

Annex SFB

Studienfachbeschreibung (subject description, SFB) for the subject Food Chemistry as a Bachelor's with 1 major with the degree "" (180 ECTS credits)

Responsible: Faculty of Chemistry and Pharmacy
Responsible: Institute of Pharmacy and Food Chemistry

Examination regulations version: 2025
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Abbreviations used: Course types: **E** = field trip, **K** = colloquium, **O** = conversatorium, **P** = placement/lab course, **R** = project, **S** = seminar, **T** = tutorial, **Ü** = exercise, **V** = lecture

Term: **SS** = summer semester, **WS** = winter semester

Methods of grading: **NUM** = numerical grade, **B/NB** = (not) successfully completed

Regulations: **(L)ASPO** = general academic and examination regulations (for teaching-degree programmes), **FSB** = subject-specific provisions, **SFB** = list of modules

Other: **A** = thesis, **LV** = course(s), **PL** = assessment(s), **TN** = participants, **VL** = prerequisite(s)

Conventions for the modules in this SFB: Unless otherwise stated, courses and assessments will be held in German, assessments will be offered every semester and modules are not creditable for bonus.

Information on assessment procedures: Should there be the option to choose between several methods of assessment, the lecturer will agree with the module coordinator on the method of assessment to be used in the current semester by two weeks after the start of the course at the latest and will communicate this in the customary manner.

Should a module comprise more than one graded assessment, all assessments will be equally weighted, unless otherwise stated below.

Should the assessment comprise several individual assessments, successful completion of the module will require successful completion of all individual assessments.

In accordance with the general regulations governing the degree subject described in this module catalogue:

ASPO2015

associated official publications (FSB (subject-specific provisions)/SFB (list of modules)):

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This module handbook seeks to render, as accurately as possible, the data that is of statutory relevance according to the examination regulations of the degree subject. However, only the FSB (subject-specific provisions) and SFB (list of modules) in their officially published versions shall be legally binding. In the case of doubt, the provisions on, in particular, module assessments specified in the FSB/SFB shall prevail.

Every module will be described using the following form:

Abbreviation	Module title						
	ECTS		Duration	(in semesters)	Method of grading		Module level
	Courses		To be specified in the form X (y) with course type X abbreviated as specified above and number of weekly contact hours y				
	Method of assessment						
	Only after successful completion of		if applicable				
	Other prerequisites		if applicable				
	Participants and allocation of places		if applicable				
	Additional information		if applicable				
	Referred to in LPO I		if applicable (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)				

Compulsory Courses (150 ECTS credits)							
10-M-MCB-152-m01	Mathematics for students in Chemistry and Biology						
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level undergraduate
	Courses	V (3) + Ü (2)					
	Method of assessment	written examination (approx. 90 to 120 minutes) and written exercises (approx. 25 pages)					
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. I 2. Letter f) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh.					
07-LMC-BIO1-152-m01	General Biology of Economic Plants from Food and Forage						
	ECTS	7	Duration	2 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + V (1) + P (4)					
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (60 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes total)					
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. I 2. Letter e) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh and No. 5 of Annex 2 of APOLmCh.					
o8-AC1-152-m01	Principles of Inorganic Chemistry						
	ECTS	8	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level undergraduate
	Courses	V (4) + V (2)					
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 15 minutes per candidate) or d) log (approx. 20 pages) or e) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English					
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. I 2nd letter a) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 1 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh					
	Referred to in LPO I	§ 42 I Nr. 1 and § 22 II Nr. 1 h) § 62 I Nr. 1					

o8-ACP1-152-m01	Inorganic Chemistry 1 (lab)							
	ECTS	10	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	P (12) + S (2)						
	Method of assessment	[a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 15 minutes per candidate) or d) log (approx. 20 pages) or e) presentation (approx. 30 minutes)] and Vortestate/Nachtestate (pre and post-experiment examination talks approx. 15 minutes each, log approx. 5 to 10 pages each) and assessment of practical assignments (2 to 4 random examinations) Language of assessment: German and/or English Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. 1 1st letter a) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 1 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
11-EFNF-152-m01	Introduction to Physics for Students of other Disciplines							
	ECTS	7	Duration	2 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (4) + V (3)						
	Method of assessment	written examination (60 to 120 minutes)						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. 1 2nd letter d) and No. 1 1st letter d) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 4 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
11-PFNF-152-m01	Laboratory Course Physics for Students of other Disciplines							
	ECTS	3	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	P (4)						
	Method of assessment	a) practical assignment with oral test (approx. 15 minutes, during experiments) and b) written examination (approx. 90 minutes). Each experiment comprises preparation, performance and evaluation. Test as well as performance of experiments can each be repeated once.						
	Participants and allocation of places	Only as part of pool of general transferable skills (ASQ): 10 places (lottery)						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. 1 2nd letter d) and No. 1 1st letter d) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 4 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
o8-AS1-152-m01	Inorganic Chemistry of the Elements							
	ECTS	6	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + V (2)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 15 minutes per candidate) or d) log (approx. 20 pages) or e) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. 1 2nd letter a) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 1 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
	Referred to in LPO I	§ 62 I Nr. 1						

o8-ANP-152-m01	Analytical Chemistry (lab)							
	ECTS	6	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	P (12) + S (1)						
	Method of assessment	Vortestate/Nachtstate (pre and post-experiment examination talks approx. 15 minutes each, log approx. 5 to 10 pages each) and assessment of practical performance (2 to 4 random examinations) Language of assessment: German and/or English Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. I 1st letter a) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 1 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
o8-LMC-Ch-212-m01	Chemometrics							
	ECTS	3	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	S (2)						
	Method of assessment	written exercises (approx. 10 pages) Assessment offered: Once a year, winter term						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 2. Letter a) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh and No. 1 of Annex 3 of APOLmCh.						
o8-OC2-VL-152-m01	Organic Chemistry 2							
	ECTS	6	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (3) + Ü (1)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 15 minutes per candidate) or d) log (approx. 20 pages) or e) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. I 2nd letter b) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 2 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
	Referred to in LPO I	§ 42 I Nr. 2 and § 22 II Nr. 1 h) § 62 I Nr. 2						

o8-OC1-152-m01	Organic Chemistry 1							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (3) + Ü (1)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (approx. 90 to 180 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (20 to 30 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups of up to 3 candidates (approx. 15 minutes per candidate) or d) log (approx. 20 pages) or e) presentation (approx. 30 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. 1 2nd letter b) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 2 of annex 2 to the APOLmCh						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 62 I Nr. 2							
o3-TR-152-m01	Toxicology and legal studies							
	ECTS	3	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (1) + V (1)						
	Method of assessment	written examination (approx. 90 minutes)						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. II 2nd letter g) and i) and No. II 1st letter d) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 5 and 6 of annex 3 to the APOLmCh						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 22 II Nr. 1 h) § 22 II Nr. 2 f) § 22 II Nr. 3 f)							
o8-BC1-152-m01	Biochemistry 1							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + Ü (1)						
	Method of assessment	written examination (approx. 60 to 90 minutes)						
	Additional Information	according to § 2 para. 2 sentence 2 APOLmCh in conjunction with No. II 2nd letter e) and No. II 1st letter c) of annex 1 to the APOLmCh and No. 3 of annex 3 to the APOLmCh						
Referred to in LPO I	§ 42 I Nr. 2 § 62 I Nr. 2							
o8-BC2-152-m01	Biochemistry 2							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + Ü (1)						
	Method of assessment	written examination (approx. 60 to 90 minutes)						
Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 2. Letter e) and No. II 1. Letter c) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh and No. 3 of Annex 3 of APOLmCh.							

o8-LMC-IA-152-mo1	Introduction to Instrumental Analysis for Food Chemistry Students							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (3)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (60 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes total)						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. I 2. Letter a) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh and No. 1 of Annex 2 of APOLmCh.						
o8-LMC-LMCo-162-mo1	Introduction to Food Chemistry							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + Ü (1)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (60 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes total)						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. I 2. Letter a) and No. I 1. Letter a) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh.						
o7-LMC-BIO2-152-mo1	Microbiology for Food Chemistry students							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + Ü (3)						
	Method of assessment	Log (approx. 30 pages) Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 2. Letter f) and No. II 1. Letter b) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh and No. 4 of Annex 3 of APOLmCh.						
o3-LMC-HYG-152-mo1	Microbiology of Food and Hygiene for Food Chemistry Students							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + P (2)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (60 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes total)						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 2. Letter f) and No. II 1. Letter b) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh and No. 4 of Annex 3 of APOLmCh.						

o8-LMC-LMC-192-mo1	Food Chemistry							
	ECTS	10	Duration	2 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (2) + V (1)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (60 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes total)						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 1. Letter a) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh.						
o8-LMC-LM-CP-192-mo1	Practical Course in Food Chemistry							
	ECTS	17	Duration	2 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	P (12) + P (12) + S (2) + S (2)						
	Method of assessment	a) written examination (60 to 120 minutes) or b) oral examination of one candidate each (approx. 20 minutes) or c) oral examination in groups (groups of 2, approx. 30 minutes total)						
	Modules successfully completed	o8-LMC-LMA						
Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 1. Letter a) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh.							
Key Skills Area (20 ECTS credits)								
General Key Skills (5 ECTS credits)								
Students may select any of the modules offered as part of the pool of general transferable skills (ASQ) of JMU.								
Subject-specific Key Skills (15 ECTS credits)								
Subject-specific Key Skills, Compulsory Courses (15 ECTS credits)								
o8-LMC-FSQ1-162-mo1	Analysis Strategies							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	S (2) + S (2)						
	Method of assessment	written exercise (approx. 10 pages) Assessment offered: Once a year, winter semester						
	Additional Information	Pursuant to Section 2 Subsection 2 Sentence 2 Verordnung über die Ausbildung und Prüfung der Staatlich geprüften Lebensmittelchemikerinnen und Lebensmittelchemiker (Regulation on the training and examination of state-certified food chemists, APOLmCh) in conjunction with No. II 1. Letter a) of Annex 1 of APOLmCh.						
o8-LMC-FSQ2-192-mo1	Quality Management							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	V (1) + Ü (2)						
	Method of assessment	written exercise (approx. 10 pages) Assessment offered: Once a year, summer semester						

o8-LMC-MBA-192-m01	Introduction to Molecular Biological Analysis for Food Chemistry Students							
	ECTS	5	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	(not) successfully completed	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	P (3) + S (2)						
	Method of assessment	a) Vortestate and Nachtestate (pre and post-experiment exams, approx. 15 minutes), documentation and assessment of practical assignments (approx. 2 to 4 pages per analysis, no more than 60 pages total) or b) completion and written documentation (approx. 1 to 2 pages) of a theoretical assignment (approx. 30 minutes), Vortestate and Nachtestate (pre and post-experiment exams, approx. 15 minutes), documentation and assessment of practical assignments in lab notebook (approx. 2 to 4 pages per analysis, no more than 60 pages total) Assessment offered: usually once a year, winter semester						
Modules successfully completed	o8-LMC-LMA							
Thesis (10 ECTS credits)								
o8-LMC-BA-152-m01	Bachelor Thesis Food Chemistry							
	ECTS	10	Duration	1 semester	Method of grading	numerical grade	Modul level	undergraduate
	Courses	No courses assigned to module						
	Method of assessment	Bachelor's thesis						
Additional Information	Time to complete: 8 weeks.							