Label Reading Cheat Sheet

| Breads & Flours | | | | | |
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| Low FODMAP (include) | High FODMAP (limit or avoid) | | | | |
| ☐ Spelt or wheat sourdough | ☐ Besan/gram/chickpea flour | | | | |
| ☐ FODMAP certified breads e.g. Bakers | □ Barley | | | | |
| Delight [®] , Alpine Breads [®] , Schar [®] | ☐ Coconut flour | | | | |
| ☐ Gluten free bread with no high FODMAP | ☐ Lentil flour | | | | |
| ingredients e.g. Burgen® GF, Vogel's | ☐ Lupin | | | | |
| [®] GF, Udi's [®] | ☐ Soy Flour | | | | |
| | □ Wheat bran/flour | | | | |
| | ☐ Wheat breads > 1 slice | | | | |
| | ☐ Gluten free bread with high FODMAP | | | | |
| | ingredients e.g. inulin, dried fruit | | | | |

^{*}check gluten free products for high FODMAP ingredients e.g. inulin or chicory,

| Sweeteners | | | | |
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| Low FODMAP (include) | High FODMAP (limit or avoid) | | | |
| ☐ Table sugar, brown sugar, | □ Isomalt (953) | ☐ Apple juice | | |
| icing/powdered/confectioners' | ☐ Maltitol (965) | □ Agave | | |
| sugar, caster sugar | ☐ Mannitol (421) | ☐ Fructose | | |
| ☐ Glucose syrup (including | ☐ Sorbitol (420) | ☐ Fruit concentrate | | |
| glucose syrup from wheat or | □ Xylitol (967) | ☐ Fruit sugar | | |
| maize) | ☐ Lactitol (966) | ☐ Fructo-oligiosaccharides | | |
| ☐ Rice malt syrup | ☐ Erythritol (968) | ☐ Fructose-glucose syrup | | |
| ☐ Pure maple syrup | | ☐ High fructose corn syrup | | |
| ☐ Pure stevia | | □ Honey | | |
| ☐ Sucralose/Splenda | | ☐ Isoglucose | | |
| □ Equal | | ☐ Isolated fructose | | |
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| Milk products & Alternatives | | | | |
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| Low FODMAP | | Moderate FODMAP | | High FODMAP |
| All lactose free milks | | Cream, Sour cream, | | Milks (including cow, sheep & |
| Some lactose free | | mascarpone etc in servings | | goat) |
| yoghurts and ice | | >2 tbsp | | Buttermilk |
| creams* | | "Wet" cheeses (e.g. | | Custard |
| Cream, sour cream, | | cottage, ricotta in servings | | Ice cream |
| mascarpone etc (up to | | >2tbsp) | | Evaporated milk |
| 2 tbsp) | | Coconut milk (< ½ cup) | | Condensed milk |
| Hard or 'set' cheese | | Oat milk* (< ½ cup) | | Milk powder, Milk solids as a |
| Soft cheeses (e.g. | | Milk chocolate > 30g/1oz | | major ingredient |
| cream cheese, cottage | | Greek yoghurt >2Tbsp | | Whey protein concentrate |
| cheese, quark & ricotta | | | | Soy milk made with soy beans |
| (up to 2 tbsp) | | | | Coconut milk (>½ cup) |
| Butter and margarine | | | | Oat milk (>½ cup) |
| Rice, almond, quinoa, | | | | |
| hemp, pea protein | | | | |
| milk* | | | | |
| Soy products made from | | | | |
| soy protein* e.g. So Good® | | | | |
| Whey protein isolate | | | | |

^{*}check for high FODMAP ingredients e.g. inulin, chicory or fruit juice concentrates

| High FODMAP ingredients used in food processing | | | | | |
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| Low FODMAP | High FODMAP | | | | |
| ☐ All fresh and dried herbs and spices (no | ☐ Inulin (Chicory root extract/ 'vegetable | | | | |
| added onion/garlic powder) | fibre') | | | | |
| ☐ Cellulose, Carrageenan, Guar gum, | ☐ Garlic/onion powder | | | | |
| Locust bean gum, Pectins, Psyllium, | □ Vegetable powder | | | | |
| Xanthan gum, Rice/oat bran | ☐ Dehydrated vegetables | | | | |
| ☐ Soy Sauce, 'MSG', hydrolyzed vegetable | ☐ High FODMAP sweeteners (see above) | | | | |
| protein, malt from barley | | | | | |
| ☐ Wheat or maize glucose syrup | | | | | |

Less obvious sources of FODMAPs (check ingredients)

| Fructose: | Other Fructans & Galactans: |
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| □ Soft drinks, fruit juice & cordial □ Sports drinks & gels □ Flavoured coffee/tea powders □ Sweetened foods e.g. dairy desserts, confectionary □ Cereal, muesli & muesli bars □ Jams and some savoury sauces | Protein powders & meal replacement shakes Soy milk / yoghurt made with soy beans Gluten free breads / pizza bases / cake mixes containing chick pea/besan flour or almond meal Trail mix Falafel & vegetarian burgers |
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| □ Commercial cake/pancake mixes* □ Dairy based dips □ Commercial 'simmer sauces'* □ Flavoured coffee / tea sachets* □ Nutritional drinks e.g. Up & Go®, Sustagen®, Ensure®, protein shakes* *(milk powder/solids often used) Polyols: | Garlic & Onion: Sausages and marinated meats Flavoured products e.g. pasta sauces, stocks, gravies Chutney & relishes Herb mixes, flavoured salt, dukkah Dips Cheese / savoury flavoured crackers & chips Falafel & vegetarian burgers |
| Sugar free chewing gums & lolliesArtificially sweetened or "diet" | Inulin/Chicory: |
| products Cough medicines or lozenges | ☐ Many foods marketed as 'High fibre' or 'wholegrain' |
| Wheat, Barley & Rye as a main | ☐ Coffee substitutes (e.g. Ecco®, Caro®) |
| ingredient: | ☐ Yoghurts/low fat dairy desserts |
| Breakfast cerealsPastry and crumbed productsSoup / soup mixes with barley | □ Wholegrain rice crackers |