

Course Description Form

1. Course Name:	
Animal Production Mechanization	
2. Course Code:	
ANPM224	
3. Semester / Year:	
First Semester Autumn 2025-2026	
4. Description Preparation Date:	
1/9/2025	
5. Available Attendance Forms:	
Physical & Electronic	
6. Number of Credit Hours (Total) / Number of Units (Total)	
2 hours of theory and 4 hours of practical, for 15 weeks, making a total of 90 hours / 4 units	
7. Course administrator's name (mention all, if more than one name)	
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8. Course Objectives	
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Theoretical - The student understands the importance of livestock and their mechanization. - The student must be familiar with the concept of the operation of all equipment and machines used in animal shelters. - The student should be able to invest agricultural machinery and equipment in promoting animal products - The student must be able to manage and supervise the farm.	
Practical - The student should be familiar with the methods of operating and maintaining equipment and machinery in animal pens. - The student should be aware of the risks to which he is exposed when using machines in barns. - The student must be able to carry out all experiments and special work on equipment and machines in animal pens. - The student must be fully aware of the responsibility of maintaining the farm and the processes necessary for that. - The student must have practical experience in managing animal pens and investing in the farm in the best possible way.	
9. Teaching and Learning Strategies	
Strategy	
Strategy theory part	- Effective lectures - Brainstorming - Dialogue and discussion

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assigning tasks and reporting - Displaying real models of orchard mechanization equipment and machines
Strategy practical part	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assigning group work to reveal leadership skills - Assigning individual tasks to reveal personal skills - Assigning reports on practical experiments and field tasks

10. Course Structure

Week	Hours	Required Learning Outcomes	Unit or subject name	Learning method	Evaluation method
1	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the types of animal pens according to the type of animal or type of breeding	Animal barns and breeding systems	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	Assigned a task
	4 practic	b1: Examination of the soil in which the farm or animal pens will be constructed b3: Check the water available on site	Site selection requirements	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
2	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify harmful gases in the barn a1: Identify the mechanisms of expelling gases and humidity and ventilating the barn	Controlling environmental conditions in barns (ventilation)	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining the ventilation fan c1: Fan discharge calculation	Determine and calculate ventilation	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
3	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the idea of the cooling system a1: Identify the mechanisms for cooling the barn atmosphere	Controlling environmental conditions in barns (cooling)	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining cooling systems c1: Discover the cooling efficiency of cooling systems	Operating and maintaining cooling systems	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
4	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the concept of heating a1: Identifying the mechanisms for heating the atmosphere or floor of the barn	Controlling environmental conditions in barns (heating)	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining heating systems	Operating and maintaining heating systems	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and	Assign an assignment and a short test

		b1: Examination temperatures in the barn		discussion, field training, and self-learning	
5	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify water sources and pumps and Identify tanks, transportation pipes, drinking water nozzles, and drippers	Mechanization of water supply	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Practice operating the water pumping station on the farm b1: Maintenance of the water pumping station	Problems and maintenance of the water pumping station to the farm	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
6	2 Theoretical	a1: Calculate the amount of water needed for the farm	Calculating the water need on the farm	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	c1: Discover the calculation of water needs on the farm	Calculating the water need on the farm	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
7	2 Theoretical	a1: Identifying the types of feeders according to the types of breeding systems or animal pens, and understanding the working principle of dry feed and silage feeding mechanisms.	Feeders and feed presenting equipment	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Training to operate feed presenting equipment b1: Discover the feed serving equipment	Operating and maintaining feed serving equipment	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
8	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the idea of working waste disposal mechanisms inside barns and Identify means and mechanisms for storing and treating waste and deploying them in the field	Removal equipment of Animal manure	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Practice operating waste disposal equipment c4: Apply waste abatement calculations and practice equipment maintenance	Operating and maintaining manure disposal equipment	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
9	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the concept of shearing wool and	Mechanization of wool shearing	Interactive lecture,	Semester test And a short test

		Identify the types of wool shearing machines		brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining wool shearing equipment	Operating and maintaining wool shearing equipment	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Semester test And a short test
10	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the concept of extracting milk from the udder and Identify the stages of milking a cow	Automated milking and cow milking	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Practice operating and maintaining the milking machine	Operating and maintaining the milking machine	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
11	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the types of milking systems and milking halls	Milking systems and milking halls	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining milking halls	Operation and maintenance of milking halls	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
12	2 Theoretical	a1: Identifying the conditions for preparing eggs for hatching and the types of hatcheries and incubators	Egg hatchery equipment	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining hatcheries and chick incubators	Operating and maintaining hatcheries	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
13	2 Theoretical	a1: Identify the mechanisms of collecting and detecting table eggs and packaging equipment	Egg handling and transportation	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	Assignment of a report discussions assignment and a short test
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining egg transport and handling equipment	Operating and maintaining table egg transport and handling equipment	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field	Assignment of a report discussions assignment and a short test

				training, and self-learning	
14	2 Theoretical	a1: Identifying the mechanisms and stages of poultry reflux and Identifying the mechanisms and stages of livestock slaughter	Slaughtering and handling of meat	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Practice operating animal island equipment b1: Examination the operating meat handling and processing equipment	A visit to the typical Mosul massacre	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Assign an assignment and a short test
15	2 Theoretical	a2: Acquaint about equipment for cooling and preserving animal products	Cooling and preserving animal products	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, self-learning	quiz
	4 practical	b1: Examination the operating and maintaining equipment for cooling and preserving animal products	Operating and maintaining equipment for cooling and preserving animal products	Interactive lecture, brainstorming, dialogue and discussion, field training, and self-learning	Discussions and a short test

11. Course Evaluation

	evaluation date	evaluation degree
Theoretical evaluation method		
Monthly test	Week 9	10 %
Quiz	Weeks 1-15	10 %
Report	Week 13	5 %
total	25 %	
Practical evaluation method		
Monthly test	Week 9	5 %
Quiz and assignment	Weeks 1-15	2 + 3 = 5 %
Report	Week 13	5 %
total	15 %	
Theoretical + practical semester endeavor (25+15)	After 15 week	40 %
Final practical exam	20 %	20%
Final Theoretical exam	40 %	40%
Final degree	100 %	100 %

12. Learning and Teaching Resources

Required textbooks (curricular books, if any)	Al-Naama, Muhammad Jassim (1990) Mechanization of Animal Production, Mosul University Press. Iraq
Main references (sources)	Azza, Abdul Salam and Tawfiq Fahmi (1900)

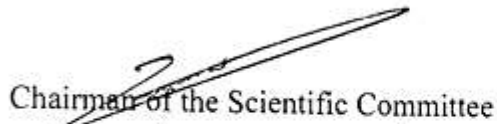
	Animal production mechanization equipment, Baghdad University Press. Iraq Stout, Bill A. (1990) CIGR Handbook of Agricultural Engineering, Volume III, ASAE, USA.
Recommended books and references (scientific journals, reports...)	
Electronic References, Websites	Food and Agriculture Organization FAO



Teacher of Theoretical part
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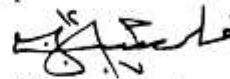
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