

**West Texas A&M University**  
**Advising Services**  
**Degree Checklist**  
**2013-2014**

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ WT ID: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Agribusiness**  
**Department of Agricultural Sciences**  
**ANS 213 651-2550**

<b>CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦</b>		
Specific course(s) required for this major are listed in the next section.	HRS	
<b>Communication (10)</b>		
ENGL 1301 (ENG 101); 1302* (ENG 102) or 2311* (ENG 270)	6	
<b>Communication (11)</b>		
COMM 1315 (SCOM 101, 1315), 1318 (SCOM 103, 1318), or 1321 (SCOM 201, 1321)	3	
<b>Mathematics (20)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
<b>Natural Sciences (30)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(8)	
<b>Humanities (40-41)</b>		
ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311 (110), 2323, 2372 (210); MCOM 1307 (MG 107); PHIL 1301 (101), 2374 (204); SPAN 2312** (207) or SPAN 2315** Choose 1	3	
<b>Visual and Performing Arts (50)</b>		
HUMA 1315 (FA 101); ARTS 1303 (ART 151), ARTS 1304 (ART 152); DANC 2303; MUSI 1306 (MUS 101) or 1208 and 1209*; or THRE 1310 (105) Choose 1	3	
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (60)</b>		
HIST 1301 (201) or 1303; 1302 (202) or 1304; 2301; 2381 Choose 2	6	
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (70)</b>		
POSC 2305 (101) or 2370; 2306 (102)	6	
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (80)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
<b>Institutionally Designated Option (90)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(1-3)	
<b>AGRIBUSINESS MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 93 HOURS</b>		
A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
<b>UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 15 HOURS</b>		
<b>CORE 20</b>		
MATH 1314* or 1324* (115)	3	
<b>CORE 30</b>		
ANSC 1319, 1319L (121, 121L) Principles of Animal Sci.	3	
<b>CORE 30</b>		
PSES 1301, 1301L (216, 216L) Principles of Horticulture OR PSES 1307, 1307L (112, 112L) Principles of Plant Science	3	
<b>CORE 80</b>		
ECON 2301 (ECO 201) Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
<b>CORE 90</b>		
CIDM 1301 (CIS 105, IDM 1301) Intro. to Information Science	3	
<b>DEPARTMENT CORE: 8-10 HOURS</b>		
IDS 1071 (IDS 101) Elementary Group Dynamics NOTE: Take special 1-hour Agriculture section, unless required to take 3-hour course.	1-3	
AGBE 2317*(213) Fundamentals of Agricultural Econ.	3	
AGRI 3318* (318) Agricultural Statistics	3	
AGRI 4103 (403) Senior Seminar	1	
<b>AGRIBUSINESS CORE: 24 HOURS</b>		
ACCT 2301 (ACC 231) Principles of Accounting I	3	
ACCT 2302*(ACC 232) Principles of Accounting II	3	
BUSI 3312* (GBUS 312) Business Law	3	
AGBE 3302* (302) Marketing of Agricultural Products OR MKT 3340 (MKT 340) Principles of Marketing	3	

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AGBE 3304* (304) Agricultural Business Management OR MGT 3330 (MGT 330) Principles of Management	3	
AGBE 4313* (413) Agricultural Finance OR FIN 3320* (FIN 320) Business Finance	3	
<b>Take one course from:</b>		
AGBE 4306* International Agricultural Trade and Markets BUSI 3319* (GBUS 319) International Business MKT 4340* (440) International Marketing ECON 4341* (ECO 411) International Economics ECON 4342* (ECO 442) Economic Development FIN 4323* (423) International Finance	3	
<b>Take one course from:</b>		
AGBE 3301* (301) Farm and Ranch Management AGBE 3302* (302) Marketing of Agricultural Products (if not selected above) AGBE 3304* (304) Agricultural Business Management (if not selected above) AGBE 4306* International Agricultural Trade and Markets (if not selected above) AGBE 4313* (413) Agricultural Finance (if not selected above)	3	
<b>MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 30-31 HOURS</b>		
AGBE 3303* Professional Agricultural Sales and Services	3	
AGBE 3320* (320) Quantitative Analysis in Agricultural and Environmental Economics	3	
AGBE 4301*(401) Advanced Farm and Ranch Mgt.	3	
AGBE 4310* (410) Agriculture Policy and Trade	3	
AGBE 4312* (412) Agricultural Marketing Analysis	3	
AGBE/FIN 4328* (428) Futures and Options	3	
AGBE 4365* (495) Advanced Agribusiness Mgt.	3	
AGBE 4097* (498) Undergraduate Research OR AGBE 4098* (497) Mgt. Training in Agribusiness (internship)	3	
<b>Take one course from:</b>		
ANSC 3340*, 3355* (355), 3374* (374), 3375* (375), 4320* (420), 4321*, 4322*(422), 4324*(424), 4328* (428), 4370* (470)	3	
<b>Take one course from:</b>		
PSES 2313 (IPM 2313, PSES 251), 2411, 2411L (311, 3411), 4302* (402), 4321*	3-4	
<b>ADVANCED ELECTIVES: 8-10 HOURS</b>		
Select courses from AGBE, ACCT, BUSI, CIDM, ECON, FIN, MGT, or MKT as advised by department advisor.		
ADVANCED ELECTIVES	8-10	
ELECTIVES (Any level)	3-6	
<b>TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>	<b>120</b>	

♦ A minimum of 42 hours from the core curriculum is required. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core-curriculum requirements when options are available. Ideally, these courses should be taken during the first two years of enrollment. \* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.  
 \*\* Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in French or German.  
 NOTE: At least 39 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU, and 30 of the final 36 hours counted toward the degree must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of six semester hours in religion (REL) and six semester hours in physical education (PHED) courses can count toward a baccalaureate degree.

**Note: This is NOT a degree plan. After completing 30 hours, students are encouraged to request an official degree plan in the office of the dean of the College of Agriculture, Science and Engineering, located in the Agriculture and Natural Sciences Building, Room 106 (or call 651-2585). Students who have completed 45 hours will not be allowed to progress without requesting a degree plan.**