Supplementary Material 1: Food groups and sample size of products included in the study

| Food groups | Sample size | Proportion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Appetizers | 2,884 | 2.22\% |
| Artificially sweetened beverages | 1,892 | 1.46\% |
| Biscuits and cakes | 9,292 | 7.15\% |
| Bread | 3,143 | 2.42\% |
| Breakfast cereals | 2,702 | 2.08\% |
| Cereal r | 5,427 | 4.18\% |
| Cheese | 7,332 | 5.64\% |
| Chocolate products | 2,502 | 1.93\% |
| Dairy desserts | 3,013 | 2.32\% |
| Dressings and sauces | 7,272 | 5.60\% |
| Dried fruits | 1,344 | 1.03\% |
| Eggs | 466 | 0.36\% |
| Fats | 2,368 | 1.82\% |
| Fish and seafood | 5,063 | 3.90\% |
| Fruit juices | 8,925 | 6.86\% |
| Fruit nectars | 121 | 0.09\% |
| Fruits | 2,196 | 1.69\% |
| Ice cream | 2,495 | 1.92\% |
| Legumes | 1,447 | 1.11\% |
| Meat | 3,670 | 2.82\% |
| Milk and yogurt | 6,210 | 4.78\% |
| Nuts | 1,415 | 1.09\% |
| Offals | 430 | 0.33\% |
| One-dish meals | 8,980 | 6.91\% |
| Pastries | 1,734 | 1.33\% |
| Pizza pies and quiches | 1,320 | 1.02\% |
| Plant-based milk substitutes | 1,125 | 0.87\% |
| Potato product | 769 | 0.59\% |
| Processed meat | 8,348 | 6.42\% |
| Salty and fatty products | 4,793 | 3.69\% |
| Sandwiches | 795 | 0.61\% |
| Soups | 1,233 | 0.95\% |
| Sweets | 12,311 | 9.47\% |
| Unsweetened beverages | 2,529 | 1.95\% |
| Vegetables | 3,892 | 2.99\% |
| Waters and flavored waters | 512 | 0.39\% |

Supplementary Material 2: Computation of the Nutri-Score

## 1. The 2017 Nutri-Score

Points are allocated based on the nutritional content per 100 g of foods or beverages.
Points are allocated for unfavourable elements (A points) and for favourable elements (C points)

| Component | A points |  |  |  | C points |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Points | Energy (kJ) | Saturated fat <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Sugars (g) | Sodium <br> $(\mathrm{mg})$ | Protein (g) | Fibre (g) | Fruits, vegetables, <br> pulses (\%) |
| 0 | $\leq 335$ | $\leq 1$ | $\leq 4.5$ | $\leq 90$ | $\leq 1.6$ | $\leq 0.9$ | $\leq 40 \%$ |
| 1 | $>335$ | $>1$ | $>4.5$ | $>90$ | $>1.6$ | $>0.9$ | $>40 \%$ |
| 2 | $>670$ | $>2$ | $>9$ | $>180$ | $>3.2$ | $>1.9$ | $>60 \%$ |
| 3 | $>1005$ | $>3$ | $>13.5$ | $>270$ | $>4.8$ | $>2.8$ |  |
| 4 | $>1340$ | $>4$ | $>18$ | $>360$ | $>6.4$ | $>3.7$ |  |
| 5 | $>1675$ | $>5$ | $>22.5$ | $>450$ | $>8.0$ | $>4.7$ | $>80 \%$ |
| 6 | $>2010$ | $>6$ | $>27$ | $>540$ |  |  |  |
| 7 | $>2345$ | $>7$ | $>31$ | $>630$ |  |  |  |
| 8 | $>2680$ | $>8$ | $>36$ | $>720$ |  |  |  |
| 10 | $>3015$ | $>9$ | $>40$ | $>810$ |  |  |  |

A points $=$ Points $_{\text {energy }}+$ Points $_{\text {saturated fat }+ \text { Points }_{\text {sugars }}+\text { Points }_{\text {salt }} \text { }}$
$C$ points $=$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $_{\text {Protein }}+$ Points $_{F, V, \mathrm{P}}$

## In the general case:

- If $A$ points<11; Final nutritional score (FNS)=A points - C points
- If $A \geq 11, F N S=A$ points - (Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $\left._{F, V, P}\right)$


## Specific calculation rules:

1) For cheeses:

Same calculations as in the general case except for the FNS

- FNS=A points - $C$ points (regardless of the value of $A$ )

2) For fats and oils:

| Component | A points |  |  | C points |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Points | Energy (kJ) | Ratio SFA/total <br> fat (\%) | Sugars (g) | Sodium <br> $(\mathrm{mg})$ | Protein (g) | Fibre (g) | Fruits, vegetables, <br> pulses (\%) |
| 0 | $\leq 335$ | $<10$ | $\leq 4.5$ | $\leq 90$ | $\leq 1.6$ | $\leq 0.9$ | $\leq 40 \%$ |
| 1 | $>335$ | $>10$ | $>4.5$ | $>90$ | $>1.6$ | $>0.9$ | $>40 \%$ |
| 2 | $>670$ | $>16$ | $>9$ | $>180$ | $>3.2$ | $>1.9$ | $>60 \%$ |
| 3 | $>1005$ | $>22$ | $>13.5$ | $>270$ | $>4.8$ | $>2.8$ |  |
| 4 | $>1340$ | $>28$ | $>18$ | $>360$ | $>6.4$ | $>3.7$ |  |
| 5 | $>1675$ | $>34$ | $>22.5$ | $>450$ | $>8.0$ | $>4.7$ | $>80 \%$ |
| 6 | $>2010$ | $>40$ | $>27$ | $>540$ |  |  |  |


| 7 | $>2345$ | $>46$ | $>31$ | $>630$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | $>2680$ | $>52$ | $>36$ | $>720$ |  |  |  |
| 9 | $>3015$ | $>58$ | $>40$ | $>810$ |  |  |  |
| 10 | $>3350$ | $\geq 64$ | $>45$ | $>900$ |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ Olive, canola and walnut oil are included in the fruit and vegetable component
A points $=$ Points $_{\text {energy }}+$ Points $_{\text {saturated fat }}+$ Points $_{\text {sugars }}+$ Points $_{\text {salt }}$
$C$ points $=$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $_{\text {Protein }}+$ Points $_{F, V, \mathrm{P}}$

- If $A$ points $<11$; Final nutritional score (FNS)=A points - $C$ points
- If $A \geq 11, F N S=A$ points - (Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $\left._{F, V, p}\right)$

3) Beverages

| Component | A points |  |  |  | C points |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Points | Energy <br> $(\mathrm{kJ})$ | Saturated fat <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Sugars (g) | Sodium <br> $(\mathrm{mg})$ | Protein <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Fibre (g) | Fruits, <br> vegetables, <br> pulses (\%) |
| 0 | $\leq 0$ | $\leq 1$ | $\leq 0$ | $\leq 90$ | $\leq 1.6$ | $\leq 0.9$ | $\leq 40 \%$ |
| 1 | $>0$ | $>1$ | $>0$ | $>90$ | $>1.6$ | $>0.9$ | $>40 \%$ |
| 2 | $>30$ | $>2$ | $>1.5$ | $>180$ | $>3.2$ | $>1.9$ | $>60 \%$ |
| 3 | $>60$ | $>3$ | $>3$ | $>270$ | $>4.8$ | $>2.8$ |  |
| 4 | $>90$ | $>4$ | $>4.5$ | $>360$ | $>6.4$ | $>3.7$ |  |
| 5 | $>120$ | $>5$ | $>6$ | $>450$ | $>8.0$ | $>4.7$ | $>80 \%$ |
| 6 | $>150$ | $>6$ | $>7.5$ | $>540$ |  |  |  |
| 7 | $>180$ | $>7$ | $>9$ | $>630$ |  |  |  |
| 8 | $>210$ | $>8$ | $>10.5$ | $>720$ |  |  |  |
| 9 | $>240$ | $>9$ | $>12$ | $>810$ |  |  |  |
| 10 | $>270$ | $>10$ | $>13.5$ | $>900$ |  |  |  |

A points $=$ Points $_{\text {energy }}+$ Points $_{\text {saturated fat }+ \text { Points }_{\text {sugars }}+\text { Points }_{\text {salt }} \text { }}$
C points $=$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $_{\text {Protein }}+$ Points $_{F, V, \mathrm{P}}$

- If $A$ points<11; Final nutritional score (FNS)=A points - C points
- If $A \geq 11, F N S=A$ points $-\left(\right.$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $\left._{F, V, P}\right)$


## Nutri-Score allocation

| FNS |  | Class |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| All foods except beverages | Beverages |  |
| $\leq-1$ | Waters | A |
| 0 to 2 | $\leq 1$ | B |
| 3 to 10 | 2 to 5 | C |
| 11 to 18 | 6 to 9 | D |
| $\geq 19$ | $\geq 19$ | E |

2. The 2023 Nutri-Score

Points are allocated based on the nutritional content per 100g of foods or beverages.
Points are allocated for unfavorable elements (A points) and for favorable elements (C points)

| Component | A points |  |  |  | C points |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Points | Energy (kJ) | Saturated fat (g) | Sugars (g) | Salt (g) | Protein (g) | Fiber (g) | Fruits, vegetables, pulses (\%) |
| 0 | $\leq 335$ | $\leq 1$ | $\leq 3.4$ | $\leq 0.2$ | $\leq 2.4$ | $\leq 3$ | <40\% |
| 1 | >335 | >1 | >3.4 | $>0.2$ | >2.4 | >3 | >40\% |
| 2 | >670 | >2 | >6.8 | $>0.4$ | >4.8 | >4.1 | >60\% |
| 3 | >1005 | >3 | >10 | $>0.6$ | >7.2 | >5.2 |  |
| 4 | $>1340$ | >4 | >14 | $>0.8$ | >9.6 | >6.3 |  |
| 5 | >1675 | >5 | >17 | >1 | >12 | >7.4 | >80\% |
| 6 | >2010 | $>6$ | >20 | >1.2 | >14 |  |  |
| 7 | >2345 | >7 | >24 | >1.4 | >17 |  |  |
| 8 | >2680 | >8 | >27 | >1.6 |  |  |  |
| 9 | >3015 | >9 | >31 | >1.8 |  |  |  |
| 10 | >3350 | >10 | >34 | >2.0 |  |  |  |
| 11 |  |  | >37 | >2.2 |  |  |  |
| 12 |  |  | >41 | >2.4 |  |  |  |
| 13 |  |  | >44 | >2.6 |  |  |  |
| 14 |  |  | >48 | >2.8 |  |  |  |
| 15 |  |  | >51 | >3 |  |  |  |
| 16 |  |  |  | >3.2 |  |  |  |
| 17 |  |  |  | >3.4 |  |  |  |
| 18 |  |  |  | >3.6 |  |  |  |
| 19 |  |  |  | >3.8 |  |  |  |
| 20 |  |  |  | >4 |  |  |  |

A points $=$ Points $_{\text {energy }}+$ Points $_{\text {Saturated fat }+ \text { Points }_{\text {sugars }}+\text { Points }_{\text {salt }} \text { }}$
$C$ points $=$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $_{\text {Protein }}+$ Points $_{F, V, \mathrm{P}}$

## In the general case:

- If $A$ points<11; Final nutritional score (FNS)=A points - C points
- If $A \geq 11, F N S=A$ points $-\left(\right.$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $\left._{F, V, p}\right)$


## Specific calculation rules:

1) For cheeses:

Same calculations as in the general case except for the FNS

- FNS==A points $-C$ points (regardless of the value of $A$ )

2) For red meat and processed meat:

Same calculations as in the general case except maximum number of protein points is set at 2.

- If A points<11; FNS=A points - Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+\min \left(\right.$ Points $\left._{\text {Protein }}, 2\right)+$ Points $\left._{F, V, P}\right)$
- If $A \geq 11, F N S=A$ points - (Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $\left._{F, V, p}\right)$

3) For nuts, seeds and oils:

| Component | A points |  |  |  | C points |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Points | Energy from SFA (kJ) ${ }^{1}$ | Ratio SFA/total fat (\%) | Sugars (g) | Salt (g) | Protein (g) | Fiber (g) | Fruits, vegetables, pulses (\%) ${ }^{2}$ |
| 0 | $\leq 120$ | <10 | $\leq 3.4$ | $\leq 0.2$ | $\leq 2.4$ | $\leq 3$ | <40\% |
| 1 | $>120$ | >10 | >3.4 | $>0.2$ | >2.4 | >3 | >40\% |
| 2 | >240 | >16 | >6.8 | $>0.4$ | >4.8 | >4.1 | >60\% |
| 3 | >360 | $>22$ | >10 | $>0.6$ | $>7.2$ | $>5.2$ |  |
| 4 | >480 | >28 | >14 | >0.8 | >9.6 | >6.3 |  |
| 5 | >600 | >34 | >17 | >1 | >12 | >7.4 | >80\% |
| 6 | >720 | $>40$ | $>20$ | $>1.2$ | >14 |  |  |
| 7 | >840 | >46 | >24 | >1.4 | >17 |  |  |
| 8 | >960 | $>52$ | $>27$ | >1.6 |  |  |  |
| 9 | >1080 | $>58$ | >31 | >1.8 |  |  |  |
| 10 | >1200 | $\geq 64$ | >34 | >2.0 |  |  |  |
| 11 |  |  | >37 | >2.2 |  |  |  |
| 12 |  |  | >41 | >2.4 |  |  |  |
| 13 |  |  | >44 | >2.6 |  |  |  |
| 14 |  |  | $>48$ | $>2.8$ |  |  |  |
| 15 |  |  | >51 | >3 |  |  |  |
| 16 |  |  |  | >3.2 |  |  |  |
| 17 |  |  |  | >3.4 |  |  |  |
| 18 |  |  |  | >3.6 |  |  |  |
| 19 |  |  |  | $>3.8$ |  |  |  |
| 20 |  |  |  | >4 |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ Energy from SFA= Saturated fat content (g/100g)*9*4.18
${ }^{2}$ Oils derived from elements qualifying in the fruit and vegetable component qualify for fruit and vegetable component

C points $=$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $_{\text {protein }}+$ Points $_{F, v, p}$

- If A points<7; Final nutritional score (FNS)=A points - C points
- If $\mathrm{A} \geq 7 \mathrm{FNS}=\mathrm{A}$ points - ( $_{\text {Points }}^{\text {Fiber }}\left(\right.$ Points $\left._{F, v, \mathrm{P}}\right)$

4) Beverages

| Component | A points |  |  |  | C points |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Points | Energy <br> $(\mathrm{kJ})$ | Saturated <br> fat (g) | Sugars <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Salt <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | NNS $^{1}$ | Protein <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Fiber <br> $(\mathrm{g})$ | Fruits, <br> vegetables, <br> pulses (\%) |
| 0 | $\leq 30$ | $\leq 1$ | $\leq 0.5$ | $\leq 0.2$ | Absence | $\leq 1.2$ | $\leq 3$ | $\leq 40 \%$ |
| 1 | $>30$ | $>1$ | $>0.5$ | $>0.2$ |  | $>1.2$ | $>3$ |  |
| 2 | $>90$ | $>2$ | $>2$ | $>0.4$ |  | $>1.5$ | $>4.1$ | $>40 \%$ |
| 3 | $>150$ | $>3$ | $>3.5$ | $>0.6$ |  | $>1.8$ | $>5.2$ |  |
| 4 | $>210$ | $>4$ | $>5$ | $>0.8$ | Presence | $>2.1$ | $>6.3$ | $>60 \%$ |
| 5 | $>240$ | $>5$ | $>6$ | $>1$ |  | $>2.4$ | $>7.4$ |  |
| 6 | $>270$ | $>6$ | $>7$ | $>1.2$ |  | $>2.7$ |  | $>80 \%$ |
| 7 | $>300$ | $>7$ | $>8$ | $>1.4$ |  | $>3$ |  |  |
| 8 | $>330$ | $>8$ | $>9$ | $>1.6$ |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | $>360$ | $>9$ | $>10$ | $>1.8$ |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | $>390$ | $>10$ | $>11$ | $>2.0$ |  |  |  |  |
| 12 |  |  |  |  | $>2.4$ |  |  |  |
| 13 |  |  |  |  | $>2.6$ |  |  |  |
| 14 |  |  |  |  |  | $>2.8$ |  |  |
| 15 |  |  |  |  | $>3$ |  |  |  |
| 16 |  |  |  | $>3.4$ |  |  |  |  |
| 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 19 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ NNS stands for Non-nutritive sweeteners, as listed in Appendix 2 of the EU Regulation $n^{\circ} 1333 / 2008$
A points $=$ Points $_{\text {energy }}+$ Points $_{\text {saturated fat }}+$ Points $_{\text {sugars }}+$ Points $_{\text {salt }}+$ Points $_{\text {NNS }}$
$C$ points $=$ Points $_{\text {Fiber }}+$ Points $_{\text {Protein }}+$ Points $_{F, V, \mathrm{P}}$

- FNS $=$ A points -C points


## Nutri-Score allocation

| FNS |  |  | Class |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Solid foods | Nuts, seeds, oils | Beverages |  |
| $\leq 0$ | $\leq-6$ | Waters | A |
| 0 to 2 | -5 to 2 | $\leq 2$ | B |
| 3 to 10 | 3 to 10 | 3 to 6 | C |
| 11 to 18 | 11 to 18 | 7 to 9 | D |
| $\geq 19$ | $\geq 19$ | $\geq 10$ | E |

