Soy Allergy Avoidance List

Hidden Names for Soy

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Foods covered by the FDA labeling laws that contain soy must be labeled in plain English to declare that it "contains soy." However, there are many foods and products that are not covered by FDA allergen labeling laws, so it is still important to know how to read a label for soy ingredients.

Products exempt from plain English labeling rules: foods that are not regulated by the FDA (tinyurl.com/KFA-FALCPA), cosmetics and personal care products, prescription and over-the-counter medications or supplements, pet food, toys and crafts.



CONTAIN SOY

The following ingredients found on a label indicate the presence of soy protein. All labels should be read carefully before consuming a product, even if it has been used safely in the past.

Bean curd

Edamame (soybeans in pods)

Hydrolyzed soy protein

Kinnoko flour

Kyodofu (freeze dried tofu)

Miso

Natto

Okara (soy pulp)

Shoyu sauce

Soy albumin

Soy bran

Soy concentrate

Soy fiber

Soy flour

Soy formula

Soy grits

Soy milk

Soy miso

Soy nuts

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Soy nut butter

Soy protein, soy protein concentrate,

Soy protein isolate

Soy sauce

Soy sprouts

Soya

Soya Flour

Soybeans

Soybean granules

Sovbean curd

Soybean flour

Soy lecithin*

Soybean paste

Supro

Tamari

Tempeh

Teriyaki sauce

Textured soy flour (TSF)

Textured soy protein (TSP)

Textured vegetable protein (TVP)

Tofu

Yakidofu

Yuba (bean curd)

MAY CONTAIN SOY

Artificial flavoring

Asian foods (e.g. Japanese,

Chinese, Thai, etc.)

Hydrolyzed plant protein

Hydrolyzed vegetable protein (HVP)

Natural flavoring

Vegetable broth

Vegetable gum

Vegetable starch

SHOULD BE SAFE

Soy oil (except cold pressed, expeller pressed or extruded soybean oil)

Vegetable oil derived from soy

These soy derivatives should be safe for most soy-allergic individuals.

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TRAVEL-SIZE CARDS

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For more detailed information and a list of resources, please visit: KidsWithFoodAllergies.org.

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