



Food Manufacture

#### Product Quality Analysis

#### Lesson 1

This course is ideal for people working or have the potential to work in the quality or technical departments. The course describes the ways that product quality analysis is performed.

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### Learning Objectives

- Understand the importance of monitoring product quality
- Name the three main processes for monitoring quality
- List what product testing is performed in a laboratory
- Describe why product testing is performed in a laboratory





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- Explain what microbiological testing is performed on products
- Summarise the different reasons why chemical testing is performed on product
- State how sensory evaluation is performed





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- Identify the types of sensory evaluation tests
- Recognise the different types of physical tests performed to determine product quality
- Explain how physical tests are performed to determine product quality





In a food factory it is essential that the product and its ingredients are of the required quality.



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A good quality product results in customer satisfaction and a safe to consume product.





Monitoring and testing is carried out on the product and its ingredients to ensure product quality is maintained. These are usually performed by quality control and quality assurance auditors.





There are three main processes for monitoring product quality:

- 1. Product inspection and laboratory testing
- 2. Sensory testing
- 3. Physical testing





## **Revision Activity 1**

# Name the three main processes for monitoring quality?

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