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Acid sweets

Adverse reactions to acid sweets (2004)

[External link to the national archive for the 2004 COT statement on adverse reactions to acid sweets](#)

Acrylamide

Potential risks from acrylamide in the diet of infants and young children (2016)

[External link to the national archive for the 2016 COT Statement on Acrylamide](#)

Additives

Potassium-based replacements for sodium chloride and sodium-based additives (2017)

[External link to the national archive for the 2017 COT statement on potassium-based replacements for sodium chloride and sodium-based additives](#)

Health effects of mixtures of food additives (T01040/41) (2008)

[External link to the national archive for the 2008 COT statement on FSA funded research on health effects of mixtures of food additives \(T01040/41\)](#)

Research project (T07040) investigating the mixtures of certain food colours and a preservative on behaviour in children (2007)

[External link to the national archive for the 2007 COT statement on research project \(T07040\) investigating the mixtures of certain food colours and a preservative on behaviour in children](#)

Food additives and developmental neurotoxicity (2006)

[External link to the national archive for the 2006 COT statement on food additives and developmental neurotoxicity](#)

Research project investigating the effect of food additives on behaviour (2002)

[External link to the national archive for the 2002 COT statement on a research project investigating the effect of food additives on behaviour](#)

Aflatoxin

Overarching statement on consumption of plant-based drinks in children aged 6 months to 5 years of age (2021)

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Lay Summary overarching Statement on consumption of plant-based drinks in children aged 6 months to 5 years of age (2021)

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Alcohol

The interaction of caffeine and alcohol and their combined effects on health and behaviour (2012)

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[behaviour](#)

Allergic disease

Maternal and infant dietary exposures and allergy, and risk of development of atopic outcomes and autoimmune disease (2017)

[External link to the national archive for the 2017 COT statement on maternal and infant dietary exposures and allergy](#)

Risks of chemical toxicity and allergic disease in relation to infant diet (2012)

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Allergenic foods

The timing of introduction of allergenic foods (2016)

[External link to the national archive for the 2016 COT statement on the timing of introduction of allergenic foods](#)

COT joint statement on the timing of introduction of gluten into the infant diet (2011)

[External link to the national archive for the 2011 joint COT statement on the timing of the introduction of gluten into the infant diet](#)

Review of the 1998 COT recommendations on peanut avoidance (2008)

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Aluminium

Addendum to the 2013 COT statement on Aluminium (2016)

[External link to the national archive for the 2016 Addendum to the 2013 COT statement on Aluminium](#)

Potential risks from aluminium in the infant diet (2013)

[External link to the national archive for the 2013 COT statement on Aluminium](#)

Amnesic Shellfish Poisoning (ASP)

Amnesic shellfish poisoning (ASP) (2001)

[External link to the national archive for the 2001 COT statement on ASP](#)

Arsenic

Statement on Arsenic in infants and young children (2016)

[External link to the national archive for the 2016 COT statement on Arsenic](#)

Arsenic in food: results of the 1999 total diet study (2003)

[External link to the national archive for the 2003 COT statement on arsenic in food: results of the 1999 \(TDS\)](#)

Aspartame

Current status of the randomised double-blind volunteer study on aspartame (2013)

[External link to the national archive for 2013 COT position paper on aspartame](#)