Course Unit Descriptor

Study Programme: Veterinary medicine

Course Unit Title: Parasitology

Course Unit Code: 3IVM4018

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Type and Level of Studies: IAS

Course Status (compulsory/elective): compulsory

Semester (winter/summer): summer

Language of instruction: English

Mode of course unit delivery (face-to-face/distance learning): face to face

Number of ECTS Allocated: 4

Prerequisites: None

Course Aims:

Acquiring theoretical and practical knowledge or skills in veterinary parasitology. The subject includes taxonomy, morphology and the life cycle of the most important genera and species of parasites of veterinary importance.

Learning Outcomes:

Acquired knowledge and skills enable more effective learning of the subject like Parasitic Disease, Laboratory Techniques in Parasitology and Tropical Diseases of Animals.

Syllabus:

Theory History of parasitology,, Protozoa, Rizopodea, Flagellata, Apicomplexa, Eimeria, Isospora, Toxoplasma gondii, Neospora caninum, Cryptosporidium, Sarcocystis, Blood and tissue coccidias, Trematoda class, Fasciola, Dicrocelium, Paraphistomum, Alaria alata, Opistorchis felineus, Bird trematode, Shistosoma, Billharziella, Cestoda Class, Diphyllobotrium, Tenidae, Mesocostides, Dipylidium, Anoplocephalidae, Hymenolepidiodae, Nematode Class, Strongyloides, Strongylus, Chabertia, Oesophagostomum, Syngamus, Ancylostoma, Uncinaria, Trichostrongylus, Haemonchus, Ostertagia, Cooperia, Nematodirus, Dictyocaulus, Metastrongylus, Protostrongylus, Angyostrongylus, Aelurostrongylus, Crenosoma, Habronema, Dirofilaria, Thelazia, Oxyuris, Ascarididae, Arthropoda, Insects.

Practice

Parasitology methods of cytological examination, diagnostics of whole parasites and developmental forms: Protozoa, Trematoda, Cestoda, Nematoda and Arthropoda

Required Reading:

1. Georgis' Parasitology for Veterinarians, 10th Edition, By Dwight D. Bowman, 2014.

Weekly Contact Hours:2+2 Lectures:2 Practical work:2

Teaching Methods:

Lectures – oral, textual and illustrative / demonstrative methods.

Practical classes - management of students individual work and demonstrative / illustrative methods

Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):

Pre-exam obligations	points	Final exam	points
Active class participation	5	written exam	30
Practical work	5	oral exam	60
Preliminary exam(s)			
Seminar(s)			

The methods of knowledge assessment may differ; the table presents only some of the options: written exam, oral exam, project presentation, seminars, etc.