MFT308 Snack Food Technology				
Teaching	ExaminationScheme			
SchemeLectures:3hrs. /weekTutorials:1 hr./week Credits:4	InternalAssessment Marks[IAM]:30 [Class Test: 12, Teachers assessment:6,Attendance: 12] EndSemesterMarks[ESM]:70			

CourseObjective:

1. To impart knowledge related to various snack foods and their manufacturing techniques.

DetailedSyllabus

Module1

Extrusion: Introduction to extruders and their principles, types of extruders. Extruders in the food industry: History and uses. Single screw extruder: principle of working, factors affecting extrusion process, co-kneaders. Twin screw extruder: Feeding, screw design, screw speed, screw configurations. Pre-conditioning of raw materials used in extrusion process: operations and benefits and devolatilization. Chemical and nutritional changes in food during extrusion. Addition and subtraction of materials, shaping and forming at the die. Post-extrusion processes- colouring, flavouring and packaging of extruded snack foods.

Module2

Breakfast cereals: Introduction and classification (flaked cereals, oven puffed cereals, gun puffed cereals, shredded products). Breakfast cereal-manufacturing processes (traditional and modern methods), High shear cooking process and steam cookers.

Module3

Texturized vegetable protein: definition, processing techniques. Direct expanded (DX) and third generation (3G) snacks: types. Concept of junk & fried foods and their impact on human health.

Module4

Technology for grain-based snacks: Whole grains- roasted, toasted, puffed, popped, flaked. Coated grains- salted, spiced and sweetened. Formulation, processing and quality assessment of chips and wafers, papads, instant premixes of traditional Indian snack foods.

Module 5

Technology for fruit and vegetable-based snacks- chips, wafers; Technology for coated nuts- salted,

spiced and sweetened chikkies. Equipments for frying, baking, drying, toasting, roasting, flaking, popping, blending, coating and chipping.

Suggested readings

- 1. Booth, R. G. (1997). Snack Food: CBS, New Delhi.
- 2. Raymond, W. L. & Rooney, L. W. (2001). Snack Foods Processing: CRC. London.
- 3. Lusas, E. W. & Rooney, L. W. (2015). Snack Foods Processing: CRC. London.
- 4. Guy, R. (2001). Extrusion Cooking: Technologies and Applications: Woodhead, USA.
- 5. Riaz, M. N. (2000). Extruders in Food Applications: Technomic, Lanchester.

CourseOutcomes

- 1.Students shall be able to understand Basics of Preparing Extruded Snack Foods Items along with working of equipments related to extrusion of Food Products.
- 2. Students shall be able to understand preparation of Breakfast Snacks in particular cereal basedSnacks Food Items.
- 3. Students shall be able to understand preparation of Texturised vegetable protein, concept of junk food and fried foods.
- 4. Students shall be able to understand preparation of Grain based Snacks Food Item.
- 5. Students shall be able to understand preparation of Fruits & Vegetables based Snack Item along with introduction of related equipments.