Course No.	Course Name	L-T-P - Credits	Year of Introduction
FT231	Food Microbiology Lab - I	0-0-3-1	2016

Prerequisite: FT201 Food microbiology

Course Objectives

To gain knowledge in different types microorganism related to food and scientific methods for microbial analysis.

List of Exercises/Experiments: (Minimum 12 are mandatory)

- 1. Introduction to microbiology & Laboratory instructions, Microscopy
- 2. Sterilization techniques, Disinfection
- 3. Culture media
- 4. Preparation of nutrient media-Nutrient broth
- 5. Preparation of nutrient agar plates
- 6. Preparation of nutrient agar slants
- 7. Enumeration of heterotrophic bacterial population-Serial dilution and pour plate technique
- 8. Demonstration of technique for pure culture of microorganisms-Spread plate method
- 9. Demonstration of technique for isolation of microorganisms-Streak plate method
- 10. Grams Staining method for differentiation of bacteria
- 11. Negative staining of bacteria
- 12. Fungal staining
- 13. Acid-fast staining of Mycobacterim
- 14. Spore staining-Schaeffer Fulton staining
- 15. Antibiotic sensitivity of pathogens
- 16. Bacterial Growth curve-observation and growth characteristics of bacteria
- 17. Study and experiments with different microscope
- 18. Effect of cleaning and disinfection on microbial load

Expected outcome.

Students will be able to prepare nutrient media, broth, agar plates etc. and do staining processes.

Text Book:

- 1. Microbiology: A Laboratory Manual, 10th edition. James Cappuccino, Natalie Sherman. Pearson Higher education
- 2. Practical Microbiology, R C Dubey, D K Maheshwary