

**INFORMATION SHEET FOR CANDIDATES APPEARING IN THE  
2<sup>ND</sup> FOOD ANALYST EXAMINATION 2014**

In continuation to FSSAI circular of even number dated November, 2013, and in pursuance of sub- rule (ii) of Rule 2.1.4 of Food Safety and Standards Rules, 2011, Food Safety and Standards Authority of India will be conducting Food Analyst Examination, 2014 during **February, 2014**.

1. The Food Analyst Examination will be for four days.
2. The examination will include three papers viz; Theoretical (Paper I & II) and Practical (Paper III) examination and , namely:-

Paper	Part	Sub-part	Subject	Marks	Days of examination	Duration
<b>Paper- I</b>	<b>I</b>	A	Food Laws, Regulations and Standards in India.	100 marks	Day 1	3hrs
		B	Planning, Organization and set up of Food Analyst Laboratory, NABL/ISO/IEC-17025:2005			
	<b>II</b>	A	Principles of Food Preservation, Processing and Packaging, Labeling/ Claims and Principles of Nutrition.			
		B	Food Hygiene and Sanitation, CODEX (SPS/TBT), International Food Control Systems. WHO/FAO, HACCP, Quality Control Tools, GLP, GHP, GMP.			
<b>Paper-II</b>	<b>I</b>	A	Food Chemistry	100 marks	Day 2	3hrs
		B	Food Additives &Contaminants			
	<b>II</b>	A	Instrumental methods of analysis			
		B	Food Microbiology			
<b>Paper-III</b>	<b>Practical &amp; viva- voce</b>			200 marks	Day 3 & 4	6 hrs

3. Total duration for paper-I and paper-II will be of 3 Hrs each.
4. Paper-I and Paper -II will be of 100 marks each.
5. Both the parts I and II are compulsory under each paper.
6. Practical and viva-voce will be of total 200 marks and will be for period of 2 working days of 6 hours each.
7. Viva-voce shall be conducted during practical's only.
8. Passing marks for theory examination will be 50% for each paper-I & Paper-II individually.
9. Passing marks for practical examination (paper-III) will be 50%.
10. A candidate shall clear a minimum of two subjects in the first attempt, failing which he/she will have to reappear in all subjects; the remaining subject could be completed/ passed in two successive attempts. In the event of not passing the subject in total of three successive attempts, candidate will have to reappear in all the paper as fresh.
11. A candidate shall be considered qualified if he obtains a minimum of 50% marks in each Theory paper, Practical and Viva-voce, separately.
12. A certificate shall be awarded to the successful candidates.
13. Every candidate shall be informed of the result of examination whether declared as qualified or not.
14. No Mark Sheet shall be forward.

15. The examination fee will not be readjusted for future examination.
16. No TA will be paid to the candidates.
17. All incomplete/non-eligible Application Forms will be rejected.
18. Last date for submission of dully filled Application Form: 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2014.
19. The envelope containing the Application Form should be superscribed **“APPLICATION FOR 2<sup>ND</sup> FOOD ANALYST EXAMINATION, 2014”** and the completely filled application may be sent to **“Director (QA), FSSAI to Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road, New Delhi-110002”**.
20. Applications received after the last date will not be entertained.
21. All the document submitted at time of filling the application form must be available at the time of examination
22. The document with respect to Certificate of educational qualification/ experience to be duly attested by a Gazetted Officer.
23. When completing your application form you must indicate your preferred examination centre in the application and on the covering envelope also. Students who do not indicate their preference will automatically be allocated to the centre nearest to their correspondence address.
24. The candidates are required to fill the Admission card in the format provided with application form, affixing the identical passport size photograph. The photograph must be signed across by the candidate after affixing, so that a part of the signature spreads over the Admit Card. Besides, it should be duly attested by the Head of the University Department/ Principal of the College/ class-I Gazetted officer. The final centre of examination should be left blank which is to be filled by this office and then will be returned to the candidate by post.
25. The candidates are required to bring a photo identity card also along with their Admission Card on the day of examination.
26. The candidates must affix their recent identical passport size photographs, at the places indicated, on the printout of Application Form and it should be duly attested by the Gazetted Officer.
27. The candidates must read the conditions of eligibility as given at item no. 3 carefully and must satisfy themselves regarding their eligibility for the Test before filling the online application and submitting the printout of Online Application Form.
28. Candidates should ensure that the signatures appended and photographs pasted by them in all the places, viz., in their Application Form, Attendance Slip and Admission Card should be identical and there should be no variation of any kind.
29. The candidates in their own interest are requested to retain a photocopy of the Application Form and Attendance Slip for their record.
30. The decision of the Board (Authority) be final in all matters.

**QUALIFICATION AND ELIGIBILITY  
FOR  
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**Qualification:** A person shall not be qualified for appointment as Food Analyst under the Act unless He/she:-

(i) Holds a Master's degree in Chemistry or Biochemistry or Microbiology or Dairy Chemistry or Food Technology, Food and Nutrition or holds Bachelor of Technology in Dairy/Oil or holds degree in Veterinary Sciences from a university established in India by law or is an associate of the Institution of Chemists (India) by examination in the section of Food Analysts conducted by the Institution of Chemists (India) or any other equivalent qualification recognized and notified by the Central government for such purposes and has not less than three years experience in the analysis of food; and

(ii) Has been declared qualified for appointment as a Food Analyst by a board appointed and notified by the Authority