**Term project**

* The project will be conducted in pairs of students, with the aim to promote collaboration.
* The typical report should focus on three issues of a country’s (macro) economy. The team should choose any three from the following list of (macro) economic issues: (1) fiscal policy and public debt, (2) central bank interest rate policy, (3) exchange rates, (4) inflation and cost of living, (5) access to finance of SMEs, (6) fixed capital formation, (7) economic sentiment indicator, (8) country credit rating.
* For each of the three issues, the analysis will provide the current stance as well as provide a historical account. The presentation must be based on actual data, presented in tables and/or graphs, with the appropriate discussion and interpretation.
* Alternatively, the team may choose to analyse a single economic issue for a number of countries (at least 5).
* The project should be in the form of a 10-15 pages report (1.5 line spacing, times new roman 11).
* The project will be submitted via eclass as a saved pdf file, whose title is given by the surnames of the team members.

Main publicly available economic databases that can be used:

* <https://www.imf.org/en/Data>
* <https://data.oecd.org/>
* <https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/data/database>
* <https://data.worldbank.org/>
* <https://www.ecb.europa.eu/stats/ecb_surveys/safe/html/index.en.html>
* <https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/products-datasets/-/teibs010>

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