

ZANA C2104: Analytical Chromatographic Techniques for Brewing and Distilling

Module Title:		Analytical Chromatographic Techniques for Brewing and Distilling			
Language of Instruction:		English			
Credits:	5				
NFQ Level:	6				
Module Delivered In 1 programme(s)					
Teaching & Learning Strategies:		This module will be taught in two theory classes of one hour duration for 12 weeks plus one 3 hour practic per week for 12 weeks. Lectures will be linked to practical classes and the practical component will allow students to develop the required technical competencies, attitudes and behaviours and promote timely submission of reports written in the standard format			
Module Aim:		The aim of this module is to develop knowledge of basic analytical principles together with practical applications in the brewing and distilling industry			
Learning Ou	tcomes				
On successfu	ul completion of t	this module the learner should be able to:			
LO1	Explain and demonstrate a range of analytical techniques for HPLC High performance liquid chromatography Gas Chromatography and Ion Chromatography				
LO2	Discuss and describe the theoretical background on which these chromatographic techniques are based				
LO3	Operate analytical techniques relevant to the brewing and distilling industry				
Pre-requisite	e learning				
	ommendations earning (or a pra	ctical skill) that is recommended before enrolment in this module.			
No recomme	ndations listed				
Incompatible		ve learning outcomes that are too similar to the learning outcomes of this module.			
No incompatible modules listed					
Co-requisite	Modules				
No Co-requisite modules listed					
Requiremen This is prior le		ctical skill) that is mandatory before enrolment in this module is allowed.			
No requirements listed					



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Module Content & Assessment

Indicative Content

Analytical Techniques and Procedures

General approach to analytical procedures. Steps in analytical analysis. Representative sampling, sample preparation, analysis and interpretation of results. Systematic error and random error. Precision and accuracy. Measurement uncertainty.

Spectroscopic Methods

Properties of light. Electromagnetic spectrum. Absorption of light. Beers Law. Absorption Spectra and colour. Spectrometer - good operating techniques. Applications of Beers' Law. Principles of atomic absorption and flame emission spectroscopy, sample treatment, use of standards. Interferences standard addition methods applications. Infra-red spectroscopy sample preparation care and maintenance of cells. Identification of compounds using correlation charts

Separation and Chromatographic Techniques

Separation and Chromatographic Techniques: Principles of absorption, partition, ion exchange, molecular and affinity chromatography. Chromatogram description. Theoretical plates. Resolution selectivity. Gas liquid chromatography. High performance liquid chromatography. Methods of separation. Mobile and stationary places. Columns detectors solvents. Sample preparation. Qualitative and quantitative measurements. Internal standards. Ion chromatography. Solvent extraction

The Brewing and Distilling industry

Introduction to analytical techniques in brewing and distilling. Basic calculations.

Practical

Practicals will develop skills in the use of analytical equipment and techniques from , HPLC, GC, and UV-Vis and ion chromatography. The practicals covered will reinforce and amplify the material covered in the lecture course. The use of updated software, e.g. EMPOWER for HPLC and PROBE for UV-Vis will be used also.

Assessment Breakdown	%
Continuous Assessment	10.00%
Practical	40.00%
End of Module Formal Examination	50.00%

Special Regulation

Students must achieve a minimum grade (35%) in both the practical/CA and final examination.

Continuous Assessment					
Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date	
Examination	Written assessment	1,2	5.00	n/a	
Examination	Written assessment	2	5.00	n/a	

No Project

Practical						
Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date		
Practical/Skills Evaluation	Practical log book	1,3	40.00	n/a		

End of Module Formal Examination					
Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date	
Formal Exam	Written examination	1,2,3	50.00	End-of-Semester	

SETU Carlow Campus reserves the right to alter the nature and timings of assessment



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Module Workload

Workload: Full Time				
Workload Type	Frequency	Average Weekly Learner Workload		
Lecture	12 Weeks per Stage	2.00		
Laboratory	12 Weeks per Stage	3.00		
Independent Learning	15 Weeks per Stage	4.33		
	Total Hours	125.00		

Module Delivered In				
Programme Code	Programme	Semester	Delivery	
CW_SABRE_B	Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Brewing and Distilling	4	Mandatory	