

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2022

## General plant pathology 351 (PLG 351)

<b>Qualification</b>	Undergraduate
<b>Faculty</b>	<a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>
<b>Module credits</b>	18.00
<b>NQF Level</b>	07
<b>Programmes</b>	<a href="#">BSc (Biotechnology)</a> <a href="#">BSc (Genetics)</a> <a href="#">BSc (Microbiology)</a> <a href="#">BSc (Plant Science)</a> <a href="#">BScAgric (Plant Pathology)</a>
<b>Prerequisites</b>	MBY 161 and PLG 262
<b>Contact time</b>	1 practical per week, 2 lectures per week
<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

Principles and examples of plant diseases and their socio-economic importance particularly in the context of Africa and South Africa. Pathogens causing disease of seeds, seedlings, foliage, roots, stems, grains and fruit. Diagnosis, symptom expression and selected disease cycle examples caused by fungi, bacteria, viruses and nematodes.

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