

MA313/MA335 Essay information

Structure

- At the very least, your essay should consist of an introduction and one main section.
- A conclusion is optional but recommended.
- You may wish to divide your essay into further sections.
- Don't attempt to be exhaustive. Instead, choose key points that you find interesting and learn and write about these.
- Your essay should tell a story. Its structure might help you prepare for your presentation (week 12).
- Format: 2–3 pages, single-spacing, justified text, 11–12pts font size

Literature

- You should **cite** all sources that you use.
- Ideally, you should rely on several sources.
- Choose one of the many common citation styles and stick with it.
- Pieces of text that are taken verbatim from sources should be clearly indicated.
- When in doubt, use your own words.
- Wikipedia and similar pages are **not** scientific resources.

Submission

- Submit an electronic copy of your essay (by email to AC and TR) and two hardcopies.
- Your submission will be checked for plagiarism using Turnitin.
- Deadline for submission: **Friday, 22 November** at noon.