

# Master of Animal Production Sciences

College of Agriculture Sciences

King Faisal University

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## 1. Introduction

The program aims to qualify the graduate to acquire many modern technical skills in the field of animal production sciences, through a distinguished group of specialized scientific courses in the field of breeding, genetic improvement, nutrition, and physiology.

Therefore, The program seeks to provide the needs of the animal production industry of distinguished expertise in the specialties of the development of all sectors of livestock, which include sheep, goats and cows as well as Camels.

## 2. Program Information

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<b>College</b>	College of Agriculture Sciences
<b>Department</b>	Department of Animal and Fish Production
<b>Track</b>	Animal Production Sciences
<b>Level</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Degree</b>	MSc
<b>Years of Study</b>	2 Years
<b>Credit Hours</b>	30
<b>Language</b>	English

## 3. Admission Requirements

Admission and study in the program requires the fulfillment of all the requirements of the unified regulations for postgraduate studies in Saudi universities. In addition, students who are willing to join the Master program of the animal Production Sciences must fulfil the following:

- The applicant must have a bachelor's degree in Agricultural sciences and Food from King Faisal university or its equivalent with grade not less "very good" or similar degree approved by King Faisal University. In some cases, student who obtained a grade (good) if his/her average should not be less than (very good) in the courses of specialization, may be accepted in the program based on the department recommendation and the approval of the College Council.

- Passing the personal interview conducted by the department or any exam requested by the department.
- The department may stipulate to accept the student's in the master's program, passing a number of supplementary courses from a previous stage in a period not exceeding three semesters as stated in the terms of Article 18 of the Uniform Regulations for Postgraduate Studies in Universities.
- Applicant must obtain a TOEFL score of 400 or less or equivalent or joining an intensive English language program provided by the university or as recommended by the department council.

#### 4. Study Plan

To obtain a master degree in animal production sciences, the student must successfully complete the following:

Studying courses of 24 units (selected from the courses listed in the master's program of animal production sciences), in addition to 6 units for the thesis.

The distribution of courses are as follows:

- **Basic / Compulsory Courses: 6 credits**
- **Specialized courses: 12 credit units**
- **Thesis: 6 credits**