

# EPIDEMIOLOGY OF PLANT DISEASES

1	Course Title:	EPIDEMIOLOGY OF PLANT DISEASES	
2	Course Code:	BTK3612PDS	
3	Type of Course:	Optional	
4	Level of Course:	First Cycle	
5	Year of Study:	3	
6	Semester:	6	
7	ECTS Credits Allocated:	3.00	
8	Theoretical (hour/week):	2.00	
9	Practice (hour/week):	0.00	
10	Laboratory (hour/week):	0	
11	Prerequisites:	-	
12	Language:	Turkish	
13	Mode of Delivery:	Face to face	
14	Course Coordinator:	Doç.Dr. HİMMET TEZCAN	
15	Course Lecturers:	-	
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17	Website:		
18	Objective of the Course:	The objective of this course is to explain the disease occurrence in plants, and to explain the factors that caused it under what circumstances epidemics may occur.	
19	Contribution of the Course to Professional Development:		
20	Learning Outcomes:		
		1	To have knowledge of the historical development of Plant Diseases' Epidemiology
		2	To further interpret the causes of the epidemic;
		3	To explain the causes of epidemics due to host plant
		4	To explain the causes of epidemics due to pathogen
		5	To explain the causes of epidemics due to environmental conditions
		6	To determine methods for controlling epidemics
		7	To learn the use of chemical and biological control in regulating epidemics
		8	To gain the ability to benefit from forecasting and early warning models
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21	Course Content:		
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Week	Theoretical	Practice	
1	Introduction to plant disease epidemiology		
2	Host factors that affect development of epidemics		

3	Pathogens factors that affect development of epidemics	
4	Environmental factors that affect development of epidemics	
5	Effect of human cultural practices and control measures	
6	Measurement of plant disease	
7	The Structure of epidemics	
8	Development of epidemics	
9	Modeling of plant disease epidemics	
10	Repeating courses and midterm exam	
11	Forecasting plant disease epidemics	
12	Forecasts based on weather conditions favoring development of secondary inoculum	
13	Forecasts based on amounts of initial and secondary inoculum	
14	Farmer-warning systems	

22	Textbooks, References and/or Other Materials:	Zadoks, J.C. and R.D. Schein, 1979. Epidemiology and Plant Disease Management. Oxford University Press.Inc. 427. Agrios, G. N. 1997. Plant Pathology. Academic Press Lim.California.USA. 635 p. Erdiller, G., 1992. Bitki Hastalıkları Epidemiyolojisi. Ankara Üniversitesi. Ziraat Fakültesi
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Activites		Number	Duration (hour)	Total Work Load (hour)
23	Theoretical Assessment	14	2.00	28.00
Practicals/Labs		0	0.00	0.00
Self study and preperation		0	0.00	0.00
Midterm Exam		1	20.00	20.00
Homeworks		1	12.00	12.00
Quiz		0	0.00	0.00
Projects		0	0.00	0.00
Field Studies		0	0.00	0.00
Final Exam		1	20.00	20.00
Midterm exams		1	20.00	20.00
Others		0	0.00	0.00
Contribution of Term (Year) Learning Activities to Final Exams		40.00	30.00	30.00
Total Work Load				90.00
Contribution of Final Exam to Success Grade		30.00		3.00
Total work load/ 30 hr		40.00		
ECTS Credit of the Course				3.00

Measurement and Evaluation Techniques Used in the Course		
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24	ECTS / WORK LOAD TABLE
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25	CONTRIBUTION OF LEARNING OUTCOMES TO PROGRAMME QUALIFICATIONS															
	PQ1	PQ2	PQ3	PQ4	PQ5	PQ6	PQ7	PQ8	PQ9	PQ10	PQ11	PQ12	PQ13	PQ14	PQ15	PQ16
LO: Learning Objectives PQ: Program Qualifications																
Contrib ution Level:	1 very low			2 low			3 Medium			4 High			5 Very High			