### Fibre: Communicating the benefits

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## Health claims

Wheat bran fibre

Barley grain fibre

Oat grain fibre

Sugar beet fibre

Rye fibre

Arabinoxylan

Chicory inulin

Non-digestible CHO

Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose

Alpha-cyclodextrin

Oat/barley beta-glucans

Pectins

Resistant starch

Gut health

Blood sugar control

Dental protection

Maintenance & reduction cholesterol

# What can you say legally?

Approved text	Suggested alternative
Contributes to: An increase in faecal bulk An acceleration of intestinal transit Normal bowel function by increasing stool frequency	Helps keep your digestive tract in good working order Gut friendly
Consumption as part of a meal contributes to a reduction of the blood glucose rise after that meal Induces a lower blood glucose rise after consumption compared to sugar containing foods/drinks	Keeps blood sugar levels stable  Helps control blood sugar levels after meals
Contributes to the maintenance of tooth mineralisation	Tooth friendly
Lower/reduce blood cholesterol	Can help reduce high blood cholesterol
Maintenance normal cholesterol	Helps maintain normal cholesterol levels





All-Bran is proven to work in as little

# new and yummy -toothfriendly chocolate



**Fibregum** 







REDUCE

= 3g Oat beta-glucan

2 portions a day (equating to 3g of beta-glucan) actively lowers LDL cholesterol levels

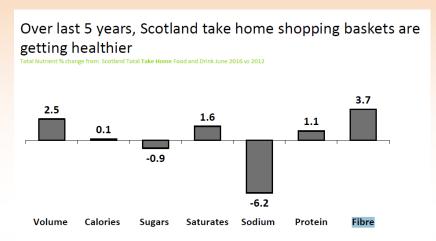


#### Conditions of use

- Make sure your product meets these they are specific to the claim
- For many, the product needs to qualify as 'high' in fibre (6g/100g)
- Or contain a specific amount of the target fibre ingredient
- Other wording is often required on label e.g. relating to cholesterol as a risk factor



## **Consumer insights**

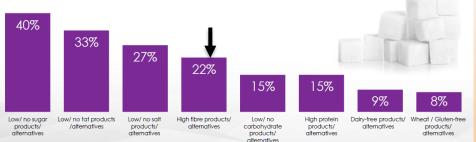


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#### Cutting back on sugar creates greatest interest...

Despite Fat being the key indicator for 'unhealthy' foods for adults, low sugar products are of greater interest...

Food & Drink products that would be of interest:



- Understand that fibre is 'desirable'
- Not specifically looking for it on labels – sugar/fat more important
- Some interest in buying higher fibre products.

