

DIET COMPENDIUM

DC-110 Soy Free

| ltem                   | Foods to Enjoy  | Foods to Avoid   |
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| Vegetables             | Fresh, frozen and canned vegetables<br>and their juices   | <ul> <li>Vegetable dishes made with soy or unknown ingredients</li> <li>Commercial vegetable products; Soy sprouts, mixed sprouts</li> </ul>   |
| Fruit                  | • Fresh, frozen and canned fruits and their juices  | <ul><li>Some commercial canned fruit products</li><li>Fruit dishes containing soy products</li></ul>   |
| Salads                 | Salads with allowed ingredients   | <ul> <li>Salads with sprouts</li> <li>Salads containing soy, tofu or unknown ingredients</li> <li>Salads containing imitation bacon bits</li> <li>Salad dressing containing soy</li> </ul>   |
| Grain Products         | All grain products with allowed ingredients   | <ul> <li>Commercial and homemade breads and<br/>baked goods containing soy</li> <li>Baking mixes, pancake mixes*</li> <li>Cereals, infant cereal containing soy, mixed<br/>grain cereals</li> <li>English muffins, multigrain bread*</li> <li>Granola, granola bars*</li> <li>High protein flour and bread*</li> <li>Soy flour, soy grits</li> <li>Stuffing</li> <li>Some frozen French fries, soy pasta</li> </ul>  |
| Milk &<br>Alternatives | All with allowed ingredients  | <ul> <li>Soy milk or beverage</li> <li>Milk or cream replacers</li> <li>Soy cheese, tofu cheese, cheese substitutes</li> <li>Soy yogurt</li> </ul>   |
| Meat &<br>Alternatives | <ul> <li>Fresh, frozen meat, poultry, fish</li> <li>Fish canned in water</li> <li>Plain eggs</li> <li>Plain legumes except soy and tofu</li> <li>Plain pure legumes (lentils, beans, peas)</li> <li>Plain, pure nuts and seeds</li> <li>Pure nut and seed oils and butters (almond, tahini, peanut butter)</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Meat, poultry, fish dishes with soy</li> <li>Meat products that may contain soy<br/>including: cold cuts, luncheon meat,<br/>hamburger patties, meat pies, minced beef,<br/>sausages, imitation bacon bits (check label)</li> <li>Soy products – Edamame, tofu, textured<br/>vegetable protein, miso, vegetarian meat<br/>replacers, veggie burgers, soy nuts, tempeh</li> <li>Meat extenders, paste or pâté</li> <li>Tuna or fish canned in oil</li> </ul> |

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|                      |  | <ul> <li>Eggs, legume dishes prepared with soy, nuts<br/>or mixes containing soy</li> <li>Nuts or oils from undisclosed origin</li> <li>Bean mixtures, mixed beans, mixed bean<br/>salads</li> </ul>  |
| Soups                | Homemade meat, poultry, vegetable soup stocks  | Some bouillon cubes, commercial soups,<br>dried soup mix packages   |
| Oils & Fats          | <ul> <li>Butter, cream, gravy made with meat drippings, lard</li> <li>Peanut oil, pure olive oil spray</li> <li>Pure vegetable, nut or seed oils with specified source</li> <li>Cocoa butter</li> <li>Homemade salad dressing with allowed ingredients</li> </ul>                    | <ul> <li>Margarine unless oil sources known</li> <li>Soy oil, vegetable oil, vegetable oil spray,<br/>soy butter, shortening</li> <li>Salad dressing with soy, soy oil, or unknown<br/>oil</li> </ul>   |
| Desserts &<br>Sweets | <ul> <li>Homemade desserts, cookies, candies, cakes, muffins made with allowable ingredients</li> <li>Soy free ice cream, frozen desserts and dessert mixes</li> <li>Corn syrup, molasses, maple syrup, plain sugar, honey,</li> <li>Pure chocolate, cocoa, jams, jellies</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Cake icing, chocolate, chocolate bars, cookies, candies</li> <li>Frozen desserts made with soy</li> </ul>  |
| Fluids               | <ul> <li>Tea, herbal tea, coffee</li> <li>Carbonated beverages</li> <li>Fruit juice</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Coffee replacements</li> <li>Eggnog, milkshakes, some malted and chocolate drinks</li> <li>Soy-based infant formula</li> <li>Nutritional supplements such as Boost</li> </ul>  |
| Miscellaneous        | <ul> <li>Pure herbs, spices</li> <li>Blends of herbs, spices without added oils</li> <li>Ketchup, mustard, pickles, relish, Tabasco®, vinegar</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Hydrolyzed plant protein (HPP)</li> <li>Hydrolyzed vegetable protein (HVP)</li> <li>Texturized vegetable protein (TVP)</li> <li>Imitation bacon bits</li> <li>Sauces: barbeque, oriental, soy, tamari, miso, Worcestershire</li> <li>Seasonings with undisclosed ingredients</li> <li>Some frozen French fries</li> <li>Chewing gum (check label)</li> </ul> |

**Notes:** \*Check label for sources of soy listed in Miscellaneous section.

## **References:**

- Dietitians of Canada Practice Based Evidence in Nutrition (PEN) Soy Free Diet, 2012
- Government of Canada, Health Canada, "Soy A priority food allergen", 2017