

<b>Title of the subject</b>	: <b>Feed conservation and storage</b>
<b>Subject leader</b>	: Robert Tothi, PhD, assistant professor
<b>Prerequisite</b>	: none
<b>Credit</b>	: 2
<b>Short description of the subject</b>	: The course provides knowledge about production, conservation (silage, haylage, hay, different way of cereal conservation), describe the relations between cultivation, harvesting, conservation of forage and the quality of feed and milk, describe how conserved forage is evaluated in some different feed evaluation systems. The focus is on forage for dairy cow and beef production.
<b>Compulsory reading</b>	: Ponds W.G. and Church D. C. 2004 Basic Animal Nutrition and Feeding Wiley Press; 5th edition Digital handouts issued by the department.
<b>Further reading</b>	: Raymond–Waltham F. 1998 Forage Conservation and Feeding, Farming Press Limited Givens, D. J. and Owens, E. (Eds) 2000 Forage Evaluation in Ruminant Nutrition, CABI Publishing Dwayne R. Buxton (Ed) 2003 Silage Science and Technology, American Society of Agronomy-Crop Science Park, R.S., Mayne C.S. and Keady T.W.J. 2005 Silage production and utilization, Wageningen