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# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2019

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## Pasture science 213 (WDE 213)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Veterinary Science</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	12.00
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BVSc</a>
<b>Service modules</b>	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
<b>Prerequisites</b>	No prerequisites.
<b>Contact time</b>	2 blocks with a total of 60 lectures
<b>Language of tuition</b>	Module is presented in English
<b>Department</b>	Department of Plant and Soil Sciences
<b>Period of presentation</b>	Semester 1

### Module content

Basic principles of pasture science: the influence of biotic and abiotic factors on the productivity of different strata and components of natural and planted pastures. This will enable the student to understand the management, production, appropriate and optimal utilisation as well as the conservation of these pastures. These principles can be used to ensure sustainable animal production and health.

One large assignment to be completed during recess in addition to lecture time.

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