

Organic vegetable growing (Organic Horticulture Master Science; 1-st academic year, 1-st semester)

Credit value (ECTS): 10

Course category: mandatory

Course holder:

Prof. Vasile Stoleru. PhD

Discipline objectives (course and practical works)

The course aimed at preparing the students from Organic Horticulture master regarding the module of the cultivation of Solanaceae species, onion group of; cabbage group under environmental conditions from our country.

Acquiring knowledge on the specific technological practices: choice of cultivar, land preparation, crop setting, care works, harvesting, labeling and marketing of organic vegetable production for Solanaceae, onion and cabbage groups.

Contents (syllabus)

Course (chapters/subchapters)
Organic growing of solanaceae species for fruits: tomato, peppers and eggplants.
Organic growing of onion plants group: onion, garlic, leek, other onion plants.
Organic growing of cabbage group: white cabbage, red cabbage, broccoli, cauliflower, kale, kohlrabi, Brussels cabbage, Chinese cabbage, other cabbage plants.
Organic growing of cucurbitacee plants: cucumber, watermelon, melon, pumpkin, squash
Organic growing of leaf vegetables:lettuce, spinach, leaf cichory, other leaf vegetables

Practical works

Knowledge of the technical-material from organic vegetable production
Organizing the land for the organic vegetables
Establishment of organic vegetable crops in autumn
Conversion program for organic vegetables
Procurement and preparation of organic seed and biological material
Production of seedlings in organic vegetable system: onion and cabbage groups, solanaceae etc
Vegetable seedling care works in organic system

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Evaluation

Evaluation form	Evaluation Methods	Percentage of the final grade
Course	Exam	70%
	presence	
Practical works	Tests + practical's	30%

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Organic vegetable growing (Organic Horticulture Master Science; 1-st academic year, 2-nd semester)

Credit value (ECTS): 8

Course category: mandatory

Course holder:

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Discipline objectives (course and practical works)

The course aimed at preparing the students from Organic Horticulture master regarding the module of the cultivation of root vegetables, legume group; perennial species and others under environmental conditions from our country.

Acquiring knowledge on the specific technological practices: choice of cultivar, land preparation, crop setting, care works, harvesting, labeling and marketing of organic vegetable production for root vegetables, aromatic and spicy group, legume and perennial species.

Contents (syllabus)

Course (chapters/subchapters)
Organic growing of root vegetables: carrot, parsley, parsnip, celery, redbeet root, radish, other root vegetables.
Organic growing of legume group: peas, dwarf and runner beans, broad beans.
Organic growing of perennial species: asparagus, rhubarb, tarragon, horseradish, sorrel, patience, lovage.
Organic growing of aromatic and spicy species: dill, thyme, basil, other spicy plants
Other organic vegetable species: early potato, sweet corn

Practical works

Design and management of a micro-farm in organic system
Preparing the land for setting up of organic vegetable crops
Establishment of organic vegetable crops in greenhouse and tunnel
Establishment of organic vegetable crops in the field crops
Care works applied for organic vegetable under protected and field crops
Harvesting, packaging, labeling

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	presence	
Practical works	Tests + practical's+project	30%

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