

# BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (EXECUTIVE)

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## Degree Requirements

### Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.)

Requirements listed here are in addition to Graduate Council policies listed under GCAC-700 Professional Degree Policies (<https://gradschool.psu.edu/graduate-education-policies/>).

The EMBA program consists of two distinct portions:

1. preprogram competency expectations, including accounting, mathematics, and statistics; and
2. a minimum of 40 credits at the 400, 500, or 800 levels, and a minimum of 18 credits at the 500 or 800 level, with at least 6 credits at the 500 level.

Of the minimum 40 credits, 28 credits are required core courses:

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Core Courses</b>		
BA 512	Quantitative Analysis for Managerial Decision Making	2
BA 533	Economics for Managers	2
BA 800	Marketing Management	2
BA 801	Management	2
BA 802	Team Process and Performance	1
BA 804	Ethical Leadership	2
BA 805	Negotiation Theory and Skills	1
BA 810	Supply Chain and Operations Management	2
BA 811	Financial Accounting	2
BA 815	Business Statistics for Contemporary Decision Making	2
BA 817	Communication Skills for Management	2
BA 821	Foundation in Managerial Accounting	2
BA 831	Foundations in Finance	2
BA 832	Global Business Environment	1
BA 835	Global Perspectives	1
<b>Concentration Electives</b>		
Select 12-18 Concentration credits <sup>1</sup>		12-18
<b>Culminating Experience</b>		
BA 571	Strategic Management (Capstone Course) <sup>2</sup>	2
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>40-46</b>

<sup>1</sup> The 12-18 elective credits must be chosen from a list of approved concentration elective courses maintained by the graduate program office. The number of required credits will depend on selection of concentrations.

<sup>2</sup> The culminating experience for the M.B.A. is the capstone course BA 571. This course is designed to bring together the many functional areas previously studied and integrate them into a strategic analysis of the firm.