

Eating For Your Genes

NUTRITION PROFILE

#### PERSONALIZED FOODS

FTO GENE

GENE-BASED RECOMMENDATIONS



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Fun Fact: If you stretched the DNA found in one cell all the way out, it would be about 2 meters long.

## Welcome to GenoPalate

## DearYour name,

Discovery can be fun, and we're excited that you want to learn more about yourself.

Every day you're making decisions about what to eat. Now with insights about your genes, you'll be able to make even smarter decisions. Whether you're in a grocery store, a farmer's market or your neighborhood restaurant, you now have the power to personalize your nutrition based on your genetic results.

**Enjoy Eating For Your Genes!** 

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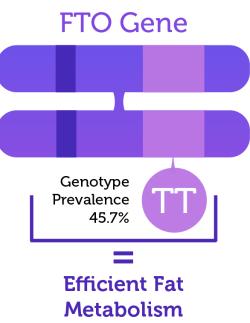
# Your Crash Course in Genetics

DNA is genetic material that carries the instructions for your body's structure and function. DNA is made up of molecules called nucleotides, which come in four types: Adenine (A), Thymine (T), Cytosine (C), and Guanine (G).

Specific sequences of nucleotides are called genes, and genes provide instructions for making proteins. For example ACTCG is a gene.

Proteins do most of the work in your cells and are responsible for the function of your body's tissues and organs. Proteins also control the way your body processes food.

Instructions for making proteins can vary from person to person depending on the sequence of nucleotides (A, T, C, and G)



in their genes. Some nucleotides tend to differ between people. When nucleotides vary between two people, for example AT vs TT, it is called a variant or Single Nucleotide Polymorphism (SNP). SNPs (pronounced snips) can lead to differences in everything from eye color to how you metabolize carbohydrates, vitamins, and fats.

Gene

At GenoPalate, we analyze the SNPs that determine how your body processes food.



**Fun Fact**: Identical twins have the exact same DNA, so if you're recommending GenoPalate to any twins you know, tell them they only need to buy one.

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## What is a Carrot?

Maybe you see some delicious carrots at your local farmer's market. What GenoPalate sees is a vegetable with moderate fiber, no vitamin D, and an abundance of vitamin A.

The different nutrients in carrots each play a unique role in your body. Fiber supports your intestinal health, vitamin D promotes calcium absorption, and vitamin A helps you maintain healthy skin and vision.

When we consume these nutrients, our bodies each respond differently based on our genes. For example, if you have the GG genotype of the BCO1 gene, your body will not absorb



vitamin A optimally. Therefore you will benefit from consuming foods higher in vitamin A like carrots, sweet potatoes, and eel.

We analyze your unique genetic profile to determine your optimal intake levels for key macro- and micronutrients. By combining your genotype results and the nutrient composition of foods, we provide you with a comprehensive list of foods that are healthier for you.



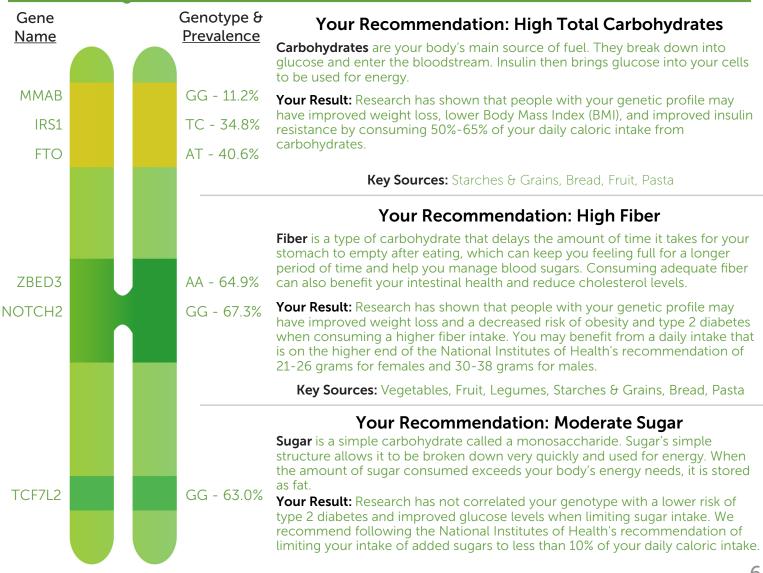
We analyzed your genetic variants (SNPs) that impact your nutrition. Below you will see the genes that these SNPs are located on, along with their associated genotype and prevalence. Your **Genotype** is your unique set of nucleotides that determines your nutrition recommendation. The **Prevalence** is the percentage of the population that has this genotype.

Your recommended macro- and micronutrient levels are based on the analysis of the most impactful nutrition SNPs. On the following pages, you will see examples of some of the SNPs we analyzed.

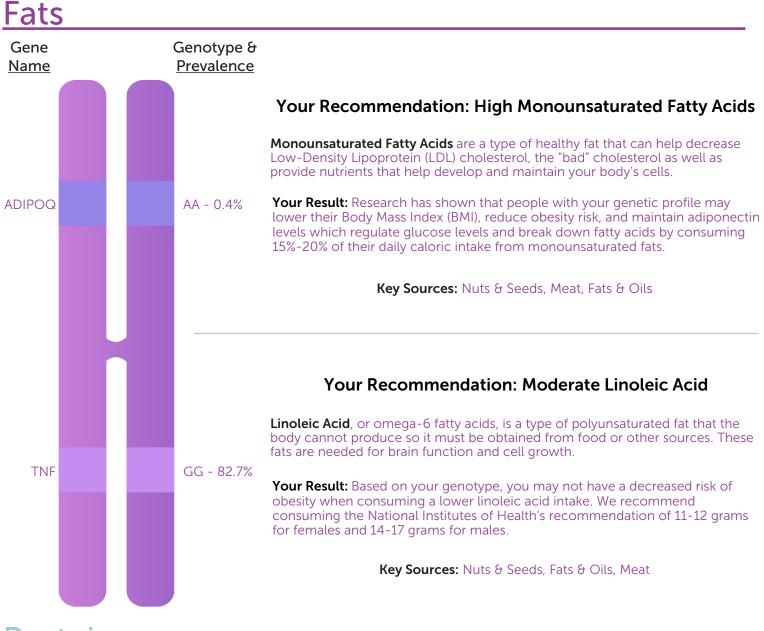
**Your Recommendations** are derived from research showing positive health outcomes associated with your genotype.

If you are recommended a high intake for a nutrient, we are suggesting you will benefit from consuming foods higher in that nutrient. If given a low recommendation, we are suggesting that you don't need to consume as many foods that are high in that nutrient.

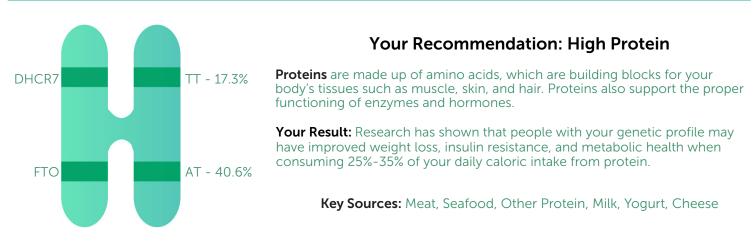
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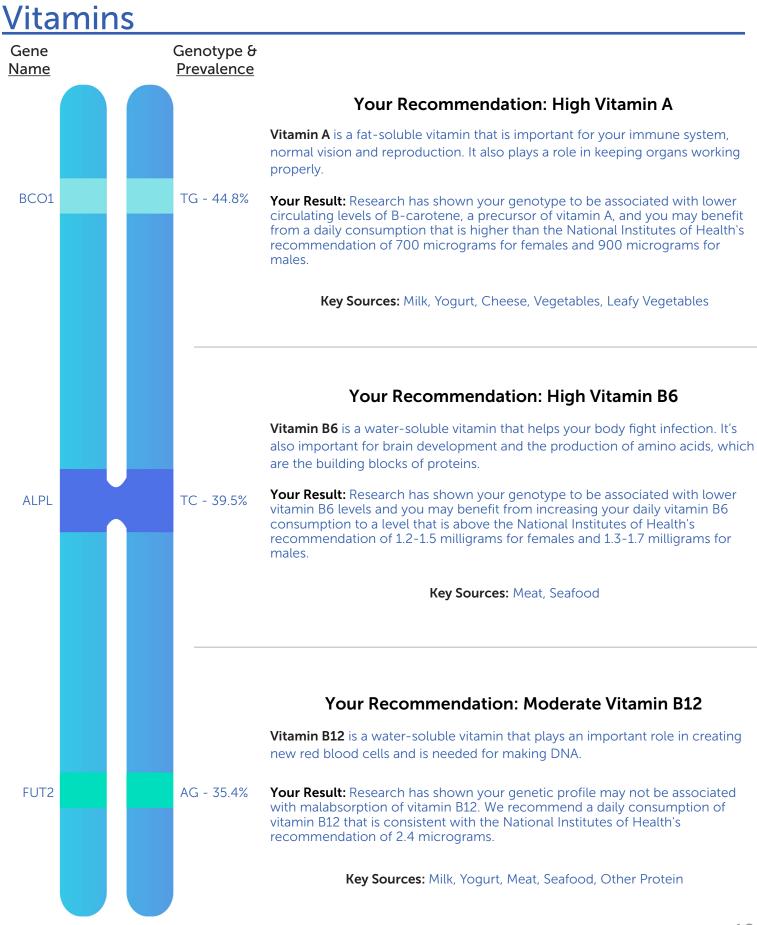
Gene <u>Name</u>	Genotype & <u>Prevalence</u>	Your Recommendation: Low Total Fat
		<b>Fats</b> provide your body with energy and also support cell growth. They protect
		your organs, help keep your body warm and produce important hormones. You body needs fats for the absorption of vitamins A, D, E and K.
FTO	AT - 40.6%	Your Result: Research has shown that people with your genetic profile may
FAAH GIPR	AA - 7.8% TC - 26.2%	benefit from consuming 20%-25% of their daily caloric intake from fat. Benefits can include: improved Body Mass Index (BMI), weight loss, increased High-Density Lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol, the "good" cholesterol, decreased Low-Density Lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, the "bad" cholesterol, triglyceride levels, and total cholesterol levels.
		Key Sources: Nuts & Seeds, Meat, Seafood, Fats & Oils, Cheese
		Your Recommendation: Low Saturated Fat
		<b>Saturated Fats</b> are fat molecules "saturated" with hydrogen molecules. Consuming too much saturated fat can increase total cholesterol and increase
APOA2	AG - 34.1%	levels of the Low-Density Lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, the "bad" cholesterol.
LEPR	AG - 43.8%	Your Result: Research has shown that people with your genetic profile may
GFOD2	AG - 28.4%	have a reduced risk of obesity and Metabolic Syndrome when consuming less than 9% of their daily caloric intake from saturated fats. Metabolic Syndrome is associated with increased triglyceride levels, cholesterol, blood pressure, blood sugar, and body fat around the waist.
		Key Sources: Meat, Cheese, Fats & Oils
		Your Recommendation: Moderate Omega-3 Fatty Acids
		<b>Omega-3 Fatty Acids</b> are a type of polyunsaturated fat that the body cannot produce so they must be obtained from food or other sources. These fats contribute to heart health, the building of brain cells and may even help improvimemory.
DIPOQ	GG - 3.1%	<b>Your Result:</b> Based on your genotype, you may not see an increase in adiponectin levels, which regulate glucose levels and break down fatty acids, when consuming a high intake of omega-3 fatty acids. We recommend consuming an omega-3 fat intake that is consistent with the National Institutes of Health's recommendation of 1,100 milligrams for females and 1,600 milligrams for males.
		Key Sources: Seafood, Nuts & Seeds
		Your Recommendation: High Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids
EAD OF	TC 20.5%	<b>Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids</b> are a type of healthy fat that provides nutrients that help fight Low-Density Lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, the "bad" cholesterol These healthy fats can also contribute nutrients that help develop and maintain your body's cells. The two main types of polyunsaturated fat are omega-3 and omega-6.
FADS1	TC - 28.5%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown that people with your genetic profile may increase their High-Density Lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol, the "good" cholesterol, by consuming more than 6% of their daily caloric intake from polyunsaturated fats.
		Key Sources: Nuts & Seeds, Fats & Oils 7

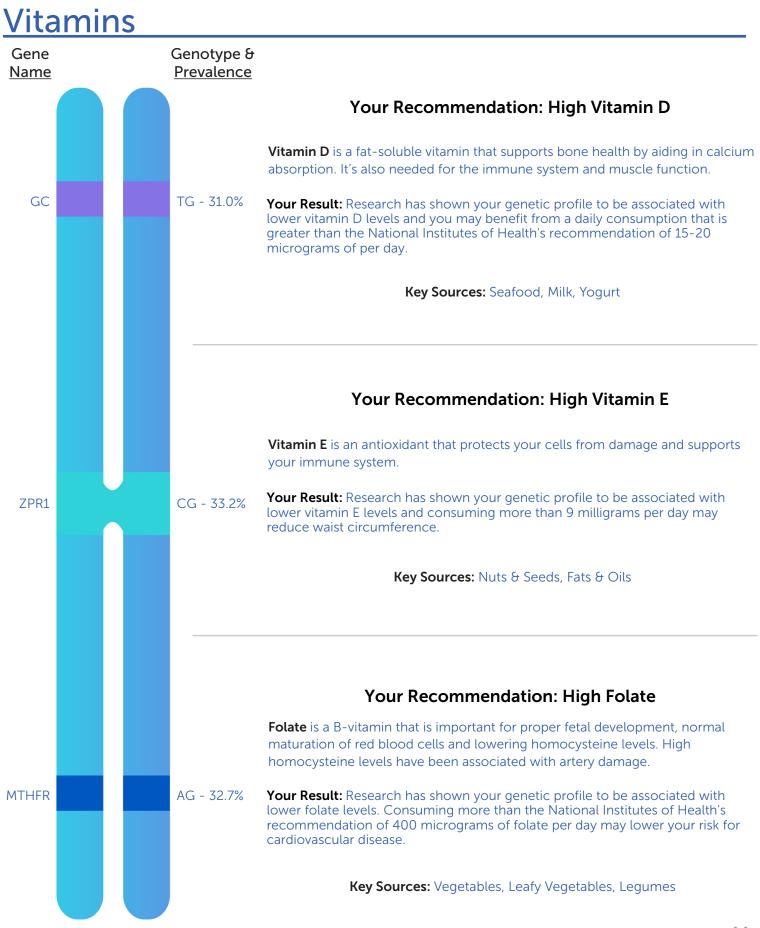






Gene	Genotype &	
Name	Prevalence	Your Recommendation: High Calcium
		<b>Calcium</b> is a mineral that is essential to bone health. It also plays a role in musc contraction and blood clotting.
VDR	TT - 11.2%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown your genotype to be associated with lower calcium absorption levels and your bone health may improve by consuming more than the National Institutes of Health's recommendation of 1,000-1,300 milligrams of calcium per day.
		Key Sources: Milk, Yogurt, Cheese, Leafy Vegetables
		Your Recommendation: Low Sodium
AGT	AA - 12.6%	<b>Sodium</b> is an essential mineral that helps control your body's fluid balance. It's also needed for your muscles and nerves to work properly. However, too much sodium can pull extra fluid into your blood vessels, causing increased blood pressure.
AGT	TT - 54.3%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown that people with your genetic profile may have a reduced incidence of hypertension by consuming less than 1,800 milligrams of sodium per day.
		Key Sources: Meat, Seafood, Cheese, Bread
		Your Recommendation: Moderate Iron
		<b>Iron</b> is a component in hemoglobin, the substance in red blood cells that carrie oxygen throughout your body.
HFE	GG - 97.6%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has correlated your genetic profile with a normal iron absorption rate. We recommend a daily consumption of iron that is consistent with the National Institutes of Health's recommendation of 8-18 milligrams for females 8-11 milligrams for males.
		Key Sources: Meat, Leafy Vegetables, Starches & Grains, Bread, Pasta
		Your Recommendation: High Zinc
CL C 7047	CC 42.7%	Zinc is a mineral that is important for your immune system, wound healing and maintaining the health of your bones and eyes. It's also important for your sens of taste and smell.
SLC30A3	GG - 42.3%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown your genetic profile to be associated with lower zinc levels and you may benefit by consuming more than the National Institutes of Health's recommendation of 8-9 milligrams for females and 11 milligrams for males per day.
		Key Sources: Meat, Starches & Grains, Cheese, Milk, Yogurt
		Your Recommendation: Moderate Magnesium
		<b>Magnesium</b> is a mineral that helps keep your bones and heart healthy. It also plays an important role in many functions including muscle contractions and the production of energy and proteins.
TRPM6	TT - 4.4%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown that people with your genetic profile may no decrease their risk of type 2 diabetes when consuming an increased magnesiur intake. We recommend consuming a daily magnesium intake that is consistent with the National Institutes of Health's recommendation of 310-360 milligrams for females and 400-420 milligrams for males.
		Key Sources: Nuts & Seeds, Legumes, Starches & Grains





#### **Sensitivities**

CPY1A2

ADH1B

ADH1C

AA - 41.2%

AT - 0.8%

Gene <u>Name</u>	Genotype & <u>Prevalence</u>	Your Recommendation: Low Lactose Sensitivity
MCM6- LCT	TC - 16.6%	Lactose is the sugar found in milk and is digested by the enzyme lactase. Lactase gives babies the ability to digest their mother's milk without getting an upset stomach. As a baby grows into adulthood, the enzyme turns off, leading to digestive discomfort when consuming lactose. The genetic mutation that developed over time actually helps to digest lactose in adulthood by keeping the lactase enzyme turned on.
		<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown that people with your genetic profile have a genetic variant associated with the ability to break down lactose. You are unlikely to be sensitive to lactose. However, this is not a diagnosis of an allergy or intolerance.
		Your Recommendation: Not Likely Sensitive to Gluten
HLA- DQA1	CC - 85.4%	<b>Gluten</b> is a protein that helps food maintain its shape. It is found primarily in wheat, rye and barley and can also be found in oats. Some people react to gluten consumption with an immune response, which can cause inflammation, intestinal damage, and abdominal discomfort.
IL18RAP	TC - 36.3%	<b>Your Result:</b> Research has shown that people with your genetic profile are not likely to be sensitive to gluten. However, this is not a diagnosis of an allergy or intolerance.
Substance	es	
		<b>Your Recommendation: Fast Caffeine Metabolizer</b> <b>Caffeine</b> is a dietary component that acts as a stimulant. It stimulates your central nervous system and may cause you to feel more alert and energized. Caffeine reaches its peak level in your body within one hour of consuming, and its affects can be felt for up to 4.6 hours after consumption. Capatis variants

its effects can be felt for up to 4-6 hours after consumption. Genetic variants can affect how quickly your body breaks down caffeine.

Your Result: Research has shown that people with your genetic profile metabolize caffeine quickly. After drinking caffeinated beverages, you may have a heightened focus without feeling jittery, anxious or experiencing a headache.

#### Your Recommendation: Neutral Alcohol Metabolizer

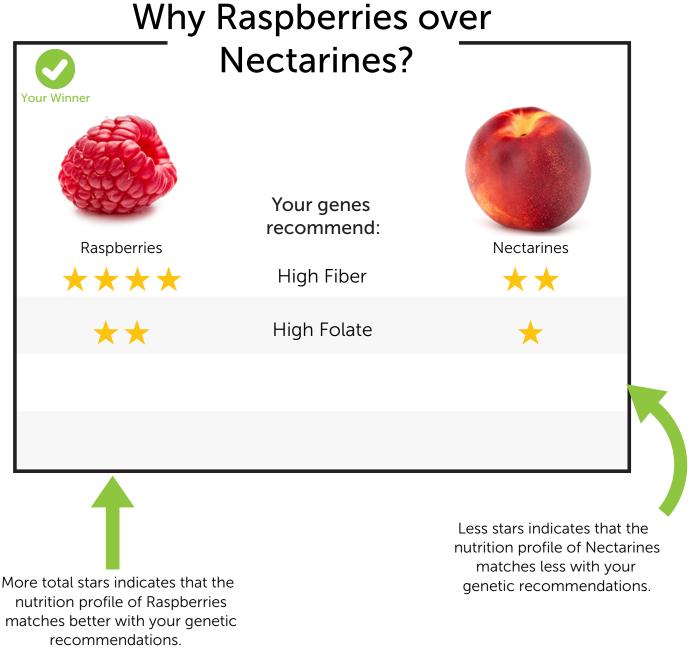
Alcohol is a hydrocarbon that is produced by the fermentation of sugar. When consumed, it acts as a depressant and interferes with the brain's communication pathways until it can be metabolized by enzymes. This rate of metabolism can change depending on your genetic variant.

CC - 63.8% Your Result: Research has not correlated your genetic profile with a decrease in alcohol biodisposition, the ability for your body to metabolize alcohol. If you choose to consume alcohol, the National Institutes of Health recommend drinking in moderation, which is up to 1 drink per day for women and 2 drinks per day for men.

Based on your genetic results and your nutrition recommendations, some foods have a nutrient profile that matches your genetic based nutrition recommendations better than others.

The example below illustrates why you were recommended one food over another. The number of stars represents how well each nutrient matches your macro- and micronutrient recommendations.

We combine all of your nutrition recommendations together to determine your food recommendations.



Fun Fact: We could store all the digital information in the world with only 2 grams of DNA because it is capable of holding so much data!

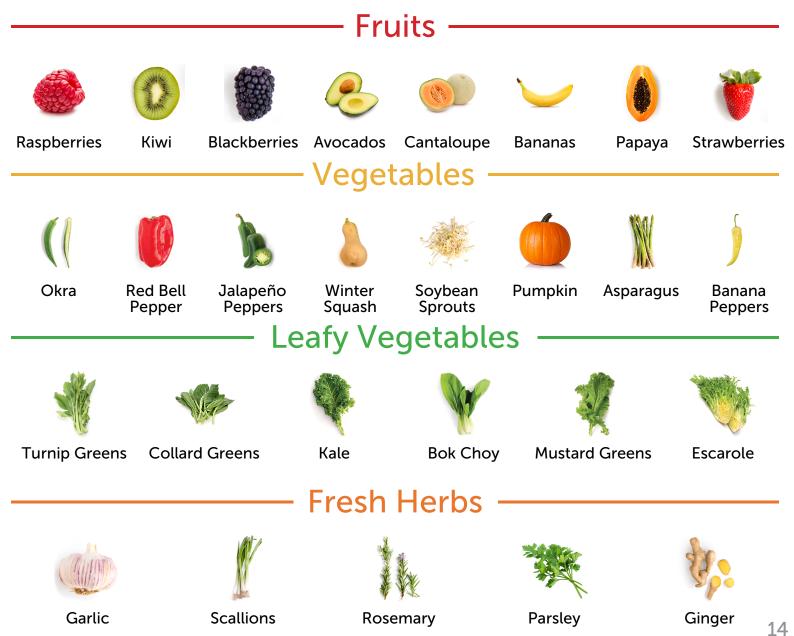
Below are your food recommendations for Fruit, Vegetables, Leafy Vegetables and Fresh Herbs which are good sources of carbohydrates and fiber. Leafy vegetables are also good sources iron, folate and calcium. Your top foods in these categories were uniquely chosen based on all of your genetic-based nutrition recommendations.

Your top **Fruits** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Fiber and High Folate.

Your top **Vegetables** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Fiber, High Folate, High Calcium and High Vitamin B6.

Your top **Leafy Vegetables** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Folate, High Vitamin A, High Calcium and High Fiber.

Your top **Fresh Herbs** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Vitamin B6 and High Zinc.

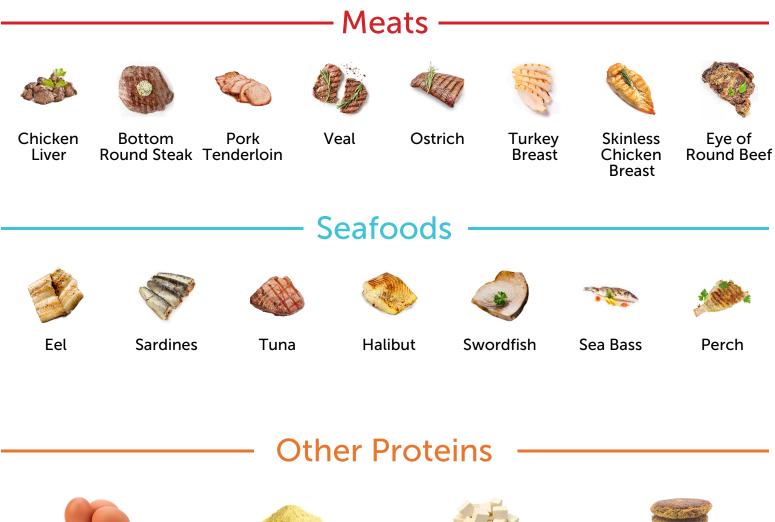


Below are your food recommendations for Meat, Seafood and Other Protein which are key sources of protein and vitamins B6 and B12. Meat and Seafood are good sources of iron and zinc can be found in most meats. Your top foods in these categories were uniquely chosen based on all of your genetic-based nutrition recommendations.

Your top **Meats** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Folate, High Vitamin B6, High Vitamin A and Low Sodium.

Your top **Seafoods** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Monounsaturated Fatty Acids, High Vitamin A, High Vitamin E and High Zinc.

Your top **Other Proteins** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Vitamin D, High Monounsaturated Fatty Acids, High Folate and High Vitamin A.



Whole Eggs

Nutritional Yeast

Tofu



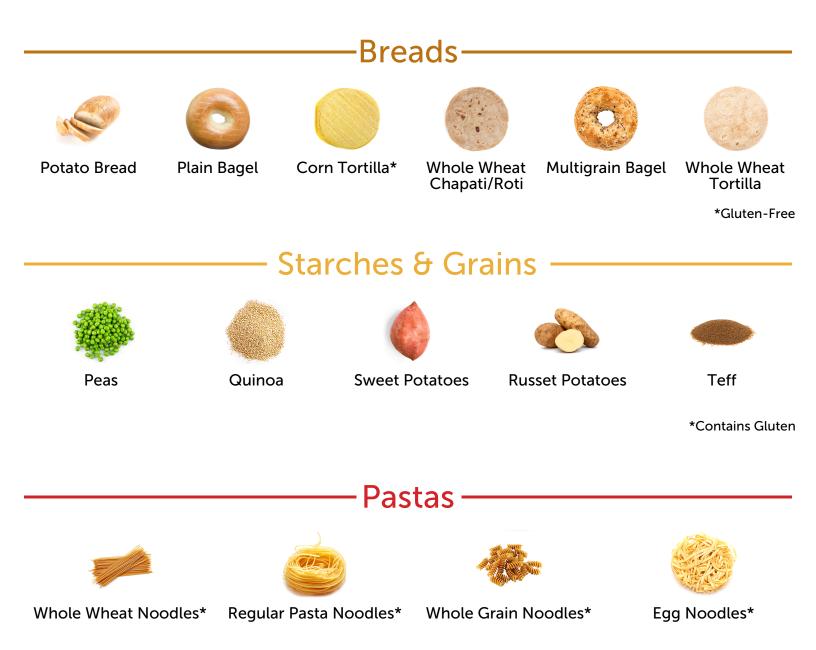
Soy Burger

Below are your food recommendations for Breads, Starches and Pasta which are key sources of carbohydrates, fiber, iron and magnesium. Your top foods in these categories were uniquely chosen based on all of your genetic-based nutrition recommendations.

Your top **Breads** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Fiber, High Protein and High Calcium.

Your top **Starches & Grains** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Total Carbohydrates, High Fiber and High Folate.

Your top **Pastas** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Protein, High Folate and High Zinc.



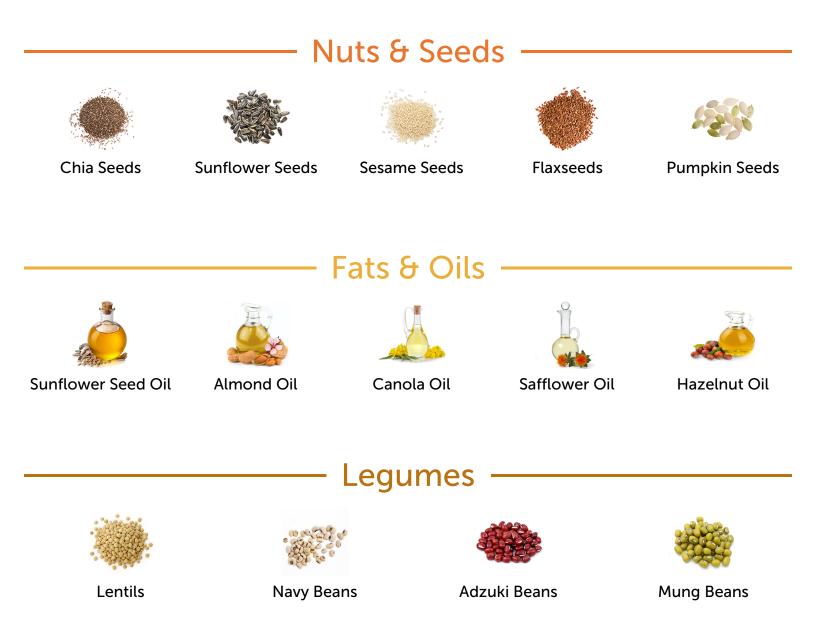
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Below are your food recommendations for Nuts & Seeds, Legumes, and Fats & Oils which are key sources poly- and monounsaturated fats and vitamin E. Nuts & Seeds are also good sources of omega-3 fats, zinc and magnesium. Legumes are also a good source of fiber, folate and magnesium. Your top foods in these categories were uniquely chosen based on all of your genetic-based nutrition recommendations.

Your top **Nuts & Seeds** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Fiber, High Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids, High Calcium and High Protein.

Your top **Fats & Oils** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Monounsaturated Fatty Acids and High Vitamin E.

Your top **Legumes** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume High Folate and High Monounsaturated Fatty Acids.

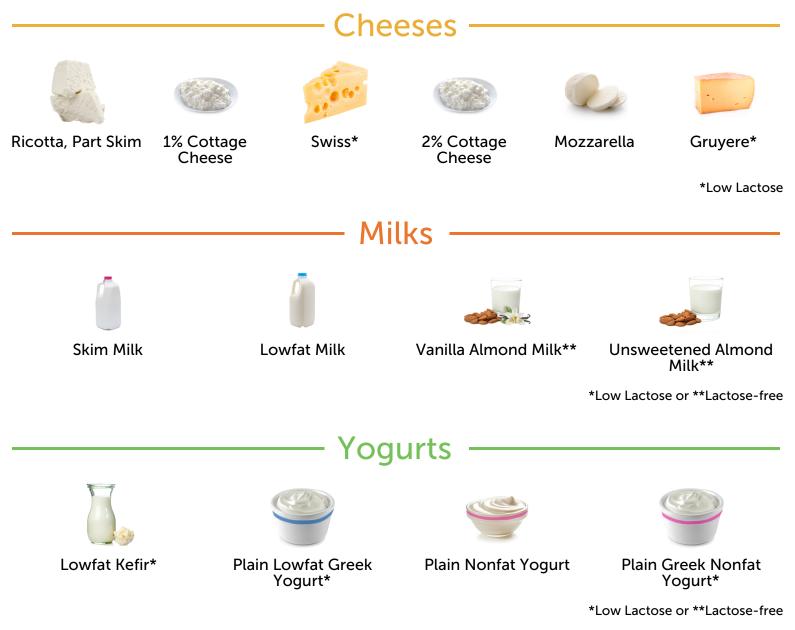


Below are your food recommendations for Milk, Yogurt and Cheese which are key sources of calcium, protein, vitamin B12 and vitamin D. Milk is also be a good source of vitamin A. Your top foods in these categories were uniquely chosen based on all of your genetic-based nutrition recommendations.

Your top **Cheeses** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume Low Sodium, Low Total Fat, Low Saturated Fat and High Vitamin A.

Your top **Milks** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume Low Total Fat, High Total Carbohydrates, High Protein and High Zinc.

Your top **Yogurts** were chosen based on your recommendations to consume Low Total Fat, Low Saturated Fat, High Vitamin A and High Vitamin D.



# **Start Eating For Your Genes**

You now have the information and power to walk into a store and know exactly which foods are healthier for you, based on your genes.

It's also important to mention that eating for your genes is only one part of building a healthy lifestyle. Exercise, sleep, and stress management are also essential for a balanced and healthy life.

The next time you're making decisions about what food to eat, Eat For Your Genes!

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