WORKOUT NUTRITION

WHAT TO EAT BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER EXERCISE

Sometimes workout nutrition can be confusing. Let's make it simpler. Here's what to eat before, during, and after exercise broken down by body type and goal.

I'M AN ECTOMORPH

I'm generally lean, with a smaller frame and thinner limbs. I have a fast metabolism and tolerate carbs well. I'm usually trying to gain muscle or support my endurance exercise.

WHEN TO EAT

BEFORE EXERCISE DURING EXERCISE

AFTER EXERCISE

Eat "ectomorph meal" 1-2 hours before activity

For weight gain: 1 P+C drink For endurance support: 1 P+C drink

For fat loss: EAAs or water

For body recomposition: EAAs or water For maintenance: EAAs or water

Eat "ectomorph meal" 1-2 hours after activity

THE ECTOMORPH MEAL

USE YOUR HAND TO MEASURE

2 palms of protein dense foods

2 fists of

vegetables

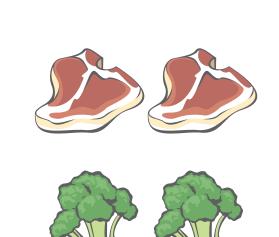
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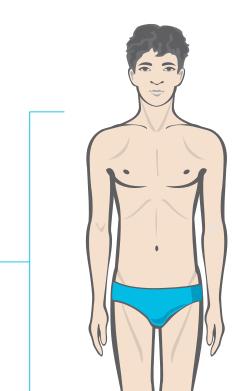
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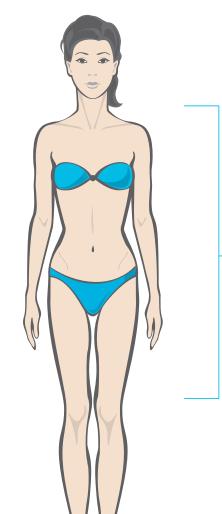
dense foods

1 thumb of fat

dense foods









1 palm of protein dense foods



vegetables

2 cupped

1 fist of



handfuls of carb dense foods



0.5 thumb of fat dense foods

PORTION SIZES

Instead of counting calories, you can use your own hand as a portable portion guide. Your palm measures protein, your fist for veggies, your cupped hand for carbs, and your thumb for fats. For more about this strategy visit www.precisionnutrition.com/calorie-control-guide

I'M A MESOMORPH

I'm generally athletic looking with a medium-sized frame. I seem to gain muscle and stay lean easily. I'm usually trying to optimize my physique or boost my sports performance.

WHEN TO EAT

BEFORE EXERCISE

Eat "mesomorph meal"

DURING EXERCISE

AFTER EXERCISE

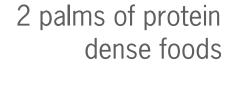
1-2 hours before activity

For weight gain: 1 P+C drink or EAAs For sport performance: 1 P+C drink For fat loss: EAAs or water For body recomposition: EAAs or water

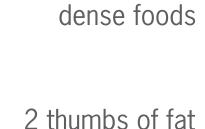
For maintenance: EAAs or water

Eat "mesomorph meal" 1-2 hours after activity

THE MESOMORPH MEAL USE YOUR HAND TO MEASURE





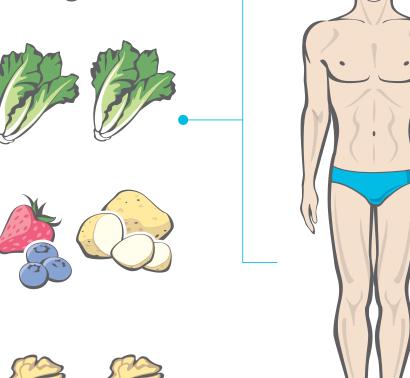


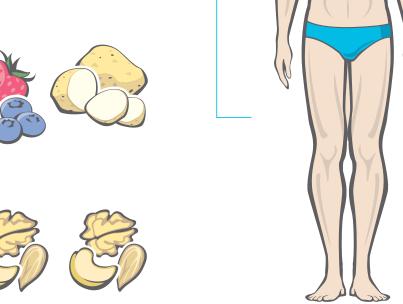
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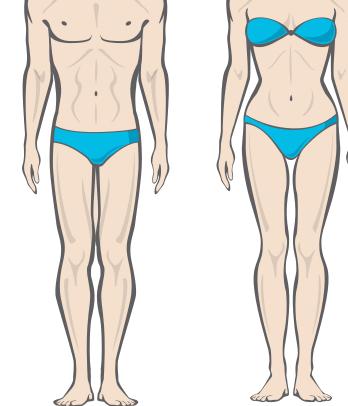
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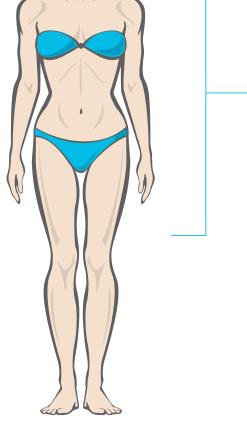


dense foods







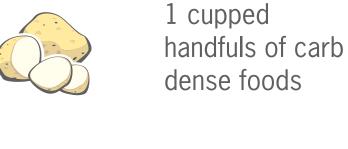


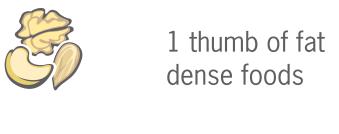




dense foods

1 palm of protein







protein + carbohydrate (P+C) drink during exercise. For every hour of training, you'll have:

In some cases you'll want to use a







I'M AN ENDOMORPH

metabolism and don't tolerate carbs as well. I'm usually trying to lose fat or support my strength.

WHEN TO EAT

I generally have a large frame and am heavier than most. I have a slower

DURING EXERCISE

Eat "endomorph meal" 1-2 hours before activity

BEFORE EXERCISE

For weight gain: EAAs or water

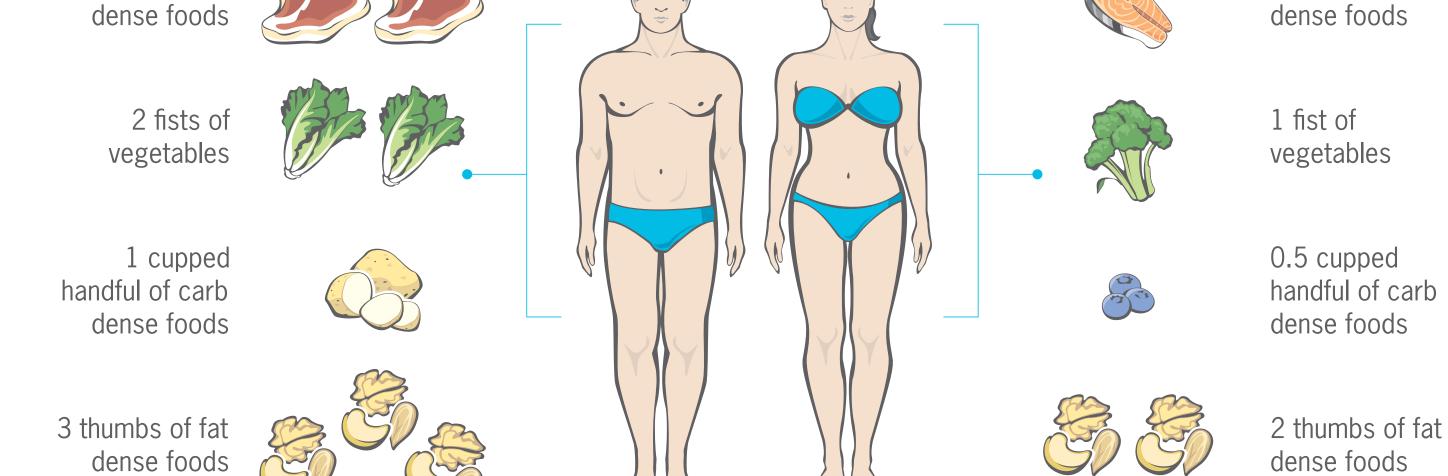
For strength support: EAAs or water For fat loss: EAAs or water For body recomposition: EAAs or water

Eat "endomorph meal" 1-2 hours after activity

AFTER EXERCISE

For maintenance: EAAs or water THE ENDOMORPH MEAL

USE YOUR HAND TO MEASURE



EAAs?

2 palms of protein

WHAT ARE Essential amino acids (EAA) can also be used during exercise. EAAs come in liquid, powder, or pill form. Aim for 5-15 g per hour of training.



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1 palm of protein