

17.5: Assignments



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Note that the Data Project Assignment is split into two parts and spans both module 6 and module 7. The Module 16 assignment presents two options, one that emphasizes topics from macroeconomics, and the other that emphasizes concepts from microeconomics.

Module	Assignment	Discussion
1 Economic Thinking		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Is Economics a Science?
2 Choice in a World of Scarcity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Guns or Butter? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Making Irrational Choices
3 Supply and Demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Supply and Demand of Coffee 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Supply and Demand
4 Applications of Supply and Demand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Price Controls After a Storm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Price Controls
5 Elasticity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Elasticity and Tuition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Junk Food and Elasticity
6 Macroeconomic Measures: GDP and Economic Growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Data Project Part 1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: GDP and Economic Growth
7 Macroeconomic Measures: Unemployment and Inflation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: The State of the Macro Economy (a good option if not utilizing the Data Project) Assignment: Data Project Part 2 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: How is the Economy?
8 The Aggregate Demand-Aggregate Supply Model	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Analysis of a Demand/Supply Shock using the AD-AS Model 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: The Business Cycle and the AD-AS
9 Keynesian and Neoclassical Economics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Keynesian and Neoclassical Economics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Keynesian vs. Neoclassical Economics
10 The Income-Expenditure Model	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: The Income-Expenditure Model 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: The Income-Expenditure Model
11 Fiscal Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assignment: Economic Impact of Lower Corporate Tax Rate 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion: Fiscal Policy

12 Money and Banking	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assignment: Baby Boomers	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussion: Money and Banking
13 Monetary Policy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assignment: Chair the Fed	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussion: Impact of Low Interest Rates on Monetary Policy
14 Policy Applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assignment: Policy Response to a Macro Shock	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussion: Macropolicy
15 Globalization and Trade	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assignment: Absolute and Comparative Advantage	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussion: Absolute and Comparative Advantage
16 Exchange Rates and International Finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assignment: Exchange Rates and International Finance *Consists of either a microeconomics or macroeconomics-emphasis	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussion: Global Currencies

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