Module Code	19349032	Course Term
Course Subject Name	Molecular Biology	Spring
Course Tutor	Ken Matsuoka, Yoshizumi Ishino, Takahiro Nakamura, Akiko Maruyama, Yoshimitsu Kakuta, Taizo Hanai	The 6th Semester
Credit	2	Taught Day
Schools	School of Agriculture	THU-2
Taught Year	The 3rd year	
Campus	Ito campus	
Subject Area	Lecture	
Course Subject Classification	Specialized Subjects	Thursday, 2nd period (10:30-12:00)
Course Requirements		
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(Pre-requisite)		

Course Outline

Outline of molecular biology and its application will be lectured.

key words

DNA, RNA, Protein, Signal, Organelle, Structure, Engineering

Study Objectives (General)

Molecular biology and its application.

Study Objectives (Specific) The course aims to achieve the following:

Understand the outline of the following topics:

DNA replication, transcription and its regulation, RNA processing and post-transcriptional regulation, translation and post-translational protein processing, intracellular protein transport, signal transduction, structurel biology and molecular bioengineering.

Course Plan

- 1. Introduction and focus of this lecture series (Matsuoka)
- 2, 3 DNA replication (Ishino)
- 4, 5 Transcription and transcriptional regulation (Maruyama)
- 6, 7 RNA processing and post-transcriptional regulation (Nakamura)
- 8, 9 Translation, post-translational protein modification, intracellular protein trafficking (Matsuoka)
- 10, 11 Signal transduction (Matsuoka)
- 12, 13 Structural biology (Kakuta)
- 14, 15 Molecular bioengineering (Hanai)

Course Approaches		
Textbooks	Essential Cell Biology, 5th ed.	
Reference Books	Molecular Biology of the Cell 4th ed. and/or indicated by teacher	
Study consultation (office hour)	After lecture.	
Exams/Results Evaluation Method	Paper examination (70%) and attendance to the lecture (30%).	
Others	If two or more students are not in the classroom during the first 10 minutes of the first day, this lecture will not be held this year. If there is one student of the 3rd year, the class will be held in the next year if the student attends the classroom in the first 10 minutes of the first day of the following year even if that student is the sole one.	