

# **BACHELOR THESIS ASSIGNMENT**

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Economics and Management

Thesis title

**Influence of COVID-19 on Consumption in the Czech Republic**

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## **Objectives of thesis**

The aim of the bachelor thesis is to determine and to evaluate the impact of COVID-19 on consumers behavior in the Czech Republic.

The aim will be fulfilled based on the partial aims. Then, several hypotheses will be defined and verified. Based on the results of and empirical analysis the final conclusions will be introduced.

## **Methodology**

The bachelor thesis will cover both, theoretical and empirical part. Theoretical part will contain theoretical background of the selected topic as well as the methodological framework. Scientific literature will be used to prepare the literature overview. Based on the empirical analysis the results will be presented and some recommendations will be suggested.

To fulfill the aim of the thesis the selected methods will be employed as following:

- regression analysis (trend function)
- index analysis (base index, chain index)

## The proposed extent of the thesis

30 – 40 pages

## Keywords

Consumer behaviour, consumption, COVID-19, trend function, Czech Republic.

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## Recommended information sources

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