

Department of Agricultural Economics
 For Students Entering Under Catalog 202231 (Fall 2022)
B.S. degree in Agricultural Economics – Food Marketing Systems (FMS)

Name:

UIN#:

Date:

University Core Curriculum <i>https://catalog.tamu.edu/</i>	Major Coursework	Additional Graduation Requirements for All Students: <i>To be met through AGEC requirements or electives</i>
<i>Communications (6 hrs)</i>	<i>AGEC – Food Marketing Systems (44 hrs)</i>	<i>Designated Writing Intensive (2 courses)</i>
ENGL 103 or 104	AGEC 105	AGEC 117 (W)
Core Comm.	AGEC 117 (W)	AGEC 429 (W)
<i>Mathematics (9 hrs)</i>	AGEC 217	<i>International & Cultural Diversity (3 hours)</i>
STAT 303	AGEC 314	ICD
MATH 140	AGEC 315	<i>Cultural Discourse (3 hours)</i>
MATH 142	AGEC 317	CD
<i>Life & Physical Science (9 hrs)</i>	AGEC 330	Foreign Language
Core Sci.	AGEC 340	<i>A minimum of one year (2 semesters) of foreign language is required. This degree requirement can be satisfied by the satisfactory completion in high school of two full years of the same foreign language or one year (2 semesters) of the same language at the college level.</i>
Core Sci.	AGEC 429 (W)	
Core Sci.	AGEC 481	
<i>Language, Philosophy & Culture (3 hrs)</i>	AGEC 452 or 453	
Core LPC	AGEC 447 or 448	
<i>Creative Arts (3 hrs)</i>		
Core Arts	<i>Directed AGEC Electives (9 hrs)</i>	
<i>American History & Political Science (12 hrs)</i>	<i>Any AGEC course not already required of you</i>	
Core Hist.		
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POLS 206		
POLS 207		
General Electives (9 hrs)	AGEC 430 or ECON 311	Limitations
<i>Select from any course not used elsewhere (up to 1 hr of KINE 198-199)</i>	Supporting Coursework	Limitation At least 25 percent of the credit hours required for an undergraduate degree must be earned through instruction offered by Texas A&M University.
	AGLS 101	Limitation No more than 50% of courses required for the degree plan can be taken as Distance Education Courses for non-distance degree programs.
	<i>Technical Ag Elective</i>	Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: CHEM 101/CHEM 111, CHEM 107/CHEM 117, and CHEM 119
	<i>Any College of Ag course not already required of you</i>	Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: GENE 301, GENE 302, GENE 315, and GENE 320.
		Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 131, MATH 142, MATH 147, MATH 151, and MATH 171.
		Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 140, MATH 141, MATH 166 and MATH 168.
Directed Non-AGEC Electives (6 hrs)	ECON 202	Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 148, MATH 152, and MATH 172.
<i>Select from list of Food Marketing Systems directed non-AGEC electives. See next page.</i>	ECON 203	Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 221, MATH 251, and MATH 253.
	ACCT 209	Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: MATH 304, MATH 309, MATH 311, and MATH 323.
	ACCT 210	Limitation Only one of the following will satisfy the requirements for a degree: BUSN 203, STAT 201, STAT 301, STAT 302 and STAT 303. AGEC requires STAT 303, 302, or 301. STAT 201 is not accepted.
	ECON 323	
	120 Total Degree Hours	

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Suggested Semester by Semester Plan

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FRESHMAN YEAR: FALL	HRS
AGEC 105	3
AGLS 101	1
ENGL 103 or 104	3
MATH 140	3
AMERICAN HISTORY	3
TECHNICAL AG ELECTIVE	3
AGEC 101 (FYE)	0
	16

FRESHMAN YEAR: SPRING	HRS
MATH 142	3
AGEC 117 [W]	1
AMERICAN HISTORY	3
LANGUAGE, PHILOSOPHY & CULTURE	3
LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCE	3
CREATIVE ARTS	3
	16

SOPHOMORE YEAR: FALL	HRS
ACCT 209 or 229	3
AGEC 217	3
ECON 202	3
POLS 206 or POLS 207	3
LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCE	3
	15

SOPHOMORE YEAR: SPRING	HRS
ACCT 210 or 230	3
ECON 203	3
POLS 206 or POLS 207	3
COMMUNICATIONS	3
LIFE & PHYSICAL SCIENCE	3
	15

JUNIOR YEAR: FALL	HRS
AGEC 314	3
AGEC 315	3
DIRECTED AGECE ELECTIVE	3
STAT 303	3
DIRECTED NON-AGECE ELECTIVE	3
	15

JUNIOR YEAR: SPRING	HRS
ECON 323	3
AGEC 330	3
AGEC 340	3
AGEC 481	1
DIRECTED AGECE ELECTIVE	3
GENERAL ELECTIVE	3
	16

SENIOR YEAR: FALL	HRS
AGEC 429 [W]	3
AGEC 452 OR AGECE 453	3
AGECE 317	3
DIRECTED AGECE ELECTIVE	3
GENERAL ELECTIVE	3
	15

SENIOR YEAR: SPRING	HRS
AGECE 430/ECON 311	3
AGECE 447 or AGECE 448	3
DIRECTED NON-AGECE ELECTIVE	3
GENERAL ELECTIVE	3
	12

ICD _____

CD _____

Foreign Language _____

**Directed Non-AGEC Electives List
Food Marketing Systems (FMS)**

AGCJ 105	Introduction to Agricultural Communications
AGCJ 305	Theory and Practice of Ag Publishing*
AGCJ 306	Theory & Practice of Agricultural Public Relations*
AGCJ 406	Agricultural Public Relations Methods**
AGSM 301	Systems Analysis in Agriculture*
ANSC 302	Basic Beef Cattle Production*
ANSC 307	Meats*
ANSC 317	Meat Selection, Eval. And Grading (2 hrs.)*
ANSC 337	Meat Merchandising (2 hrs.)*
ANSC 402	Exploring Animal Industries (2 hrs.)
ANSC 437	Marketing and Grading of Livestock and Meats
ANSC 439	Feedlot Risk Management (2 hrs.)
COMM 210	Group Communication and Discussion
COMM 215	Interviewing: Principles and Practice
COMM 250	New Media and Independent Voice
COMM 320	Organizational Communication
COMM 335	Intercultural Communication
COMM 365	International Communication
COMM 450	Media Campaigns
ECON 425	The Organization of Industry*
ECON 426	Economics of Antitrust and Regulation*
ECON 452	International Trade Theory and Policy*
EHRD 372	Training & Development in Human Resource Devel.*
EHRD 405	Principles & Practices of Leadership in HR Devel.
EHRD 408	Globalization and Diversity in the Workplace
EHRD 477	Project Management in Organizations
ENTO 322	Insects and Human Society
ENTO 402	Field-Crop Insects*
FINC 409	Survey of Finance Principles
GEOG 304	Economic Geography
GEOG 330	Resources and the Environment
HORT 319	Fruit and Nut Production*
HORT 325	Vegetable Crop Production
HORT 418	Nut Culture*
HORT 419	Viticulture and Small Fruit Culture*
HORT 420	Concepts in Wine Production*
HORT 421	Enology**
HORT 426	International Floriculture Marketing*
HORT 429	Floriculture Crop Production*
HORT 431	Nursery Production and Management
HORT 451	Retail Floristry*
HORT 452	Floral Design: Weddings and Personal Flowers*
HORT 454	Special Event Design and Production (2 hrs.)
MGMT 105	Introduction to Business
MGMT 209	Business Government and Society
MGMT 309	Survey of Management
MKTG 409	Principles of Marketing
NFSC 201	Food Science
NFSC 202	Fundamentals of Human Nutrition
NFSC 300	Religious and Ethnic Foods
NFSC 307	Meats*
NFSC 311	Principles of Food Processing*
NFSC 326	Food Bacteriology
NFSC 330	Dairy and Food Tech (4 hrs.)
NFSC 331	Dairy and Food Tech. (4 hrs.)*
NFSC 446	Comm. Fruit and Veg. Processing*
NFSC 457	Hazard Analysis and Crit. Control Pt. System*
RPTS 302	Application of Tourism Principles
RPTS 311	Planning and Implementing Events and Programs
RPTS 320	Event Management and Operations I*
RPTS 321	Event management and Operations II*
RPTS 331	Tourism Marketing*
RPTS 401	Tourism and Recreation Enterprises*
RPTS 403	Financing and Marketing RPTS Resources*
SOCI 329	Pacific Rim Business Behavior
SOCI 335	Sociology of Organizations
SPMT 337	International Sport Business

Notes

- Major restrictions and prerequisites for courses may change. Although a course is listed, this does not guarantee that students are able to register. *Students should check to see if there are any prerequisites for the courses listed before registering.*
- Directed AGECElective
 - Any AGECElective course that is not already listed as a required course on a student's degree plan
- Technical Ag Electives
 - Select a class from the following departments in the College of Ag
 - Agricultural Leadership Education & Communications
 - Animal Science
 - Biochemistry & Biophysics
 - Biological & Agricultural Engineering
 - Ecosystem Science & Management
 - Entomology
 - Food Science & Technology
 - Horticultural Sciences
 - Nutrition
 - Plant Pathology & Microbiology
 - Poultry Science
 - Recreation, Park & Tourism Sciences
 - Soil & Crop Science
 - Wildlife & Fisheries Sciences
- Directed Non-AGECElectives
Select from list to the left or visit with your advisor to discuss using minor coursework, internship credit, or study abroad classes for this requirement.
- AGECElective 105 (required major coursework) also meets University Core Curriculum Social and Behavioral Science requirement.

***Prerequisite courses**

****Other Restrictions. Please check with an advisor**