



AYDIN ADNAN MENDERES UNIVERSITY COURSE INFORMATION FORM

Course Title		Sexual Cycles in Domestic Animals							
Course Code		VST503		Couse Level		Second Cycle (Master's Degree)			
ECTS Credit	5	Workload	125 (<i>Hours</i>)	Theory	2	Practice	0	Laboratory	0
Objectives of the Course		To give information about endocrine mechanism of reproduction, sexual cycles and control of cycle							
Course Content		Endocrine mechanism of reproduction and sexual cycles							
Work Placement		N/A							
Planned Learning Activities and Teaching Methods				Explanation (Presentation), Individual Study					
Name of Lecturer(s)		Lec. Uğur UÇAN, Prof. İker SERİN							

Assessment Methods and Criteria

Method	Quantity	Percentage (%)
Midterm Examination	1	40
Final Examination	1	60

Recommended or Required Reading

1	Alaçam E.: Evcil Hayvanlarda Reprodüksiyon, Suni Tohumlama, Doğum ve İnfertilite. First Edition, Konya, 1994.
2	Hafez E.S E., Hafez B. (2000) Reproduction in Farm Animals. Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Philadelphia
3	Pineda M. H., Dooley M. P. (2003) McDonald's Veterinary Endocrinology and Reproduction, Iowa State Press, New York
4	Feldman E. C., Nelson R. W. (2004) Canine and Feline Endocrinology and Reproduction. Saunders, St. Louis

Week	Weekly Detailed Course Contents	
1	Theoretical	Description and endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle
2	Theoretical	Sexual cycle in cows
3	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in cows
4	Theoretical	Sexual cycle in ewes
5	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in ewes
6	Theoretical	Sexual cycle in goats
7	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in goats
8	Intermediate Exam	Midterm exam
9	Theoretical	Sexual cycle in mares
10	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in mares
11	Theoretical	Sexual cycle in bitches
12	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in bitches
13	Theoretical	Sexual cycle in cats
14	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in cats
15	Theoretical	Endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle in farm animals
16	Final Exam	Final term exam

Workload Calculation

Activity	Quantity	Preparation	Duration	Total Workload
Lecture - Theory	14	0	2	28
Reading	14	0	3	42
Midterm Examination	1	23	1	24
Final Examination	1	30	1	31
Total Workload (Hours)				125
[Total Workload (Hours) / 25*] = ECTS				5

*25 hour workload is accepted as 1 ECTS



Learning Outcomes

1	to be able to analyze sexual cycle
2	to be able to comprehend endocrine mechanism of sexual cycle
3	to be able to locate the differences between sexual cycles of different species
4	to be able to use administration of reproductive hormones to control sexual cycles
5	Factors affecting sexual cycles

Programme Outcomes (*Reproduction and Artificial Insemination (Veterinary Medicine) Master*)

1	To get knowledge about Reproduction and Artificial Insemination with theoretical lessons and practise
2	To get knowledge about reproductive systems of animals, reproductive organs and functions of these organs
3	To get knowledge about reproductive physiology of male and female animals, reproductive endocrinology, synchronisations and reproductive health
4	To get experience about diagnosis of oestrus, proper insemination time and method
5	To get experience to join reproductive scientific research, to follow scientific advances own field. To transfer all these experiences and knowledge to students and society
6	To gain ability to reach scientific references, to plan an experiment, study this experiment, evaluation of experimental results and compare this result similar experimental result
7	To get experience about cryopreservation and short term storage of sperm, examination of sperm
8	To get knowledge about reproductive biotechnology (artificial insemination, in-vitro fertilisation, freezing of sperm and embryo, embryo transfer, laparoscopic insemination). To Contribute and advance to science
9	To get knowledge about infertility, diagnosis of infertility, treatment of infertility in domestic animals especially commercial farms

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

	L1	L2	L3	L4
P1	4	5	5	5
P2	3	4	3	3
P3	5	4	4	5
P4	4	3	5	5
P5	4	3	3	3
P6	3	4	2	3
P8	4	3		3
P9	5	5	5	5

