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**IMK 421 – PRIMARY PRODUCTS TECHNOLOGY**  
**[TEKNOLOGI PRODUK PRIMER]**

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[Masa: 2 jam]

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Please check that the examination paper consists of **NINE (9)** pages of printed material before you begin this examination.

Answer **FOUR** questions. All questions can be answered in Bahasa Malaysia OR English.

In the event of any discrepancies, the English version shall be used.

*[Sila pastikan bahawa kertas peperiksaan ini mengandungi **SEMBILAN (9)** muka surat yang bercetak sebelum anda memulakan peperiksaan ini.]*

*Jawab **EMPAT** soalan. Semua soalan boleh dijawab dalam Bahasa Malaysia ATAU Bahasa Inggeris.*

*Sekiranya terdapat sebarang percanggahan pada soalan peperiksaan, versi Bahasa Inggeris hendaklah diguna pakai].*

**Answer any FOUR (4) questions.**

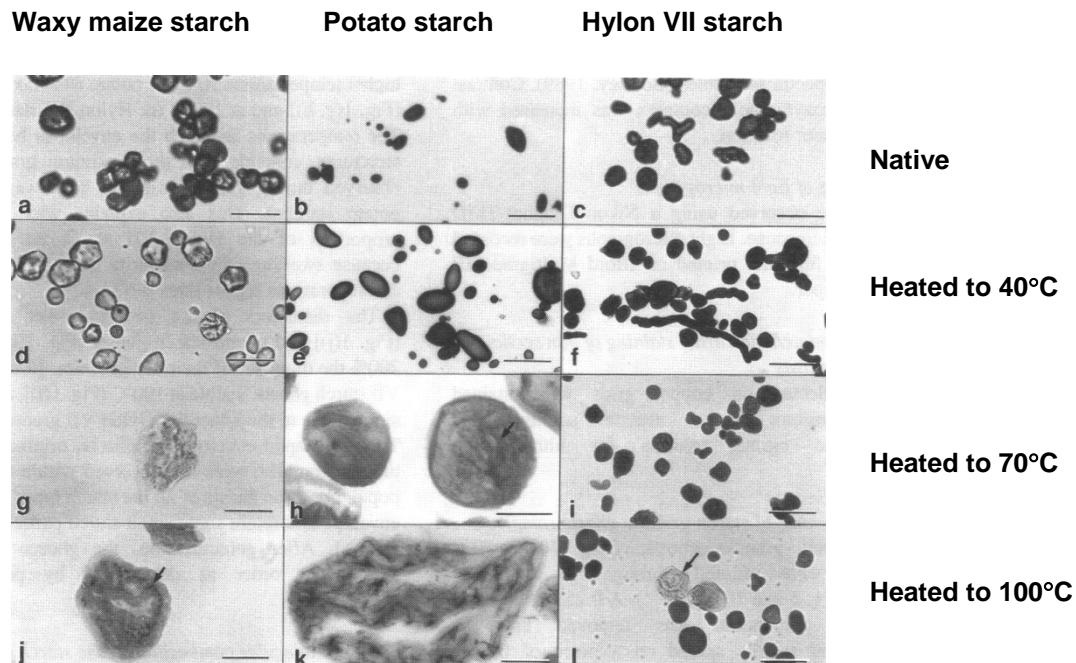
1. Answer all parts of the following question:

- (a) How do minor components such as protein, phosphorous and lipids influence the physical properties of a starch paste?

(5 marks)

- (b) Figure 1 shows the morphology of starch granules when waxy maize, potato, and Hylon VII starches were heated at different temperatures. Give a brief comment on the observed changes.

(6 marks)



**Figure 1.** Micrograph showing morphological changes of starch granules during heating.

- (c) By giving appropriate examples, explain the differences in starch gelatinization in limited water content and in excess water content systems.

(6 marks)

- (d) Table 1 shows the effect of sugar at different concentrations on the gelatinization temperature of starch. Why such trend is observed? If the sugar content in starch-based product is > 60%, explain how complete starch gelatinization can be achieved.

**Table 1. Effect of sugar (sucrose) on starch pasting temperature.**

Sugar (% w/w)	10	20	30	40	50	60
Pasting temperature (°C)	72	80	86	90	98	110

(8 marks)

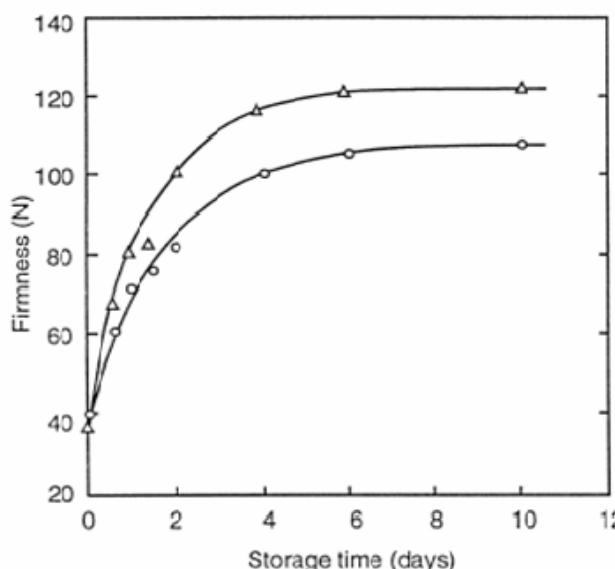
2. Answer all parts of the following question:

- (a) Briefly explain the effect of (i) starch concentration (ii) temperature (iii) sucrose and (iv) emulsifiers on the rate and extent of starch retrogradation.

(10 marks)

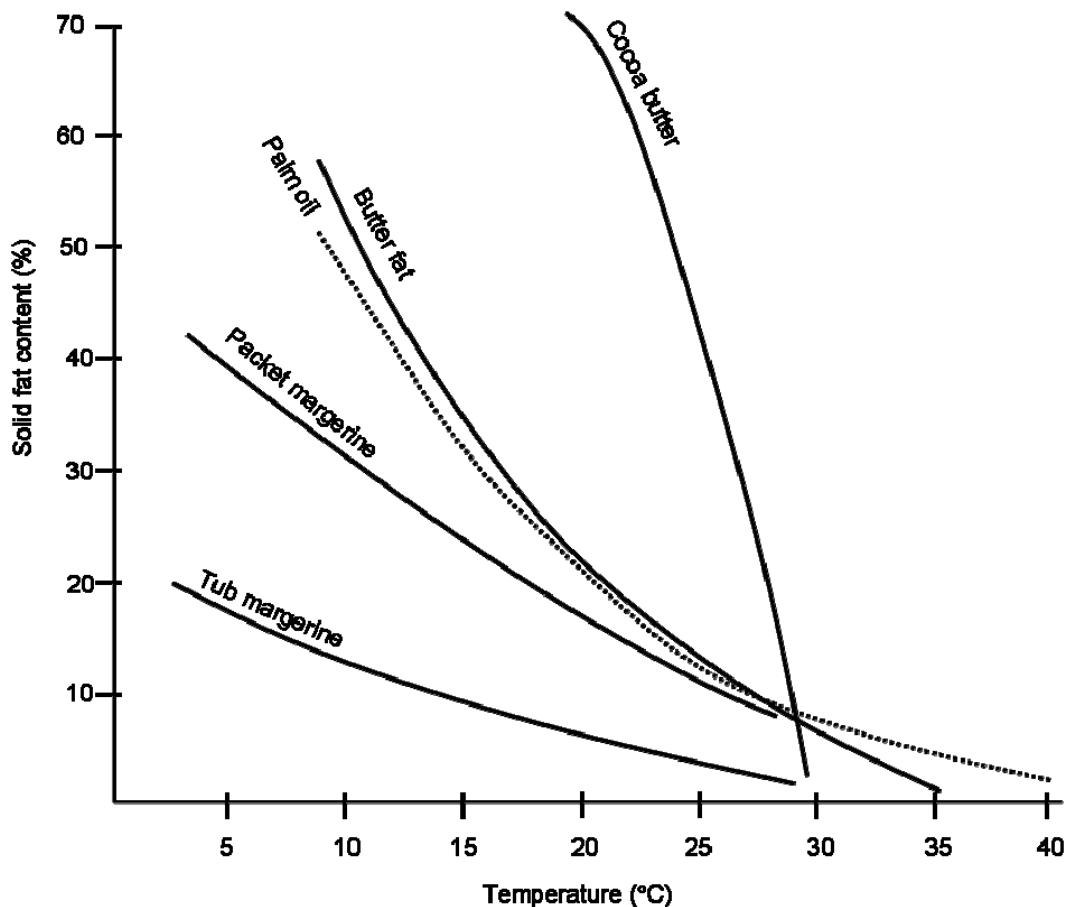
- (b) **Figure 2** shows the changes in the firmness of bread (bread A and B) during storage. Briefly explain the changes with respect to the starch component and why such profile was observed. Why is different profile in bread firmness observed for bread A and B?

(5 marks)



**Figure 2.** The changes in the firmness of bread (bread A and B) during storage.

- (c) By giving appropriate examples, discuss how you would select suitable types of modified starch for (i) frozen starch-based food products and (ii) canned foods.
- (10 marks)
3. Answer all parts of this question:
- (a) Define “solid fat content” (SFC) and “solid fat index”. List four (4) methods that can be used to achieve the desired SFC profile.
- (6 marks)



**Figure 3.** The solid fat content profiles of several fat products at different temperatures.

- (b) Oils/fats blending is frequently used in the fats and oils industries. By giving appropriate examples, discuss the rationale of this operation.

(6 marks)

- (c) **Figure 3** shows the solid fat content profiles of several fat products. Explain why such profile was observed. How does it relate to plasticity?

(8 marks)

- (d) Why palm oil and palm kernel oil are suitable raw material for producing cocoa butter equivalents?

(5 marks)

4. Answer all parts of this question:

- (a) Give two (2) principal reasons for fractionating oils/fats. Explain the principles of physical fractionation of oils/fats.

(7 marks)

- (b) Explain the differences between hydrogenation and interesterification for oils/fats modification. Explain the meaning of “selectivity” in the hydrogenation process.

(10 marks)

- (c) Discuss the physical and chemical changes during deep fat frying.

(8 marks)

5. Write short notes on the followings:

- (a) Low viscosity modified starches and their applications

(10 marks)

- (b)  $\beta'$  - and  $\beta$ -tending fats

(5 marks)

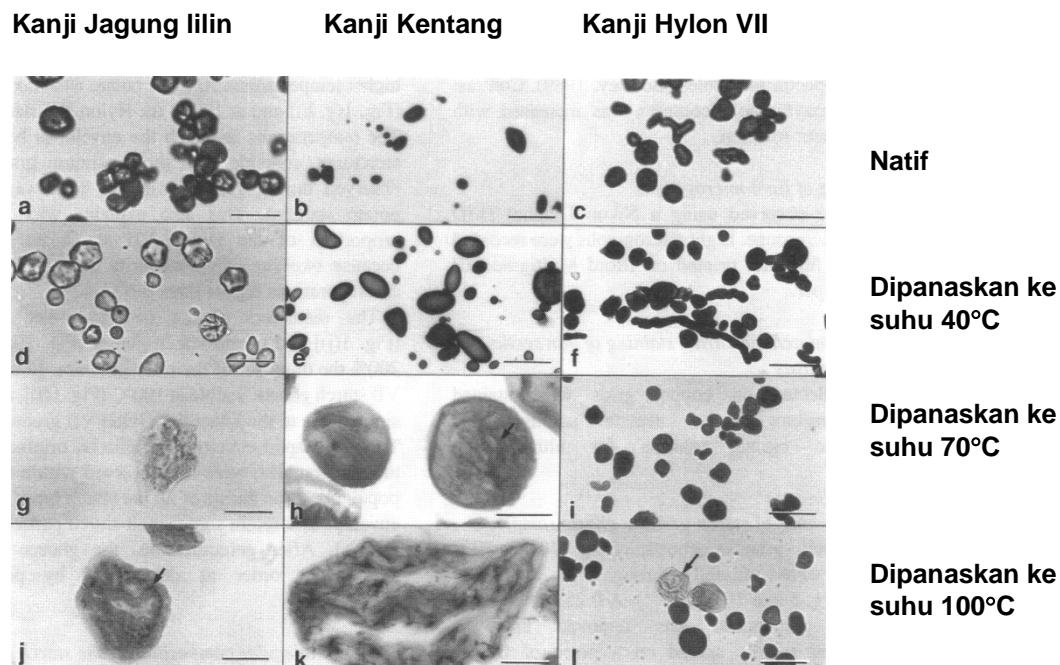
- (c) Cocoa butter equivalent (CBE) and cocoa butter substitutes (CBS)

(10 marks)

**Jawab EMPAT (4) soalan.**

1. Jawab semua bahagian soalan berikut:

- (a) Bagaimakah komponen minor seperti protein, fosforus dan lipid boleh mempengaruhi sifat-sifat fizikal pes kanji? (5 markah)
- (b) **Rajah 2** menunjukkan perubahan morfologi granul kanji jagung lilin, kentang dan Hylon VII apabila dipanaskan pada suhu yang berbeza. Beri ulasan ringkas mengenai perubahan yang diperhatikan. (6 markah)



**Rajah 2.** Mikrograf yang menunjukkan perubahan morfologi granul kanji semasa pemanasan.

- (c) Dengan memberikan contoh-contoh yang sesuai, terangkan perbezaan antara gelatinisasi kanji di dalam air yang terhad dan air yang berlebihan.

(6 markah)

- (d) **Jadual 1** menunjukkan kesan kepekatan gula (sukrosa) terhadap suhu pempesan kanji. Mengapakah tren sedemikian diperhatikan? Jika kandungan gula dalam produk berdasarkan kanji  $> 60\%$ , bagaimanakah tahap gelatinisasi yang lengkap dapat dicapai?

**Jadual 1. Kesan kepekatan gula (sukrosa) terhadap suhu pempesan kanji.**

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(8 markah)

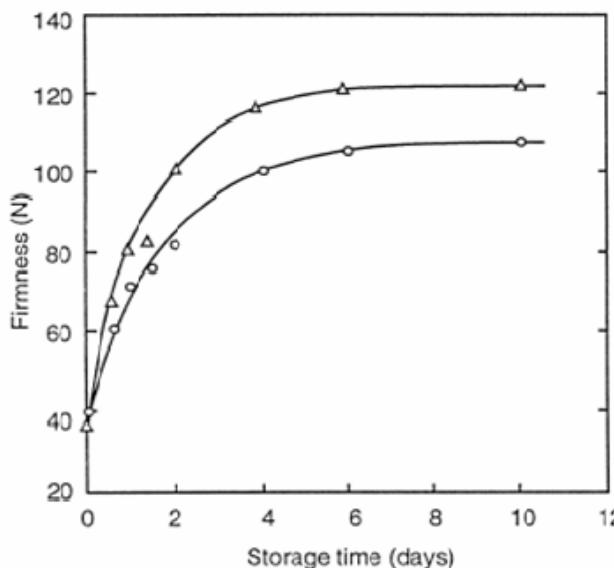
2. Jawab semua bahagian soalan berikut:

- (a) Terangkan secara ringkas pengaruh (i) kepekatan kanji (ii) suhu (iii) sukrosa dan (iv) pengemulsi terhadap kadar dan tahap retrogradasi kanji.

(10 markah)

- (b) **Rajah 2** menunjukkan perubahan dalam kekerasan roti (roti A dan B) semasa penstoran. Jelaskan perubahan yang berlaku terhadap komponen kanji dan mengapa profil sedemikian diperhatikan. Mengapa terdapat perbezaan profil kekerasan bagi roti A dan roti B?

(5 markah)



**Rajah 2.** perubahan dalam kekerasan roti (roti A dan B) semasa penstoran.

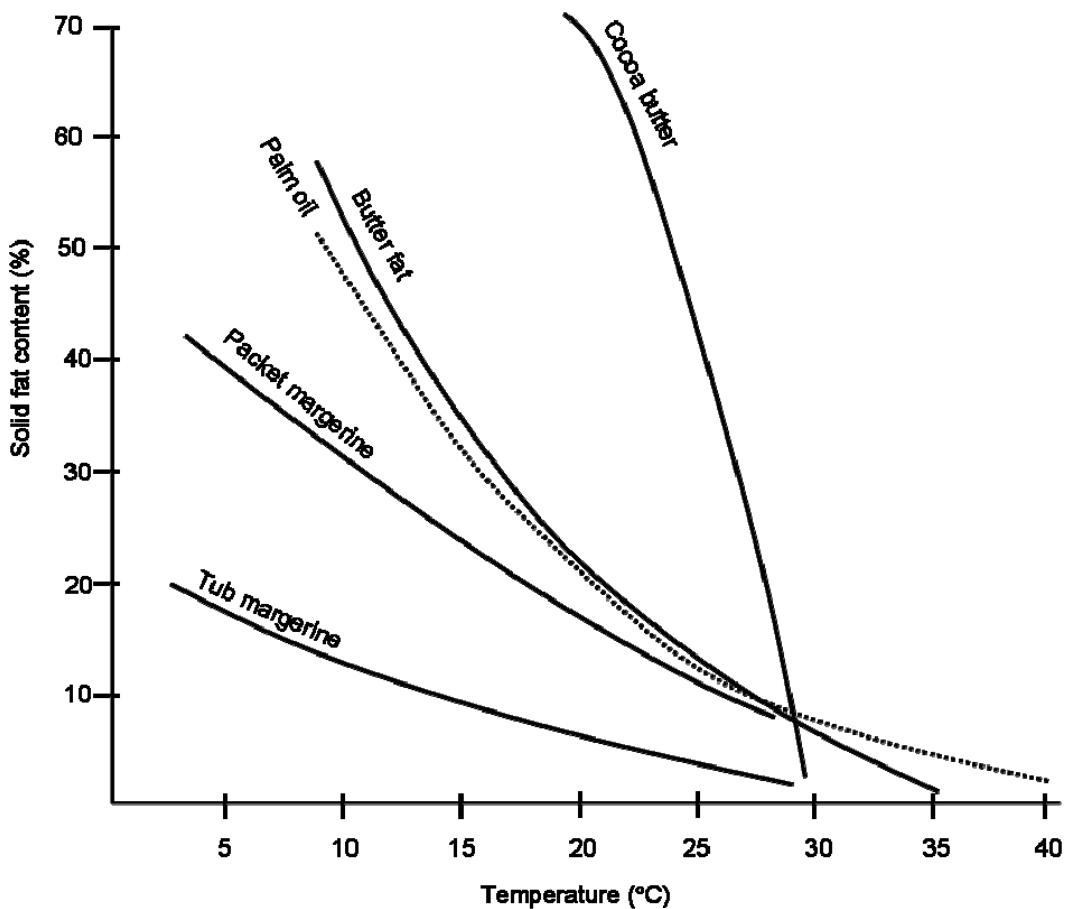
- (c) Dengan memberikan contoh-contoh yang sesuai bincangkan kriteria pemilihan kanji terubahsuai yang sesuai bagi (i) produk makanan berasas kanji tersebut dan (ii) makanan berkaleng.

(10 markah)

3. Jawab semua bahagian soalan berikut:

- (a) Takrifkan "kandungan lemak pepejal" (SFC) dan "indeks lemak pepejal" (SFI). Senaraikan empat (4) kaedah yang boleh digunakan untuk mencapai profil SFC yang diingini.

(6 markah)



**Rajah 3.** Kandungan lemak pepejal dalam beberapa jenis produk lemak pada suhu yang berlainan.

- (b) *Percampuran minyak kerap digunakan dalam industri minyak dan lemak. Dengan memberikan contoh-contoh yang sesuai, bincangkan rasional operasi ini.*

(6 markah)

- (c) **Rajah 3** menunjukkan profil kandungan lemak pepejal bagi beberapa jenis produk lemak. Terangkan mengapa profil sedemikian diperhatikan. Apakah kaitannya dengan sifat keplastikan?

(8 markah)

- (d) *Mengapakah minyak sawit dan minyak kernel sawit merupakan bahan mentah yang sesuai digunakan untuk menghasilkan mentega koko setara?*

(5 markah)

4. *Jawab semua bahagian soalan berikut:*

- (a) *Beri dua (2) sebab utama untuk proses fraksinasi minyak/lemak. Terangkan prinsip fraksinasi minyak/lemak.*

(7 markah)

- (b) *Terangkan perbezaan antara penghidrogenan dan interesterifikasi bagi modifikasi minyak/lemak. Terangkan maksud “selectivity” dalam proses penghidrogenan.*

(10 markah)

- (c) *Terangkan perubahan fizikal dan kimia yang berlaku semasa proses penggorengan.*

(8 markah)

5. *Tulis catatan ringkas mengenai perkara-perkara berikut:*

- (a) *Kanji terubahsuai berkelikatan rendah dan aplikasinya*

(10 markah)

- (b) *Lemak “ $\beta'$ - and  $\beta$ -tending”*

(5 markah)

- (c) *Lemak koko setara (CBE) dan lemak koko pengganti (CBS)*

(10 markah)