Elements of Microeconomics  Spring 2006
180.102                       Bruce W. Hamilton

Texts:  Economics, by N. Gregory Mankiw  2nd or 3rd Edition.  Pages and chapters  are for 3rd (2nd in parentheses).
Economic Efficiency and Markets by Hamilton

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Course grades are determined as follows:
1/4 Midterm           1/4 Section           1/2 Final Exam
The section grade in turn will be made up of the quizzes and class discussion.

1. Scarcity, Cost, and Economic Efficiency
   Mankiw Chs. 1-3 (both eds);                     Hamilton 1&3

2. Introduction to Consumers
   Mankiw Ch. 21 up to p.468 (479);            Hamilton 2

3. Equilibrium:  Production meets Consumption
   Hamilton 4

4. One-Product Firms:  Perfect Competition
   Mankiw Chs. 13, 14 (both eds)   Hamilton 5

5. The Allocation of Time
   Mankiw Ch. 18, pp. 469-473 (480-483)     Hamilton 6

6. The Present vs the Future
   Mankiw pp. 473-475 (483-485)            Hamilton 7 & 8

7. Monopoly
   Mankiw Chs. 15, 16 (both eds)   Hamilton 9

8. Taxation and Public Goods
   Mankiw Chs. 8, 11, 20 (both eds)   Hamilton 10

9. Externalities
   Mankiw Ch 10 (both eds)            Hamilton 11

10. Insurance and Related Problems
    Hamilton 12

Maybe Sometime:  Food Stamps
    no reading

Midterm Date:   Monday,  March 13 in class
Final Exam Date:  Monday, May 15, 9-12