1. Ecology of Plant Pests and Diseases

Obligatory	Ecology of Plant Pests and Diseases	PNH
module or		3115
Selective		
module		
Semester	V	
Module Level	Undergraduate	
Module	Dr. Ir. Arif Wibowo, M.Agr.Sc	
Coordinator		
Lecturer(s)	Dr. Ir. Arif Wibowo, M.Agr.Sc	
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Type of Module	1 hour and 40 minutes lecture	
	Practical	
Status:	C (compulsory courses)	
Exam	Written and presentation	
Number of	64	
participants		
Credit Points:	2/1 (5.02 ECTS)	
Description:	Pest Ecology and Plant Disease are compulsory courses	of study
-	programs. This lecture discusses the concept of triangle destroye	er plants,
	macro and micro environments that affect the life and developmen	t of pests
	and plant pathogens. Interaction between bodies in the envi	ronment.
	Population dynamics of pests and pathogens and their observatio	ns. To be
	more easily understood by students taken a variety of cases of pests and	
	diseases that are developing during the lecture period.	
	This course practicum describes theoretical lecture material into	practical
	forms, which include environmental influences on the develop	oment of
	causes of disease and the breeding of plant pests in the laborate	ry scope
	and followed by biotic and abiotic environmental influences	on the
	development of diseases and the spread of plant pests.	
Academic goal	After completing the lecture, students can understand the role of e	•
(competency):	the development of pests and plant diseases and are able to dev	
	and plant disease control tactics based on ecological principles.	
	can understand the role of weather factors, especially relative hun	-
	rainfall, temperature on the development of disease and pest ca	
	the occurrence of attack explosion. By conducting practicum of the	
	students are able to conduct experiments involving the influence of	-
	and temperature on the release of pathogenic fungal spores,	
	development in various conditions, the spread of insects unde	
	conditions and the level of pest and disease attacks in various con	nditions.
Course outcome	s:	

Students are excepted able to explain:

- a. understanding biotic and abiotic environment
- b. the environment as predisposition and environment as disease agent or pathogen
- c. disease triangle, disease square, disease pyramid and destroy triangle
- d. environmental role toward pathogen development
- e. environmental role toward pest and disease development
- f. utilization of environmental factor toward pest and disease pressing

Contents:

The understanding about ecology, and level of ecological organization, triangle concept, macro and micro-environment that influence in life and the development of plant pest and disease, dynamic of plant pathogen population, co-evolution and the dynamic of prey and predator population, growth and pest population dynamics, the population in pesticide pressure, ecology of plant pest and disease biological control, inter and intraspecific competition, diversity and stability, crop management ecology.

Which previous course required? Plant Protection, Phytopathology, Agricultural Entomology, Agricultural Nematology, etc.

Literature:

- 1. Price. P.W. 1975. Insect Ecology
- 2 Semangun, H. 2000. Pengantar Ilmu Penyakit Tumbuhan
- 3. van der Plank. 1984. Plant Diseases Epidemiology.
- 4. Journal Economic Entomology Journal Environment Entomology

Material provided: whiteboard, LCD, laptop

Requirements for exam: assignment, 75% attendance

Teaching Student Center Learning Lectures, Discussion, Assignments

Workload (hrs).

1. Theoretical of course: 15 times x 50 minutes

Lab work: 10 times x 50 minutes
Home studies: 10 x 50 minutes