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GO, SLOW, or WHOA?

- Raw, fresh carrots, celery, tomatoes, and strawberries = GO
- GO foods have no added sugar and/or fat.









GO, SLOW or WHOA?

- Fresh Salads depends on amount and type of salad dressing.
 - GO = lemon juice or no salad dressing.
 - SLOW = salad dressings made from vegetable oils such as olive and canola.
 - WHOA = high fat salad dressings made with mayonnaise or sour cream.
- AVOID salad bars that offer a lot of high fat pasta salads and desserts.







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- Broccoli with cheese sauce= SLOW
- Added sauces (including cheese), butter, margarine, and other fat seasonings make all cooked vegetables a SLOW food.
- Season broccoli with lemon juice and herbs = GO







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- French fries = WHOA
- Baked fries = SLOW
- All fried foods are WHOA Foods.









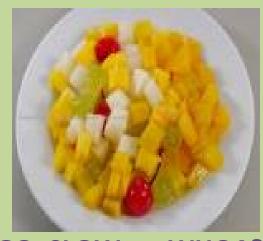
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- Fresh, raw apples = GO
- Apples provide a natural source of nutrients and fiber.
- GO foods contain no added sugar and/or fat.







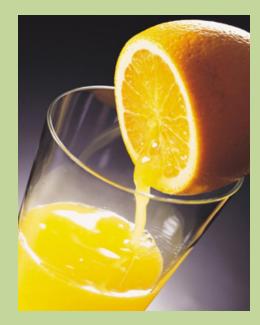


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- Canned Fruit Cocktail is usually processed with added sugar.
- If canned in water & natural juices = GO
- If canned in *light* syrup =SLOW
- If canned in *heavy* syrup =
 WHOA







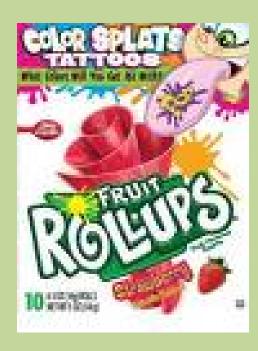
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- 100% orange juice = GO
- Contains naturally occurring vitamins.
- Excellent source of Vitamin C.
- Contains no added sugar.





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- Fruit Roll-ups = WHOA
- Processed with added sugar, corn syrup, oil.
- Each Fruit Roll-up contains:



50 calories

≈ 2 tsp sugar (7 grams)

55 grams sodium







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- Raisins = GO
- Raisins contains natural sugars, vitamins, minerals, and fiber.









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- 100% Juice, Frozen Fruit Bars = GO
- Contain no added sugars.









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- Popsicles = WHOA
- Made with added sugar and fruit flavoring, not real fruit.
- Popsicles are a lownutrient food.









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- Corn Tortillas = GO
- Made with whole grain cornmeal.









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- Bagels = GO
- Adding spreads make a GO food a SLOW food.
- Use low-fat cream cheese, or fruit spreads sparingly to prevent a SLOW food from becoming a WHOA food.







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- Donuts = WHOA
- Most donuts are deep-fried in fat and contain a lot of fat and sugar.
- Note: some donuts may be made with whole grains and less fat and sugar = SLOW
- Be sure and read the Nutrition Facts food labels







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- Air-popped Popcorn = GO
- Low-fat Popcorn = SLOW
- Popcorn with butter and flavorings, e.g. caramel, cheese, etc. = WHOA







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- Chocolate Chip Cookies = WHOA
- Cookies contain high amounts of fat and sugar.
- Limit eating cookies to every now and then.
- Be sure to eat no more than 2 or 3.







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- Chocolate Cake = WHOA
- Cakes are made with a lot of sugar, eggs, and fat.
- Eat a small slice and only on special occasions.









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- Candy = WHOA
- Candy is a high fat, high sugar, high calorie food and is low in nutrients.
- Limit to eating only every once and a while.







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Brown rice = GO

 NOTE: White rice is more processed and refined than brown rice and is a SLOW food.







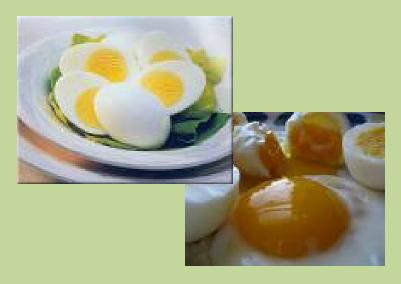
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- Peanut butter or cheese crackers = WHOA
- These snack foods are highly processed and contain high amounts of added fats.









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- **Eggs = GO** (whole eggs, egg whites, egg substitute)
- Eggs fried in vegetable oil= SLOW
- Eggs fried in butter, lard, margarine, bacon grease, or salt pork = WHOA









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- Peanut butter = SLOW
 (peanut butter is typically processed with added sugar and fat)
- Unprocessed, natural peanut butter = GO









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- Nuts such as peanuts, pecans, almonds, walnuts = GO
- If nuts are processed with added oil and sugar = WHOA
- An appropriate serving size is about 1 ounce.
- Limit the amount you eat or GO foods will quickly become SLOW and even WHOA foods.







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- Dried beans and peas = GO

 (include pinto, black, and red beans; black-eyed peas, split peas, garbanzo beans/chickpeas and lentils)
- If prepared with bacon, ham or other fats = SLOW
- Note: Refried beans are SLOW, unless they are labeled "fat-free" = GO







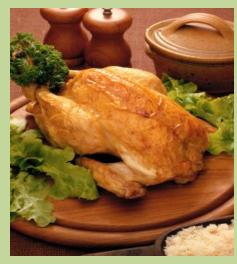
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- Fried chicken = WHOA
- All foods that are fried are high in fat and are WHOA foods.









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- Baked chicken = SLOW
- Chicken baked withoutskin = GO









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- Chicken Fried Steak with Gravy = WHOA
- Note: Adding gravy adds even more fat.
- Remember, all fried foods are WHOA foods.







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- Grilled salmon = GO
- All fish and shellfish that are baked, grilled or broiled are GO foods.









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- Baked fish sticks = SLOW
- Fried fish sticks = WHOA
- Note: All fried foods are WHOA foods.







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- Enchiladas = WHOA (high fat cheese)
- May be SLOW if prepared with low-fat cheeses, and lean meats.







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- Tuna Salad = SLOW if made with water-packed tuna and fat-free or lowfat mayonnaise or salad dressing.
- Tuna salad made with oilpacked tuna and regular mayonnaise or salad dressing = WHOA









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- Luncheon meats = GO
 if labeled "low-fat or
 non-fat."
- Regular luncheon meats= SLOW







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- Bacon = WHOA
- Turkey Bacon = SLOW









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- Hamburger = SLOW if made with lean or low-fat ground beef.
- Hamburger = GO if made with extra-lean ground beef.
- Remember, it's what you add to the burger that can turn it into a WHOA food; use low-fat spreads, cheeses, etc.









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- Hot dogs = SLOW
 only if labeled "lowfat."
- Regular = WHOA
- Turkey franks = GO





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Plain, unflavored Milk

- Skim (fat-free or nonfat) Milk = GO
- 1% (low-fat) Milk = GO
- 2% (reduced-fat) Milk =SLOW
- Whole milk = WHOA





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Flavored Milks

- If made with whole or
 2% (reduced-fat) milk =
 WHOA
- If made with skim (nonfat or fat-free) or 1% (low-fat) milk = SLOW







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- Cheese = SLOW

 (includes most cheeses
 such as cheddar, Colby,
 Swiss)
- Cheeses labeled 'part-skim natural' or 'low-fat' = GO







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- Cottage Cheese and Fruit = GO
 (if cottage is made with low-fat
 (1%) milk)
- Cottage cheese made with whole
 milk = WHOA
- Cottage cheese made with 2% or reduced-fat milk = SLOW







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- All processed cheese = WHOA
- These cheeses are very high in fat.







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- Ice Cream = WHOA
- Ice Cream labeled'low-fat' = SLOW









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- Soda = WHOA

 (includes regular and diet).
- All soda is low in nutrients and displaces other healthful nutrients in the diet.









GO, SLOW, or WHOA?

- Sports drinks = WHOA
- Sport drinks contain few nutrients and displace healthful nutrients in the diet.







GO, SLOW, or WHOA?

- Water = GO
- Drink water whenever you can instead of sodas, juice drinks, sports drinks, etc.







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- Kool-Aid = WHOA
- Drink water instead!

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- Sunny Delight and other fruit-flavored drinks = WHOA
- Fruit-flavored drinks contain a lot of added sugars that take the place of other healthful nutrients.







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- Coffee Drinks = WHOA
- These caffeinated beverages contain a lot of sugars and fats.
- If you drink coffee, drink it black!









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- Unsweetened tea = SLOW
- Sweetened tea = WHOA







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