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Kurdistan Regional Government Salahaddin University College of Agriculture Engineering Science Department of Plant protections Subject: Field Crop Diseases/year 4 Lecturer's name: Dr Tahsein A. M. Amein Academic Year: 2022 - 2023

Course Book

1. Course name	Field Crop Diseases	
2. Lecturer in charge	Dr Tahsein A.M.Amein	
3. Department/ College	Plant protection/ College of Agriculture Engineering Science	
4. Contact	e-mail: tahsin.mohammad@su.edu.krd	
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Time (in hours) per week	2	
6. Office hours	Sunday (9 - 12) and Tuesday (9 - 12)	
7. Course code		
8. Teacher's academic profile	Education and Academic degrees:	
	1988 – Ph D Plant Pathology, University of Agriculture, Poznan, Poland. 1984 – M Sc Plant Pathology, University of Agriculture, Poznan, Poland. 1981 – B Sc Plant Pathology, University of Agriculture, Alexandria, Egypt. Title of Ph D thesis:	
	" Etiology and ecology of root and stem base diseases of wheat"	
	M Sc project:	
	Susceptibility of two seed- potatoes varieties on bacteria Erwinia	
	carotovora ssp atroseptica infection and occurrence of other diseases.	
	 Employment / Working experiences: Undergraduate teaching in Poland and in Sweden (Plant Pathology). Responsible for postgraduate courses (Plant Pathology). (Sweden) - M Sc students in Sweden and Kurdistan. Projects leader and researcher. International collaboration experience 	
	 Working with a European Union (EU) project, were Universities from five EU – country members were involved in this project; Germany, Italy, Netherlands, England and Sweden besides of some seed companies. Teacher exchange (collaboration programs). October 2012 – Present. Salahaddin University, College of Agriculture, Plant Protection Department. Sep. 2009 – Oct. 2012. Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU), Department of Plant Biology & Forest Genetics. July 2003 – Sep. 2006. Goteborg's University. Department of Cell and Molecular Biology. Feb. 2004 – Dec. 2005. The Mase laboratories (MASE – Microbial Activity for a Sound Environment). Oct. 1991 – June 2003. Linked (with some exclusion for different periods) to Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (SLU), Plant Pathology and Biocontrol Unit. 	

	- Sep.1997 - March 1998. Product development manager at Bio Agri	
	AB. Research Company, Sweden.	
	- June - July1990. Field assistant at Hushållningssällskapet. (Farmer's	
	local organization). Borås. Sweden.	
	- Oct. 1984 – June 1988. University of Agriculture, Poznan, Poland.	
9. Keywords	Field crop diseases, cereal diseases, rusts, smuts, powdery mildew,	
	fusarium, rice, corn diseases, pea diseases, diseases symptoms and	
	sings.	

10. Course overview:

Field crops are a daily food and the key source of nutrition for millions of poor people's around the world. Heavily annual losses are caused by plant pathogens that attack these crops wherever they are grown. Control programs request studying these pathogens and depending upon symptoms appearance and microscopic features, disease cycles and their developments, the disease diagnoses of the causals are possible.

11. Course objective:

Recognition of the disease, and understanding of the pathogen(s) responsible, is the first step in successful disease control. As a result of this course, the student will learn the importance of field crop diseases. Get knowledge about many worldwide important diseases, particularly the most common cereal crops grown under local conditions. Description of the disease, including the causal agent, symptoms, environmental conditions favorable for the disease development and provide a good control working knowledge.

12. Student's obligation:

Should be prepared for 10 min quizze in the begging of each lecture for the previous lecture's content. Collect diseased plants samples and identify in the lab. Write a report about a plant disease.

13. Forms of teaching

Teaching methods are, using data show, power point, white board, giving hand note, video reports.

14. Assessment scheme Grade distribution of 15

Test	Mark 15	
Exam	10	
Quiz	2	
Report	3	
Total	15	

Final examination out of (50%)

Monthly exam	Mark%
Theoretical exam	50

15. Student learning outcome:

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16. Course Reading List and References:		
Main reference	Useful references	Magazines and review (Internet)
1. Agrios , G.N. (2005) . Plant Pathology . 5th ed . Academic press		Plant Pathology Articles and reviews
. p.952		
2. Fungi and Fungus – like Organisms The American Phytopathology		
Society. 2010 (internet)		
3. Handbook of Pea Diseases. D.J		
Hagedorn, 1991(internet)		
4. Wheat rusts. AN ATLAS OF RESISTANCE GENES.		
©CSIRO Australia 1995.		
5. Rice disease identification. Department of Plant Pathology and		
Crop Physiology, Baton Rouge LA.		
(internet)		
17. The Topics:		Lecturer's name
In this section the lecturer shall write titles of all to give during the term. This also includes a brie objectives of each topic, date and time of the lect Each term should include not less than 16 weeks	f description of the ture	
Subjects:	Week	Dr Tahsein A. M. Amein
- Cereal diseases		
- The Rusts	1-2	
• Stem rust		
• Yellow or stripe rust		
• Leaf or brown rust		
- The Smuts	3	
• Loose smut of wheat and barley		
• Common bunt (Stinking smut) of whe	eat	
• Flag smut of wheat		

-	Powdery mildew	4 - 5	
-	Fusarium complex		
-	Spot blotch (Foot Rot)		
-	Septoria		
-	Net blotch		
-	Wheat streak mosaic virus (WSMV)		
-	Barley yellow dwarf virus (BYDV)		
-	Root Lesion Nematodes		
-	Exam	6	
	Rice diseases	7	
•	Rice blast		
•	Seedling blight (different fungi)		
•	Brown spot		
•	Sheath blight		
	Corn diseases	8 - 9	
•	Common smut		
•	Head smut		
•	Southern corn leaf blight		
•	Common corn rust		
•	Fusarium kernel or ear rot		
•	Stewart's bacterial disease		
	- Cotton diseases	10 - 11	
•	Verticillium wilt		
•	Root rot		
•	Fusarium wilt		
•	Pythium damping off		
•	Bacterial blight		
	- Pea diseases	12 -13	
•	Bacterial blight		
•	Ascochyta		
•	Powdery mildew		
•	Damping off		
•	Stem and root rot		
•	Fusarium wilt		

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• Seedborne m	osic virus		
- Sovbea	n diseases	14 - 15	
-		14 - 15	
• 1	a root and stem rot		
• Rhizoctonia	root rot		
Septoria brov	wn spot		
• Downy mild	ew		
Powdery mil	dew		
• Cyst nemato	de		
• Bacterial blig	ght		
• Soybean Mo	saic Virus		
18. Practical To	pics (If there is any	()	
	ection: Visiting differen		
	ples to identify in the lap	2	
19. Examination	ns:		
1- Define the f	ollowing?		
	e live cycle of		
	differences between?		
-	tant this disease?		
	eientific name of?		
6- Which envir	conment condition favou	ir uns disease?	
20. Extra notes	•		
		of the materials presented in lectures and in laboratories.	
	quizze at the beginning	-	
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21. Peer review		پيداچوونهوهی هاوه ل	
		gned by a peer. The peer approves the contents of your cour	se book
	ences in this section.	los about the subject you are to this but the bar of the	-f
		lge about the subject you are teaching, he/she has to be a pro	<i>yessor</i> ,
		in the field of your subject).	

ئەم كۆرسبووكە دەبىت لەلايەن ھاوەڵىككى ئەكادىميەرە سەير بكرىت و ناوەرۆكى بابەتەكانى كۆرسەكە پەسەند بكات و جەند ووشەيەك بنووسىت لەسەر شياوى ناوەرۆكى كۆرسەكە و واژووى لەسەر بكات. ھاوەڵ ئەو كەسەيە كە زانيارى ھەبىت لەسەر كۆرسەكە و دەبىت پامەر زانسىتى لەمامۆستا كەمتر نەبىت.



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Course Book

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2. Lecturer in charge	Nask Sherzad Salh	
3. Department/ College	Plant protection/ College of Agriculture Engineering Science	
4. Contact	e-mail: nask.salh@su.edu.krd .	
	Tel: 009647507176155	
Time (in hours) per week	3	
6. Office hours	(8:30-11:30) (11:30-2:30)	
7. Course code		
8. Teacher's academic profile	Education and Academic degrees:	
	Born on:30 June 1986 Baghdad/ Iraq *B.Sc. Agriculture Plant Protection, University of Salahaddin-Erbil, 2008-2009)	
	*M.Sc. Plant Pathology/Plant Protection, University of Salahaddin-Erbil, 2015	
	Work History:	
	In plant protection.3rd of the 10th BSc degree , started working as an academic staff (teaching assistant),getting MSc. Degree In plant pathology in 2015 and working as an assistant lecture in department until now.	
	As an Assistant Lecturer, I was teaching:	
	 Principles of plant pathology for 1st stage students. 2016-2017 Postharvest Diseases for 3rd stage students. 2016-2017 Microbiology for 2nd stage students. 2019-2020 Field crop diseases for 4th stage 2019-2020 Field crop dis. For 4th stage 2021-2022 All in plant pathology department 	
9. Keywords	Field crop diseases, cereal diseases, rust, smuts, powdery mildew, fusarium, rice, corn diseases, pea diseases, diseases symptoms and, sings	

10. Course overview:

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11. Course objective:

Recognition of the disease, and understanding of the pathogen(s) responsible, is the first step in successful disease control. As a result of this course, the student will learn the importance of field crop diseases.

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Get knowledge about many worldwide important diseases, particularly the most common cereal crops grown under local conditions. Description of the disease, including the causal agent, symptoms, environmental conditions favorable for the disease development and provide a good control working knowledge.

12. Student's obligation:

Should be prepared for 10 min quizze in the begging of each lecture for the previous lecture's content. Collect diseased plants samples and identify in the lab. Write a report about a plant disease.

13. Forms of teaching

The lecturer will use data show by preparing PowerPoint presentations in which outlines of each lecture will be shown however the details of the lecture will be narrated by the lecturer herself. In some cases, samples will be shown to students to have a close and real idea on the subject. Work in laboratory.

14. Assessment scheme

Grade distribution of 35

Test	Mark 15
Exam (1& 2)	20
Quiz	10
Report	5
Total	35

15. Student learning outcome:

As a result of this course, the student will learn the importance of field crop diseases. Get knowledge about many worldwide important diseases, particularly the most common cereal crops grown under local conditions. Description of the disease, including the causal agent, symptoms, environmental conditions favorable for the disease development and provide a good control working knowledge.

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	Crop Physiology, Baton Rouge LA. (internet)		

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Subjects:	Week	Nask Sherzad Salh
- Introduction	1	
- Cereal diseases		
- The Rusts	2	
• Stem rust		
• Yellow or stripe rust		
• Leaf or brown rust		
- The Smuts	3	
• Loose smut of wheat and barley		
• Common bunt (Stinking smut) of wheat		
• Flag smut of wheat		
- Powdery mildew	4 - 5	
- Fusarium complex		
- Spot blotch		
- Septoria		
- Net blotch		
- Wheat streak mosaic virus (WSMV)		
- Barley yellow dwarf virus (BYDV)		
- Root Lesion Nematodes	<i>(</i>	
- Exam 1	6 7	
Rice diseases	7	
Rice blast		
• Seedling blight (different fungi)		
Brown spot		
• Sheath blight		
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Corn diseases	8 - 9	
Common smut		
• Head smut		
• Southern corn leaf blight		
Common corn rust		
• Fusarium kernel or ear rot		
• Stewart's bacterial disease		
Exam 2	10	
- Cotton diseases	11 - 12	
 Verticillium wilt 	11 12	
Root rot		
 Fusarium wilt 		
 Pythium damping off 		
 Bacterial blight 		
Zueteria englie		
- Pea diseases	13 -14	
• Bacterial blight		
• Ascochyta		
• Powdery mildew		
• Damping off		
• Stem and root rot		
• Fusarium wilt		
• Seedborne mosic virus		
18. Practical Topics (If there is any)		
Plant Disease Collection: Visiting different field		
diseased plant samples to identify in the lap. (P	ractical lect.).	
19. Examinations:		
1. Definitions		
 Write the scientific name of? What are the differences between: 		
20. Extra notes:	o motoriolo anogorita d	in Johonatonias
- Quizzes: All quizzes require integration of the 10 min. quizze at the beginning of e	-	in laboratories.

21. Peer review

پيداچوونەوەى ھاوەڵ

This course book has to be reviewed and signed by a peer. The peer approves the contents of your course book by writing few sentences in this section.

(A peer is person who has enough knowledge about the subject you are teaching, he/she has to be a professor, assistant professor, a lecturer or an expert in the field of your subject).

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