## **GOVT DEGREE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN WANAPARTHY**

## **DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY**

# Jignasa student study project

## TOPIC

# **ESTIMATION OF HAEMOGLOBIN LEVELS IN COLLEGE STUDENTS**

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**Aim**: To estimate the levels of Hb content in our college students & identifying how many members are suffering from anemia.

## **Objectives:**

- 1. To know the basic structure of Hb .
- 2. To know about the function of Hb .
- 3. To know the diseases related to blood.

### INTRODUCTION:

Hemoglobin is a respiratory pigment present in RBC and imparts red colour to the blood. It is a conjugate protein , madeup of 4 polypeptide chains .

The main function is to deliver oxygen to the tissue and carbondioxide from tissue to the lungs.

## **Materials and methods**

### **CHEMICALS**

1. N/10 HCL	6. Comparater
2. Distill water	7. Stirrer
3. Spirit	8. Hemoglobin pippete
4. Cotton	9. Dropping pippete
5. Graduated Hemoglobin tube	10. Cleaning brush

METHOD : Sahlis method

**PRINCIPLE:** N/10 HCL converts haemoglobin into soluble and unstable acid hematin. The colour intensity of the acid hematin after dilution is compared with standed brown glass in the comparater.

#### NORMAL HAEMOGLOBIN CONCENTRATION:

- ✤ Men 13 to 18 g/dl
- ✤ Women 12 to 16 g/dl
- ✤ New born 16 to 22 g/dl
- Children 12 to 14g/dl

## **PROCEDURE :**

- Place N/10 HCL into Hb tube upto 2gms.
- > Blood sample in sahlis Hb pipette upto 20 micro lt.
- Add blood sample to acid solution.
- Mix with a stirrer.
- Allow to stand for 10 min.
- Add distilled water drop by drop till the colour of the solution matches to brown glass standard.
- > Take the reading of the lower meniscus from the graduated tube in grams.





## ANALYSIS OF DATA:

We estimated the Hb levels in 100 pupils of GDC (W) WNP, in this 85% of the students having Hb levels ranging between 9 to 11.5 gm/dl, and they are suffering from Anemia, 10% of the students having Hb levels ranging between 12 to 14 gm/dl, and they are no anemic. Remaining 5% of students suffering from severe Anemia, and they have Hb levels ranging between less than 7gm/dl.

### **RESULT:**

S.NO	Percentage of the student	Hb level	Condition
1	85%	9 to 11.5 gm/dl	Anaemic
2	10%	12 to 14 gm/dl	No Anaemic
3	5%	Less than 7gm	Severe Anaemic

**CONCLUSION:** Through this study project we estimated most of the college students suffering from Anemia, because of lack of proper nutrient diet.

**SUGGESTIONS:** The students those who are suffering from severe Anemia are suggested as

- Eat plenty of Iron rich foods such as Green and leafy vegetables , lean red meat , lentils , beans and iron – fortified cereals and breads
- Eat and drink vitamin C rich foods and drinks
- Avoid drinking Tea (or) Coffee with your meals , as they can effect Iron absorption
- To increase the amount of vit B 12 and folic acid, take eggs, low fat milk, legumes, Brussels sprouts, beets, citrus fruits.