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Students are asked to purchase the following:

(This book has a Study Guide and Workbook which is on Blackboard.)


I. Introduction
   Dunn & Mutti, Ch. 1

II. Comparative Advantage: Trade and Theory
    Dunn & Mutti, Ch. 2
    Oatley, Chs. 18, 1 and 4

III. Factors Determining Patterns of Trade
     Dunn & Mutti, Chs. 3 & 4.
     Vernon, *International Investment and Trade in the Product Cycle*
     Linder, *Causes of Trade in Primary Products and Manufactures*
     Oatley, Chs. 5 and 6

MIDTERM EXAM

IV. Tariffs, Quotas and other Protectionist Measures
    Dunn & Mutti, Chs. 5 and 6
    Grossman and Richardson, *Strategic Trade Policy: A Survey of And Early Analysis*
    Baldwin, *The Political Economy of Postwar U.S. Trade Policy*
    Oatley, Chs 8 and 9

V. Regional Trade Blocs
    Dunn & Mutti, Ch. 7
    Viner, *The Economics of Customs Unions*
    Oatley, Chs. 2 and 3

VI. Trade Issues in Developing Countries
    Dunn & Mutti, Ch. 10
    Oatley, Ch. 7
VII. International Factor Mobility
Dunn & Mutti, Ch. 9

VIII. International Aspects of Public Economics
Dunn & Mutti, Ch. 11

FINAL EXAM

Readings which are not in the books which you have been asked to buy will be found on Blackboard. The Study Guide and Workbook, by Dana Stryk, is also on Blackboard. The course will make more sense if you make an attempt to keep up with current events in the area of international trade. The best publications for this purpose are The Financial Times and The Economist, although The New York Times and The Wall Street Journal also provide strong coverage of international trade topics.