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<b>QUALIFICATION : BACHELOR OF HUMAN NUTRITION</b>	
<b>QUALIFICATION CODE: 08BOHN</b>	<b>LEVEL: 7</b>
<b>COURSE NAME: FOOD PROCESSING AND PRESERVATION</b>	<b>COURSE CODE: FPC721S</b>
<b>SESSION: JANUARY 2023</b>	<b>PAPER: THEORY</b>
<b>DURATION: 3 HOURS</b>	<b>MARKS: 100</b>

<b>SUPPLEMENTARY/SECOND OPPORTUNITY QUESTION PAPER</b>	
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<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Answer ALL the questions.</li><li>2. Write clearly and neatly.</li><li>3. Number the answers clearly.</li></ol>	

**PERMISSIBLE MATERIALS**

Scientific calculator

**THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 3 PAGES** (Including this front page)

## SECTION A

### QUESTION 1

**(14 MARKS)**

1.1 Explain the following terms and concepts:

- 1.1.1 Energy balance states (2)
- 1.1.2 Pasteurization (2)
- 1.1.3 Specific gravity (2)
- 1.1.4 Intellectual property (2)
- 1.1.5 Density (2)
- 1.1.6 Dry cleaning (2)
- 1.1.7 Steady-state conduction (2)

### QUESTION 2

**(20 MARKS)**

2.1 Write short notes about the following words.

- 2.1.1 Compressible fluids (2)
- 2.1.2 Incompressible fluids (2)
- 2.1.3 Dispersed phase (1)
- 2.1.4 Continuous phase (1)

2.2 Explain how the following principles can be used in the preservation of fruits and vegetables.

- 2.2.1 Use of heat: (2)
- 2.2.2 Reduce water activity ( $A_w$ ): (2)
- 2.2.3 Use of acidity: (2)
- 2.2.4 Sugar/salt concentration: (2)
- 2.2.5 Use of irradiation: (2)

2.3 Briefly discuss any two (2) types of shelf-life tests. (4)

## SECTION B

### QUESTION 3

**(34 MARKS)**

- 3.1 A Final dough solution has a density of 45 kg/ m<sup>3</sup> and flows from a mixing tank at 2500 Pa through a horizontal pipe 40 mm in radius at a flow rate of 7.8 ×10<sup>-3</sup> m/s. The size of the pipe reduces to 20 mm in radius. Calculate the new pressure in the pipe. (9)

$$P_1/\rho_1 + v_1^2/2 + Z_1g = P_2/\rho_2 + v_2^2/2 + Z_2g$$

Where P (Pa) = the pressure,  $\rho$  (kg/m<sup>3</sup>) = the fluid density,  $g$  (= 9.81ms<sup>-1</sup>) = acceleration due to gravity,  $v$  (m s<sup>-1</sup>) = the velocity of the fluid and  $z$  (m) = the height.

- 3.2 What is the objective of size reduction in food processing. (3)
- 3.3 Enumerate three (3) types of equipment used for homogenisers. (3)
- 3.4 Enumerate three (3) types of equipment used for dry-cleaning. (3)
- 3.5 Briefly discuss the factors to consider when designing and selecting food processing equipment. (5)
- 3.6 Outline the benefits of blanching food. (3)
- 3.7 Explain why it's important to have a monitoring procedure in your HACCP (Hazard Analysis Critical Control Points) system. (3)
- 3.8 Outline five (5) factors affecting the shelf-life test. (5)

### QUESTION 4

**(32 MARKS)**

- 4.1 Distinguish between the following set of concepts
- 4.1.1 Sorting and grading. (4)
- 4.1.2 Mixing and forming. (4)
- 4.1.3 Primary and secondary processing. (4)
- 4.2 Describe any six (6) different types of non-Newtonian fluids. (12)
- 4.3 Explain any four (4) types of intellectual property. (8)

**GOOD LUCK!!!**