

**B.Sc. (Hons) FNS Sem.-5 Examination****FNS-314****Food Analysis****November-2025****Time : 2-30 Hours]****[Max. Marks : 70****Question 1 Write the following**

- (i) Discuss the role and importance of food analysis in maintaining food quality standards. (7 Marks)
- (ii) Enumerate and explain different reasons for carrying out food analysis. (7 Marks)

**OR**

- (i) Describe Normality and Molarity with suitable examples and their significance in analysis. (7 Marks)
- (ii) Describe different types of sampling techniques used in food analysis and their importance. (7 Marks)

**Question 2 Write the following**

- (i) Explain the dry ashing and wet ashing procedures used in ash content estimation. (7 Marks)
- (ii) Discuss Biuret, Lowry, and UV –visible spectrophotometric methods for protein estimation. (7 Marks)

**OR**

- (i) Describe moisture determination in food samples. (7 Marks)
- (ii) Explain the Kjeldahl method in detail for protein content in foods. (7 Marks)

**Question 3 Write the following**

- (i) Explain the solvent extraction method in fat analysis of foods. (7 Marks)
- (ii) Explain the enzymatic methods used for carbohydrate analysis. (7 Marks)

**OR**

- (i) Differentiate between crude fibre and dietary fibre, and describe their analytical methods. (7 Marks)
- (ii) Discuss the physical-machinery method employed for carbohydrate estimation. (7 Marks)

**Question 4 Write the following**

- (i) Explain the anti-nutritional factor- Phytate, its impact on nutrition, and analytical approach. (7 Marks)

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(ii) Describe the methods used for estimation of Vitamin E in food samples. (7 Marks)

OR

- (i) Discuss the antinutritional factor- Oxalate, its effect, and determination (7 Marks) method.
- (ii) Explain the antinutritional factor – Tannin, its effects, and method of estimation. (7 Marks)

**Question 5** Attempt any seven out of twelve (14 Marks)

- (i) What are the functions of FDA and AOAC in the field of food analysis?
- (ii) Define and explain the stratified sampling method with an appropriate example.
- (iii) What is a dilution factor? Describe its application in food analysis.
- (iv) Explain the principle and use of a calibration curve in analytical estimations.
- (v) What do you understand by reflux distillation in moisture determination?
- (vi) Explain the role of refractometry in determining moisture content.
- (vii) Describe the volumetric method used for fat estimation.
- (viii) List the food sources of Vitamin C and D.
- (ix) List the dietary sources of Calcium and Phosphorus.
- (x) Mention the deficiency symptoms associated with Iron and Cobalt.
- (xi) Classify anti-nutritional factors (ANFs) based on their effect on nutrition.
- (xii) Discuss the different types of tannins found in foods.

