

Department of Entomology
Faculty of Agricultural Sciences
University of the Punjab, Lahore
Course Outline



Programme	B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture (Major: Entomology)	Course Code	ENT-301	Credit Hours	3(2-1)
Course Title	Insect Morphology (Theory)				
Course Introduction					
The course is designed to give insights regarding insect morphology to undergraduate students					
Learning Outcomes					
On the completion of the course, the students will: 1. Understand the comparative morphology of insect organ systems. 2. Understand how the morphology of an organ is related to its function.					
Course Content				Assignments/Readings	
Week 1	Unit-I 1.1 Introduction			Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.	
	Unit-I 1.2 Integument and its derivatives				
Week 2	Unit-I 1.3 Body regions			Dunston P.A. 2004. The Insect Structure, Function and Bio-Diversity	
	Unit-I 1.4 Segmentation				
Week 3	Unit-I 1.5 Sclerites, sulci and appendages of head			Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.	
Week 4	Unit-I 1.6 Sclerites, sulci and appendages of thorax			Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.	
Week 5	Unit-I 1.7 Sclerites, sulci and appendages of abdomen			Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.	

Week 6	Unit-I 1.8 Modification of head	Dunston P.A. 2004. The Insect Structure, Function and Bio-Diversity
Week 7	Unit-I 1.9..Modification of thorax 1.10 Modification of abdomen	Dunston P.A. 2004. The Insect Structure, Function and Bio-Diversity
Week 8	Mid-Term Exam	
Week 9	Unit-II 2.1 Endoskeleton and internal organ systems	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 10	Unit-II 2.2 Digestive system	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 11	Unit-II 2.3 Circulatory system	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 12	Unit-II 2.4 Respiratory system	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 13	Unit-II 2.5 Nervous system	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 14	Unit-II 2.6 Reproductive system	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 15	Unit-II 2.7 Exocrine organs 2.8 Endocrine organs	Chapman, R. F. 2020. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
Week 16	Final Term Exam	
Textbooks and Reading Material		
1. Beutel, R. G.,Friedrich, F., Yang, Xing-Ke and Ge, Si-Qin. 2014. Insect Morphology and Phylogeny. Walter De Gruyter Inc publisher.		

2. Chapman, R. F. 2012. The insects: Structure and Function (5th Ed.). Cambridge University Press.
3. Dunston P.A. 2004. The Insect Structure, Function and Bio-Diversity. Kalyani Publishers, Ludhiana.
4. DuPorte, E. M. 1959. Manual in Insect morphology. Reinhold Press. University of Minnesota, USA.
5. Gilbert, L.I., Iatrou, K. and Gill, S. S. 2005. Comprehensive Molecular Insect Science. 2nd edition, Elsevier/Pergamon.
6. Kerkut, G.A. and Gilbert, L.I. 1985. Comprehensive Insect Physiology, Biochemistry and Pharmacology. Vols. 1-12, Pergamon Press, Oxford, New York, Toronto, Sydney, Paris, Frankfurt.
7. Richard, O.W. and Davies, R.G. 1984. Imm's General Textbook of Entomology, Vol. I, revised. 10th Ed. (Structure, Physiology & Development). Chapman and Hall, London, N.Y.
8. Snodgrass, R. 1935. Principles of Insect Morphology. Cornell Univ. Press., U.S.A.

Teaching Learning Strategies

Lectures, discussions, presentations, quiz and assignments

Assignments: Types and Number with Calendar

1. Draw and label different body systems of insects (Mid-term)
2. Insect collection and dissection (Final-term)

Assessment

Sr. No.	Elements	Weightage	Details
1.	Midterm Assessment	35%	Written Assessment at the mid-point of the semester.
2.	Formative Assessment	25%	Continuous assessment includes: Classroom participation, assignments, presentations, viva voce, attitude and behavior, hands-on-activities, short tests, projects, practical, reflections, readings, quizzes etc.

3.	Final Assessment	40%	Written Examination at the end of the semester. It is mostly in the form of a test, but owing to the nature of the course the teacher may assess their students based on term paper, research proposal development, field work and report writing etc.
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Week 2	Unit-I 1.2 Insect dissection				
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Week 4	Unit-I 1.4 comparative morphology of sclerites, sulci and appendages of head				
Week 5	Unit-I 1.5 comparative morphology of sclerites, sulci and appendages of thorax				
Week 6	Unit-I 1.6 comparative morphology of sclerites, sulci and appendages of abdomen				

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Week 8	Mid-Term Exam	
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Week 10	Unit-II 2.2 Dissection to study digestive system	
Week 11	Unit-II 2.3 Dissection to study circulatory system	
Week 12	Unit-II 2.4 Dissection to study respiratory system	
Week 13	Unit-II 2.5 Dissection to study nervous system	
Week 14	Unit-II 2.6 Dissection to study reproductive system	
Week 15	Unit-II 2.7 Study of exocrine organs 2.8 Study of endocrine organs	
Week 16	Final-Term Exam	
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