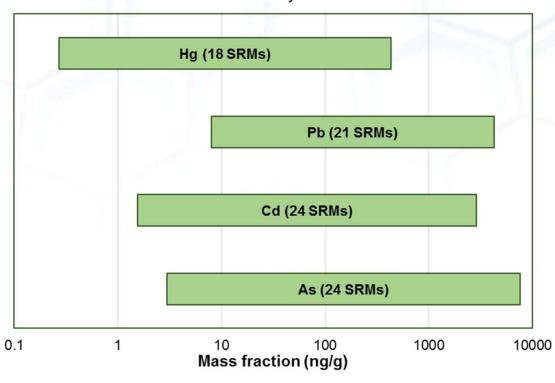
Food Safety Efforts

Heavy Metal Contamination

NIST Food SRMs for Heavy Metal Contamination



Available materials include grains, meats, and processed foods



Food SRMs

	SRM 1546a Meat Homogenate	SRM 1566b Oyster Tissue	SRM 1567b Wheat Flour	SRM 1568b Rice Flour	SRM 1570a Trace Elements in Spinach Leaves	SRM 1577c Bovine Liver	SRM 1946 Lake Superior Fish Tissue	SRM 1947 Lake Michigan Fish Tissue	SRM 2384 Baking Chocolate	SRM 3035 Arsenic Species in Apple Juice	SRM 3233 Fortified Breakfast Cereal	SRM 3290 Dry Cat Food
As	X	X	x	Xp	х	х	х	х		Xp	х	х
Cd	Х	Х		х	X	х	Х		Х		Х	X
Hg	X	X ^a	X		X	X	X ^a	X ^a				
Pb	X	X	x	x	X	X	х		х			x

x^a has methylmercury values, x^b has arsenic species



Dietary Supplement SRMs

	SRM 3232 Kelp	SRM 3246 Ginkgo Biloba (Leaves)	SRM 3247 Ginkgo biloba Extract	SRM 3248 Ginkgo Containing Tablets	SRM 3254 Green Tea Leaves	SRM 3255 Green Tea Extract	SRM 3256 Green Tea-Containing Solid Oral	SRM 3262 St John's Wort Aerial Parts	SRM 3280 Multivitamin/Multielement Tablets	SRM 3252 Protein Drink Mix	SRM 3532 Calcium-Containing Solid Oral Dosage
As	X ^a		Х	Х	X	X	X	X	X		
Cd	X	X	Х	Х	X		X	X	X	X	Х
Hg	X	Х		Х	X		X	X			
Pb	X	Х	X	X	Х	X	X		X	Х	X

x^a has arsenic species



New SRMs and RMs

	Salmon Aquaculture	Salmon Wild Caught	Shrimp Aquculture	Shrimp Wild Caught	SRM 1568c Rice Flour	SRM 1548b Typical Diet	SRM 2983 Geoduck Clams	SRM 3398 Ginger Rhizome
As	X	Х	Х	X	Xa	X	Xa	X ^a
Cd	X	X	X	X	X	X	?	
Hg	X	X	X	Х	X		?	
Pb	X	X	X	X	X	X	?	X

X^a has arsenic species

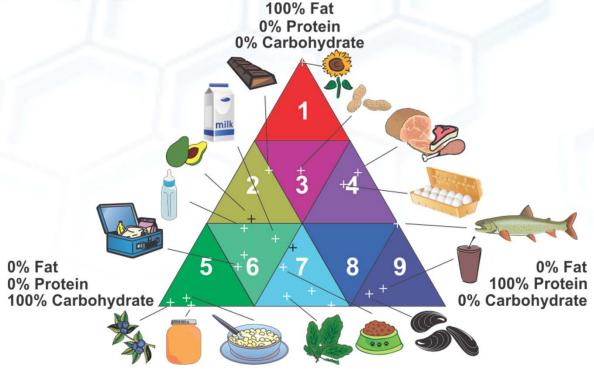


Arsenic Standards

SRM 3030	Monomethylarsonic Acid Standard Solution
SRM 3031	Dimethylarsinic Acid Standard Solution
SRM 3033	Arsenobetaine Standard Solution
SRM 3034	Arsenocholine Standard Solution
SRM 3036	Arsenic Acid (AsV) Standard Solution
SRM 3037	Arsenous Acid (AsIII) Standard Solution
SRM 3103a	Arsenic (As) Standard Solution



NIST Food-Matrix SRMs



Careful selection of two foods or food products from each sector will cover the entire range of carbohydrate, protein, and fat, as well as other food attributes.

W. Ikins, et. al., "A Food Matrix Organizational System Applied to Collaborative Studies", The Referee AOAC International, 17(7) 1,6,7 (1993).

- SRM 1588c Organics in Fish Oil SRM 3274 Fatty Acids in Botanical Oils SRM 3275 Fatty Acids in Fish Oils
- SRM 2384 Baking Chocolate SRM 2386 Avocado Powder*
- SRM 2387 Peanut Butter
- SRM 1546a Meat Homogenate SRM 1845a Whole Egg Powder
- SRM 1568b Rice Flour SRM 2383a Baby Food Composite SRM 3233 Fortified Breakfast Cereal SRM 3287 Blueberries SRM 1869 Infant/Adult Nutritional Formula II*
- SRM 1548a Typical Diet SRM 1549a Whole Milk Powder SRM 1849a Infant/Adult Nutritional Formula
- SRM 1566b Oyster Tissue SRM 2385 Slurried Spinach SRM 3234 Sov Flour SRM 3290 Dry Cat Food
- SRM 1946 Lake Superior Fish Tissue SRM 1947 Lake Michigan Fish Tissue SRM 1974c Mussel Tissue SRM 3252 Protein Drink Mix *in preparation

