# The Nutrient Project WATER

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## Characteristics of Water

©Water has three different types of characteristics, we have the *physical*, *chemical*, and *biological*.

#### **Physical Characteristics**

- C Physical characteristics of a water is usually determined by senses of touch, sight, smell, and taste.
- → Color- Pure water is colorless; colored water is usually polluted.
- → Turbidity- Pure water is clear and does not absorb light.
- → Taste & Color- Pure water is always tasteless and odorless.
- → Temperature- Temperature is not directly used to estimate if the water is drinkable or not.
  - The temperature of the natural water systems is a significant physical factor to determine the quality.
- Solids-If water is filtered to remove suspended solids, the remaining solid in the water indicates the total dissolved solids.



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#### **Chemical Characteristics**

Chemical characteristics of water includes an assessing the levels of the water, such as *pH* and *dissolved* 

oxygen.

- pH- pH determines if the water is acidic or alkaline. It is usually measured in between 0 to 14 for it to be determined.
- Dissolved oxygen- The amount of oxygen that is present in water

	The pH Scale		
More alkaline	1/10,000,000	14	Liquid drain cleaner, Caustic soda
	1/1,000,000		bleaches, oven cleaner
	1/100,000	12	Boapy water
	1/10,000		Household Ammonia (11.9)
	1/1,000	10	Milk of magnesium (10.5)
	1/100	9	Toothpaste (9.9)
Concentration of Hydrogen ions compared to distilled water	1/10	8	Baking soda (6.4), Seawater, Eggs
	0		"Pure" water (7)
	10	6	Urine (6) Milk (6.6)
	100	5	Acid rain (5.6) Black coffee (5)
	1,000	1.1	Tornato juice (4.1)
	10,000	3	Grapefruit & Orange juice, Soft drink
	100,000		Lemon juice (2.3) Vinegar (2.9)
	1,000,000	<u>.</u>	Hydrochloric acid secreted from the stomach lining (1)
More acid	10,000,000		Battery Acid

#### Typical pH for Selected Foods

 $\begin{array}{l} \mbox{Most fruits} - 2.8 \mbox{ to } 4.6; \mbox{ Most vegetables} - 5.0 \mbox{ to } 7.0; \mbox{ Meats, poultry, seafood} - 5.1 \mbox{ to } 7.1 \mbox{ Melons} - 5.2 \mbox{ to } 6.6; \mbox{ Tomatoes} - 4.3 \mbox{ to } 4.9 \mbox{ (borderline); } \mbox{ Rhubarb} - 3.1 \mbox{ to } 3.4 \mbox{ to } 3$ 

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### **Biological Characteristics**

C Biological characteristics of water refers to a variety of living organisms that can be found in the water.

- → Bacteria
- → Large plants
- → Fish
- → Zooplankton







### Functions of Water

- Contemporation in the eyes,
- nose,and mouth
- Colt protects body organs and tissues
- Coltaids in digestion
- 🙄 It helps you lose weight
- CIL improves blood oxygen circulation
- CIT helps boost energy

It prevents dehydration
It helps with nutrient absorption
It helps prevent constipation
It helps maximize physical
performance
It helps create saliva
It helps fight off illness
It helps keep skin bright

### Best Sources of Water

Some water rich-foods that have water in them are:

Cucumber- (96% of water which is the highest water content of any

food) Tomatoes- 95% Spinach- 93% Mushrooms- 92% Melons- 91% Broccoli- 90%













### Best Sources of Water

Here are some water companies that produce and sell purified water:

Essentia (the most purified)
 Aquafina (most affordable)
 Voss (Best Premium bottled water)
 Fiji ( best flavor)
 Just water (best eco option)





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# That Concludes Our Presentation!