

Food & Chemical Effects on Acid / Alkaline Body Chemical Balance

Most Alkaline	More Alkaline	Low Alkaline	Lowest Alkaline	Food Category	Lowest Acid	Low Acid	More Acid	Most Acid
•Baking Soda	Spices/Cinnamon Valerian Licorice •Black Cohash	•Herbs (most): Arnica, Bergamot, Echinacea, Chrysanthemum, Ephedra, Fevefew, Goldenseal, Lemongrass	White Willow Bark Slippery Elm Artemesia Annua	Spice/Herb	Curry	Vanilla Stevia	Nutmeg	Pudding/ Jam/ Jelly
Sea Salt Mineral Water	•Kambucha Molasses Soy Sauce	•Green or Mu Tea Rice Syrup Apple Cider Vinegar	<i>Sulfite</i> Ginger Tea •Sucanat •Umeboshi Vinegar	Preservativn Beverage Sweetener Vinegar	<i>MSG</i> <i>Kona Coffee</i> Honey/ Maple Syrup Rice Vinegar	<i>Benzoate</i> <i>Alcohol</i> Black Tea Balsamic Vinegar`	<i>Aspartame</i> <i>Coffee</i> Saccharin	<i>Table Salt (NaCl)</i> Beer, “Soda” Yeast/Hops/Malt Sugar/Cocoa White/Acetic Vinegar
•Umeboshi Plum		•Sake	•Algae, Blue-Green •Ghee (Clarified Butter) Human Breast Milk	Therapeutic Processed Dairy Cow/Human Soy Goat/Sheep	Cream/Butter Yogurt Goat/Sheep Cheese	<i>Antihistamines</i> Cow Milk Aged cheese Soy Cheese Goat Milk	<i>Psychotropics</i> •Casein, Milk, Protein, Cottage Cheese New Cheese Soy Milk	<i>Antibiotics</i> <i>Processed Cheese</i> Ice Cream
		•Quail Egg	•Duck Egg	Egg	Chicken Egg			
				Meat Game Fish/Shell Fish	Gelatin/Organs •Venison Fish	Lamb/Mutton Boar/Elk/•Game Meat Shell Fish/ Mollusks	Pork/Veal Bear •Mussel/Squid	Beef Lobster
				Fowl	Wild Duck	Goose/Turkey	Chicken	•Pheasant
			Oat “Grain Coffee” •Quinoa Wild Rice Japonica Rice	Grain Cereal Grass	•Triticale Millet Kasha •Amaranth Brown Rice	Buckwheat Wheat •Spelt/Teff/Kamut Farina/Semolina White Rice	Maize Barley Groat Corn Rye Oat Bran	Barley <i>Processed Flour</i>
Pumpkin Seed <i>Hydrogenated Oil</i>	Poppy Seed Cashew Chestnut Pepper	Primrose Oil Sesame Seed Cod Liver Oil Almond •Sprout	Avocado Oil Seeds (most) Coconut Oil Olive Oil Linseed/Flax Oil	Nut Seed/Sprout Oil	Pumpkin Seed Oil Grape Seed Oil Sunflower Oil Pin Nut Canola Oil	Almond Oil Sesame Oil Safflower Oil Tapioca •Seitan or Tofu	Pistachio Seed Chestnut oil <i>Lard</i> Pecan Palm Kernel Oil	• <i>Cottonseed Oil/ Meal</i> Hazelnut Walnut Brazil Nut <i>Fried Food</i>
Lentil Broccoli •Seaweed: Noril/Kombu/Wakame/Hijiki Onion/Miso •Daikon/•Taro Rood •Sea Vegetables (other) •Burdock/•Lotus Root Sweet Potato/Yam	Kohlrabi Parsnip/Taro Garlic Asparagus Kale/Parsley Endive/Argula Mustard Greens Ginger Root Broccoli	Potato/Bell Pepper Mushroom/ Fungi Cauliflower Cabbage Rutabaga •Salsify/•Ginseng Eggplant Pumpkin Collard Greens	Brussel Sprout Beet Chive/ Cilantro Celery/ Scallion Okra/ Cucumber Turnip Greens Squash Lettuce Jicama	Bean Vegetable Legume Pulse Root	Spinach Fava Bean Kidney Bean Black-eyed Pea String/Wax Bean Zucchini Chutney Rhubarb	Split Pea Pinto Bean White Bean Navy/Red Bean Aduki Bean Lima or Mung Bean Chard	Green Pea Peanut Snow Pea Legumes (other) Carrot Chick Pea/Garbanzo	Soybean Carob
Lime Nectarine Persimmon Raspberry Watermelon Tangerine Pineapple	Grapefruit Cantaloupe Honeydew Citrus Olive •Dewberry Loganberry Mango	Lemon Pear Avacado Apple Blackberry Cherry Peach Papaya	Orange Apricot Banana Blueberry Pineapple Juice Raisin, Currant Grape Strawberry	Citrus Fruit Fruit	Coconut Guava •Pickled Fruit Dry Fruit Fig Persimmon Juice •Cherimoya Date	Plum Prune Tomato	Cranberry Pomegranate	

• Therapeutic, gourmet, or exotic items

Italicized items are NOT recommended