

**Economics 170A
Microeconomics
Winter 2002**

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Course Requirements: % of Grade

Homework (6 sets)	30%
Midterm, February 19	30%
Final, March 22	40%

Homework will be submitted by study groups consisting of 3 or 4 individuals. All students' names must appear on the homework turned in by the group. If a student's name appears in more than one group for a given homework, the lowest score will be recorded.

Problem Session: TBA

Text: (V) Varian, H., Intermediate Microeconomics: A Modern Approach, (bookstore).

Course Outline

January	8:	Introduction and Review, Chapter 1
	10:	No meeting
	15:	Constrained Optimization, Handout
	17:	Technology, Chapter 18
	22:	Profit Maximization, Chapter 19
	24:	Cost Minimization, Chapter 20
	29:	Cost Curves, Chapter 21
	31:	Firm Behavior Under Perfect Competition Chapter 22

February	5:	Industry Supply, Chapter 23
	7:	Industry Supply (continued), Chapter 23
	12:	Firm Behavior Under Monopoly, Chapter 24
	14:	Review
	19:	Midterm
March:	21:	Consumer's Budget Constraint, Chapter 2
	26:	Consumer Preference, Chapter 3
	28:	Consumer Choice, Chapters 4,5
	5:	Consumer Demand, Chapter 6
	7:	Consumer Demand (continued), Chapters 6, 8
	12:	Labor Supply, Chapter 9
	14:	Review
	22:	Final Exam
		8:00 am - 11:00 am

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