

The University of Illinois at Chicago
College of Business Administration
Department of Accounting
Spring Semester 2009

Managerial Accounting 506 Section #17799

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Course Presentation

This course is designed to give class participants an ability to use operational and financial data in various strategic and operational decision situations within an organization. Weekly assignments will be reviewed and concepts discussed. A student team will assume responsibility for weekly case discussion and presentation. Cases and problem sets must be submitted weekly by all class participants.

Assessment

Mid Term Exam	25%
Assignments	40%
Presentation and Discussion	10%
Final Exam	25%

Required Text

Introduction to Management Accounting (14th ed) by Horngren et al., Prentice - Hall. The text is available at the UIC bookstore and online retail outlets.

Class	Date	Topic	Assignment
1	Jan. 13	The Relevance of Cost Chapter 1	1-A1, 1-40, 1-45,
2	Jan. 20	Cost Behavior & Analysis Chapter 2	Ford Motor Co. & Congress 2007 Financial Statements and 10 K Report (case questions in BB) 2-A2,2-37, 2-42,2-61
3	Jan. 27	Statistical Analysis of Costs Chapter 3	West Coast Products (Part A) 3-34, 3-41, 3-43, 3-50
4	Feb. 3	Product and Service Costing Chapter 4	Hewlett-Packard 4-A2, 4-B1,4-51
5	Feb. 10	Pricing Analysis Chapter 5	Internet Advertising 5A3,5-36,5,42,5-50,5-59,
6	Feb. 17	Profitability Analysis Chapter 6	Napa Valley Wineries 6-B3, 6-33, 6-37, 6-45,6-47
7	Feb. 24	-----	Midterm
8	March 3	Planning and Control Chapter 7	Ritz Carlton 7- 29, 7-33,7-38
9	March 10	Budgets and Variances Chapter 8	Evergreen 8-34,8-40,8-44
10	March 17	Management Control Systems Chapter 9	US Productivity BLS 9A3, 9-42,9-49
11	March 24	-----	Spring Break

12	April 7	Performance Evaluation and Transfer Pricing Chapter 10	Redwood Forest 10-29,10-30,10-34,10-35
13	April 14	Investment Returns Chapter11	Nifty Products 11-37,11-44,11-54,11-58
14	April 21	Overhead Allocation Issues Chapter 13	Darling Co. 13-B2,13-39,13-46,13-61
15	April 28	Cost Systems	14-B1,14-42,14-43,14-46,
16	May 5	-----	Final Exam