



## AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

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|--------------------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|------------|---|
| Course Title                                     |   | Plant Physiology                                                                                                                                                                                    |            |                                                                                  |   |                                  |   |            |   |
| Course Code                                      |   | OT130                                                                                                                                                                                               |            | Couse Level                                                                      |   | Short Cycle (Associate's Degree) |   |            |   |
| ECTS Credit                                      | 3 | Workload                                                                                                                                                                                            | 75 (Hours) | Theory                                                                           | 2 | Practice                         | 0 | Laboratory | 0 |
| Objectives of the Course                         |   | Some of the basic metabolic events that occur in plants under normal conditions,. To understand the metabolic changes that occur in plants and plants under stress growth, development and movement |            |                                                                                  |   |                                  |   |            |   |
| Course Content                                   |   | Plant physiology and related concepts, Diffusion, osmosis, Inflatable events Water loss (transpiration) Plant-soil relationships, and photosynthesis.                                               |            |                                                                                  |   |                                  |   |            |   |
| Work Placement                                   |   | N/A                                                                                                                                                                                                 |            |                                                                                  |   |                                  |   |            |   |
| Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods |   |                                                                                                                                                                                                     |            | Explanation (Presentation), Experiment, Discussion, Case Study, Individual Study |   |                                  |   |            |   |
| Name of Lecturer(s)                              |   |                                                                                                                                                                                                     |            |                                                                                  |   |                                  |   |            |   |

### Assessment Methods and Criteria

| Method              | Quantity | Percentage (%) |
|---------------------|----------|----------------|
| Midterm Examination | 1        | 40             |
| Final Examination   | 1        | 70             |

### Recommended or Required Reading

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| 1 | Plant Physiology, (Prof. Dr. Suna Bozcuk)      |
| 2 | Plant Physiology, Prof. Dr. Burhan Kacar, 1989 |
| 3 | Taiz, L. ve Zeiger, E. 1991. Plant Physiology  |

| Week | Weekly Detailed Course Contents |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1    | Theoretical                     | Plant physiology and agriculture, portions of plant physiology, plant structure of compound.                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 2    | Theoretical                     | Plant seeds, germination and germination recession (dormancy).                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 3    | Theoretical                     | Diffusion, osmosis and swelling of the events, Factors affecting the value of the osmotic pressure and the pressure in plant cells.                                                                                                                                                  |
| 4    | Theoretical                     | Plant water loss (Taranspirasyon) Factors affecting transpiration, Liquid water loss in plants.                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 5    | Theoretical                     | Plant-soil-water relations, Root types and systems, Environmental factors that affect water the intake of, The water absorption of leaves.                                                                                                                                           |
| 6    | Theoretical                     | Plants in nutrient elements intake, Absorption mechanisms, Membrane tarnsportu and types, Roles they play in the life of the plant nutrient elements (general and specific roles).                                                                                                   |
| 7    | Theoretical                     | Photosynthesis; History relevant to the understanding of photosynthesis, Light energy, which play a role in photosynthesis pigments, chloroplasts, The role of other compounds, The mechanism of photosynthesis fotofosforilizasyon.                                                 |
| 8    | Preparation Work                | Repetition of the topics covered, exam preparation.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|      | Intermediate Exam               | Mid-term exam.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 9    | Theoretical                     | Photosynthesis; ATP synthesis mechanism, Dark reactions and CO2 Reduction, Calvin cycle, energy balance, Leaf anatomy of C3 and C4 plants, The importance of adaptation to the mechanisms of photosynthesis, the factors affecting photosynthesis (Environmental and plant factors). |
| 10   | Theoretical                     | Chemosynthesis; Chemosynthesis bacteria, nitrate and nitrite, Sulfur, iron, hydrogen, and methane bacteria, chemosynthesis.                                                                                                                                                          |
| 11   | Theoretical                     | Nitrogen metabolism, The importance of nitrogen, Nitrogen compounds useful for plants, Atmospheric nitrogen utilization and nitrogen cycle in nature, Nitrate reduction, amino acids, amino acid synthesis.                                                                          |
| 12   | Theoretical                     | Protein synthesis, classification of proteins and nucleic acids.                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 13   | Theoretical                     | Respiratory coefficient, Aerobic respiration mechanism, Pentaz phosphate pathway (PPP), Anaerobic respiration (fermentation), and the kinds of fermentation.                                                                                                                         |
| 14   | Theoretical                     | Factors affecting respiration (plant and environmental factors).                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 15   | Theoretical                     | General review.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |



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| 16 | Final Exam | Final exam. |
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**Workload Calculation**

| Activity                              | Quantity | Preparation | Duration | Total Workload |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-------------|----------|----------------|
| Lecture - Theory                      | 14       | 0           | 2        | 28             |
| Assignment                            | 5        | 0           | 2        | 10             |
| Individual Work                       | 6        | 2           | 1        | 18             |
| Midterm Examination                   | 1        | 8           | 1        | 9              |
| Final Examination                     | 1        | 9           | 1        | 10             |
| Total Workload (Hours)                |          |             |          | 75             |
| [Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS |          |             |          | 3              |

\*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS

**Learning Outcomes**

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| 1 | To be able to comprehend plant physiology and general concepts, uptake of water and mineral substances and effective examination of some of the physical rules and principles, |
| 2 | To be able to comprehend transport of minerals and organic compounds in water.                                                                                                 |
| 3 | To be able to comprehend Photosynthesis and respiration.                                                                                                                       |
| 4 | To be able to comprehend growth and development, external and internal factors affecting growth and development.                                                               |
| 5 | To be able to comprehend some important physiological events on growth and development.                                                                                        |
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**Programme Outcomes (Olive Cultivation and Olive Processing Technology)**

|    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| 1  | To be able to identify olive, soil and water and to having knowledge these                                                                                                                                                          |
| 2  | To be able to comprehend knowledge botany and fruit growing                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 3  | To be able to comprehend table olive technology and to apply                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 4  | To be able to comprehend knowledge basic biochemistry and olive oil chemistry and to have olive oil with modern and traditional systems, to have knowledge olive oil refinery, basic process and to have apply olive oil extraction |
| 5  | To be able to preserve olive and olive products in appropriate condition                                                                                                                                                            |
| 6  | To be able to comprehend growing olive plant with necessary agricultural methods and to have general maintenance of olive tree                                                                                                      |
| 7  | To be able to evaluate olive by-products                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 8  | To be able to comprehend knowledge about vegetable genetic                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 9  | To be able to comprehend knowledge occupational safety and have apply first aid                                                                                                                                                     |
| 10 | To be able to apply necessary laboratory analysis in olive and olive products production                                                                                                                                            |
| 11 | To be able to apply hygiene and sanitation rules in factory                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 12 | To be able to comprehend knowledge of professional ethics and responsibility                                                                                                                                                        |
| 13 | To be able to comprehend knowledge marketing of olive products and to have olive management                                                                                                                                         |
| 14 | To be able to communicate verbally and literally                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 15 | To be able to comprehend planning olive growing and production area                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 16 | To be able to comprehend knowledge vegetable ecology and protection of environment                                                                                                                                                  |

**Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Programme Outcomes 1:Very Low, 2:Low, 3:Medium, 4:High, 5:Very High**

|     | L1 | L2 | L3 | L4 | L5 |
|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| P1  | 3  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  |
| P2  | 5  | 5  | 5  |    |    |
| P6  |    |    |    | 4  | 4  |
| P8  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  | 4  |
| P10 | 3  |    | 3  | 3  | 3  |
| P15 |    | 3  |    | 4  | 4  |
| P16 |    |    | 4  | 5  | 5  |

