Rethinking Macro Breakdowns for Improved Health Outcomes

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### Overview



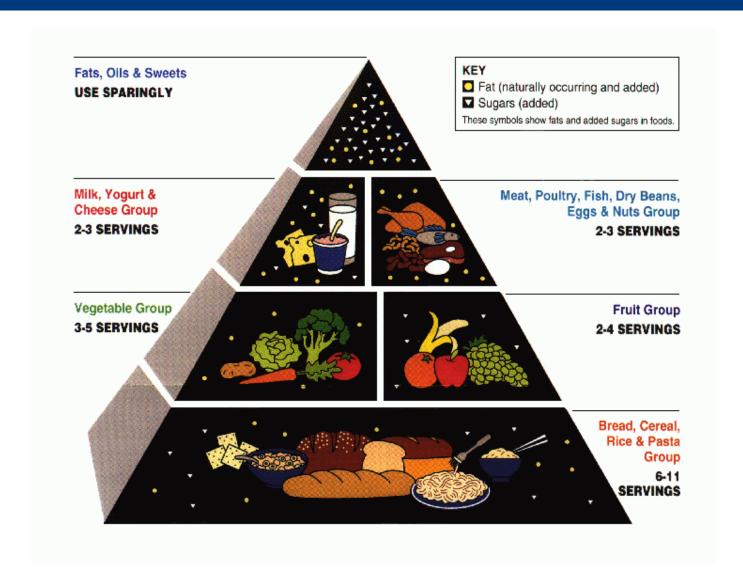
Macronutrients are dumb.

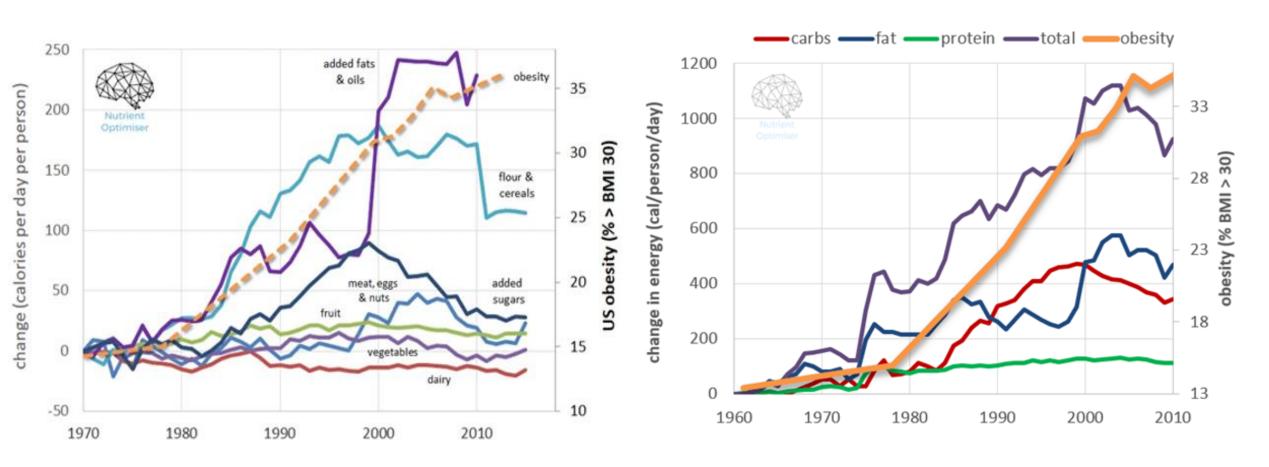
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Problem: Food Industry

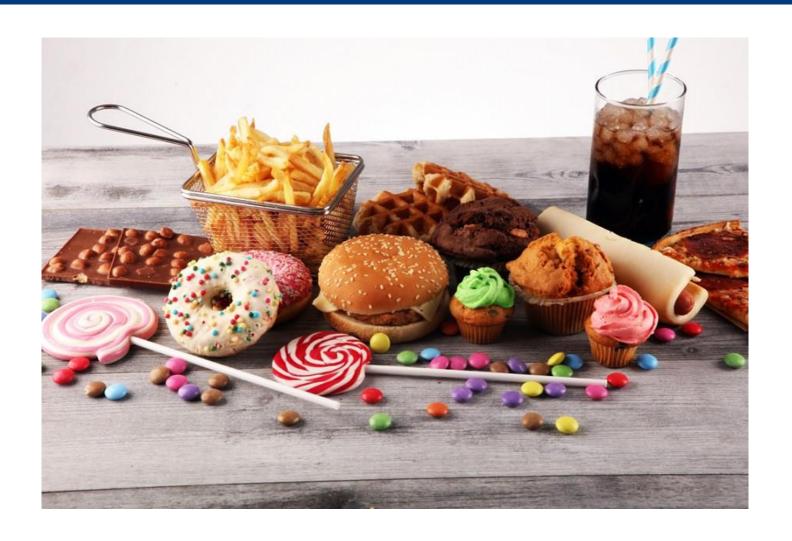
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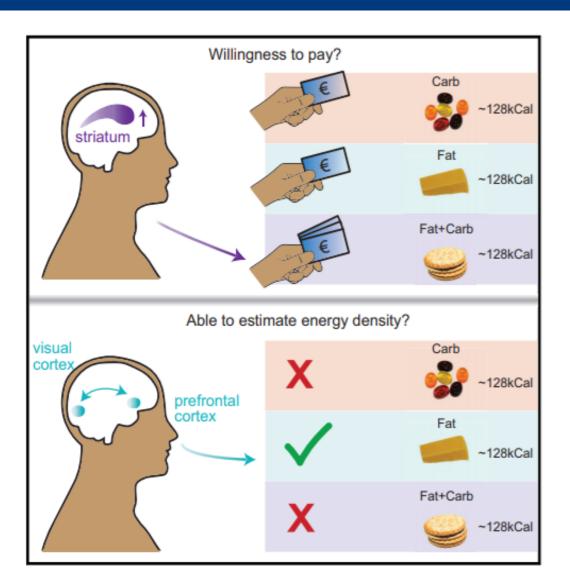
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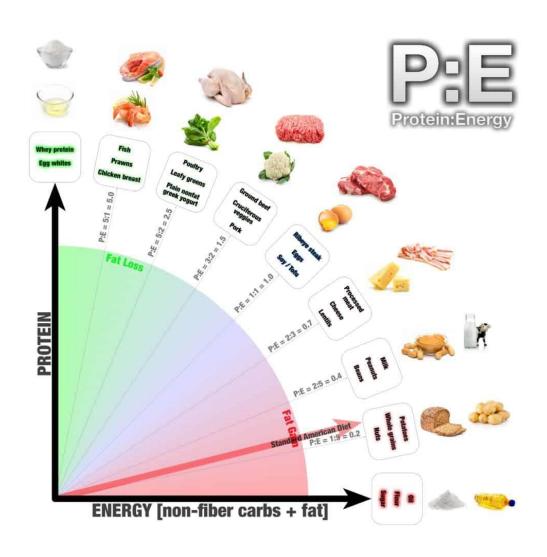


## Supra-Additive Effects of Combining Fat and Carbohydrate on Food Reward

#### **Highlights**

- Fat and carbohydrate interact to potentiate reward independently of liking
- This is reflected in supra-additive responses in the striatum during food valuation
- Participants are able to estimate energy density from fat, but not carbohydrate
- Accurate estimation of energy density recruits a prefrontalfusiform gyrus circuit

### Ratio Protein: Energy



### Solution: Protein and Fiber

Satiety

Nutrient Density

Gut Function

#### Action: Protein Needs and Fears

#### International Society of Sports Nutrition:

- Exercising individuals need approximately 1.4 to 2.0 grams of protein per kilogram of bodyweight per day
- Concerns that protein intake within this range is unhealthy are unfounded in healthy, exercising individuals