

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2025

## Vegetable crops 410 (AGR 410)

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| <b>Qualification</b>          | Undergraduate   |
| <b>Faculty</b>                | <a href="#">Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences</a>  |
| <b>Module credits</b>         | 15.00   |
| <b>NQF Level</b>              | 08  |
| <b>Programmes</b>             | <a href="#">BScAgric in Applied Plant and Soil Sciences</a><br><a href="#">BScAgric in Applied Plant and Soil Sciences 5-year programme</a> |
| <b>Prerequisites</b>          | BME 410#, HSC 490#, LKM 450#, PGW 400# and WDE 450#. Final year students only.  |
| <b>Contact time</b>           | fortnightly practicals, 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

Integration of agronomic, pedological, botanical, economic and management considerations in crop production systems with a view to sustainable maximum economic yield. The importance of vegetables in Sustainable Development Goals 1 (poverty), 2 (food), 3 (health), 4 (education), and 12 (reduced wastage) will be highlighted in case studies of specific vegetable crops. Practical will consist out of a trial on the experimental farm and a visit to the Tshwane fresh produce market.

### General Academic Regulations and Student Rules

The [General Academic Regulations \(G Regulations\)](#) and [General Student Rules](#) apply to all faculties and registered students of the University, as well as all prospective students who have accepted an offer of a place at the University of Pretoria. On registering for a programme, the student bears the responsibility of ensuring that they familiarise themselves with the General Academic Regulations applicable to their registration, as well as the relevant faculty-specific and programme-specific regulations and information as stipulated in the relevant yearbook. Ignorance concerning these regulations will not be accepted as an excuse for any transgression, or basis for an exception to any of the aforementioned regulations. The G Regulations are updated annually and may be amended after the publication of this information.

### Regulations, degree requirements and information

The faculty regulations, information on and requirements for the degrees published here are subject to change and may be amended after the publication of this information.

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