

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

### **5<sup>th</sup> Junior Analyst Examination 2022(5<sup>th</sup> JAE – 2022)**

1. Keeping in view of the scarcity of food testing personnel and to encourage the fresh post graduate to have job prospects, in Food Industry/Food Testing laboratories, for them take up Food Analyst as a profession after acquiring required analytical experience, the board constituted by FSSAI decided to conduct the Junior Analyst Exam along with the regular Food Analyst Examination.
2. Essential Educational Qualification: The candidate should hold a Master's degree in Chemistry or Biochemistry or Microbiology or Dairy Chemistry or Food Technology, Food and Nutrition or hold Bachelor of Technology in Dairy/Oil/Food or hold degree in Veterinary Sciences from a University established in India by law or in an associate of the Institution of Chemists (India) or any other equivalent qualification recognized and notified by Central government for such purposes.
3. **Essential Experience: No experience is required.**
4. Age limit: - Junior Food Analyst examination Candidates age limit is maximum 28 years. For SC/ST category the maximum age is 33 years and for OBC category the maximum age is 31 years.
5. Reservation:-There is no reservation in whatsoever form since this is not for employment.
6. Fee: - Rs.1500/- non refundable through online mode along with application.
7. The Junior Analyst after acquiring 3 years mandatory experience in analysis of food may appear only in Paper-II (Practical Examination) as and when conducted in future. The opportunity for appearing in Paper-II (Practical) for Junior Analysts after acquiring 3 years of experience will be provided only once. Upon qualifying Paper –II examination, the Junior Analyst will become eligible to be declared as Food Analysts under FSSR, 2011.