.

#### "Methods" Elective Courses

Modules with a total of at least 24 credit points are to be chosen.

At the request of the students, modules other than those mentioned here may be approved as elective modules via the chairman of the examination board.

Module MD E1-1: Time Series Analysis					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Time Series Analysis	L+T	9	4 + 2			
2	Language							
	English							
3	Module i	mported from						
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	c. Statistics			
4	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
5	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
7	Allocation to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
8	Responsi	bility	Department					
	Chairmar	n of board of examiners	Statistics					

Module MD E1-2: Survival Analysis					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Survival Analysis	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language	2				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	88 in the M.S	c. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Prof. Dr.	A. Groll, Prof. Dr. M. Pauly	Statistics			

Module MD E1-3: Bootstrapping						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270		

1	Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours		
	1	Bootstrapping	L+T	9	4 + 2		
2	Language						
	English						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	. Statistics		
4	Examinat	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module r	equirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocation to curriculum						
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science						
8	Responsibility Department						
	Prof. Dr.	C. Jentsch, Prof. Dr. M. Pauly	Statistics				

Module MD E1-4: Stichprobenverfahren						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150		

1	Module	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours		
	1	Stichprobenverfahren	L+T	5	2 + 1		
2	Language	2					
	German						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Statistics	department, part of module MS 3 in t	the M.Sc. Statistics				
4	Examina	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum					
	Elective r	module from the "Methods" catalogue	e for M. Sc. study p	rogramme D	ata Science		
8	Responsi	bility	Department				
	Prof. Dr.	Ph. Doebler, Prof. Dr. G. Knapp,	Statistics				
	Prof. Dr.	C. Müller					

Module MD E1-5: Non	parametric Metho	ds		
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135

1	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Nonparametric Methods	L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language					
	English o	r German				
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module r	equirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Prof. Dr.	C. Müller	Statistics			

Module MD E1-6: Robust Methods						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135		

1	Module	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Robust Methods	L+T	4,5	2 + 1
2	Language				
	English o	r German			
3	Module i	mported from			
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	c. Statistics
4	Examinat	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocation to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Prof. Dr.	R. Fried, Prof. Dr. C. Müller	Statistics		

Module MD E1-7: Optimization					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Optimization	L+T	5	2 + 1	
2	Language	2				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Mathema	atics department, export course for th	ne module <u>AR-214</u>	from the M.	Sc. Automation	
	and Robo	otics				
4	Examina	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies Mathematics	Mathematics			

Module MD E1-8: Numerical Solution of Differential Equations					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module s	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Numerical Solution of Differential	L+T	5	2 + 1
		Equations			
2	Language				
	English				
3	Module imported from				
	Mathematics department, export course for the module AR-308 from the M.Sc. Automation				
	and Robo	otics			
4	Examinat	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum			
	Elective r	module from the "Methods" catalogue	e for M. Sc. study	/ programme	Data Science
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Dean of S	Studies Mathematics	Mathematics		

Module MD E1-9: Generalized Linear Models					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Generalized Linear Models	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module imported from					
	Statistics department, specialized course in the M.Sc. Statistics					
4	Examina	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Prof. Dr.	A. Groll	Statistics			

Module MD E1-10: Introduction to Computational Fluid Dynamics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Introduction to Computational Fluid	L+T	5	2 + 1
		Dynamics			
2	Language				
	English				
3	Module imported from				
	Mathematics department, module MAT-708				
4	Examinat	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocation to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Dean of S	Studies Mathematics	Mathematics		

Module MD E1-11: Introduction to Computational Intelligence					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4.5	135	

1	Module s	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Introduction to Computational	L+T	4.5	2 + 1
		Intelligence			
2	Language				
	English				
3	Module imported from				
	Computer Science department, module <u>INF-Bsc-305</u>				
4	Examination				
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module r	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocation to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Dean of S	Studies	Computer Science	e	

## Module MD E1-12: Architecture and Implementation of Database Systems

Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	8	240

1	Module	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Architecture and Implementation of	L+T	8	4 + 2
		Database Systems			
2	Language				
	English				
3	Module i	mported from			
	Computer Science department, module <u>INF-MSc-214</u>				
4	Examina	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocation to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Prof. Dr.	J. Teubner	Computer Science	e	

1st to 3rd

6

1 semester

as offered

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1	Module	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Cyber-Physical System Fundamental	s L+T	6	4 + 2
2	Language	e			
	English				
3	Module i	mported from			
	Compute	er Science department, Mathematics o	lepartment, exp	ort course fo	r the module <u>AR-</u>
	<u>215</u> from	the M.Sc. Automation and Robotics			
4	Examina	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocation to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Prof. Dr.	JJ. Chen	Computer Scie	nce	

Module MD E1-14: Real-Time Systems and Applications					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	8	240	

1	Module	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Real-Time Systems and Applications	L+T	8	4 + 2
2	Language				
	English				
3	Module i	mported from			
	Compute	r Science department, module <u>INF-M</u>	<u>Sc-223</u>		
4	Examinat	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocation to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Prof. Dr.	JJ. Chen	Computer Scien	ice	

Module MD E1-15: Model Selection and Model Averaging					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Model Selection and Model Averaging	ng L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language	2				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 /	MS 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics	
4	Examina	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E1-16: Asymptotic Theory						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135		

1	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Asymptotic Theory	L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS 8	3 in the M.Sc	. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module r	equirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	itudies	Statistics			

Module MD E1-17: Machine Learning Paradigms for Complex Data						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	8	240		

1	Module	structure					
	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours						
	1	Machine Learning Paradigms for	L+T	8	4 + 2		
		Complex Data					
2	Language						
	English						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Compute	r Science department, module <u>INF-M</u>	<u>Sc-236</u>				
4	Examinat	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science						
8	Responsi	bility	Department				
	Prof. Dr.	E. Müller	Computer Scie	nce			

Module MD E1-18: Neural networks for solving ordinary differential equations						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150		

1	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Neural networks for solving ordinary	/ L+T	5	2 + 1	
		differential equations				
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Mathema	atics department, useable for module	MAT-439			
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module r	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies Mathematics	Mathematics			

Module MD E1-19: Numerical Methods for PDEs					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module s	structure			
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1	Numerical Methods for PDEs	L+T	5	2 + 1
2	Language				
	English				
3	Module i	mported from			
	Mathema	atics department, export course for th	ne module <u>AR-308</u> (	or AR-214 fro	om the M.Sc.
	Automat	ion and Robotics			
4	Examinat	tion			
	Graded n	nodule exam.			
5	Formality	y of examination			
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).			
6	Module ı	requirements (prerequisites)			
	– none –				
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum			
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science				
8	Responsi	bility	Department		
	Dean of S	Studies Mathematics	Mathematics		

Module MD E1-20: Artificial Intelligence						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	3	90		

1	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Artificial Intelligence	L+T	3	2 + 1	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Institute	of Neuroinformatics, Ruhr University	Bochum			
4	Examina	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E1-21: Deep Learning					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Deep Learning	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E1-22: Unit Root and Cointegration Analysis					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure		Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours				
	1	Unit Root and Cointegration Analysis	L+T	9	4 + 2				
2	Language								
	English								
3	Module i	mported from							
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / I	MS 8 in the M.S	Sc. Statistics				
4	Examina	tion							
	Graded n	nodule exam.							
5	Formality	y of examination							
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).							
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)							
	– none –								
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science								
8	Responsi	bility	Department						
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics						

Module MD E1-23: Panel Data Econometrics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Panel Data Econometrics	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / N	1S 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E1-24: Text as Data						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135		

1	Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours		
	1	Text as Data	L+T	4,5	2 + 1		
2	Language						
	English						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	c. Statistics		
4	Examina	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module ı	requirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science						
8	Responsi	bility	Department				
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics				

Module MD E1-25: Sta	atistical Network Ar	nalysis		
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Statistical Network Analysis	L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / N	/IS 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

In addition to the above, many German language courses from the three departments can be chosen. Please note that sufficient German skill are required for all these courses. If you want to choose one of these courses, please get in touch with the Data Science examination board prior to participation. For example, the following courses are possible:

- from the M. Sc. study programme "Mathematik" of the Department of Mathematics:
  - o Module MAT-406: Numerik II
  - o Module MAT-419: Diskrete Optimierung
  - o Module MAT-424: Nichtlineare Optimierung
- from the M. Sc. study programme "Informatik" of the Department of Computer Science:
  - o Module INF-MSc-231: Praktische Optimierung
  - o Module INF-MSc-232: Mustererkennung
  - o Module INF-MSc-233: Graphische Datenverarbeitung
  - o Module INF-MSc-234: Commonsense Reasoning
  - o Module INF-MSc-241: Algorithmen und Datenstrukturen
  - o Module INF-MSc-401: Modellbildung, Simulation und Analyse
  - o Module INF-MSc-407: Verteilte Programmierung und numerische Algorithmen
  - o Module INF-MSc-501: Ausgewählte Kapitel der Computational Intelligence
  - o Module INF-MSc-502: Computer Vision
  - o Module INF-MSc-505: Geometrische Modellierung
  - o Module INF-MSc-506: Maschinelles Lernen
  - o Module INF-MSc-508: Schrifterkennung
  - o Module INF-MSc-509: Fortgeschrittene Themen der Wissensrepräsentation
  - o Module INF-MSc-510: IT-Management
  - o Module INF-MSc-514: Computational Omics
  - o Module INF-MSc-518: Digitalisierung von Fertigungsprozessen
  - o Module INF-MSc-605: Datenbanktheorie
  - o Module INF-MSc-606: Algorithmische Bioinformatik
  - o Module INF-MSc-607: Evolutionäre Algorithmen

## "Applications" Elective Courses

Modules with a total of at least 16 credit points are to be chosen.

At the request of the students, modules other than those mentioned here may be approved as elective modules via the chairman of the examination board.

**Preliminary note:** Offered modules in this elective area are subject to regular fluctuations, and often instructors offer special courses on current research topics at short notice. Many courses in this elective area offered only on an irregular basis. Current information can always be found in the course catalogue of the respective semester.

In order to take this into account, we do not provide a complete list of contents and competencies; these can be taken from the respective course announcements. Often, we import modules from other study programs, in these cases we refer to the original module handbooks. Students are only allowed to choose modules that have not been chosen otherwise, neither in the Master Data Science nor in their qualifying Bachelor program.

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**General note on competences:** The students have deep knowledge about specialized methods of data science and related fields and apply them appropriately. They understand their theoretical background and choose suitable methods for a given problem. They apply methods to real data by means of software.

Module MD E2-1: Bioinformatics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	<b>ECTS points</b>	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Bioinformatics	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS 8	3 in the M.Sc	. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module r	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Prof. Dr	J. Rahnenführer	Statistics			

Module MD E2-2: Toxicology						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	9	270		

1	Module	Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Toxicology	L+T	9	4 + 2			
2	Language							
	English							
3	Module i	mported from						
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS 8	3 in the M.Sc	. Statistics			
5	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
6	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
7	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
8	Allocatio	n to curriculum						
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
9	Responsi	bility	Department					
	Chairmar	n of board of examiners	Statistics					

Module MD E2-3: Econometrics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module s	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Econometrics	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	c. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module r	equirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	JProf. Dr.	A. Arsova, Prof. Dr. C. Jentsch	Statistics			

Module MD E2-4: Econometrics of treatment effects and policy evaluation						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	4,5	135		

1	Module	Module structure							
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours				
	1	Econometrics of treatment effects a	nd L+T	4,5	2 + 1				
		policy evaluation							
2	Language	2							
	English								
3	Module i	mported from							
	Statistics department, specialized course for modules MS 7 / MS 8 in the M.Sc. Statistics								
4	Examina	tion							
	Graded n	nodule exam.							
5	Formality	y of examination							
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).							
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)							
	– none –								
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science								
8	Responsi	bility	Department						
	Prof. Dr.	C. Jentsch	Statistics						

Module MD E2-5: Nati	Module MD E2-5: Natürlichsprachige Systeme						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload			
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	7	180			

1	Module	structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Natürlichsprachige Systeme	L+T	7	2 + 2			
2	Language	Language						
	German							
3	Module i	Module imported from						
	Compute	r Science department, module <u>INF-M</u>	<u>Sc-507</u>					
4	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
5	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum						
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
8	Responsi	bility	Department					
	Prof. Dr.	K. Morik, Prof Dr. E. Schubert	Computer Scie	nce				

Module MD E2-6: Control Theory and Applications						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	7	210		

1	Module s	Module structure							
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours				
	1	Control Theory and Applications	L+T	7	3 + 2				
2	Language								
	English								
3	Module i	mported from							
	Departm	ent of Biochemical and Chemical Engi	neering, mandato	ry course for	the module				
	<u>AR-102</u> ir	the M.Sc. Automation and Robotics							
4	Examinat	tion							
	Graded n	nodule exam.							
5	Formality	y of examination							
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).							
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)							
	– none –								
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science								
8	Responsi	bility	Department		_				
	Prof. Dr.	S. Engell	Biochemical and	Chemical Eng	ineering				

Module MD E2-7: Relia	ability and Materia	l Fatigue		
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	9	270

1	Module	Module structure						
	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours							
	1	Reliability and Material Fatigue	L+T	9	4 + 2			
2	Language							
	English o	r German						
3	Module i	mported from						
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / M	S 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics			
4	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
5	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
6	Module ı	requirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum						
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
8	Responsibility Department							
	Prof. Dr.	C. Müller	Statistics					

Module MD E2-8: Quality Control						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	2nd to 3rd	9	270		

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Quality Control	L+T	9	4 + 2	
2	Language	2				
	English o	r German				
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	nodules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	c. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Applications" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Prof. Dr.	C. Müller	Statistics			

Module MD E2-9: Financial Econometrics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135	

1	Module s	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Financial Econometrics	L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language	9				
	English					
3	Module i	imported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / N	IS 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics	
4	Examina	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E2-10: Ma	Module MD E2-10: Machine Learning for Economic Data					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135		

1	Module structure						
	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours						
	1	Machine Learning for Economic Data	a L	+ T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language	9					
	English						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules	MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.S	Sc. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science						
8	Responsi	bility	Depar	tment			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statist	ics			

Module MD E2-11: Bayesian Econometrics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Bayesian Econometrics	L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language	2				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / N	1S 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module ı	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum				
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E2-12: Statistics in Toxicology (Modelling)					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135	

1	Module structure						
	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours						
	1	Statistics in Toxicology (Modelling)		L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language						
	English						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odule	s MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	c. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science						
8	Responsi	bility	Depa	artment			
	Dean of S	Studies	Stati	stics			

# Module MD E2-13: Statistics in Toxicology (Testing) Rota as offered Duration 1 semester 2 st to 3rd ECTS points 4,5 135

1	Module	structure					
	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours						
	1	Statistics in Toxicology (Testing)	L+T	4,5	2 + 1		
2	Language						
	English						
3	Module i	mported from					
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / N	/IS 8 in the M.	Sc. Statistics		
4	Examinat	tion					
	Graded n	nodule exam.					
5	Formality	y of examination					
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).					
6	Module ı	requirements (prerequisites)					
	– none –						
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science						
8	Responsi	bility	Department				
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics				

Module MD E2-14: Statistics in Genetics (Bioinformatics)					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	9	270	

1	Module	Module structure							
	No.	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours							
	1	Statistics in Genetics (Bioinformatics	) L+T	9	4 + 2				
2	Language								
	English								
3	Module i	mported from							
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	. Statistics				
4	Examinat	tion							
	Graded n	nodule exam.							
5	Formality	y of examination							
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).							
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)							
	– none –								
7	Allocation to curriculum								
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science								
8	Responsi	bility	Department						
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics						

Module MD E2-15: Introduction to Linguistic Data Science with R					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module	structure							
	No.	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours							
	1	Introduction to Linguistic Data Scien	ce L+T	5	2 + 1				
		with R							
2	Language	9							
	English								
3	Module i	imported from							
	Linguistic	Data Science working group, Ruhr Ur	iversity Bochum						
4	Examina	tion							
	Graded n	nodule exam.							
5	Formality	y of examination							
	Exam as	announced by the lecturer(s).							
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)							
	– none –								
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science								
8	Responsi	bility	Department						
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics						

Module MD E2-16: Introduction to Computational Linguistics with Python					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Introduction to Computational	L+T	5	2 + 1	
		Linguistics with Python				
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Linguistic	Data Science working group, Ruhr Ui	niversity Bochun	า		
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module ı	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E2-17: Statistics meets Linguistics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Statistics meets Linguistics	L+T	4,5	2 + 1	
2	Language	2				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Applied I	inguistics working group, TU Dortmun	d University			
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E2-18: Research Methods in English Linguistics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4,5	135	

1	Module	Module structure							
	No.	Lecture/Course	Ту	/pe	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Research Methods in English Linguist	tics L-	+ T	4,5	2 + 1			
2	Language								
	English								
3	Module i	mported from							
	Applied li	inguistics working group, TU Dortmun	d Unive	rsity					
4	Examinat	tion							
	Graded n	nodule exam.							
5	Formality	y of examination							
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).							
6	Module r	requirements (prerequisites)							
	– none –								
7	Allocation to curriculum								
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science								
8	Responsi	bility	Depart	ment					
	Dean of S	Studies	Statisti	CS					

Module MD E2-19: Learning in Robotics				
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	4.5	150

1	Module structure							
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Learning in Robotics	L+T	4.5	2 + 1			
2	Language							
	English							
3	Module i	mported from						
	Departm	ent Electrical Engineering & Informati	on Technology, mo	dule <u>AR-310</u>	from the			
	M.Sc. Au	tomation and Robotics						
4	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
5	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
6	Module r	equirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
7	Allocatio	n to curriculum						
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
8	Responsi	bility	Department					
	Dean of S	itudies	Statistics					

Module MD E2-20: Data-Based Dynamic Modeling					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	3	90	

1	Module s	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Data-Based Dynamic Modeling	L+T	3	2 + 1	
2	Language	2				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Departm	ent of Biochemical and Chemical Engi	neering, module	AR-206 from	the M.Sc.	
	Automat	ion and Robotics				
4	Examina	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E2-21: Industrial Data Science I					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	5	150	

1	Module s	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Industrial Data Science I	L+T	5	2 + 1	
2	Language					
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Statistics	department, specialized course for m	odules MS 7 / MS	8 in the M.Sc	. Statistics	
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module r	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsibility Department					
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics			

Module MD E2-22: Game Theory					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	1 semester	1st to 3rd	7.5	225	

1	Module	structure				
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Game Theory	L+T	7.5	4	
2	Language	9				
	English					
3	Module i	mported from				
	Economic	cs Department				
4	Examinat	tion				
	Graded n	nodule exam.				
5	Formality	y of examination				
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).				
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)				
	– none –					
7	Allocation to curriculum					
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science					
8	Responsi	bility	Department			
	Dean of S	Studies	Department of Bu	siness and E	conomics	

Module MD E2-23: Introduction to Linguistic Data Science					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	2 semesters	1st to 3rd	10	300	

1	Module s	Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Introduction to Linguistic Data Scien	ce L+T	10	2 + 1			
2	Language							
	English							
3	Module i	mported from						
	Linguistic	Data Science working group, Ruhr Ur	niversity Bochum, o	comprised of	"Introduction			
	to Linguis	stic Models (with R)" and "Linguistic D	ata Science"					
4	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
5	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
6	Module i	requirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
7	Allocation to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
8	Responsi	bility	Department					
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics					

Module MD E2-24: Introduction to Computational Linguistics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
as offered	2 semesters	1st to 3rd	10	300	

1	Module structure							
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours			
	1	Introduction to Computational	L+T	10	2 + 1			
		Linguistics						
2	Language							
	English							
3	Module i	mported from						
	Linguistic	Data Science working group, Ruhr Ui	niversity Bochum, c	omprised of	"Introduction			
	to Compu	utational Linguistics (with Python)" an	d "Computational I	Linguistics an	ıd AI"			
4	Examinat	tion						
	Graded n	nodule exam.						
5	Formality	y of examination						
	Exam as a	announced by the lecturer(s).						
6	Module r	equirements (prerequisites)						
	– none –							
7	Allocation to curriculum							
	Elective module from the "Methods" catalogue for M. Sc. study programme Data Science							
8	Responsi	bility	Department					
	Dean of S	Studies	Statistics					

## Possible requirements in case of conditional admission

In the case of conditional admission, some of the following additional requirements are usually assigned as conditions. However, this list is not exhaustive, it is for your information only, it is possible that conditions beyond this list may also be imposed.

Module MD Req1: Advanced Mathematics					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
Winter semester,	1 semester	beginning of	7	210	
annual		programme			

1	Module structure						
	No. Lecture/Course Type ECTS Hours						
	1 Advanced Engineering Mathematics		L+T	7	3 + 2		
2	Language						

# English

#### 3 Content

- Linear Algebra: Vector spaces, matrices and equation systems, linear maps, Jordan-, LU-, QR-, and singular value decomposition, numerical aspects.
- Differential Equation: Linear systems, differential equations with constant coefficients.
- Laplace-Transform: Definition, convolution and application to differential equations.
- Differential Calculus with several variables: Derivatives, inverse and implicit functions, Taylor expansion and extreme values.
- Stability of Differential Equations: Theorems of Ljapunov and Poincaré-Ljapunov.
- Variational Calculus.

#### Literature:

- Bajpai, Avinash C., Mathematics for engineers and scientists
- Meyer, R.M., Essential mathematics for applied fields
- Lancaster, P., Tismenetsky, M., The theory of matrices
- Lang, S., Linear algebra
- Slides

# 4 Competences / Qualification Goals

The students are acquainted with fundamental mathematical techniques and thus prepared for their future courses. They understand the underlying mathematical structures in their field.

#### 5 Examination

Module exam.

# 6 Formality of examination

Written exam (2 hours).

# 7 Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none -

## 8 Allocation to curriculum

9	Responsibility	Department	
	Dean of Studies Mathematics	Mathematics	

Module MD Req2: Data Structures and Programming						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
every semester	1 semester	beginning of	10	300		
		programme				

1	Module structure					
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours	
	1	Reading Course Data Structures and	reading	10		
		Programming	course			
2	Language					

# English

#### 3 Content

- Programming Languages: introduction to Java; concepts of structured and objectoriented programming.
- Algorithms: sorting and searching on lists, trees and graphs.
- Object oriented software: classes; secret principle and encapsulation; message exchange; inheritance; hierarchies; exception handling; genericity; object-oriented design.
- Programming in Java.

#### Literature:

- James T. Streib, Takako Soma: Guide to Data Structures: A Concise Introduction Using Java. Springer 2017.
- Takako Soma, James T. Streib: Guide to Java: A Concise Introduction to Programming. Springer 2014.

In addition to the English language Reading Course, students can attend the German language lecture Datenstrukturen, Algorithmen und Programmieren I (see module BD 3 from the Bachelor Data Science). However, although these courses are similar in content, they are not equivalent, and reading the literature is mandatory even if the lecture is attended.

#### 4 | Competences / Qualification Goals

Students deeply understand the informal basics for the description of programming languages and their implementation within the framework of the Java programming language. Students handle the basics of object-oriented program design, independently formulate solution algorithms for given problems and implement them as Java programs. They deeply understand selected designs for object-oriented software construction and evaluate their usability.

#### 5 Examination

Module exam

#### 6 Formality of examination

Digital homework: A set of programming tasks has to be solved at home and handed in within a given time limit. Details are published at the beginning of each examination period.

#### 7 Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none –

#### 8 Allocation to curriculum

9	Responsibility	Department
	Dean of Studies; Dr. S. Dissmann	Computer Science

Module MD Req3: Information Systems					
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload	
every semester	1 semester	beginning of	5	150	
		programme			

ev	every semester		1 semester	beginning of		5		150	
				programme					
1	Module:	structure	1						
	No.	Lecture	/Course		Type		ECTS	Hours	
	1a	Reading	g Course Informati	on Systems	readir	ng	5		
					course	2			
	1b	Informa	ationssysteme (See	BD 13.1,	L+T		5	2 + 1	
		Bachelo	or Data Science; in	German)					
2	Language	е							
	English (2	1a) or Ge	rman (1b)						
3	Content								
	One can	choose to	o attend either the	English langua	ge read	ing cou	irse or th	e German	
	language	lecture.	Both cover the sar	ne contents:					
	The cour	se deals v	with the architectu	ire and use of ii	nformat	ion sys	tems, esp	ecially database	
	and infor	mation r	etrieval systems. I	Powerful, decla	rative q	uery ar	nd change	e languages are	
	traced ba	ack to cor	mputer-based, pro	cedural executi	ion plan	s. The	modelling	g and	
	formalisa	ation of a	pplications as well	as the practica	l handli	ng of a	n object-	relational	
	database	system (	(ORACLE) is explair	ned.					
	Literatur	e:							
	Lecture r	materials,	, and some referer	ices given there	ein, of th	ne cour	se "Infor	mationssysteme"	
	by Prof.	Teubner o	of the Faculty of Co	omputer Scienc	е				
4	Compete	ences / Q	ualification Goals						
	Students	understa	and the basics of sy	ntax and sema	intics of	inform	nation sys	tem services,	
			ture of informatio	n systems, and	perforr	n the d	evelopme	ent cycle of	
	application	ons based	d on this.						
5	Examina	tion							
			), written exam in	German langua	ge for (	1b)			
6	Formalit	•							
	Examinat	tion base	d on the lecture m	aterials.					
7	Module	requirem	ents (prerequisite	es)					
	- none -	-	•	-					
8	Allocatio	n to curr	iculum						
	Possible	requirem	ent in case of cond	ditional admissi	on to th	ne M. S	c. study p	rogramme Data	
	Science	•					, ,	<u> </u>	
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Computer Science

Responsibility

Prof. Dr. J. Teubner

Module MD Req4: Probability						
Rota every semester	<b>Duration</b> 1 semester	Semester beginning of programme	ECTS points 5	Workload 150		

eve	ery semest	.er	1 semester	program	-	5		150
				programm	110			
1	Module	structure						
	No.	Lecture	/Course		Туре		ECTS	Hours
	1	Reading	Course Probabilit	У	readin	g	5	
					course	<u>.</u>		
2	<b>Language</b> English	9						
3	Content							
4	<ul> <li>Concepts of probability, distributions, conditional probability and independence, Bayes' rule, sequences of events.</li> <li>Sampling, Binomial distribution, Normal approximation, Poisson distribution.</li> <li>Random variables, expectation and variance.</li> <li>Probability densities, Exponential and Gamma distributions, substitutions, cumulative distribution functions.</li> <li>Joint distributions, Uniform and Normal distributions.</li> <li>Dependence, conditional distributions, covariance and correlation.</li> <li>Literature:</li> <li>Jim Pitman: Probability. Springer 1993: Chapters 1, 2.1, 2.2, 2.5, 3.1-3.5, 4.1, 4.2, 4.4, 4.5, 5.1-5.3, 6.</li> <li>Competences / Qualification Goals</li> <li>Students gain a deep understanding of probability. They independently integrate statistical problems in the context of probability theory and solve them using appropriate methods.</li> </ul>							
5	Examina Module 6	exam.	athematical proof	·				
6	Formality of examination  Examination based on the book chapters.							
7	Module i	requirem	ents (prerequisite	es)				
	- none -							
8	Allocation Possible Science		iculum ent in case of cond	ditional adr	nission to th	ne M. S	c. study p	rogramme Data
9	Responsi	bility			Departmer	nt		
	Prof. Dr.	K. Ickstac	lt, Prof. Dr. C. Jent	sch	Statistics			

Module MD Req5: Inference						
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload		
every semester	1 semester	beginning of	5	150		
		programme				

1	Module structure						
	No.	Lecture/Course	Туре	ECTS	Hours		
	1a	Reading Course Inference	reading	5			
			course				
	1b	First half of "Schätzen und Testen" (see	L+T	5	2 + 1		
		BD 9, Bachelor Data Science; in					
		German)					
1	1						

English (1a) or German (1b)

#### 3 Content

One can choose to attend either the English language reading course or the German language lecture. Both cover the same contents:

- Parametric point estimation: method of moments and maximum likelihood; consistency; sufficiency; error, bias and loss; completeness; Rao-Cramer-bound; invariance; Bayesian estimation.
- Parametric interval estimation: confidence intervals, especially for Normal distribution parameters, finding methods, Bayesian estimation.
- Tests of hypotheses: simple and composite hypotheses, loss function, (uniformly)
  most powerful tests, unbiased tests, tests for (multivariate) Normal distribution
  parameters, Chi-square tests, relation to confidence intervals.

#### Literature:

Alexander M. Mood, Franklin A. Graybill, Duane C. Boes: Introduction to the Theory of Statistics. McGraw-Hill 1974: Chapters VII, VIII, IX.1-IX.6.

# 4 | Competences / Qualification Goals

Students calculate point and interval estimators and carry out significance tests. They prove basic properties of estimators and tests.

Students apply the methods to real data.

#### 5 Examination

Module exam. A combined exam on the modules MD Req5 Inference and MD Req6 Linear Models is possible.

#### 6 Formality of examination

Examination based on the book chapters or on the lecture, respectively.

#### 7 Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none -

#### 8 Allocation to curriculum

9	Responsibility	Department
	Prof. Dr. R. Fried, Prof. Dr. C. Müller,	Statistics
	JProf. Dr. K. Schorning	

Module MD Req6: Linear Models						
Rota every semester	<b>Duration</b> 1 semester	Semester beginning of programme	ECTS points 5	Workload 150		

1	Module structure				
	No. Lecture/Course		Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1a	Reading Course Linear Models	reading	5	
			course		
	1b	Second half of "Schätzen und Testen"	L+T	5	2 + 1
		(see BD 9, Bachelor Data Science; in			
		German)			

English (1a) or German (1b)

#### 3 Content

One can choose to attend either the English language reading course or the German language lecture. Both cover the same contents:

- Introduction to regression models: real data examples, simple and multiple linear models, binary response models.
- Linear model components: parameters, covariates, residuals, assumptions.
- Parameter estimation: coefficients and error variance.
- Hypothesis tests and confidence intervals: F-Tests, confidence regions, prediction intervals.
- Model choice: variable selection, prediction evaluation, criteria.

#### Literature:

Thomas Kneib, Stefan Lang, Ludwig Fahrmeir, Brian D. Marx: Regression: Models, Methods and Applications. Springer 2015: Chapters 1, 2.1-2.3, 3.

# 4 Competences / Qualification Goals

Students calculate point and interval estimators and carry out significance tests in the context of the linear model. They have knowledge on model selection. Students apply the methods to real data.

#### 5 Examination

Module exam. A combined exam on the modules MD Req5 Inference and MD Req6 Linear Models is possible.

#### 6 Formality of examination

Examination based on the book chapters or on the lecture, respectively.

#### 7 | Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none -

#### 8 Allocation to curriculum

9	Responsibility	Department
	Prof. Dr. A. Groll, Prof. Dr. K. Ickstadt,	Statistics
	Dr. T. Ziebach	

Module MD Req7: Introductory Case Studies				
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
every semester	1 semester	beginning of	5	150
		programme		

1	Module structure				
	No. Lecture/Course		Туре	ECTS	Hours
	1a Introductory Case Studies		Р	5	2
	1b Part of "Fallstudien I" (see BD 14.1,		Р	5	4
		Bachelor Data Science, 3 out of 5			(for 1/2 of
		reports are required)			the sem.)

English (1a) or German (1b)

#### 3 Content

On can choose to either attend the English course Introductory Case Studies or take part in the German course "Fallstudien I". In the latter case, only part of the course (3 out of 5 reports) have to be taken.

The aim of the course is to familiarise students with the independent evaluation of statistical data sets. In addition to the provision of a catalogue of basic standard procedures for data evaluation, a central learning objective is the appropriate presentation of the methodological approach and the evaluation results in verbal and written form. In order to achieve these learning goals, students have to work in small groups (three to four members) on three projects. The time frame for each project is three to six weeks, depending on the level of difficulty. The intermediate and final results of the statistical evaluation are presented alternately by the groups. After completion of each project, each student must submit a short, written report in which the results achieved in the group and the methodology used are presented in an appropriate manner.

#### 4 | Competences / Qualification Goals

Students work independently according to scientific criteria and report orally and in writing on their work. Students apply statistical methods to real data sets, modify the methods if necessary and work out methods unknown to them. They derive solutions to problems and reflect on them. They work together in groups. They prepare and give presentations, explaining statistical methods and communicating results. They discuss their own and other methods, results and reports with others. They complete the projects within a short, given time.

# 5 Examination

Module exam.

# 6 Formality of examination

Written reports and oral presentations.

#### 7 | Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none -

# 8 Allocation to curriculum

9	Responsibility	Department
	Chairman of board of examiners	Statistics

Module MD Req8: Introduction to Statistical Learning				
Rota	Duration	Semester	ECTS points	Workload
every semester	1 semester	beginning of	10	300
		programme		

1	Module structure				
	No.	No. Lecture/Course		ECTS	Hours
	1a	Reading Course Introduction to	reading	10	
	Statistical Learning		course		
	1b Einführung in das statistische Lernen (see BD 10, Bachelor Data Science; in		L+T	10	4 + 2
		German)			

English (1a) or German (1b)

#### 3 Content

One can choose to attend either the English language reading course or the German language lecture. Both cover the same contents:

The course Introduction to Statistical Learning is an introduction to statistical and machine learning models. First, basic methods from the areas of data pre-processing and data understanding are presented. Next, depending on the target variable (continuous vs. discrete; observable vs. unobservable), four basic paradigms of methods are distinguished and presented: Regression, Classification, Clustering and Outlier methods. For each of these paradigms, different modelling concepts are presented, such as nearest neighbour methods, linear methods, trees, as well as probabilistic, ensemble or regularization methods. In addition, general model validation and model selection methods are presented for the different machine learning paradigms.

#### Literature:

- James, G., Witten, D., Hastie, T., & Tibshirani, R. (2013). An introduction to statistical learning, Chapters 1, 2.1-2.2, 3.1-3.2, 4.1-4.4, 5.1-5.2, 6.2, 8.1-8.2
- Han, J & Kamber, M: Data Mining: Concepts and Techniques, Chapters 2.4, 3.4, 3.5, 6, 9.5, 10, 12

#### 4 | Competences / Qualification Goals

Students understand different models and analysis procedures. In realistic data situations, they can select suitable procedures and apply them with machine learning and statistical learning toolkits. They understand the underlying mathematical-statistical theory.

#### 5 Examination

Module exam.

#### 6 Formality of examination

Examination based on the book chapters or on the lecture.

#### 7 Module requirements (prerequisites)

- none -

#### 8 Allocation to curriculum

1	9	Responsibility	Department
		Prof. Dr. A. Groll, Prof. Dr. E. Müller	Computer Science, Statistics