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Poultry nutrition and production 420 (PVK 420)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	18.00
Programmes	BScAgric Animal Science
Prerequisites	VGE 320 and VKU 250
Contact time	1 practical per week, 4 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Afrikaans and English are used in one class
Department	Animal and Wildlife Sciences
Period of presentation	Semester 1

Module content

Specialised nutrition of poultry in different physiological stages and production systems. Industrial science and management of production systems and feeding systems in poultry production units. Applied breeding of poultry. Design and utilisation of equipment and housing facilities. Product quality and marketing of poultry products. Hygiene and health programmes. Practical work: The use of computer systems in feeding management of poultry in different production systems. Management of different poultry production systems.

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