**Module title** | **Abbreviation**
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Old Testament | 01-BA-ThSt-WPF-AT-152-m01

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**Contents**

This module acquaints students seeking specialisation in biblical theology with Old Testament texts and their contexts. Discussion of advanced topics in Bible and literary genres. Discussion and exegetical interpretation of key texts from the Pentateuch, the prophetic books, the psalms, and wisdom literature. The module thus covers a range of topics in Old Testament theology. In addition, it discusses topics in literary studies, the history of religion as well as theology.

**Intended learning outcomes**

At the end of the course, students will have become familiar with key biblical texts and topics in Bible. They will have developed an awareness of the historical development and religious historical context of biblical texts. In addition, students will be able to use exegetical methods to interpret those texts. They will have developed the ability to critically reflect upon topical issues relating to the Bible and take their own well-founded position on them.

**Courses** (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German)

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**Method of assessment** (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)

a) written examination (approx. 90 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) portfolio (3 to 5 assessments, approx. 30 hours total)

**Allocation of places**

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**Additional information**

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**Referred to in LPO I** (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)

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**Module appears in**

Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Theological Studies (Minor, 2015)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Theological Studies (2015)
Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Theological Studies (2015)
Bachelor's degree (2 majors) Theological Studies (2021)
Bachelor's degree (1 major, 1 minor) Theological Studies (2021)