# Pest Management

## Minor Contact

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## Minor Code - U059

This minor is designed to introduce students to insects, plant pathogens, and weeds as pests that attack or compete with agricultural crops, ornamentals, and forest trees. Emphasis will be placed on environmentally sound management systems based on cultural, biological, and chemical strategies. This program complements current degrees and strengthens the background of students in horticulture, crops agronomy, environmental protection and other majors in biological sciences. A minimum GPA of 2.0 is required in all minor courses.

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### Minor Requirements

Select one of the following:

- ENTO 412  Pest Management  4
- ENVP 412  Pest Management  4
- PPTH 401 & 401L  General Plant Pathology and General Plant Pathology Laboratory  4

Select at least three of the following:

- AGRN 451 & 451L  Principles of Weed Science and Principles of Weed Science Laboratory  7
- ENV 451 & 451L  Principles of Weed Science and Principles of Weed Science Laboratory  7
- ENTO 450  Insect Ecology  7
- ENTO 470  Forest Pest Management  7
- PPTH 470 & 470L  Forest Pest Management and Forest Pest Management Laboratory  7
- PLSC 453  Organic Crop Production  7
- PPTH 409 & 409L  Nematology and Nematology Laboratory  7
- ENTO 493 Special Topics course  7
- PPTH 493 Special Topics course  7

**Total Hours**  15

* Courses with the same title are equivalent to each other.

** No more than four hours may be taken as special topics.