



**Jordan University of Science and Technology**  
**Faculty of Agriculture**  
**Nutrition & Food Technology Department**

NF371 Food Chemistry And Analysis

Second Semester 2023-2024

**Course Catalog**

3 Credit Hours. Chemistry of milk, meat, fruits, vegetables, cereals, legumes, spices, and other food ingredients. Different procedures to analyze food components.

**Teaching Method:** On Campus

**Text Book**

<b>Title</b>	Fennema's Food Chemistry
<b>Author(s)</b>	Srinivasan Damodaran, Kirk L. Parkin and Owen R. Fennema
<b>Edition</b>	4th Edition
<b>Short Name</b>	Ref. 1
<b>Other Information</b>	

**Course References**

Short name	Book name	Author(s)	Edition	Other Information
Ref. 2	Fennema's Food Chemistry	Srinivasan Damodaran, Kirk L. Parkin	5th Edition	
Ref. 3	Food Analysis	S. Suzanne Nieleon	4th Edition	
Ref. 4	Food Chemistry ? A Laboratory Manual,	Dennis D. Miller	1st Edition	
Ref. 5	Principles of Food Chemistry	J.M. deMan, Van Nostrand Reinhold,	2nd Edition	

**Instructor**

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Class Schedule & Room	
Section 1: Lecture Time: Mon, Wed : 11:30 - 13:00 Room: M5127	

Prerequisites		
Line Number	Course Name	Prerequisite Type
912330	CHEM233 Analytical Chemistry	Prerequisite / Pass
632750	NF275 Principles Of Food Science	Prerequisite / Pass

Tentative List of Topics Covered		
Weeks	Topic	References
Weeks 1, 2, 3	Introduction; (1) Water - Properties of water. - Free and bound water, water activity and freezing of water in foods. - Low and intermediate moisture foods. - Chemical and physiochemical aspects of foods solutions. - Theories and applications of different moisture determination methods.	From <b>Ref. 1</b> , From <b>Ref. 2</b> , From <b>Ref. 3</b> , From <b>Ref. 4</b> , From <b>Ref. 5</b>
Weeks 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	2) Proteins - Classification and distribution in foods. - Review structure and function. - Reactions of proteins during processing. - Water binding, browning phenomena in protein foods. - Major food proteins, unconventional food proteins. - Functional properties of proteins. - Theories and applications of different protein determination methods.	From <b>Ref. 1</b> , From <b>Ref. 2</b> , From <b>Ref. 3</b> , From <b>Ref. 4</b> , From <b>Ref. 5</b>

Weeks 9, 10, 11	(3) Carbohydrates - Review structure and reactions. - Chemistry of mono- and oligo saccharides found in foods. - Polysaccharides (starch, cellulose, pectin and gums) and their role in foods. - Enzymes acting on carbohydrates, sweetness of sugars. - Analytical methods for carbohydrate determination.	From Ref. 1, From Ref. 2, From Ref. 3, From Ref. 4, From Ref. 5
Weeks 12, 13, 14	(4) Lipids - Classification and distribution in foods. - Composition of fats and oils. - Deteriorative reactions of fats and oils (autoxidation, lipolysis, reversion). - Chemistry and technology of processing fats and oils. - Physical properties of fats and oils. - Effects of processing on functional properties and nutritive value. - Analytical methods for determining different physical and chemical characteristics of fat.	From Ref. 1, From Ref. 2, From Ref. 3, From Ref. 4, From Ref. 5
Week 15	(5) Minerals - Ash determination methods. - Principles and applications for elemental analyses.	From Ref. 1, From Ref. 2, From Ref. 3, From Ref. 4, From Ref. 5
Week 16	(6) Vitamins - Determination methods. - Principles and applications.	From Ref. 1, From Ref. 2, From Ref. 3, From Ref. 4, From Ref. 5

Mapping of Course Outcomes to Program Outcomes	Course Outcome Weight (Out of 100%)	Assessment method
1. Develop and understanding of how individual food components contributes to the overall quality of foods. [1SLO1, 1SLO2, 1SLO3, 1SLO4, 1SLO5]	25%	
2. Achieve an understanding of the chemical changes that take place with food components during processing and storage. [1SLO1, 1SLO2, 1SLO3, 1SLO4, 1SLO5]	25%	
3. Recognize reactions and mechanisms important in food chemistry. [1SLO1, 1SLO2, 1SLO3, 1SLO4, 1SLO5]	20%	

4. Be capable of designing and conducting experiments and interpreting data to understand important food chemistry principles through food analysis part. [1SLO1, 1SLO2, 1SLO3, 1SLO4, 1SLO5]	30%	
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Relationship to Program Student Outcomes (Out of 100%)				
SLO1	SLO2	SLO3	SLO4	SLO5
20	20	20	20	20

Evaluation	
Assessment Tool	Weight
Final exam	50%
First Exam	25%
Second Exam	25%

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