

ECN 375/376 Term papers 2025

Term paper presentations and discussions

In class, room T 330, Friday May 9 at 12:15-15:00 (expected end time).

Presenting group tasks

- Prepare a presentation of 12-15 minutes on the motivation, the main problem statement, and how you are planning to analyze it (= focus on theories and methods you plan to use + their expected contribution to shed light on the problem statement). What are expected results from the analysis.
 - If you already at this stage can identify ways of incorporating both parts of the course topics (environmental economics and natural resource economics) that would be nice.
 - Keep in mind this is a course in economics = limit non-economic details of the problem to 2-3 minutes of your presentation.
- Send a draft manuscript or presentation to the opposition group and me by Wednesday May 7 before 8PM. If you choose only to send a presentation, “a perfect layout” on the presentation not needed. Main purpose of presentation is to provide sufficient background for the commenting group to provide constructive feedback.
- Respond to commenting group’s comments and discussions regarding your presentation.

Commenting group tasks:

- 3-5 minute discussion on the presenting group’s main problem, and the suitability of chosen approach to provide insights (= answers) on the stated problem statement/research questions + other questions/comments you deem helpful for overall learning outcomes.
- Critical but still constructive. Focus on main points.

Comments from other students and Eirik.

Groups and topics

Group	Members	Preliminary (working) title of paper	Time	Comments from
C	Adam, Adeyam, Anne, and Sigurd	Possibilities of managing pollution from runoff water in urban areas – Demonstrated through an example in Ski municipality, Norway	12:20-12:45	Group E
B	Herman, Lars og Per Christian	Payments for Ecosystem Services (PES) and their viability	12:50-13:15	Group F
A	Hindia, Nicole, Teddy, and Yamungu	The role of carbon pricing on reducing greenhouse gas emissions in Norway	13:20-13:45	Group C
-	-	Break	13:45-14:00	-
D	Elise, Jens, and Stephanie	The transition from fossil to renewable energy sources	14:00-14:25	Group A
E	Kristin, Lotte, Synne, and Vilde	Economic impacts from cobalt extraction – land based vs. ocean bottom mining	14:30-14:55	Group B
F	Anja, Foo, Johanne, and Marie	Global Disruptions and Environmental Cooperation: How Recent Political and Economic Events Reshape International Climate Policy	15:00-15:25	Group D

Deadline for final versions term papers: Sunday June 1 @23:59 hrs