# Eating rate of different food products and the relation with ad libitum food intake.

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Ethical review Approved WMO

**Status** Recruitment stopped

Health condition type Other condition
Study type Interventional

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON33177

Source

ToetsingOnline

Brief title

Speed study

## **Condition**

• Other condition

#### **Synonym**

obesity, overweight

**Health condition** 

overgewicht

#### Research involving

Human

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Wageningen Universiteit

Source(s) of monetary or material Support: Het Voedingscentrum; Den Haag

#### Intervention

**Keyword:** ad libitum food intake, eating rate

#### **Outcome measures**

#### **Primary outcome**

The main outcome measure is the time it takes to consume 50 g (eating duration) of in total 52 food products. This will be used to calculate the eating rate (grams/minute). In addition, the ad libitum intake (grams) will be measured of all food products.

#### **Secondary outcome**

not applicable

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

It has been suggested that overweight may be related with eating rate. Due to a high eating rate, there might not be enough time to develop an appropriate satiety feeling. Data are however inconsistent. Eating rate can be influenced by several factors, like food properties, sex and body weight.

#### Study objective

The aim of the current experiment is to investigate the eating rate of a whole array of food products in the context of current food supply. In addition, we will focus on the relation between eating rate and ad libitum food intake.

#### Study design

52 food products will be investigated; 10 subgroups will be formed, each subgroup testing 5 test products and 2 reference products. In one session, one

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product will be tested. The time needed to consume 50 gram of a certain food product (eating duration) will be measured, followed by a measurement of the ad libitum food intake of the same product. Subjects will be randomly allocated to one of the ten subgroups. The food products will also be randomly allocated to the subgroups.

#### Intervention

In total 52 frequently consumed products from relevant food groups (as used in the Dutch Food Consumption Survey) will be used in this study to obtain a varied and structured array of food products. They are selected to represent a range of natural and processed foods, covering a wide range of compositional and textural characteristics.

#### Study burden and risks

This intervention is non-therapeutic to the subjects. All participants will visit the university seven times within a period of five weeks. During each test session eating duration and ad libitum food intake will be measured. The risk associated with participation can be considered as minimal.

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# **Trial sites**

#### **Listed location countries**

**Netherlands** 

# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Age

Adults (18-64 years) Elderly (65 years and older)

#### Inclusion criteria

age: 18 - 35 y

BMI: 18,5 - 25 kg/m2

sexe: female

Good physical and mental health

### **Exclusion criteria**

- \*weight change of >1 kg in the last month
- \*following an energy retricted diet in the last 6 months
- \*smoking
- \*lack of appetite
- \*pregnancy
- \*lactation
- \*gastro-intestial disorders
- \*endocrine disorders
- \*restrained eating (score of >2.80 on DEBQ)
- \*palatability rating of <5 on a 9-point scale of the food products used in the study
- \*food allergies for the food products used in the study
- \*simultaneous participation in a different study performed by the department of Human Nutrition, Wageningen Universiteit

# Study design

## Design

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Randomized controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Active

Primary purpose: Prevention

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 06-05-2009

Enrollment: 50

Type: Actual

## **Ethics review**

Approved WMO

Date: 08-04-2009

Application type: First submission

Review commission: METC Wageningen Universiteit (Wageningen)

# **Study registrations**

## Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

No registrations found.

## Other (possibly less up-to-date) registrations in this register

ID: 21258

Source: Nationaal Trial Register

Title:

## In other registers

Register ID

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