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Covered are the syllabus readings:
Basic Ratemaking by Werner and Modlin
“CAS Statement of Principles Regarding Property and Casualty Insurance Ratemaking”
“ASOP No. 13, Trending Procedures in Property/Casualty Insurance Ratemaking”
Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 12: Risk Classification (for all Practice Areas), American Academy of Actuaries, 2005.

Not covered are the reserving topics on CAS Exam 5 which are covered in:
“Estimating Unpaid Claims Using Basic Techniques,” by Jacqueline F. Friedland,
Statement of Principles Regarding Property and Casualty Unpaid Claim Estimates, Casualty Actuarial Society, November 2014,

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