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ABSTRACT

Dietary intake is one of the parameters needed to test metabolic models relating radionuclide burdens to environmental contamination levels. With respect to ^{90}Sr , the tissues of greatest potential hazard are the infant skeleton and marrow, yet the dietary intake of infants is less well characterized than for any other population segment. Publication of heretofore unavailable market research data on recent trends in infant feeding practices and the completion of two large "in-the-home" metabolic balance studies with infants now make it possible to estimate the amounts and kinds of milks and solid foods fed to infants in the United States.

Pertinent information from balance studies conducted in this and other laboratories, dietary surveys, and market research was collected and summarized. The results were used to estimate the daily volume \pm S. D. of milk product consumed by the average U. S. infant month by month from birth through the second year. Milk

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intake increases rapidly from about 350 ml per day at birth to 750 ml in the third week. It continues to rise to a maximum of about 840 ml per day at the end of the second month. This intake level is maintained through the sixth month, at which time nearly all infants are receiving some solid food. A decline begins toward the end of the sixth month, and by the tenth month milk consumption has fallen to 670 ml per day. A slower but steady decline ensues for the next 14 months, so that the milk intake of the 2-year old is about 530 ml per day.

Variation in milk intake is largely due to differences in appetite, growth rate, body size, and solid food consumption--between-child variation. In addition, the daily intake of each infant fluctuates--within-child variation. The standard deviation (between-child variation) of the average daily milk intake is about 25% for a large heterogeneous population, when measurements are averaged over enough days to eliminate daily within-child fluctuations.

Market research data defined the age trends and chronological trends in the kinds of milk fed to infants--human milk, ready-to-use low-mineral formula, evaporated milk, or whole cow's milk. In 1950, 5% of newborn infants were given whole cow's milk, 25% were breast-fed, and 70% drank an evaporated milk formula. By 1968 the fractions of infants breast-fed or drinking whole cow's milk had changed very little, but now 69% of newborn infants received ready-to-use formulas and only 5% drank evaporated milk formulas. The above feeding patterns persist through about the third month of age, at which time the switch from all other milks to whole cow's milk begins. Between 1950 and 1968 4% of 6-month-old infants were still breast fed, 71% had been

shifted to whole cow's milk, and only 26% were taking a formula (mostly evaporated milk formula in the 1950's and mostly ready-to-use formula in the 1960's).

The average total calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium taken daily in milk was estimated for the average U. S. infant month by month from birth through two years from the daily milk intakes estimated above, from the fraction of infants drinking each milk product at each month of age, and from the published mineral concentrations of each milk product.

The average amounts and kinds of solid foods eaten month by month were estimated from balance-study and survey results, and the average daily intakes of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium in solid foods were calculated from these intake estimates and the published mineral concentrations in infant foods.

A sample calculation of ^{90}Sr intake is presented for a cohort of infants born in the vicinity of New York City on 1 January 1965; it is based on (a) the calcium intakes in each kind of milk and food month by month through 2 years of age as developed in this paper, and (b) the published ^{90}Sr analyses of these milks and baby foods purchased in New York City during 1965 and 1966. The total calcium and ^{90}Sr intakes of this hypothetical group were lower than previous estimates based on different dietary assumptions.

INTRODUCTION

Contamination of the biosphere with man-made radioactive isotopes, particularly ^{90}Sr , stimulated development of metabolic models that could be applied to the infant and the aged as well as to the working adult. Low concentrations of ^{90}Sr could be measured in diet and bone (1, 2), but the parameters of the physiological pathway from diet to bone were poorly known. A simple model that avoided most of the unknowns was proposed by Langham and Anderson (3). In this model ^{90}Sr in bone was related to incremental calcium accumulation, to the measured concentration of ^{90}Sr in bone, and to the rate of increase of ^{90}Sr in the diet. A more refined version of this model was used to predict ^{90}Sr levels in the skeletons of persons of different ages on diets of varying ^{90}Sr content, and to assess the potential hazard of ^{90}Sr in the environment (4-7). The key factors in this metabolic model for ^{90}Sr are (a) the total dietary intakes of calcium and ^{90}Sr and (b) a discrimination factor that relates utilization of dietary ^{90}Sr to the utilization of dietary calcium.

Dosimetric calculations for ^{90}Sr in U. S. adults routinely assume an average calcium intake of 1 g/day (8); a calcium intake of 1.2 g/day is used for similar calculations in the U. K. (9). Several years ago the calcium intake of infants in the U. S. was estimated to be 1.3 g/day (10). This was later revised downward to a total intake of 1 g/day assuming 80% of dietary calcium was obtained from milk (11). The earliest estimates appear to have been based on dietary recommendations, either official (12) or in the popular press (13), rather than on information about actual infant feeding practices. Even the more recent estimate does not take account of the frequency of breast feeding, the frequency

of use of low-mineral ready-to-use formulas rather than evaporated milk formulas, or the shift to fresh milk that takes place midway through the first year.

The discrimination factor is defined as the inverse of the Observed Ratio (OR), introduced by Comar et al. (14), in which

$$OR = \frac{Sr/Ca \text{ bone}}{Sr/Ca \text{ diet}} = \frac{\% \text{ dietary } ^{90}Sr \text{ retained in bone}}{\% \text{ dietary Ca retained in bone}}$$

OR has been measured in adult human beings (15), and the value obtained, $OR = 0.25$, has been widely used in interpreting annual samplings of foods and bone specimens (4-7). It was suggested that OR might be greater in animals on milk diets (14), and that OR in the human infant was probably greater than OR in the adult (16,17). The U. S. Federal Radiation Council chose to use $OR = 0.35$ for children less than 2 years (8). A recent study by Kahn et al. (18) is convincing; the ^{90}Sr $OR = 0.54$ was measured in 30 infants observed continuously from 1 to 10 months of age. Kulp and Schulert (7) commented on the implications of $OR > 0.25$ in infants as follows: "If the discrimination factor is actually less than 4 [$OR > 0.25$ in children under 2 years old], then another factor such as systematic variation in the diet must be operative to compensate." Bracketed note added by us. A reevaluation of the average intake by infants of milk and various foods seemed to be in order.

At least three significant changes have occurred in infant feeding practices in the 15 years since hydrogen weapons testing first injected ^{90}Sr into the environment; (a) Homogenization of dairy milk, begun in the 1940's, is now common practice throughout the U. S., and homogenization along with improved refrigeration and distribution facilities have made digestible, bacteriologically safe dairy milk readily available for infant feeding (19);

(b) Prepared low-mineral ready-to-use formulas,* introduced in the mid-1950's, have almost replaced evaporated milk in the bottle feeding of the newborn (20); (c) Strained and chopped baby foods, strongly promoted and attractively marketed, are being fed to more infants at younger ages than in former years (21). Although each of these changes may not be as dramatic as the shift from breast-feeding to evaporated milk in the 1920's and the initial introduction of prepared baby foods in the 1930's, altogether they have effectively reduced the milk intake, reduced the mineral intake of artificially fed infants, and introduced local dairy milk into the U. S. infant diet at earlier ages.

This paper contains two kinds of materials; (a) published results of balance studies (18, 22-25) and dietary surveys (26-33), and (b) original unpublished data from two metabolic balance studies conducted in this Laboratory. The purpose of the balance studies was to determine the daily intake and output of ^{90}Sr and stable strontium, calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium. These studies were conducted several years ago, but remained unreported because of the kinds of difficulties described by others (17, 18, 34). However, the feeding records permitted us to examine in detail the change with age of daily volume of formula drunk, the influence of solid foods on milk consumption, and the contribution of solid foods to both calorie and mineral intakes.

* Most of the ready-to-use formulas [see Fomon (19) Ch. 11 for details] are made with diluted low-fat cow's milk. Carbohydrate and vegetable oils are added to replace the butterfat calories. Because of the dilution, the protein content is closer to that of human milk, and the mineral concentrations are roughly 65% of ordinary cow's milk products.

Market research data are reliable but rarely published. Fomon's recent book on infant nutrition (19) was a major breakthrough because it included heretofore unavailable market research data of Cox (20) on the frequency of breast feeding and the frequencies of feeding ready-to-use formula, evaporated milk, and whole cow's milk during the years 1958 through 1965. These data, along with information for 1965 through 1968 kindly supplied by G. A. Martinez (31), and the recently published results of another large at-home balance study (18) permit us to identify (a) the milk source, (b) evaluate the composition of the infant diet month by month, and (c) calculate the average daily intakes and integrated intakes of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium. The calcium intakes and annual ^{90}Sr and calcium analyses of dietary components permit us in turn to calculate the ^{90}Sr intakes of U. S. infants from birth through the second year.

METHODS AND MATERIALS

Synopsis of Original Data

Description of the Data. Our subjects were ten healthy Caucasian infants. Three were children of Laboratory employees and seven were children of students in the University married students housing facility. Each child was identified by both a number and the abbreviation of the milk product drunk; infants 1 through 5 were girls, and 6 through 10 were boys. The product abbreviations are EV, evaporated milk,* and PF-MO, Modilac.† Except for the twins, 7EV and 9EV, each infant was seen by a different pediatrician. The children lived at home and their mothers, who had all had either at least two years of education beyond high school or work experience, maintained the daily feeding records. Forms were provided on which to record formula composition, the amount of formula taken at each feeding, and the varieties and amounts of solid foods taken at each feeding. A Laboratory employee visited each home twice a week to pick up soiled diapers and excreta, to deliver milk and food, and to check the feeding record.

Milk was measured by using the graduations on standard 8-fl-oz nursing bottles. The full 8-oz graduation and the intermediate graduations above 2 oz were accurate to $\pm 5\%$.

*Evaporated milk (EV), purchased from the Carnation Co., had been processed at Gustine, California.

†Modilac (PF-MO), marketed by the Gerber Products Co., Fremont, Michigan, had been processed at Gustine, California, from 1959 through 1963. Since 1963 Modilac has been processed at Clear Lake, Wisconsin.

Solids were first recorded in standard measuring teaspoons or table-spoons, then as intake increased, were recorded in fractions of cans or cans per meal. Partly used cans were returned to the refrigerator and offered at succeeding meals until emptied. Dry cereal was measured in level spoonfuls and mixed with formula from the bottle used for that feeding. Each feeding was recorded separately, but excreta were pooled for 14 days. To avoid confusion with future reports on the metabolic aspects of these studies, intakes, except formula volumes, were also reported as 14-day totals or 14-day averages [14-day average = (14-day total/14)] .

The three girls and four boys in the EV experiment were given a formula made with canned evaporated milk. Cases of milk from a single job lot (130.5 ± 3.4 mg Ca per 100 ml of a 1:1 dilution) were given to the mothers free of charge. This was the sole source of milk during a two-week equilibration period and the balance studies. Infants enrolled in the experiment before birth were fed formula made with this EV lot upon their arrival at home. Dilution of the EV and the amount of carbohydrate added were determined by the individual pediatricians. Balance studies were conducted for six consecutive 2-week periods beginning when the infants were 18 to 35 days old.

The two girls and one boy in the PF-MO experiment were given a processed liquid cow's milk formula. This study was intended to last longer than the shelf life of a single lot of EV. PF-MO was selected because it has a long shelf life, and its composition is controlled. In addition fewer formula composition changes were anticipated because at the normal 1:1 dilution, this formula is suitable for the new-born.

Four lots of PF-MO were used in the experiment: lot I (82.1 mg Ca per 100 ml of 1:1 dilution), six or seven 2-week balance periods beginning when the infants were 27 to 34 days old; lot II (81.4 mg Ca per 100 ml of 1:1 dilution), four 2-week balance periods beginning when the infants were 167 to 182 days old; lot III (83.7 mg Ca per 100 ml of 1:1 dilution), four 2-week balance periods beginning when the infants were 311 to 323 days old; lot IV (75.1 mg Ca per 100 ml of 1:1 dilution), four 2-week balance periods beginning when the infants were 446 to 462 days old. PF-MO was fed exclusively until the end of the last balance period. Enough of each lot was provided to supply all the milk needs of each infant for a span of time from 2 weeks before the start of a set of balance trials until 2 weeks before the start of the next set of balance trials, at which time the new lot was substituted, and the remainder of the preceding lot was returned or diverted to other uses in the household.

All solid foods were produced by a single manufacturer at a single plant.* In the EV study the mothers purchased only this brand. In the PF-MO study solid foods were furnished by the Laboratory. Except for a few items of high calcium content such as cottage cheese, creamed spinach, and strained chicken the mothers selected supplies freely from the processor's list. During the last balance periods of the PF-MO study, when the infants were more than 1 year old, some adult table foods were added to their diets; these were eggs, crackers,

*The Gerber Products Co., through its research director, Dr. Robert A. Stewart, kindly supplied the Modilac and the solid foods (processed at San Leandro, California) used in the PF-MO study.

shelf bread, bananas, apples, fresh fruit, frankfurters, ground beef, and cheese. Only the eggs, baked goods, and fruit were fed in significant amounts.

Samples of the milk products and solid foods, including the table foods, were dried, ashed, and analyzed for calcium in duplicate samples by a gravimetric method (35). Additional samples were prepared until two agreed within $\pm 0.5\%$. The calcium analyses of EV, PF-MO, and solid foods were within $\pm 5\%$ of published values (36-38). The good agreement between the analytical calcium values and those determined by others led us to calculate phosphorus, sodium, and potassium by using recorded intakes and the processor's analyses (36, 37).

Total milk intake during each 14-day balance period was obtained by summing the individual feedings. After correction for a dilution different from 1:1 when needed, total mineral intakes in milk were calculated. The number of spoonfuls or cans of each solid food item were summed for each 14-day period and the mineral content calculated. Total bulk and total mineral intake of the four categories of solid foods were calculated by summing the appropriate individual items.

Daily Intake of Formula. The daily milk formula intakes of the ten subjects (grouped by 30-day intervals as numerical frequency distributions) are tabulated in Appendices 1a through 1e. Summaries of the milk consumption of the EV and PF-MO groups are included in Tables 1 and 2 and Figure 1. From 15 to 130 days the mean (and the median) milk intake of all ten infants was 740 ml per day (68% of values lay between 615 and 850 ml). Between 167 and 511 days the mean daily milk intake of the PF-MO infants was 630 ml (68% of values lay between 550 and 770 ml).

Daily formula records of 8 or more days in any 30-day interval between 15 and 130 days of age were available for 23 child-months in the EV group and 11 child-months in the PF-MO group. In seven of eleven cases the mean volume of PF-MO drunk agreed within ± 1 S. D. with the consumption of EV by infants of the same age. Child 1MO, who was fed unusually large amounts of solid food from 11 days of age, accounted for three of the four instances of disagreement. Therefore, for the remainder of this paper it was assumed that EV and PF-MO were equally satisfying, and that the differences in their compositions were not great enough to influence the volume consumed.

Milk consumption by the boys was slightly higher than that by the girls, as has been noted by others (24-26). Solid foods were withheld from two of the five boys, while at the same ages, two of the five girls were receiving large amounts of solid food, tending to exaggerate differences between the mean intakes of the boys and girls in this small sample. If these four unusual children were omitted from the means, the daily milk consumption of the boys was 757 ml and that of the girls

was 714 ml during the age span from 15 to 130 days. Boys were above the grand average in 9 of 11 cases and girls were below the grand average in 9 of 12 cases.

Only a few of the frequency distributions of daily milk volume exhibited a sharp peak representative of a highly preferred intake, and these were restricted either to the earliest ages or to the infants who ate very little solid food. Most of the distributions were characterized by a central plateau 50 to 100 ml wide. The combined distributions for several infants tended to be more symmetrical than the individual distributions, but their central plateaus were broader (150 to 200 ml). Except for the period from 446 to 518 days, in which two individual distributions were bimodal, both the individual and combined distributions were normal and nearly symmetrical.

Solid Food Intake. The individual intakes of four categories of solid foods--cereal, fruit and juices, vegetables and combinations, and meat and egg--are shown in Appendix 2 as totals for each 14-day balance period. The average daily solid food intake of all ten infants (averaged over 30-day intervals) is included in Table 3. Midway through the second month, half of our subjects were receiving juices, strained fruits, and dry cereal mixed with formula. Vegetables were added in the third month, and strained meats and meat and vegetable combinations were added somewhat later. By the end of the third month eight of our ten subjects were taking 50 to 200 g of solid food daily. After the tenth month solid food intake ranged from 250 g to as much as 1,200 g per day. Infant cereal was fed in substantial amounts from the third through the twelfth

month, with maximum use in the fifth and sixth months. Very little infant cereal was fed after the twelfth month. The large S. D.'s of the intakes of the various solid foods, sometimes exceeding 100%, reflect the great variability in child preferences, and the skillfulness and determination of the mothers in the feeding of solid foods.

Mineral Intakes. The individual intakes of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium in milk and in four categories of solid foods are tabulated as 14-day totals in Appendices 4 through 7. The average daily intakes of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium in the four categories of solid foods are shown in Tables 4 through 7. Total intakes \pm S. D. of the four minerals are plotted as functions of age in Figures 2 through 5.

Data From Other Sources

Description and Management of the Data. The daily consumptions of whole cow's milk (designated hereinafter as WCM), evaporated milk (designated as EV), ready-to-use or prepared formula (designated hereinafter as PF-X, where X is an abbreviation of the brand name), or human milk (designated hereinafter as HM) were stated in or could be calculated from other data in several balance studies (18, 22-25) and dietary surveys (26-33). These data are collected in Table 1. Table 1 also includes calcium intake in milk and total diet. Consumption of four categories of solid foods and total solid food intake are summarized in Table 3. Mineral intake in solid foods is summarized in Tables 4 through 7. Daily milk or formula volume--without regard to the identity or composition of the milk product--is plotted as a function of age in Figure 1. Figures 2 through 5 show, also as functions of age, experi-

mentally determined or calculated total, milk, and solid food intakes of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium, respectively. The following paragraphs are detailed descriptions of the balance studies and dietary surveys that were used to estimate the average milk and mineral intakes of infants, and were included to enable the reader to make an independent judgment of the validity of the average intakes estimated in this paper.

Kahn et al. (18) 1969. Thirty subjects ranging in age from 30 to 300 days lived at home. Their food intake and excreta were monitored continuously for periods ranging from several weeks to 270 days. They drank EV, PF-S, or PF-E.* Solid foods were furnished by the investigators and were fed at the discretion of the mothers and the attending pediatricians. The following data were included in the paper: daily formula volume \pm S. D. for all subjects as a group, total calcium and phosphorus, formula calcium and phosphorus, calcium and phosphorus in five categories of solid food, and bulk intake of solid foods. From these data and published concentrations, sodium and potassium intakes in formula and solid foods could be calculated. A ready-to-eat cereal and fruit mixture was fed to these subjects. The authors estimated that an additional 80 ml/day of formula would have been taken if common practice of mixing dry baby cereal with formula had been followed. Formula volumes shown in Table 1 and Figure 1 have been corrected by adding 80 ml to the stated daily intakes, and S. D.'s were scaled up proportionately.

* PF-S, Similac, Ross Laboratories, Columbus, Ohio; PF-E, Enfamil, Mead-Johnson Laboratories, Evansville, Indiana.

However, mineral intakes shown in the rest of the Tables and Figures are the authors' experimental values.

Nelson (22) 1931. Nine male infants ranging in age from 55 to 330 days lived in an institution. Three-day balance trials were carried out repeatedly at irregular intervals. The subjects drank WCM with added corn syrup and lactic acid. No solid foods were given for the first 3 months. Only small amounts of egg yolk, fruit, and vegetables were given for the rest of the first year. The ages and total calcium and phosphorus intakes were tabulated in the paper for each subject. The raw data were grouped by age and average intakes \pm S. D. were calculated by us. Intake of calcium and phosphorus in solid food was considered negligible, and milk volumes were calculated by using published mineral concentrations in WCM.

Duckworth and Warnock (23) 1942. This paper is a review of early balance studies including Nelson's (22). All the subjects were institutionalized. They drank HM, EV, or WCM. Carbohydrate and small amounts of various acids were frequently added to the cow's milk products. Average total calcium intakes were tabulated for each age group in each experiment. Individual experiments in which the same form of milk was fed were combined by us and grand averages \pm S. D. were calculated (weighted for the number of case-days in the individual studies). Neither milk calcium nor milk volume could be calculated because of the lack of information about solid food.

Fomon and May (24) 1958. Nine infants of both sexes ranging in age from 4 to 180 days were hospitalized during three-day balance periods and lived at home at other times. They drank pasteurized pooled

HM and received no solid food. Body weight and daily milk consumption tabulated for the individual subjects in ml per kilo body weight were converted by us to daily milk volume/infant. These were then grouped by age, and average daily milk volume \pm S. D. and average daily total calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium \pm S. D.'s were calculated.

Fomon et al. (25) 1963. As before, the subjects were hospitalized during the three-day balance periods and lived at home at other times. They drank PF-S, PF-S-26, or PF-22-3* and were given no solid food. [The subjects drinking HM discussed in this paper are the same subjects described in an earlier paper (24).] Body weights and total daily intakes of calcium and phosphorus per kilo body weight were tabulated for each subject, including those that drank HM. Total calcium and phosphorus intakes were calculated by us — these were grouped by age, and mean intakes \pm S. D. were calculated for the various milks. Formulas and HM were the sole food sources, therefore, daily milk volumes could be calculated from total calcium intakes and calcium and phosphorus concentrations of the milks furnished by the authors.

Beal (26) 1954. The subjects were 58 "upper middle class" urban children. Milk or formula volumes and solid food intakes were recorded for one day each month (beginning in 1946) through the first 6 months and quarterly to five years of age. The infants were fed solid foods at the discretion of the mothers on the advice of their pediatricians. No attempt was made by the investigator to influence formula or solid food

* PF-22-3, Ross Laboratories; PF-S-26, Wyeth Laboratories, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

intake. Children who were breast-fed or receiving PF were excluded. Median total intakes of calcium and phosphorus were tabulated. Daily total calcium, milk calcium, and milk volume were shown graphically. Total average milk calcium and phosphorus were calculated by us from milk volumes and published mineral concentrations for WCM and EV (assuming 1:1 dilution, inasmuch as the author made no mention of dilution). Total solid food calcium and phosphorus were calculated as the difference between total and milk mineral; S. D.'s could not be calculated.

Guthrie (28) 1963. Daily milk and food consumption were recorded for seven consecutive days for a group of 52 "upper middle class" suburban children ranging in age from 9 months to 2 years. By the ninth month all the subjects were drinking WCM. The subjects were all under the care of a single pediatrician, and their mothers presumably received uniform dietary guidance. Solid foods were fed at the discretion of the mothers, and as in the Beal study (26), no attempt was made by the author to influence food intake. Average total calcium intakes were given for several age groups. Solid food was estimated from Figure 2 of this paper for each age group, and milk calcium was estimated as the difference between total calcium and calculated solid food calcium. Milk volume was estimated in turn from milk calcium and the published concentration of calcium in WCM. These estimated values, although included in Table 1 and Figures 1 and 2, are shown for comparison only and were not used further.

Bransby and Fothergill (27) 1954. This survey was conducted in the United Kingdom at a time when World War II food rationing was

still in force. The sample, which was designed to be representative of the U. K. infant population, consisted of 750 children 6 to 48 months old. Breast-fed children were excluded, and PF were presumably not marketed in the U. K. at that time. Milk and food intakes were measured and recorded by the mothers for seven consecutive days. Total calcium was tabulated for each age group. A significant fraction of milk consumed by children more than 1 year old was included in prepared foods rather than being drunk as liquid milk. Milk calcium and milk volume were estimated from stated total calcium and the author's estimate of the fraction of calcium contributed by the solid foods themselves. As in the case of the Guthrie data (28), although shown in the Tables and Figures, estimated values were not used further. These data were included to provide a comparison between contemporary U. S. and U. K. infant feeding practices.

Filer and Martinez (29, 30) 1963, 1964; Cox (20) 1967;
Martinez (31) 1969. Data on file with the National Birth Records Company, New York, which records about 85% of all U. S. births, were used twice a year to construct samples consisting of approximately 6,000 representative 6-month-old U. S. infants. The published results for 1962 (29) and 1963 (30) agreed well with U. S. Census data with respect to region, rural or urban residence, age and education of the mother, and family income. Low income and (or) rural families and residents of the Appalachian and Southern geographic regions were somewhat underrepresented in their samples, but it seems highly likely that births in low-income rural families are a significant fraction of the 15% of U. S. births not recorded by the NBRC.

The sampling device was a mailed questionnaire. Failure to reply was followed by two more mailings. A total response of 77% was obtained. Lower than average response by less well educated rural mothers may also have contributed to the under-representation of infants in these segments of the population in the total sample. The published portion of the questionnaire (29) asked the mother to record what her baby ate during one day: "How many ounces of milk (or formula) did your baby drink yesterday?" A list of solid foods followed, and space was provided to record amounts in teaspoons. * The remainder of the questionnaire, which was not published (31), asked for information on the kind of milk product the baby was drinking. Half of the respondents in each annual sample were also asked to recall the kind of milk product fed and how much was fed in one day at ages 1 week and 1, 2, 3, and 4 months. Independent checks were made of the reliability of the milk volumes obtained by this retrospective method, and one of the authors (31) concluded that the volumes, although perhaps a little high, are close to reality. Intakes of milk and solid foods were tabulated in the published papers either as total calories per item or as the fraction of total calories contributed by each item. A table of conversion factors was included which permitted these data to be converted to volume or grams weight, which in turn permitted calculation of the mineral contributions

* This survey technique has produced reproducible average milk and solid food intake values for the 6-month-old. The range, S.D., and percentile distributions have also proved to be reproducible (31).

of individual food categories. The average daily calcium and phosphorus intakes calculated by the authors assumed that all the infants were drinking WCM. We have chosen to recalculate mineral intakes using Cox's data (20) on the frequency of feeding milks of varying mineral content. S. D.'s were scaled down accordingly.

Bureau of Census (33) 1963. The National Food Consumption Survey of mid-1962 included 1460 infants less than 1 year old and 5963 children 1 to 4 years old. The samples were representative of the U. S. population of infants of the respective age groups as to region and kind of residence and family economic status. The tabulation included the average daily consumption by infants drinking only liquid WCM.

Rivera (32) 1968. The subjects were 16 upper-middle-class urban infants, all children of employees of the U. S. AEC Health and Safety Laboratory, New York, ranging in age from 1.5 to 11.5 months. A duplicate of a single 24-hour food and milk intake was analyzed for calcium, strontium, and ⁹⁰Sr. The milk products and solid food items were not identified.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Milk Intake--The Influence of Body Size, Growth, and Solid Food.

Milk is the chief source of all nutrients in the infant diet. Therefore milk composition and the volume drunk together determine individual variations of mineral intake. All of the milks that are now commonly fed to infants have about the same energy content [in kCal/100 ml (of a 1:1 dilution where appropriate)] : HM, 75; WCM, 69; EV, 69; PF, 64 to 67 (19). The protein concentration of cow's milk products is more than twice that of HM [in g/100 ml (of a 1:1 dilution where appropriate)] :

HM, 1.1; WCM, 3.3; EV, 3.8; PF, 1.5 to 3.4, with a mean of 2.0 (19). However, when infants are drinking the same volume of milk (HM, WCM) or formula (PF, EV) and are taking the same amount of protein and calories, their mineral intakes can vary in the ratio HM:PF:EV :: 2:4:7 (19).

The amount of milk drunk each day is influenced in the long run by caloric needs for energy and growth and on a day-to-day basis by the feelings of well being and satiety. A tired sick infant will take less milk at a feeding than a rested healthy infant. The feeling of satiety is brought about by the fullness of the stomach and the rate of stomach emptying.

It has been commonly observed that male infants drink more milk than female infants. Although the birth weights of male and female infants are nearly the same, male infants grow faster in early infancy, and the studies by Fomon et al. (25) clearly demonstrate that the greater milk intake of the male infants is a function of their larger body size. The intakes of HM or PF by the girls and boys in their experiments are summarized in Table 2. The girl's daily milk intakes were, on the average, 40 to 150 ml less than the intakes of the boys during the age span from 15 to 210 days. The small sample sizes and great individual variability among infants of the same sex rendered these small differences statistically insignificant until 130 days of age, at which time the average body weight of the boys was 0.83 kg more than the average body weight of the girls.

Except in the case of prolonged feeding of a formula that is too dilute, and therefore not calorically satisfying, formula and milk composition (i. e., casein vs. whey proteins, butter fat vs. vegetable fats or the unsaturated fats of HM, and lactose vs. sucrose) seem to have only a minor influence on the volume of milk consumed (22). Infants

take less milk when gastrointestinal passage time is slow, because they are hungry less often (19). The smaller volume of WCM drunk by the boys in Nelson's study (22) (see Table 2) compared with that consumed by the boys drinking HM and PF in the studies by Fomon et al. (25) conflicts with the observations that gastrointestinal passage time of fresh HM is longer than that of WCM (19). However, the differences between the milk volumes drunk by boys in the two studies may have been influenced by different experimental methods. The boys in Fomon's studies (25) drank all the milk they would take, but the maximum milk intakes of the boys in Nelson's study (22) were predetermined by the nurses who fed them.

The general trend toward greater milk intake with increasing body size is apparent through the first 6 months of age only in those groups of infants that were not taking any solid foods (22, 24, 25). In our study and that of Kahn et al. (18) total caloric intake rose steadily from about 525 kCal/day at 1 mo to 941 kCal/day at 16 mo, and the increase was due almost entirely to the increasing bulk of solid foods eaten.

The common practice is to offer solid foods before milk, and an infant receiving solid foods is therefore taking milk into an already partially filled stomach. In addition, the rate of stomach emptying is slowed by the presence of solid food. Without reducing energy or protein intake, solid foods in the infant diet can reduce milk volume, and consequently, reduce mineral intake, especially calcium intake, by partially filling the stomach and slowing gastric emptying. The depression of milk consumption by solid foods is shown in Table 2 and Figure 1. In

our studies two of the five boys received very little solid food before the third month. The average milk intake of our boys was lower than the intake of Fomon's boys (25), but only significantly lower ($P < 0.01$) after 90 days when all our boys were taking solid foods. Two of the five girls in our studies were given large amounts of infant cereal from ages 2 and 3 weeks. The average milk intakes of our girls (but not of Fomon's girls (24, 25) who were eating no solids) were significantly different from the intakes of Fomon's boys after 30 days, and also significantly different from the intakes of Fomon's girls after 90 days.

Examination of Table 1 and Figure 1 reveals that the high-milk-consuming groups were those that received little or no solid food (22-25) and the low-milk-consuming groups were those that received substantial amounts of solid foods (this paper, 18, 26-28). The practice of feeding solid foods to very young infants was documented for "upper middle class" urban children in the Beal survey (26), which was begun in 1946. By 1953 the early feeding of solids was considered sufficiently important to warrant a special study by the editors of a pediatric journal (39). In the latter report several leading pediatricians commented on the possible reduction of milk intake when substantial amounts of solid foods were given. More recent reports indicate that the introduction of solid foods into the diet of the 4- to 6-week-old infant is now a common practice at all economic levels in the urban United States (21), but is perhaps less frequent among the rural U. S. population (29, 30) and in the United Kingdom. During the period of interest of this review--1954 onward--addition of some solid food after the first month of life appears to be the general rule.

Estimation of Average Daily Milk Intake. The average daily intakes by the experimental balance study groups and by the infant

population samples in the dietary surveys are plotted as a function of age in Figure 1. The solid line in the figure is our best approximation of the average milk intake of U. S. infants, and was fitted to the dietary survey data of Martinez (31) and Filer and Martinez (29, 30) from birth through 6 months and to the average of the balance studies (this paper ref. 18) and dietary surveys (26-28) from 6 to 24 months. Milk intake increases rapidly from about 350 ml/day at birth to between 700 and 800 ml/day by the third week. It continues to rise (but less rapidly), so that by the end of the second month a maximum of about 840 ml/day has been reached. This intake level is maintained through about the sixth month, at which time nearly all infants are receiving some solid food, and a large fraction of both breast- and bottle-fed infants are being weaned to a cup. Both of these factors plus a slowing of the growth rate tend to reduce the average milk intake, and milk volume declines to about 670 ml/day by the tenth month. A slower but continuous decline ensues for the next 14 months, so that the milk intake of the 2-year old is about 530 ml/day (1.1 pint).

The average intake curve based largely on dietary survey data agrees with most of the experimental points during the first 20 days of life. It coincides with the milk intake curve (dotted line) of subjects taking no solid foods through the second month. It lies midway between the "no solid food" and "solid food" curves from the second through the sixth month. It would appear that most of the U. S. infant population receives only a little solid food during the first 2 months, and that the quantity of solid foods given through the sixth month is no more than one-half the amount fed in our balance study or that of Kahn et al. (18) or to the infants included in Beal's survey (26).

Fluctuation in Milk Intake. The S. D. 's of the average daily milk intakes of the balance study groups--boys and girls combined--were usually 10 to 20% , but the S. D. 's of the mean intakes obtained in the Filer and Martinez (29, 30) surveys were 37% . Milk intake was recorded and averaged over 3 or more days in the balance studies, but these survey data represented only one-day intakes. Analysis of variance (40) was used to assess the separate contributions to the total variance, $(S. D. T)^2$ [equivalent to the $(S. D.)^2$ determined by Filer and Martinez (29, 30)] of (a) daily fluctuations in the intakes of individual infants [within-sample variance, $(S. D. W)^2$] and (b) the fluctuations due to different dietary patterns of the infants in each sample [between-sample variance, $(S. D. B)^2$].

The daily within-child variation in our EV and PF-MO subjects contributed somewhat more than half of the total variance before 60 days of age--the age at which solid foods are fed in small amounts, and then only to some infants, and the body sizes of boys and girls are still not too dissimilar. After 60 days the greater diversity of dietary patterns and the larger differences in the body sizes of boys and girls led to an increase in the between-child variation, so that after 60 days the within-child variance and the between-child variance were roughly equal.

$(S. D. T)^2 = (S. D. W)^2 + (S. D. B)^2$. After 60 days of age $(S. D. W)^2 = (S. D. B)^2$ so that at 6 months,

$(S. D. T)^2 = 2(S. D. W)^2 = 2(S. D. B)^2$. Inserting the S. D. T obtained by Filer and Martinez (29, 30), $S. D. T = 289$ ml,

$$(S. D. B) = [(2.89 \times 10^2)^2 / 2]^{1/2} = 204 \text{ ml.}$$

The calculated between-child variation in this large heterogeneous

sample was 25% of daily intake, and, as might be expected, is somewhat larger than the S. D. σ of the more homogeneous experimental groups. The S. D. σ of average milk intake is probably closer to 10 to 15% of daily intake during the first 3 months of life and increases to 20 to 25% by the sixth to eighth month. A retrospective survey by Neumann (41) of the total fluid intake of 312 preschool children in suburban Long Island, New York, suggests that the S. D. σ of milk intake is close to 25% through the sixth year.

The percentile distributions of milk intake reported by Martinez (31) for 6-month-old infants were not symmetrical, but were skewed towards high values. A typical distribution is as follows: daily intake less than 148 ml, 0.5% ; 149 to 443 ml, 5.9% ; 444 to 738 ml, 41.7% ; 739 to 1034 ml, 38.1% ; 1035 to 1329 ml, 8.7% ; and more than 1329 ml, 5.1%. The median of 750 ml was less than the arithmetic mean, suggesting that the most probable daily intake of the 6-month-old may be nearly 100 ml less than the average daily intake of 840 ml (29, 30). Infants who consume large quantities of milk (more than 1 S. D. above average) also have an elevated ^{90}Sr intake and are therefore of special concern. It would appear that about 15% of 6-month-old U. S. infants drink more than 1000 ml/day of milk. In our balance studies the largest fraction of daily intakes exceeding 1000 ml/day was 5.4% , and occurred during the interval between 30 and 60 days while solid food consumption was still low. Boys accounted for 33 of the 39 days (out of a total of 1343 child-days) on which milk intake exceeded 1000 ml. In the studies by Fomon et al. (25) milk consumption greater than 1000 ml/day was twice as frequent among boys as among girls. The frequency of high milk intakes among that group

of infants (who were receiving no solid foods) was as follows: 30 to 90 days, 19%; 90 to 160 days, 32%; and 160 to 180 days, 39%. Inasmuch as the average milk intake approaches a maximum at 6 months of age, and most infants receive some solid foods after the second month, it seems reasonable to assume that the frequency of drinking more than 1000 ml/day of milk is not greater than (and may well be less than) 15% among both younger and older infants.

Intake of Minerals in Solid Food. The lack of information about solid food intake is not surprising. There are so many varieties; retrospective estimates are imprecise; and actual measurements are either clumsy or tend to influence the results. Bulk solid food consumption is of interest per se, because of its influence on milk consumption. The amount of each different kind of solid food must also be known before mineral intake can be calculated, because of the variable composition of solid foods. The single point at 6 months of age (29, 30) is the only available information about the solid food intake of average U. S. infants at any age. The intake of 6-month-old infants determined in that survey was nearly the same as the solid food intakes of the balance study subjects (this paper, ref. (18)) and of the subjects studied by Beal (26). From 6 to 24 months of age the milk intakes in both the balance studies and all the dietary surveys were the same, suggesting that bulk solid food consumption was also similar. The average milk intake of the general population of infants less than 6 months old was about midway between that of balance study subjects taking solid food and balance study subjects taking no solid food, suggesting that the average bulk solid food intake of the average infant in the general population is greater than zero, but less than that fed in the major balance studies or the Beal survey (26).

The average bulk solid food intake shown in Table 3 and the average intakes of minerals in several categories of solid foods (see Tables 4 through 7) were estimated as follows: (a) From birth to 5 months, average solid food consumption was assumed to be one-half that taken by the infants in the balance studies conducted by us and by Kahn et al. (18) and the subjects in Beal's (26) survey; the 6-month point was considered to have been defined by the Filer and Martinez (29, 30) survey; and (c) from 7 to 24 months average solid food consumption was assumed to be equal to the average measured intakes of the balance studies (this paper, ref.18) and the recorded intakes of the other dietary surveys (26-33).

Calcium. (See Table 4 and Figure 2.) During the first 10 months baby cereals, especially fortified with calcium phosphate, are the only significant solid food source of calcium. During the second year as larger amounts of eggs, vegetables, and fortified breakfast foods are fed, solid food calcium increases to about 200 mg/day.

Phosphorus. (See Table 5 and Figure 3.) Although larger amounts of phosphorus are present in a greater variety of solid foods, fortified dry infant cereals are the main solid food phosphorus source during the first 6 months. Phosphorus-rich meat and eggs added to the diet after the sixth month gradually replace infant cereal as the main solid food phosphorus source. Phosphorus intake in solid foods rises from 200 mg/day at 6 months to nearly 400 mg/day at the end of the second year. It should be noted that by 4 months the breast-fed infant is probably deriving more than 50% of his phosphorus intake from solid foods.

Sodium. (See Table 6 and Figure 4.) During the early months of infancy when milk--especially HM or PF--is the sole or major food, sodium intake is low. Infant cereals and strained fruits contain little sodium. However, table salt is added by the processors to strained vegetables, meats, and meat and vegetable combinations (37). The addition of these foods to the diet at about the fourth month raises the sodium intake to about 800 mg/day by the sixth month, and half the sodium is contributed by solid foods. Sodium intake rises rapidly as more solid food is ingested, so that by the end of the second year the average daily intake is about 1.25 g, of which 700 mg is derived from solid foods. Average body weights of infants are 6 to 7 kg at 6 months and 12 kg at 2 years, therefore, sodium intakes are 120 mg/kg at 6 months and 100 mg/kg at 2 years. In the United States the customary daily sodium intake of adults is estimated to be 3 to 7 g (42), or for a 70 kg man, 50 to 100 mg/kg/day. As Puyau and Hampton (43) pointed out, the sodium intake of the 6- to 12-month-old infant, per unit body mass, is near the upper end of the normal adult range as a result of the addition of table salt to baby foods.

Potassium. (See Table 7 and Figure 5.) A potassium intake of 0.8 to 1.3 g/day (11.5 to 18.5 mg/kg/day) has been estimated to be near the minimum adult daily requirement (44). Potassium is needed for growth as well as maintenance, but the quantity needed has not been established (44). Milk and most solid foods, except perhaps baby cereals, are good potassium sources. Doubling the upper level of the estimated adult requirement infers a requirement of at least 240 mg/day by the 6-month-old and 440 mg/day by the 2-year-old. The infant diets

reported here provided a fivefold excess over this estimate of minimum potassium requirement for the 6-month-old and a fourfold excess for the 2-year-old.

Mineral Intake in Milk. During the 30 years between the introduction of EV in the 1920's and the marketing of PF in the early 1950's nearly all young infants were either breast-fed or bottle-fed with a formula made of diluted EV and carbohydrate. Mineral intake from HM is low (see Figures 2 through 5). Mineral intake from EV varies from a low close to that of PF [at the dilution of 2:1::water:EV recommended for the newborn (45)] to a high equal to that of WCM (at a dilution of 1:1). The earlier literature also suggests that breast feeding was often continued for many months and that EV formulas were frequently fed for the entire first year, because of their lower cost and greater bacteriological safety than local dairy milk. The increasing availability and bacteriological safety of local fresh milk in the 1940's along with more efficient refrigeration and distribution prompted larger numbers of mothers to shift infants to WCM at earlier ages. In the Neuman (41) and Guthrie (28) studies (published in 1957 and 1964, respectively) nearly all the subjects (middle-class urban or suburban) were drinking WCM after 6 months of age. Unfortunately, these studies contained little information about the ages at which that shift had been made.

The introduction of low-mineral PF further complicated the picture. In the absence of information about actual infant feeding practices, Klein (10) estimated infant calcium intake by assuming that all infants drank PF for the first 3 months and EV for the next 9 months of the first year. No attempt was made to account for frequency of

breastfeeding, or the fact that a switch from PF to EV is extremely rare (31), or the rate of change to WCM.

The Kinds of Milk Fed to Infants Since 1953. (See Table 8 and Figures 6 and 7.) The market surveys by Cox (20), Filer and Martinez (29, 30), and Martinez (31), all of the Ross Laboratories, processors of one brand of PF, supply much of the heretofore missing information on the month-by-month frequencies of the feeding of various milks during the first year of life. Their published data include (a) complete information on month-by-month milk use through 4 months of age for the year 1958 and through 6 months of age for the year 1965 (20); (b) trends in feeding various milks to 1- and 4-month-old infants during the 8-year span from 1958 through 1965 (20); (c) frequency of feeding EV and PF to 10-day- and 1-month-old infants in the years 1966 through 1968 (31); and (d) observations by Martinez (31) that the frequencies of HM and WCM feeding at each month (through the sixth month) were nearly constant from 1958 onwards, and that after the sixth month the rate at which infants are shifted from the breast and formulas to WCM has not changed since 1958. The above described data appear in Table 8 in boldface type. Missing values for the years 1953 through 1968 were estimated as described below and appear in Table 8 in ordinary type.

(a) The fraction of infants drinking each kind of milk in the years 1958 and 1965 was read from Cox's curves (20) and replotted. The feeding trends after 4 to 6 months of age were estimated for these two years by extrapolating the best eye-fit straight lines drawn through the last two or more points on the HM, EV, and PF curves. The terminal trend of the WCM curve could not be determined by extrapolation, but

because the sum of the fraction of infants drinking the four milks could not exceed 1.0, the WCM values could be calculated by difference,

$$\text{WCM} = [1.0 - (\text{HM} + \text{EV} + \text{PF})] .$$

The data and the extrapolated curves are shown in Figure 6 for the year 1965.

(b) Published data (20) were available only for 1- and 4-month-old infants in the intervening years, 1959 to 1964. The fractions of infants drinking various milks at 10 days and 2, 3, 5, and 6+ months were estimated for these years by analogy and interpolation. The 1- and 4-month data were plotted for each milk variety for each year. These plots were superimposed on the complete curve of the appropriate milk category for the year 1958 or 1965 (whichever was closer on the time scale), shifted along the ordinate until both points coincided with the curve beneath, and a new curve was traced.

For the years 1960 and 1962, midway between the years for which trends were well defined, the 1- and 4-month points of EV and PF consumption could not both be aligned with either the 1958 or the 1965 curve, but could be fitted to synthetic curves drawn halfway between the curves for these two years.

(c) Missing values for the years 1966 through 1968 were estimated by superimposing plots of the 10-day and 1-month data for these years on the 1965 curves.

(d) The fraction of infants fed different kinds of milk during the years 1953 through 1957 were also of interest, because detectable amounts of radioactivity were entering the general environment as early as 1953-54. Distribution of the kinds of milk drunk after 6 months of age was assumed to be the same as in 1958.

(e) The fraction of 1- and 4-month-old infants drinking each category of milk (20) was plotted vs. calendar year for the years 1958 through 1968. The trends in feeding the four kinds of milk to infants 1 month of age is shown in Figure 7. The long-term trends of the fraction of infants drinking HM and WCM were almost linear during the entire period. The tendency mothers to feed PF to their 1-month-old infants in preference to EV accelerated in about 1961, and, therefore, only the points from 1958 to 1962 were included in the back extrapolations of the EV and PF trends. Increase in the use of PF has been almost all at the expense of EV, thus uncertainties in the placement of the extrapolated curves could be checked by assuming that the sum EV + PF was always 0.69. The extrapolated PF curve reaches zero in the year 1949. We did not attempt to determine the year in which each PF brand was first marketed, but a scan of advertisements in those pediatric, general medical, and dietetic journals that accept advertising suggested the first brands of PF were being advertised by 1950.

(f) The extrapolated values for 1- and 4-month-old infants were plotted separately for each milk variety by year, and these plots were superimposed on the 1958 curve as described in (b) above to yield estimates of the fraction of infants drinking various milks at other ages.

Average Daily Mineral Intake of Infants. Between 1950 and 1958 there was a major shift in the kind of milk product most commonly fed to infants under 6 months of age. In 1950 about 70% of infants were being fed EV formula at 1 month; in 1968 about 70% of infants were being fed PF at the same age. However, the total mineral intake in milk at any age during the first 6 months did not change much, because

the 2:1::water:EV dilution recommended for the newborn infant provides the same amounts of most minerals as an equal volume of 1:1 dilution of most brands of PF. Assuming that both EV and PF were diluted according to processor's and pediatrician's instructions (13,45), the average mineral concentration, C_t , of the milk fed to infants can be calculated month by month,

$$C_t = \text{mg per 100 ml of } M^{+n} = \sum (fr_{it} \times C_i), \quad (1)$$

where M^{+n} is the mineral under consideration C_t is the average concentration of M^{+n} in milk fed at age t ; fr_{it} is the fraction of infants drinking milk product i at age t ; and C_i is the concentration of M^{+n} in milk product i . The calculated monthly average concentrations, hereinafter referred to as average concentrations, of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium of milk fed to infants are shown in Table 9.

The average daily mineral intake in milk, I_t , can be calculated,

$$I_t = \text{mg/day of } M^{+n} = (C_t \times V_t), \quad (2)$$

where I_t is the daily intake of M^{+n} at age t ; C_t is the average mineral concentration calculated at age t using Eq. 1; and V_t is the average daily milk volume drunk at age t read from Figure 1. The calculated average daily intakes, hereinafter referred to as average daily intakes, of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium are shown in Table 9 for infants from 10 days to 2 years of age.

The average daily intakes of calcium, phosphorus, sodium, and potassium in milk are plotted as functions of age in Figures 2 through 5, respectively. The average daily intakes of these four minerals in solid foods were read from Tables 4 through 7 and also plotted in the

appropriate Figures. The curves labeled "total mineral" are the sums of the average daily intakes in milk and solid foods of each of the four minerals.

During the first 4 to 6 months the average total daily intakes of calcium, phosphorus, and potassium fell well above the measured total intakes of the balance study subjects drinking low-mineral milks (HM, PF, or dilute EV) but somewhat below the measured total intakes of the balance study and survey subjects who drank high-mineral milk (WCM or 1:1 diluted EV) and took little or no solid food. After the first month the total daily sodium curve lay close to the measured intakes of balance study and survey subjects drinking high mineral milks because of the large sodium contribution of some solid infant foods. After 4 to 6 months of age, when most infants have been changed from breast and formulas to WCM, and when a larger fraction is receiving substantial amounts of solid foods, the average total calcium and phosphorus intake curves agreed well with the measured total intakes reported in dietary surveys (26-33). Sodium and potassium intakes could not be calculated from any survey data other than the Filer and Martinez (29, 30) studies of 6-month-old infants, and the extent of agreement between the calculated average daily intakes of these elements and actual infant diets is uncertain. However, had the subjects in our PF-MO balance study been drinking WCM after 6 months of age, as most infants are at that age, their sodium and potassium intakes would have been the same as or only a little greater than the average curves predict.

Total Calcium Intake During the First Two Years of Life. Total intake month by month is one of the parameters needed for solution of metabolic models of calcium utilization in the infant.

^{90}Sr analyses of foods and milks are reported almost universally relative to calcium content, that is, pC_i per g Ca, rather than per unit of mass or volume. Calculation of ^{90}Sr intake requires not only knowledge of total calcium intake, but because the concentrations of ^{90}Sr in solid foods and milks vary both with time and location of the raw material sources, detailed knowledge is also required of the amounts ingested in each individual food item. Precise evaluation of ^{90}Sr intake by the infant is complicated by rapid changes occurring (a) in the amount of calcium ingested; (b) in the dietary sources of calcium and ^{90}Sr ; (c) in the ^{90}Sr content of milks (due to the annual rainfall cycle even in the absence of continued injection of fission products into the environment); (d) and in the infant himself--his skeleton and the physiology of his gastrointestinal tract.

Total calcium intake of the average U. S. infant was evaluated for a cohort of infants born 1 Jan. 1965 as,

$$\left[\text{Ca}_i \right]_{t_1}^{t_2} \text{ (mg)} = C_i/2 \times \left| \text{fr}_{it_2} - \text{fr}_{it_1} \right| \times \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t dt, \quad (3)$$

$$\left[\text{Ca}_T \right]_{t_1}^{t_2} \text{ (mg)} = \sum \left[\text{Ca}_i \right]_{t_1}^{t_2}, \quad (4)$$

where $\left[\text{Ca}_i \right]_{t_1}^{t_2}$ is the total calcium ingested in milk product i from ages t_1 to t_2 ; C_i is the calcium concentration of milk product i ;

fr_{it} is the fraction of infants drinking milk product i at age t ; V_t is the average daily volume of milk drunk at age t ; and $\left[Ca_T\right]_{t_1}^{t_2}$ is the total calcium intake from all milks between the ages t_1 and t_2 . C_i was read from Table 9; fr_{it} was read from Table 8; and solutions of the integral, $\int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t dt$, for each month of age were evaluated numerically from the curve in Figure 1. Solid food calcium, Ca_s , was also evaluated numerically from the appropriate curve in Figure 2. The results are collected in Table 10.

According to the above calculations the average U. S. infant ingests 320 g of calcium in the first year of life--290 g from milk sources (90.6%) and 30.3 g (9.4%) from solid foods. Both milk and solid-food calcium intakes are well below the amounts estimated by Klein (10)--387 g of calcium from milks and 84 g from solid food. The average daily intake, estimated to be 877 mg calcium per day for the entire year, is only about 10% less than the value most recently proposed to the Federal Radiation Council (11). However, the FRC estimate of 20% of dietary calcium derived from solid food appears to be 100% too large.

Another of the parameters needed to test both calcium and ^{90}Sr metabolic models is the amount of calcium added to the skeleton each year. The most widely quoted value for calcium acquisition in the first year of life is 75 g (46). Although some authors consider balance studies unsuitable as a basis for calculation of changes in body content of specific minerals (25), calcium retention can at least be approximated from

metabolic balance studies for comparison with measurements and estimates of body calcium content obtained independently. Examination of the results of the several balance studies collected in Table 11 indicates (a) that over a broad range of intakes--at least from 505 to 953 mg/day--the fraction of calcium retained is independent of intake and is on the average 28.2%, and (b) that the amount of calcium added to the infant skeleton is dependent on total calcium intake. Estimated total retention during the entire first year at the calcium intake (877 mg/day) calculated for the average U. S. infant is 90.2 g, about 20% greater than the value proposed by Mitchell et al. some 25 years ago (46), and 56% greater than the total retention calculated for balance study subjects who drank low-mineral PF for their entire first year (this paper and ref. 18). Variation in calcium accretion due solely to differences in the calcium concentration of milk would be expected to lead to a range from 48 g (for the entirely breast-fed child) to 105.4 g (for the infant fed WCM or EV 1:1 from birth). * Earlier it was shown that the S. D. _B of milk intake due to differences in appetite, body size, and solid food consumption was about 25%, which would cause the expected range of total skeletal calcium retentions to be still broader.

In the absence of actual measurements of skeletal mass and composition during the growth years the skeletal growth estimates

* HM, [765 ml/day \times 33 mg/100 ml + 83 mg (from solid foods)] \times (0.393 \times 365 days) = 48 g. WCM, [765 ml/day \times 123 mg/100 ml + 83 mg (from solid foods)] \times (0.282 \times 365 days) = 105.4 g.

made by Mitchell et al.,* from which the first-year increment of 75 g calcium is derived, have gradually come to be regarded as quasi facts (3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 16, 48) rather than the rough approximation the authors intended. They pointed out that their calculations, which were based on many assumptions,* were "more an illustration of method rather than attainment of values". The dietary information in this paper strongly suggests that calcium accretion during the first year of life (and perhaps the second year also) of the modern U. S. infant may be 20% greater (28 g at birth + 90 g acquired = 118 g at 1 year) than the commonly assumed value of 100 g.

⁹⁰Sr Intake of Infants Born in New York City 1 January 1965.

Since 1954 monthly samples of dairy milk purchased in New York City have been analyzed for calcium and ⁹⁰Sr; a current summary of results is available (49). Quarterly samplings of local dairy milk and of a standardized selection of solid foods have been made in San Francisco

* In their paper (Ref. 46) Mitchell et al. extrapolated growth data for boys 5 to 17 years at both ends to conform to a birth weight of 3.49 kilos and an adult weight of 67 kilos at 20 years. A fifth-degree polynomial was fitted to the extrapolated weight data. The changing calcium content of the boy's body was expressed by a fourth-degree equation, based on the assumption (a) that the calcium content at birth is 0.8% and (b) that that in the adult is 1.6% and (c) that the change from infancy to adulthood occurs progressively throughout growth, but is more rapid when growth is more rapid.

and Chicago as well as in New York City since 1960 in a study called the Tri-City Diet Survey (50, 51). Strained baby foods and infant milks (EV and PF) were purchased quarterly in these three cities beginning in late 1959 in a study called the Infant Diet Survey (10, 32, 52, 53).

The ^{90}Sr ingested during each month through the first year of life and in the entire second year was calculated for a cohort of average U. S. infants born in the New York region on 1 January 1965 by use of (a) New York City ^{90}Sr analyses for the year 1965 (collected in Table 12); (b) the fractional calcium contributions of various milks to the infant diet for the same year (see Table 10); and (c) the calcium intake in solid food calculated in this paper (see Figure 2 and Table 10). The results are shown in Table 12. We calculate that this population of presumably typical infants would have ingested a total of 290 g calcium in milks [22 g in EV, 46 g in PF, 5 g in HM, and 216 g (74% of the total milk calcium) in WCM] and 30 g calcium in solid foods. The total ^{90}Sr intake was estimated to be 6650 pCi [5820 pCi in milks, of which 61% was contributed by WCM, and 830 pCi (only 12% of total ^{90}Sr intake) in cereals and strained baby foods].

Earlier estimates of ^{90}Sr ingestion by infants suffered from acknowledged deficiencies of factual information. It is interesting to note, however, that our calculated calcium and ^{90}Sr intakes fall between calculated 1965 intakes based on the dietary assumptions of Klein (10) and Rivera (32)--473 g calcium and 9030 pCi ^{90}Sr , and 260 g

calcium and 5780 pCi ^{90}Sr , * respectively.

The last two columns in Table 12 contain the monthly accumulated ^{90}Sr intakes (in milk) during the first 12 months of life and estimates of the S. D. $_{\text{Sr}}$'s of these accumulated intakes.

$$(\text{S. D. }_{\text{Sr}})^2 = (\text{S. D. }_{\text{B}})^2 + (\text{S. D. }_{\text{Mi}})^2,$$

where S. D. $_{\text{B}}$ is the same as previously defined and in this instance is taken to be 25%, and S. D. $_{\text{Mi}}$ is the standard deviation in ^{90}Sr intake due to variations in the calcium and ^{90}Sr contents of various milks. The S. D. $_{\text{Mi}}$'s were calculated by tracing from birth to 1 year the accumulated ^{90}Sr intakes of a synthetic population of 100 infants who were drinking the four milk varieties (WCM, EV, PF, HM) in the proportions reported for 1965 by Cox (20). The milk drinking history of each individual was entered in a table according to the following changes with age in the use of the different milk varieties (31): (a) switches from WCM to other milks are rare; (b) switches from EV to PF or vice versa are also rare (c) all except a few switches (during the first month from HM to PF) take place away from HM and formulas in the direction of WCM. ^{90}Sr intake in the volume of milk drunk by the average infant was calculated for each milk variety at each month of age (and calendar month), and the appropriate value was entered in the table for each infant in the population. Means and S. D. $_{\text{Mi}}$'s of the accumulated ^{90}Sr intakes were

* ^{90}Sr intakes were not calculated by those authors for the year 1965, but rather, were calculated by us using their estimates of calcium intake in various milks and solid foods during the first year of life and the ^{90}Sr concentrations in these products in 1965 given in Table 12.

then calculated for each calendar month.

$S. D. Sr$ is largest in proportion to the accumulated intake during the earliest months of life ($S. D. Sr = 61\%$ at 1 month and 34% at 12 months) chiefly because of the breast-fed infants whose ^{90}Sr intake is only one-tenth as great as that of infants drinking WCM or formulas (5). The variation in monthly ^{90}Sr intake because of milk variety ($S. D. Mi$) disappears between the 6th and 9th months, when the whole infant population has switched to WCM, although variation in accumulated ^{90}Sr intake because of dietary history persists.

It is beyond the scope of this paper, and was not its purpose, to attempt a reconciliation between ^{90}Sr measurements of bone and ^{90}Sr burdens predicted from estimated calcium intakes, even though such a reconciliation is essential to the validation of the intake estimates. Preliminary calculations were made for 6-month-old and 1-year-old infants for the year 1965, however, and the ^{90}Sr burdens predicted from the calcium intakes estimated in this paper agreed reasonably well (within 25%) with published measurements of ^{90}Sr in bone for that year. The calculations assumed that OR was constant during the first year, and $OR = 0.5$ as measured through 10 months by Kahn et al. (18). The

goodness of the agreement was hard to assess because there were only two New York City specimens each in the age ranges 1 month to 1 year and 1 to 2 years in that year, and their exact ages were not published. Samples of children's bones collected during one calendar year are published as averages for each 1-year age increment (55, 56).^{*} This practice leads to inclusion of two annual cohorts in each 1-year age average, so that the sample designated "1 month to 1 year," for example, can represent infants born both at the beginning and at the end of the sampling year. The average age of the samples collected and reported in that manner is therefore at the midyear (0.5 year for the samples called "1 month to 1 year"); their average birth date is not at midyear, but at the beginning of the sampling year; and their diet is not that of the sampling year alone, but the average of the sampling year and the year before.

It is hoped that the age trends and chronological trends in infant feeding and the detailed estimates of calcium intake presented in this review will stimulate development of a data-processing system that will (a) permit use of all the monthly and quarterly diet and milk analyses rather than just annual averages; and (b) calculate cumulative ⁹⁰Sr intakes and predict ⁹⁰Sr burdens of cohorts of infants and children from the month of birth. The number of samples of young bone collected in any single calendar year in a single sampling region has been small--too small to provide adequate testing of currently accepted metabolic

* Information about individual specimens including age and month of death (from which birth date can be calculated) is available for samples collected before 1965 (55,57).

models--and obviously sample sizes are fixed for past years. However, even if only two samples of each 1-year age increment had been collected each year from only the three cities of the Tri-City Diet Study, the total collection over the last 10 years would now approach 1,000 specimens. There appears to be an alternative to the dilemma of being unable to make suitable tests of metabolic models because of small unreproducible samples, and that is the development of a computational system capable of predicting the ^{90}Sr burden of each annual cohort in every subsequent year from average diet information and intake estimates. Such a system would permit as many tests of the models as there are individual bone specimens.

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Table 1. Summary of selected studies of milk intake, milk calcium, and total calcium intake.
Cow's milk (WCM or EV).

Source	Kind of study	Case- days	Age (days)	Mean±S. D. or median		
				Milk volume (ml/day ±S. D.)	Milk calcium (mg/day ±S. D.)	Total calcium (mg/day ±S. D.)
Duckworth and Warnock(23)	Balance	50	46- 61			823±187
	No solids	286	76- 86			817±174
	WCM, EV	236	92-101		Same as total Ca	882±207
		585	137-160			998±252
		126	168-191			1011±266
		156	203-211			1068±153
		117	252-295			1158±161
Nelson(22) ^a	Balance	27	63- 87	<u>756</u> ^b		920± 49
	No solids	57	91-108	<u>826</u>		1006± 67
	WCM	36	132-166	<u>916</u>	Same as total Ca	1122±148
		33	170-198	<u>970</u>		1200±123
		18	203-230	<u>1008</u>		1227± 58
		24	242-278	<u>1042</u>		1269± 33
		21	284-324	<u>1071</u>		1304± 38
Kahn <u>et al.</u> (18)	Balance	140	61- 90	728±132 ^c	635	650
	Solid food	112	91-120	694±125	599	626
	EV	140	121-150	712±129	620	664
		196	151-180	690±114	626	678
		140	181-210	685±124	597	653
		252	211-240	680±116	585	648
		168	241-270	655±120	549	620
This paper	Balance	140	32- 61	778± 88	857±105	863±107
	Solid food	196	62- 89	742± 70	878± 84	911± 76
	EV	210	90-126	747±104	941±140	990±143

Mean±S. D. or median

Source	Kind of study	Case- days	Age (days)	Mean±S. D. or median		
				Milk volume (ml/day ±S. D.)	Milk calcium (mg/day ±S. D.)	Total calcium (mg/day ±S. D.)
Beal(26)	Survey, U. S.,	27	0- 30	476	<u>580</u> ^d	580
	Solid food,	34	31- 60	660	<u>803</u>	810
	WCM, EV	35	61- 90	710	<u>864</u>	910
		38	91-120	742	<u>903</u>	960
		37	121-150	769	<u>936</u>	1000
		38	151-180	790	<u>961</u>	1040
		40	181-270	718	<u>874</u>	1050
		41	271-360	639	<u>777</u>	1020
		42	361-450	585	<u>712</u>	970
		40	451-540	541	<u>658</u>	900
		36	630-720	488	<u>594</u>	770
Guthrie(28)	Survey, U. S.,	84	274-336	<u>709</u> ^b	<u>863</u> ^d	998
	Solid food,	84	365-488	<u>630</u>	767	964
	WCM, EV	49	518-610	<u>536</u>	652	835
		63	640-732	<u>581</u>	707	944
Bransby and Fothergill(27)	Survey, U. K.,	644	180-360			970±220
	Solid food,	644	360			750±270
	Milk not identified	644	720			720±230
Filer and Martinez(29-31)	Survey, U. S.,	2000	7	747		
		2000	30	791		
		2000	60	848		
		2000	90	865		
		2000	120	871		
	Solid food, Various milks	4310	183	828 ^e	877 ^e	998 ^e ±334
		4146	207	812±289 ^e	860 ^e	974 ^e ±338
Bureau of The Census(33)	Survey, U. S.	5963	365-1460	516	<u>628</u> ^d	
	Solid food WCM					
Rivera(32)	Duplicate meals	8	54-216			660±307
	Solid food milk not identified	8	250-347			744±299

Modified Cow's Milk Infant Formulas (PF)

Mean±S. D. or median

Source	Kind of study	Case-days	Age (days)	Milk volume (ml/day) ±S. D.)	Milk calcium (mg/day) ±S. D.)	Total calcium (mg/day) ±S. D.)
Fomon <i>et al.</i> (25)	Balance	18	11- 30	<u>710</u> ^b	↑ Same as total Ca ↓	524±115
	No solids	30	31- 61	<u>844</u>		625±127
	PF-S	21	62- 90	<u>918</u>		680±171
		45	91-126	<u>945</u>		700± 93
		48	130-160	<u>898</u>		665±119
		39	161-182	<u>1019</u>		755±144
Fomon <i>et al.</i> (25)	Balance	27	15- 30	<u>779</u> ^b	↑ Same as total Ca ↓	325± 45
	No solids	39	31- 60	<u>794</u>		331± 54
	PF-S26 and 22-3	36	61- 90	<u>897</u>		374± 66
		45	91-124	<u>983</u>		410± 54
Kahn <i>et al.</i> (18)	Balance	252	31- 60	734±136	418	424
	Solid food	532	61- 90	↑	407	422
		728	91-120	See	384	411
	PF-S	700	121-150	Kahn <i>et al.</i> (18)	390	434
		700	151-180	entry above	382	434
		560	181-210	↓	386	442
		560	211-240		393	456
		336	241-270		390	461
		224	271-300		670±151	395
	This paper	Balance	84	32- 61	684± 23	561± 51
Solid food		84	62- 89	725±133	598± 98	652± 31
		96	90-126	720±117	599±103	696± 6
PF-MO		84	167-200	640±44	513± 40	641± 69
		56	201-238		529± 42	698± 92
		70	311-348	693±101	599±127	692±114
		70	349-379		555± 64	676± 30
		96	446-490	663± 76	447±104	572±153
		70	491-518		467± 97	568±182

Human Milk (HM)

Mean±S. D. or median

Source	Kind of study	Case-days	Age, days	Milk volume	Milk calcium	Total calcium
				(ml/day ±S. D.)	(mg/day ±S. D.)	(mg/day ±S. D.)
Fomon <i>et al.</i> (24, 25)	Balance	30	11- 30	760±140	↑ Same as total Ca ↓	231± 43
	No solids	42	31- 60	900± 80		274± 24
	HM	33	61- 90	890±100		270± 30
		42	91-120	955± 97		290± 29
		39	121-150	970± 79		295± 24
		36	151-180	1016± 59		309± 18
Duckworth and Warnock(23)	Balance	31	46- 61	<u>736</u> ^b	Same as total Ca	242±145
	No solids	19	72 - 86	<u>1006</u>		331±137
	HM					

Footnotes:

a. Included in Duckworth and Warnock totals (23).

b. Underlined milk volume entries were estimated as follows: When no solids were fed, milk volume was calculated from (Ca intake) × (mg Ca/100 ml milk); WCM, 121.7 mg Ca/100 ml (19, 35, 36); PF-S, 73.8 mg Ca/100 ml (25); PF-22-3 and S-26, 41.7 mg Ca/100 ml (25); and HM, 32.9 mg Ca/100 ml (25). When solids were fed, but neither solid food Ca nor milk Ca was stated, solid food Ca was read from Fig. 2 for the appropriate ages, and milk Ca and milk volume estimated.

c. Kahn *et al.* (18) fed a ready-to-eat cereal. A correction of 80 ml of formula was added to their raw formula volumes and the S. D.'s were scaled upward accordingly.

d. Underlined milk Ca entries were calculated for the Beal subjects, (26) none of whom drank PF or HM as (stated milk volume) × (123 mg Ca/100 ml of WCM; for the Guthrie subjects, (28) none of whom drank PF or HM, as (total Ca) - (solid food Ca from Fig. 2); for the Bureau of Census subjects (33), all of whom drank WCM, as (milk volume) × 123 mg Ca/100 ml WCM.

e. Milk volumes were not explicitly given by the authors (29-30) but could be calculated from either (calories contributed in milk) ÷ (cal/ml of milk) tabulated or (total calories) × (% of total calories contributed in milk) ÷ (cal/ml of milk). Milk Ca was recalculated as described in the outline of the Filer and Martinez surveys in the text.

Table 2. Milk intakes of boys and girls drinking human milk (HM), low-fat formulas (PF), or cow's milk (WCM or EV) and the influence of solid foods on milk intake.

	HM or PF no solid food (24, 25)						WCM, no solid food (22)				EV or PF-MO, solid food after 60 days (this paper) ^b					
	Girls			Boys			Boys				Boys				Girls	
	No. ^a	Mean ± S. D.		No. ^a	Mean ± S. D.		No. ^a	Mean ± S. D.			No. ^a	Mean ± S. D.			No. ^a	Mean ± S. D.
15-30	7	776	98	12	826	165					5	774	56	4	749	39
31-60	14	803	142	20	934	217	2	712			8	776	134	10	693	57
61-90	11	812	156	16	885	171	9	<u>748</u>	40		9	793	69	10	<u>675</u>	128
91-130	17	919	95	31	952	201	20	<u>819</u>	54	12	<u>771</u>	48	9	<u>737^d</u>	152	
131-210	18	<u>869^c</u>	146	29	1032	160	18	<u>903</u>	65	5	<u>724</u>	81	6	<u>613</u>	29	

- a. In our studies, No. refers to the number of children studied, and in the studies by Nelson (22) and Fomon et al. (24, 25) to the number of 3-day balance trials. Some of the children in the latter investigation were studied more than once in a 30-day interval.
- b. Girl 1MO received solid food from day 11.
- c. Underlined means ± S. D. were compared to the appropriate means ± S. D. of the boys studied by Fomon et al. (24, 25) by use of the T-test and were found to be significantly different (P < 0.01) (40).
- d. Doubly underlined means ± S. D. were significantly different from both the boys and the girls studied by Fomon et al. (24, 25).

Table 3. Bulk intake of solid foods
(grams per day \pm S. D.).

<u>Age (days)</u>	<u>Case-days</u>	<u>Cereal</u>	<u>Fruits, juices and desserts</u>	<u>Vegetables and combinations</u>	<u>Meat and egg</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>This paper</u>						
32- 61	224	3 \pm 5 ^a	15 \pm 24			18 \pm 30
62- 89	280	5 \pm 7	52 \pm 42	5 \pm 12		62 \pm 44
90-126	308	11 \pm 11	128 \pm 83	20 \pm 42	5 \pm 17	164 \pm 95
167-200	84	23 \pm 14	157 \pm 35	36 \pm 29	45 \pm 27	261 \pm 55
201-238	56	26 \pm 20	136 \pm 34	65 \pm 9	68 \pm 37	295 \pm 55
311-348	70	10 \pm 7	263 \pm 100	113 \pm 32	47 \pm 16	435 \pm 109
349-379	70	9 \pm 7	292 \pm 124	113 \pm 32	96 \pm 54	515 \pm 141
446-490	84	5 \pm 3	305 \pm 215	115 \pm 52	112 \pm 95	560 \pm 242
491-518	70	3 \pm 2	367 \pm 289	98 \pm 80	120 \pm 134	600 \pm 329
<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>						
30- 60	336	50 ^b	23	7		80
61- 90	672	71	52	22	1	146
91-120	868	88	87	42	5	222
121-150	924	92	108	55	15	270
151-180	896	98	131	73	18	320
181-210	700	86	147	70	20	323
211-240	812	87	153	85	25	350
241-270	504	84	171	97	32	384
271-300	280	88	180	117	28	413
<u>Filer and Martinez(29, 30)^c</u>						
183	4130	9 ^a	120	74	49	252
207	4146	9	113	87	49	258
<u>Grand average (estimated)^d</u>						
61- 90		2 ^a	15	5	0	22
91-180		7	62	40	20	129
181-270		9	117	80	49	255
271-360		8	229	115	50	424
361-540		6	320	108	109	558

Footnotes to Table 3

- a. Dry cereal, fortified with calcium phosphate, iron and B vitamins. (36, 37).
 - b. Ready-to-eat cereal prepared with fruit rather than milk and fortified with iron and B vitamins only (37).
 - c. Weight of total or individual solid foods was not given by the authors (29, 30) but could be calculated from total calories tabulated for each food category, an average conversion factor (cal/tsp) also tabulated, for each food category and second conversion factor, (21 tsp = 100 g of fruits, meats, or vegetables), and (9 tsp = 7.1 g of dry cereal) (36).
 - d. Grand average of bulk solid food was estimated by assuming (a) the intake of prepared cereal in the Kahn et al. study (18) was too unusual to be included; (b) the Filer and Martinez data (29, 30) defined the 6-month point; (c) average infants younger than 6 months took in half the total bulk of solid food eaten by the infants in the balance studies included in this table; and (d) the balance study infants were representative of the average infant population after the ninth month.
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Table 4. Calcium intake in solid foods.

Individual food categories (mg per day \pm S. D.)					
Age (days)	Cereal and baked goods	Fruit and juices	Vegetables and combinations ^a	Meat and egg	
<u>This paper</u>					
32-611	14 \pm 24	1 \pm 1			
62- 89	35 \pm 43	3 \pm 2	2 \pm 4		
90-126	53 \pm 58	7 \pm 5	4 \pm 8	2 \pm 5	
167-200	107 \pm 88	8 \pm 2	9 \pm 8	3 \pm 1	
201-238	142 \pm 134	8	14 \pm 4	5 \pm 4	
311-348	53 \pm 35	13 \pm 5	18 \pm 5	9 \pm 5	
349-379	51 \pm 25	19 \pm 9	22 \pm 4	30 \pm 26	
446-490	43 \pm 21	16 \pm 1	22 \pm 14	44 \pm 32	
491-518	29 \pm 17	19 \pm 17	18 \pm 17	35 \pm 42	
<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>					
31- 60	4 ^b	2	2		
61- 90	6	5	5		
91-120	7	9	10	3	
121-150	7	16	12	7	
151-210	8	21	15	10	
210-270	7	27	20	15	
271-300	6	35	23	15	
<u>Filer and Martinez(29, 30)^c</u>					
152-213	54	7	21	13	
Total calcium intake in solid food (mg/day \pm S. D.)					
	<u>This paper</u>	<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>	<u>Beal(26)^d</u>	<u>Filer and Martinez (29, 30)</u>	<u>Grand average (estimated)^e</u>
0- 30			1		0
31- 60	15 \pm 25	8	7		3
61- 90	41 \pm 45	16	46		16
91-120	65 \pm 59	29	57		25
121-150		42	64		54
151-210	127 \pm 93	53	79	106	104
211-270	169 \pm 134	68	176		137
271-360	108 \pm 48	79	243		143
361-450	126		258		192
451-540	102		242		172
630-720			176		176

Footnotes to Table 4.

- a. More than half the calories and minerals of "dinner" and "high-meat dinners", which are combinations of vegetables and macaroni products and meat or cheese, are contributed by vegetables.
 - b. The ready-to-eat cereal has a lower Ca content, 8 mg/100 g, than dry baby cereals, 626 mg/100 g(36), and was excluded from the calculated average.
 - c. Calculated from weight of solid foods shown in Table 2 and the following average Ca concentrations (36): Dry cereal, 629 mg/100 g; fruits and juices, 7.1 mg/100 g; desserts 49.2 mg/100 g; vegetables and combinations 26.6 mg/100 g; and meat and eggs, 26 mg/100 g.
 - d. Solid food Ca was not stated explicitly, but could be estimated as the difference between total Ca (stated) and milk Ca (calculated as shown in footnote d to Table 1).
 - e. See footnote d, Table 3.
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Table 5. Phosphorus intake in solid foods

Individual food categories (mg/day±S. D.)					
Age (days)	Cereal and baked goods	Fruit and juices	Vegetables and combinations ^a	Meat and egg	
<u>This paper</u>					
32- 61	16± 29	2± 2			
62- 89	41± 51	5± 4	4± 8		
90-126	62± 68	12± 8	7±15	7± 20	
167-200	148± 99	19± 5	16±15	39± 16	
201-238	166±150	20± 6	24	74± 38	
311-348	62± 45	21± 7	56±28	56± 22	
349-379	61± 33	23±13	53±15	115±101	
446-490	60± 45	35±36	44± 7	187±189	
491-518	43± 37	35±38	37± 9	183±209	
<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>					
31- 60	22 ^b	2	3		
61- 90	31	6	8	2	
91-120	36	12	15	10	
121-150	38	18	21	24	
151-210	37	24	30	37	
211-270	34	30	40	57	
271-300	33	38	54	56	
<u>Filer and Martinez(29, 30)^c</u>					
152-213	61	9	34	64	
Total phosphorus intake in solid food (mg/day±S. D.)					
	<u>This paper</u>	<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>	<u>Beal(26)</u>	<u>Filer and Martinez (29, 30)</u>	<u>Grand average (estimated)^e</u>
0- 30			15 ^d		15
31- 60	18± 30	27	50		15
61- 90	54± 58	47	95		32
91-120	88± 76	73	124		95
121-150		101	149		101
151-210	222±117	128	180	178	175
211-270	284±194	162	286		250
271-360	195± 81	181	400		300
361-450	252±149		349		300
451-540	312±241		440		376

Footnotes to Table 5.

- a. See footnote a, Table 4.
 - b. The ready-to-eat cereal has a lower P content, 32 mg/100 g, than dry baby cereals, 694 mg/100 g (36), and was excluded from the calculated average.
 - c. Calculated from weight of solid foods shown in Table 2 and the following average P concentrations (36): Dry cereal 689 mg/100 g, fruits and juices 9.5 mg/100 g, vegetables and combinations 42 mg/100 g, desserts 48.3 mg/100 g, and meat and eggs 130 mg/100 g.
 - d. Solid food P was not stated explicitly, but could be estimated as the difference between total P (stated) and calculated = milk P (milk volume) × (95 mg P/100 ml WCM) (19, 36)
 - e. See footnote d, Table 3.
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Table 6. Sodium intake in solid foods.

Individual food categories				
(mg/day \pm S. D.)				
Age (days)	Cereal and baked goods	Fruit and juices	Vegetables and combinations ^a	Meat and egg
<u>This paper</u>				
32- 61	14 \pm 25	4 \pm 8		
62- 89	32 \pm 44	16 \pm 14	23 \pm 49	
90-126	56 \pm 59	36 \pm 30	41 \pm 94	12 \pm 35
167-200	132 \pm 89	73 \pm 21	74 \pm 61	99 \pm 60
201-238	147 \pm 132	64 \pm 18	128	151 \pm 98
311-348	53 \pm 40	25 \pm 16	290 \pm 130	112 \pm 41
349-379	55 \pm 28	41 \pm 25	292 \pm 70	214 \pm 172
446-490	143 \pm 187	25 \pm 10	302 \pm 96	327 \pm 264
491-518	139 \pm 204	27 \pm 15	232 \pm 161	251 \pm 326
<u>Kahn et al. (18)^b</u>				
31- 60	53	5	19	2
61- 90	76	12	61	12
91-120	94	20	117	36
121-150	98	25	153	43
151-210	98	33	198	54
211-270	91	39	254	67
271-300	94	43	326	67
<u>Filer and Martinez (29, 30)^b</u>				
152-213	57	23	225	117
Total intake of sodium in solid foods (mg/day \pm S. D.)				
	<u>This paper</u>	<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>	<u>Filer and Martinez (29, 30)</u>	<u>Grand average (estimated)^c</u>
31- 60	19 \pm 31	79		25
61- 90	72 \pm 77	161		58
91-120	145 \pm 160	267		103
121-150		319		160
151-210	377 \pm 168	383	450	403
211-270	491 \pm 246	451		471
271-360	481 \pm 182	530		505
361-450	601 \pm 278			601
451-540	725 \pm 403			725

Footnotes to Table 6.

- a. See footnote a, Table 4.
 - b. Calculated from weight of solid food shown in Table 2 and the following average Na concentrations (36): Dry cereal 646 mg/100 g, ready-to-eat cereal 107 mg/100 g; fruit and juices 24.2 mg/100 g, desserts 137 mg/100 g, vegetables and combinations 271 mg/100 g, and meat and eggs 234 mg/100 g.
 - c. See footnote d, Table 3.
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Table 7. Potassium intake in solid food

Individual food categories				
(mg/day \pm S. D.)				
Age (days)	Cereal and baked goods	Fruits and juices	Vegetables and combinations ^a	Meat and egg
<u>This paper</u>				
32- 61	11 \pm 21	21 \pm 26		
62- 89	26 \pm 37	54 \pm 40	21 \pm 35	
90-126	42 \pm 54	131 \pm 80	28 \pm 59	12 \pm 35
167-200	84 \pm 57	192 \pm 36	84 \pm 69	102 \pm 59
201-238	96 \pm 86	153 \pm 8	139	159 \pm 102
311-348	36 \pm 25	227 \pm 88	168 \pm 43	94 \pm 26
349-379	34 \pm 17	269 \pm 154	199 \pm 68	170 \pm 149
446-490	57 \pm 59	453 \pm 518	223 \pm 185	239 \pm 247
491-518	46 \pm 49	433 \pm 524	177 \pm 211	205 \pm 274
<u>Kahn et al. (18)^b</u>				
31- 60	28	24	9	2
61- 90	39	54	29	10
91-120	48	91	55	31
121-150	51	113	65	38
151-210	50	146	94	47
211-270	47	170	119	59
271-300	48	189	153	58
<u>Filer and Martinez(29, 30)^b</u>				
152-213	42	121	100	102
Total intake of potassium in solid foods (mg/day \pm S. D.)				
	<u>This paper</u>	<u>Kahn et al. (18)</u>	<u>Filer and Martinez (29, 30)</u>	<u>Grand average (estimated)^c</u>
31- 60	32 \pm 43	63		24
61- 90	101 \pm 82	132		58
91-120	212 \pm 159	225		110
121-150		267		133
151-210	462 \pm 115	337	373	391
211-270	547 \pm 194	395		471
271-360	524 \pm 172	448		486
360-450	672 \pm 370			672
450-540	914 \pm 956			914

Footnotes to Table 7.

- a. See footnote a, Table 4.
 - b. Calculated from weight of solid food shown in Table 2 and the following average K concentrations (36): Dry cereal 484 mg/100 g; ready-to-eat cereal 55 mg/100 g; fruits and juices 109 mg/100 g; desserts 107 mg/100 g; vegetables and combinations 132 mg/100 g; meat and eggs 198 mg/100 g.
 - c. See footnote d, Table 3.
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Table 8. Fraction of infants drinking human milk (HM), whole cow's milk (WCM), evaporated milk (EV), or ready-to-use formulas (PF) from 10 days to 10 months of age. Data from Cox (20), and Martinez (31) all shown in boldface; estimated values appear in standard type.

Year	Kind of milk	Infant age (months)										
		0.33	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1953	HM	0.30 ^a	0.23	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→		
	WCM	0.04	0.09	0.18	0.25	0.41	0.54	0.69	← Same as 1958 →			
	EV	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.53	0.46	0.39	0.27	← Same as 1958 →			
	PF	0.10	0.13	0.13	0.10	0.05	0.01	0				
1954	HM	0.30	0.23	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→		
	WCM	0.04	0.08	0.17	0.25	0.41	0.55	0.69	← Same as 1958 →			
	EV	0.52	0.52	0.52	0.49	0.43	0.35	0.27	← Same as 1958 →			
	PF	0.14	0.17	0.17	0.14	0.08	0.04	0				
1955	HM	0.30	0.23	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→		
	WCM	0.04	0.08	0.17	0.25	0.41	0.55	0.69	← Same as 1958			
	EV	0.49	0.50	0.50	0.47	0.40	0.35	0.27	← Same as 1958			
	PF	0.17	0.20	0.20	0.16	0.10	0.04	0				
1956	HM	0.29	0.22	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→		
	WCM	0.04	0.08	0.17	0.25	0.41	0.56	0.69	Same as 1958 →			
	EV	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.46	0.39	0.32	0.25	Same as 1958 →			
	PF	0.20	0.23	0.23	0.17	0.13	0.05	0.02	0			
1957	HM	0.29	0.22	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→		
	WCM	0.04	0.07	0.16	0.25	0.41	0.57	0.70	← Same as 1958 →			
	EV	0.43	0.45	0.45	0.41	0.35	0.28	0.23	← Same as 1958 →			
	PF	0.24	0.26	0.26	0.22	0.16	0.09	0.03	0			
1958	HM	0.29	0.22	0.15	0.12	0.08	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.01	0	
	WCM	0.04	0.05	0.15	0.24	0.42	0.56	0.69	0.83	0.90	0.96	1.00
	EV	0.41	0.42	0.42	0.38	0.31	0.26	0.21	0.15	0.09	0.04	0
	PF	0.26	0.31	0.29	0.26	0.19	0.12	0.06	0			
1959	HM	0.29	0.20	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→		
	WCM	0.04	0.06	0.16	0.25	0.42	0.57	0.71	0.84	0.91	0.97	1.00
	EV	0.41	0.41	0.38	0.34	0.28	0.23	0.16	0.10	0.07	0.03	0
	PF	0.26	0.33	0.31	0.28	0.21	0.15	0.08	0.03	0.01	0	
1960	HM	0.29	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→			
	WCM	0.03	0.06	0.16	0.26	0.44	0.58	0.72	0.87	0.97	0.98	1.00
	EV	0.38	0.38	0.35	0.31	0.24	0.19	0.13	0.07	0.02	0.01	0
	PF	0.30	0.37	0.35	0.31	0.24	0.17	0.11	0.04	0		
1961	HM	0.28	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→			
	WCM	0.03	0.05	0.13	0.23	0.39	0.54	0.70	0.87	0.98	1.00	
	EV	0.36	0.36	0.35	0.30	0.25	0.20	0.14	0.07	0.01	0	
	PF	0.33	0.40	0.38	0.34	0.27	0.20	0.12	0.04	0		
1962	HM	0.27	←—————			Same as 1958			—————→			
	WCM	0.02	0.05	0.13	0.22	0.38	0.56	0.72	0.88	0.98	1.00	
	EV	0.30	0.30	0.29	0.27	0.21	0.16	0.12	0.06	0.01	0	
	PF	0.38	0.46	0.43	0.39	0.32	0.22	0.12	0.04	0		

Year	Kind of milk	Infant age (months)										
		0.33	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1963	HM	0.26	← Same as 1958 →									
	WCM	0.02	0.04	0.10	0.20	0.39	0.55	0.71	0.88	0.98	1.00	
	EV	0.28	0.28	0.26	0.24	0.19	0.15	0.11	0.05	0.01	0	
	PF	0.44	0.49	0.49	0.45	0.33	0.24	0.14	0.05	0.0		
1964	HM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	WCM	0.01	0.04	0.10	0.20	0.40	0.55	0.71	0.89	0.98	1.00	
	EV	0.23	0.22	0.21	0.20	0.16	0.14	0.10	0.04	0.01	0	
	PF	0.51	0.54	0.54	0.48	0.36	0.25	0.15	0.05	0.0		
1965	HM	0.25	0.20	0.15	0.12	0.08	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.01	0	
	WCM	0.01	0.03	0.08	0.18	0.41	0.55	0.72	0.88	0.98	1.00	
	EV	0.19	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.13	0.11	0.07	0.03	0.01	0	
	PF	0.56	0.59	0.59	0.52	0.38	0.28	0.16	0.05	0		
1966	HM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	WCM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	EV	0.13	0.13	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.05	0.02	0		
	PF	0.61	0.64	0.64	0.57	0.43	0.32	0.19	0.08	0.01	0	
1967	HM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	WCM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	EV	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.04	0.01	0			
	PF	0.65	0.67	0.67	0.60	0.45	0.31	0.23	0.12	0.01	0	
1968	HM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	WCM	←	← Same as 1965 →									
	EV	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.03	0.01	0			
	PF	0.69	0.70	0.70	0.63	0.49	0.33	0.23	0.12	0.01	0	

^aSee text for methods used to estimate missing values.

Table 9. Summary of calculated "average" mineral concentrations in milk drunk by infants and of daily mineral intakes in milk from birth through two years of age.

Age (days)	Milk volume (ml/day) ^a	Calcium		Phosphorus		Sodium		Potassium	
		Average milk concen- tration ^b 1958-1965 (mg/100 ml)	Daily intake in milk (mg/day)	Average milk concen- tration ^b 1958-1965 (mg/100 ml)	Daily intake in milk (mg/day)	Average milk concen- tration ^b 1958-1965 (mg/100 ml)	Daily intake in milk (mg/day)	Average milk concen- tration ^b 1958-1965 (mg/100 ml)	Daily intake in milk (mg/day)
10	570	70.4	401	53.5	305	33.1	189	86.2	491
30	780	74.0	577	56.8	443	34.6	271	89.6	699
60	840	82.6	694	64.4	541	38.4	322	99.0	832
90	840	88.3	742	69.2	581	41.5	349	104.1	874
120	840	103.5	869	83.2	699	49.2	413	121.2	1018
150	840	103.3	868	82.6	694	48.9	411	119.1	1004
180	840	111.5	937	89.6	753	52.7	443	127.5	1071
210	830	120.6	1010	97.1	806	57.1	474	136.7	1135
240	760	121.8	926	98.1	746	56.2	427	137.6	1046
270	700	122.9	860	99.0	693	55.3	387	138.5	970
300	670	123.0	824	↓	663	57.6	386	138.3	927
330	660	↓	812	↓	653	↓	380	↓	913
360	650	↓	800	↓	644	↓	374	↓	899
1st yr. avg.	765	108.0	826	86.3	660	50.5	386	123.9	948
540	590	123.0	726	199.0	584	157.6	340	138.3	816
720	530	↓	652	↓	525	↓	305	↓	733

a. Read from Fig. 1.

b. WCM (mg/100 ml): Ca, 123; P, 99; Na, 58; K, 138 (19, 36, 38).

HM (mg/100 ml): Ca, 33; P, 13; Na, 16; K, 50 (19, 25).

PF 1:1 dilution (mg/100 ml): Ca, 79±15; P, 60±15; Na, 34±9; K, 92±31. (This paper, 18, 19, 36, 46). Constant dilution assumed throughout.

EV 1:1 dilution (mg/100 ml): Ca, 120±14; P, 102±4; Na, 62; K, 146. (This paper, 18, 19, 36, 46). Dilution assumed to vary with age as follows: 0 to 30 days, water: EV: : 2:1; 31 to 60 days, water: EV: 1.5:1; 61 to 90 days, water: EV: : 19:13; greater than 91 days water: EV: : 1:1 (45).

Table 10. Average calcium intake in various milks and solid foods during the first 2 years of life of a cohort of infants born 1 January 1965.

Age (days)	Volume drunk (liters)	Calcium contributed by various milks (g) ^b				Total milk (Ca(g))	Solid food Ca(g)	Total Ca intake (g)
	$V = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} V_t dt^a$	WCM	EV	PF	HM		$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} Ca_t dt^c$	
0 to 30	19.26	0.66	2.75	8.38	1.18	13.0	0.22	13.2
31 to 60	24.3	2.37	4.16	11.2	1.18	19.0	0.68	19.7
61 to 90	25.2	5.55	4.41	10.3	0.99	21.5	1.08	22.6
91 to 120		12.4	3.84	7.34	0.63	24.2	1.46	25.7
121 to 150		17.0	3.13	5.32	0.5	26.1	1.95	28.0
151 to 180		22.0	1.81	2.75	0.32	27.0	2.40	29.4
181 to 210		27.6	0.84	0.38	0.14	29.1	2.78	31.9
211 to 240	24.0	28.2	0.44	0.20		29.0	3.00	32.0
241 to 270	21.9	26.5	0.27			26.8	3.60	30.4
271 to 300	20.25	25.3				25.3	4.05	29.4
301 to 330	19.95	24.5				24.5	4.35	28.8
331 to 360	19.65	24.2				24.2	4.72	28.9
Total 1st year		216.3	21.6	45.9	4.9	289.7		
361 to 540	111.6	137.3				137.3	33.4	170.7
541 to 720	100.8	123.1				123.1	34.2	157.3
Total 2nd year		260.4				260.4	67.6	328.0

Estimated total intake in solid food^d (grams calcium per interval)

	Cereal and baked goods	Fruit and juices	Vegetables and combinations	Meat and eggs	Total
0 to 90	1.7	0.14	0.18	0	2.0
91 to 180	3.9	0.40	0.96	0.47	5.7
181 to 270	5.4	0.79	2.0	1.21	9.4
271 to 360	6.0	1.9	3.6	1.6	13.1
1st year total	17.0	3.2	6.7	3.3	30.2
2nd year total	21.7	13.1	16.6	16.4	67.8

Footnotes to Table 10.

- a. Month-by-month numerical integration of average daily milk volume curve in Fig. 1.
 - b. Calculated from Eq. 3; fr_{it} read from Table 8; C_i read from footnotes to Table 9.
 - c. Month-by-month numerical integration of average daily solid food calcium in Fig. 2.
 - d. Proportion of solid food Ca contributed by each class of solid food was calculated for each quarter from the proportions shown in Tables 3 and 4.
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Table 11. Intake and retention of calcium by infants drinking various milks.

Age (days)	Milk product	Case-days	Ca intake (mg/day)	Ca Retention			Bone Ca increment(g) (0 to 1 yr)	Ref.
				gross (mg/day)	corrected ^a (mg/day)	(%)		
60 to 300	PF-S, dilute EV	6527	505 ^c	180	158 ^b	31.3	57.8	18
30 to 365	PF-MO	588	634 ^c	181	159	25.1	58.0	This paper
30 to 130	EV	700	937 ^c	255	232	24.8	84.7	This paper
0 to 60	EV, WCM	47	748	224	202			23
60 to 120	EV, WCM	558	819	239	217			23
120 to 180	EV, WCM	733	962	270	248			23
180 to 240	EV, WCM	296	1054	330	308			23
240 to 300	EV, WCM	132	1068	356	334			23
1st yr. avg.			953	296	274	28.8	100.	
0 to 60	HM	63	292	109	87			25
60 to 120	HM	63	305	157	135			25
120 to 180	HM	69	320	151	129			25
1st yr. avg.			313	145	123	39.3	44.9	25
0 to 180	PF-S	201	724	254	232	32.0	84.7	25
Avg. EV, PF, WCM			877 ^c		247	28.2	90.2	

a. Corrected retention = gross retention - 22 mg/day. Ca losses in sweat, drooled saliva, hair, nails, and desquamated skin estimated to amount to 22 mg/day (18, 47).

b. Corrected by the authors (18).

c. Intake includes solid foods. Other intakes are as stated by the authors (23, 25) or assumed (by us) to be milk only.

Table 12. Sample calculation of ^{90}Sr contribution of various milks and solid foods to the total ^{90}Sr intake of the cohort of infants born Jan. 1, 1965 in the northeastern U. S.

	^{90}Sr (pCi/g Ca) of various milks 1965 New York City ^a				Average ^{90}Sr (pCi) contributed by various milks in 1965 ^c					Average ^{90}Sr accumulated (pCi)		
	WCM	EV	PF	HM ^b	WCM	EV	PF	HM	Total	Total	\pm S. D. ^e _{Sr}	
1965												
Jan.	20.8	↑	↑	2.50	13.7	42.6	250.6	3.0	309.9	309.9	190	
Feb.	18.0	15.5	29.9	2.16	42.7	64.5	327.0	2.5	436.7	746.6	401	
Mar.	21.1	↓	↓	2.53	117.1	68.4	307.7	2.5	495.7	1242.3	609	
April	19.0	↑	↑	2.28	235.8	76.8	226.8	1.4	540.8	1783.1	779	
May	22.9	20.0	30.9	2.75	389.5	62.6	164.4	1.4	617.9	2401.0	934	
June	18.0	↓	↓	2.16	396.5	36.2	85.0	0.7	518.4	2919.4	1086	
July	18.0	↑	↑	2.16	497.5	21.8	7.0	0.3	526.6	3446.0	1203	
Aug.	22.2	26.0	29.7	2.66	629.4	11.4	5.9		646.7	4092.7	1330	
Sept.	16.5	↓	↓	1.98	437.4	7.0			444.4	4537.1	1420	
Oct.	17.6	↑	↑	2.11	438.2				438.2	4975.3	1507	
Nov.	17.6	18.0	27.6	2.11	431.9				431.9	5407.2	1590	
Dec.	17.1	↓	↓	2.05	413.5				413.5	5820.7	1682	
1966												
Jan.-June	13.9				1909				1909	7730	2095	
July-Dec.	10.5				1293				1293	9023	2400	
	Solid food ^{90}Sr (pCi) ^d				All milks ^{90}Sr (pCi)					Grand	Adult	
	Cereal	Fruit	Veg.	Meat	Total	WCM	EV	PF	HM	Total	total	Total ^a
0 to 6 mo	37	25	97	7	166	1195.3	351.1	1361.5	11.5	2919.4	3085	5034
7 to 12 mo	59	157	422	26	664	2847.9	40.2	12.9	0.3	2901.3	3565	3851
13 to 24 mo	96	686	941	134	1857	3202				3202.0	5059	6868

Footnotes to Table 12.

- a. U. S. AEC Health and Safety Laboratory, Tri-City Diet and Infant Diet Surveys results (32, 49-53).
- b. ^{90}Sr concentration of HM assumed to be $1/10$ the ^{90}Sr concentration of the mother's diet (54), and approximately $= 0.1 \times 1.2$ (WCM $\text{pCi } ^{90}\text{Sr/g Ca}$).
- c. ^{90}Sr contribution of various milks $= (\text{Ca(g) contribution}) \times (^{90}\text{Sr pCi/g Ca})$. See Table 10.
- d. ^{90}Sr and stable Ca were measured in prepared baby foods only for the years 1959 through 1963 (10, 52). During those years the ^{90}Sr concentration (pCi/g Ca) of baby fruit was $0.69 \times$ the average (pCi/g Ca) in the Tri-City diet analyses of canned fruit and fruit juices; the ^{90}Sr content of baby vegetables was $1.21 \times$ the average (pCi/g Ca) in the Tri-City diet analyses of fresh vegetables and canned vegetables; the ^{90}Sr content of baby meats was the same (pCi/g Ca) as in the Tri-City diet analyses of meat, fish and eggs; and the ^{90}Sr concentration of baby cereals (low because of the addition of dicalcium phosphate to these products) was $0.123 \times$ the average (pCi/g Ca) of the Tri-City diet analyses of baked goods, whole grain products, flour, macaroni, and rice (50). Average ^{90}Sr concentrations in New York City diet samples for the years 1965 and 1966, respectively, were as follows: canned fruit and fruit juices, 77.8 and 76 pCi/g Ca ; canned vegetables and fresh vegetables, 64.6 and 46.8 pCi/g Ca ; meat, fish, and eggs, 10 and 8.2 pCi/g Ca ; baked goods, whole grain products, flour, macaroni, and rice, 48.1 and 36 pCi/g Ca (51).
- e. Total S. D. of ^{90}Sr intake includes differences in ^{90}Sr and Ca concentrations of the four milk varieties and the variation in milk intakes of individual children. See text.

Appendix 1a. Average daily intake of formula from 15 to 30 days of age.

Volume (fl oz/day)	Number of days volume was drunk									Combined boys and girls
	Girls			All girls	Boys			All boys		
	1 MO	3 EV	5 MO		7 EV	8 MO	10 EV			
15.1-16										
16.1-17										
17.1-18										
18.1-19										
19.1-20		2		2	1			1		3
20.1-21		1		1	1			1		2
21.1-22	1	5		6	2	1		3		9
22.1-23		2	1	3	2	1		3		6
23.1-24	4 ^a	2		6	4	1		5		11
24.1-25	1	2		3	1		1	2		5
25.1-26	2	2		4			2	2		6
26.1-27		2		2	2	1		3		5
27.1-28		1	1	2	1	1	1	2		4
28.1-29	1	1		2	1	1	1	3		5
29.1-30							1	1		1
30.1-31							2	2		2
31.1-32										
32.1-33	1			1						1
No. of days recorded	10	20	2	32	14	6	8	28		60
Mean intake (fl oz)	25.4	23.5		24.2 ^c	23.9	25.2	28.2	25.8	24.5	25.3
(ml)	751	695		716	707	745	835	764	723	747
±S. D. ^b W	94	78			73	85	71			
±S. D. T		86						92	88	
±S. D. _B , ±S. D. _F , or ±S. D. _M								86		65

Appendix 1b. Average daily intake of formula from 31 to 60 days of age.

Volume (fl oz/day)	Number of days volume was drunk											Combined boys and girls	
	Girls					All girls	Boys				All boys		
	1MO	2EV	3EV	4EV	5MO		6EV	7EV	8MO	10EV			
15.1-16					1	1			2		2	3	
16.1-17								1			1	1	
17.1-18	1	1	1	1		4		4			4	8	
18.1-19	1	1		1	1	4		2			2	6	
19.1-20	4	1	1		3	9		3			3	12	
20.1-21	2		4	2	3	11		3			3	14	
21.1-22	3	2	2	4	4	15		1	2		3	18	
22.1-23	5 ^a	4	5	1	1	16		3	1		4	20	
23.1-24	7	2	1	2	1	13		5	1	2	8	21	
24.1-25	4		6	4	2	16		5	1	3	9	25	
25.1-26		2	1	1	4	8		7		1	8	16	
26.1-27	1	2	3	4	6	16		6	3	4	13	29	
27.1-28	1	7	4	3	2	17	1	2	3	6	12	29	
28.1-29		2	1	1		4	3		1	3	7	11	
29.1-30	1					1	3	1		2	5	6	
30.1-31			1			1	5		1	6	12	13	
31.1-32					1	1	4			3	7	8	
32.1-33					1	1	5		1		6	7	
33.1-34							4		1		5	5	
34.1-35													
35.1-36							2				2	2	
No. of days recorded	30	24	30	24	30	138	27	30	30	30	117	255	Between- child average
Mean intake (fl oz)	22.8	24.7	24.2	24.2	24.0	23.9	31.5	25.1	22.6	28.2	26.7	24.9	25.3
(ml)	674	730	716	716	710	707	931	742	668	834	790	736	747
±S. D. W	73	101	91	95	113		61	55	151	72			
±S. D. T						94					134	123	
±S. D. B, ±S. D. F, or ±S. D. M						25					116		87

Appendix 1c. Average daily intake of formula from 61 to 90 days of age

Volume (fl oz/day)	Number of days volume was drunk											All boys	Combined boys and girls	
	Girls					All girls	Boys							
	1MO	2EV	3EV	4EV	5MO		6EV	7EV	8MO	9EV	10EV			
15.1-16	2	1		3		6								6
16.1-17	1			1		2								2
17.1-18	10		1	2		13								13
18.1-19	3 ^a	2		2	1	8								8
19.1-20	1		2	3		6					1	1		7
20.1-21	5	3	3		2	13								13
21.1-22	1	5	3	2	4	15	1		1		1	3		18
22.1-23	4	2	3	1	1	11		2		2	1	5		16
23.1-24	1	5	1	6		13	1	6	1	5	5	18		31
24.1-25		5	3	4	1	13	1	6	1	2	5	15		28
25.1-26			2	3	6	11	2	6	4	1	3	16		27
26.1-27		3	2	2	4	11	1	5	7		5	18		29
27.1-28		2	1		5	8	3	2	2		3	10		19
28.1-29		2	3		1	6	3	3	4		3	13		19
29.1-30			3		3	6	5		3		1	9		15
30.1-31			2			2	1		2		1	4		6
31.1-32			1	1		2	5		2			7		9
32.1-33					1	1	4		1		1	6		7
33.1-34							2		1			3		3
34.1-35									1			1		1
35.1-36								1				1		1
36.1-37														
37.1-38					1	1								1
No. of days recorded	28	30	30	30	30	148	30	30	30	10	30	130	278	
Milk intake (fl oz)	19.3	23.5	24.9	22.3	26.2	23.3	29.6	25.5	28.1	23.8	26.1	26.8	24.8	25.0
(ml)	571	695	736	659	775	681	875	754	831	704	772	793	733	737
±S. D. W ^b	68	96	116	117	97		96	51	87		81			
±S. D. T						126						94	121	
±S. D. B, ±S. D. F, or S. D. M						79						67		87

Appendix 1d. Average daily intake of formula from 91 to 130 days of age.

Volume (fl oz/day)	Number of days volume was drunk												All boys	Combined boys and girls	
	Girls					All girls	Boys								
	1MO	2EV	3EV	4EV	5MO		6EV	7EV	8MO	9EV	10EV				
15.1-16				3		3									3
16.1-17	2			3		5									5
17.1-18	4			7		11									11
18.1-19	5			6		11									11
19.1-20	10 ^a			8		18									18
20.1-21	11			1		12		2		2	1	5		17	
21.1-22	2	1		2		5	1				1	2		7	
22.1-23	1	2				3		5		3		8		11	
23.1-24					4	4	1	5	2	4	2	14		18	
24.1-25					6	6	5	9	2	7	2	25		31	
25.1-26		1			5	6	4	3	3	7	2	19		25	
26.1-27		5			2	7	3	8	7	4	7	29		36	
27.1-28		5	1		2	8	4	2	4	7	3	20		28	
28.1-29		5	1		2	8	3	1	1	2	1	8		16	
29.1-30		4			4	8	2		3		3	8		16	
30.1-31		2	1		2	5	1	1	2		2	6		11	
31.1-32		1				1	3					3		4	
32.1-33															
33.1-34		2	1			3					1	1		4	
34.1-35		2				2								2	
No. of days recorded	35	30	4	30	28	127	27	36	24	36	25	148	275		
Mean intake (fl oz)	19.9	28.6	30.1	18.6	25.9	23.3	27.2	25.0	27.2	25.3	26.9	26.2	24.6	25.0	
(ml)	588	846	890	550	765	690	804	739	804	748	795	773	726	738	
±S. D. W ^b	41	94		48	69		78	59	62	61	86				
±S. D. T						146						73	120		
±S. D. B, ±S. D. F, or ±S. D. M						142						34		101	

Appendix 1e. Average daily intake of formula from
167 to 518 days of age two girls (1MO and 5 MO) and one boy (8MO).

Volume (fl oz/day)	167 to 238 days				311 to 379 days				1MO	5MO	8MO	All			
	1MO	5MO	8MO	All	1MO	5MO	8MO	All							
< 16		5		5	3	4		7		11	18	29			
16.1-17		3	1	4	4			4			1	1			
17.1-18		2		2	5	2		7		1		1			
18.1-19	4	4	3	11	10	4		14		4		4			
19.1-20	6	2	6	14	7	3	1	11	3	5	1	9			
20.1-21	40 ^a	4	6	50	14	8		22		5	1	6			
21.1-22	5	2	6	13	4	10	2	16	3	9	4	16			
22.1-23	1	3	14	18	8	10		18	6	9	5	20			
23.1-24		8	8	16		16	4	20	15	8	15	38			
24.1-25		1	5	6	1		2	3	6	2	1	9			
25.1-26			2	2			2	2	16		2	18			
26.1-27			2	2			1	1	11	1		12			
27.1-28			4	4			6	6	3	1		4			
28.1-29			2	2			1	1							
29.1-30			1	1			1	1	1			1			
30.1-31		1	2	3			2	2			3	3			
31.1-32			1	1			2	2			2	2			
> 32.1							6	6	2		2	4			
No. of days recorded	56	35	63	154	56	57	30	143	66	56	56	178			
Mean intake (fl oz)	20.9	20.6	23.3	24.8	21.6	20.0	22.4	28.1	22.6	23.5	25.3	20.6	21.4	22.6	22.4
(ml)	618	609	689	645	639	591	662	830	669	694	748	609	633	668	663
±S. D. W ^b	26	103	96			62	78	127			74	114	123		
±S. D. T				90					122				145		
±S. D. B					44					101					73

Footnotes to Appendices 1a-1e.

a. Median underlined.

b. $(S.D. \underline{T})^2 = (S.D. \underline{W})^2 + (S.D. \underline{B})^2$, where $S.D. \underline{T}$ is the total standard deviation calculated by treating each daily intake of each child as an independent datum.

$S.D. \underline{W}$ is the daily fluctuation of an individual child about its own 30-day average.

$S.D. \underline{B}$ is the variability of intake between children of both sexes calculated by treating as completely defined the average daily intake of each child (based on 6 or more days of observation).

$S.D. \underline{F}$ and $S.D. \underline{M}$ are the within-sex variability of girls and boys, respectively.

SOLID FOODS

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TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (KILOGRAMS)

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PROCESSED BABY FOODS

TABLE FOODS

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TABLE FOODS

AGE DAYS	ID NO.	CER-EAL	FRUIT	VEG.	MEAT	JUICE	BREAD	EGGS	PUDD-INGS	DAIRY-FOODS	FRESH FRUIT	AGE DAYS	ID NO.	CER-EAL	FRUIT	VEG.	MEAT	JUICE	BREAD	EGGS	PUDD-INGS	DAIRY-FOODS	FRESH FRUIT	MEAT	
34 GM	1MO	.196	.557									341 GM	5MO	.053	1.161	1.340	.500	1.500	.059		.191				
49 GM	1MO	.194	1.178									358 GM	5MO	.066	1.528	1.658	.670	.964	.079		.191				
63 GM	1MO	.293	1.401									372 GM	5MO	.062	1.528	.986	1.000	1.327	.031		.525				
77 GM	1MO	.414	1.904									469 GM	5MO	.043	1.305	.837	.367	.521	.066	.069		.382	.045		
91 GM	1MO	.409	1.629									483 GM	5MO	.038	1.241	.770	.500	.771	.027		.668		.040		
105 GM	1MO	.564	1.904									497 GM	5MO	.021	1.385	.737	.200	.480	.036	.055		.384			
118 GM	1MO	.594	1.982									511 GM	5MO	.038	1.145	.479	.200	.360		.082					
189 GM	1MO	.563	1.987	.938	.750																				
203 GM	1MO	.591	1.925	.603	1.350							41 GM	6EV												
217 GM	1MO	.608	1.911	.871	1.400							55 GM	6EV	.017											
231 GM	1MO	.606	1.932	.804	1.400							69 GM	6EV	.031	.104			.214							
329 GM	1MO	.189	3.756	1.765	.700	.480		.352	.669			84 GM	6EV	.046	.067	.067		.357							
343 GM	1MO	.280	3.506	1.919	.600	.960		.188	.191			98 GM	6EV	.076	.067	.067		.557							
357 GM	1MO	.295	3.964	2.016	1.200	1.080		.752	.572			112 GM	6EV	.083	.067	.067		.600							
371 GM	1MO	.098	4.671	1.970	1.500	1.780	.048	1.272																	
469 GM	1MO	.149	5.348	2.611	1.900	2.520		1.410	.191		1.950	39 GM	7EV												
481 GM	1MO	.066	2.485	2.422	1.700	2.422		1.910	.191		1.950	54 GM	7EV	.033	.202										
495 GM	1MO	.066	4.584	2.606	1.600	2.606		1.910	.573		1.650	68 GM	7EV	.062	.878										
509 GM	1MO	.066	5.157	2.598	1.900	2.598		2.370	.382		1.800	82 GM	7EV	.092	1.688										
												96 GM	7EV	.099	2.835										
44 GM	2EV											111 GM	7EV	.099	2.835										
58 GM	2EV					.840						125 GM	7EV	.099	2.835										
72 GM	2EV		1.233																						
86 GM	2EV	.213	1.080	1.584								39 GM	8MO	.004	.028										
100 GM	2EV	.099	2.295	1.064	.400							53 GM	8MO	.020	.384										
114 GM	2EV	.099	3.780	2.128	1.100							67 GM	8MO	.005	.186										
18 GM	3EV											81 GM	8MO	.019	.528										
32 GM	3EV											95 GM	8MO	.078	1.126										
46 GM	3EV	.026										109 GM	8MO	.081	1.514										
60 GM	3EV	.034	.254									179 GM	8MO	.154	1.508	.917	.460	.320							
74 GM	3EV	.085	.945									193 GM	8MO	.133	2.301	.534	.381	.284							
88 GM	3EV	.100	.765	.352								207 GM	8MO	.120	1.119	1.095	.467	.250							
												221 GM	8MO	.131	1.830	.881	.547	.600							
44 GM	4EV											318 GM	8MO	.133	1.774	.908	.311	.328	.071	.076					
58 GM	4EV	.085										348 GM	8MO	.142	2.071	1.255	.269	.291	.201	.062					
72 GM	4EV	.163	.338	.332								453 GM	8MO	.107	2.837	1.227	.800	.029	.489	.430				.275	
86 GM	4EV	.130	.742	.598								467 GM	8MO	.058	2.574	1.893	.450		.543	.316				.443	
100 GM	4EV	.144	1.147	.732								481 GM	8MO	.045	2.064	1.499	.350	.077	.478	.584	.192	.051	.440	.180	
114 GM	4EV	.147	1.114	.665								495 GM	8MO	.014	1.676	.460	.250	.050	.495	.135	.573		.330	.055	
41 GM	5MO	.046	.429									96 GM	9EV	.099	2.835										
55 GM	5MO	.005	.601									111 GM	9EV	.099	2.835										
69 GM	5MO	.024	1.086									125 GM	9EV	.099	2.835										
83 GM	5MO	.028	1.016																						
97 GM	5MO	.082	1.716									39 GM	10EV	.010											
111 GM	5MO	.092	1.816									53 GM	10EV	.011											
174 GM	5MO	.244	2.687			.353	.120					67 GM	10EV	.011	.033										
188 GM	5MO	.252	2.803	.048	.471							81 GM	10EV	.011	.066										
330 GM	5MO	.050	1.910	1.984	.600	1.271	.003		.764			95 GM	10EV	.007	.066										
												109 GM	10EV	.010	.066										

AGE AT MID-POINT OF 14-DAY INTERVAL

Appendix 2.

CALCIUM --- GIRLS

TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)									
AGE*	ID	MILK	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID	MILK	GRAND
DAYS	NO.	CANS					TOTAL		TOTAL
34	CA	1MO1144	1077	.029			1106	7230	8336
49	CA	1MO1145	1080	.061			1141	7236	8377
63	CA	1MO1171	1567	.076			1643	7401	9044
77	CA	1MO 994	2362	.102			2428	6282	8710
91	CA	1MO 840	2263	.086			2349	6450	8799
105	CA	1MO1104	3049	.101			3150	6977	10127
118	CA	1MO1056	3214	.112	.091		3417	6674	10091
189	CA	1MO1104	2931	.108	.194	.058	3291	6911	10202
203	CA	1MO1127	3246	.112	.116	.105	3579	7055	10634
217	CA	1MO1135	3380	.111	.155	.113	3759	7105	10864
231	CA	1MO1131	3316	.116	.170	.109	3711	7080	10791
329	CA	1MO1017	1018	.253	.314	.242	1827	6549	8376
343	CA	1MO1096	1504	.283	.333	.155	2275	7058	9333
357	CA	1MO1177	1585	.360	.329	.311	2585	7580	10165
371	CA	1MO1008	529	.417	.387	.959	2292	6492	8784
469	CA	1MO1346	1019	.590	.529	1.116	3254	7739	10993
481	CA	1MO1308	579	.442	.493	1.158	2672	7521	10193
495	CA	1MO1350	639	.541	.530	1.094	2804	7762	10566
509	CA	1MO1419	639	.563	.532	1.255	2989	8159	11148
44	CA	2EV1040						10421	10421
58	CA	2EV1150		.053			.053	11523	11576
72	CA	2EV1080		.068			.068	10822	10890
86	CA	2EV1200	1318	.090	.371		1779	12024	13803
100	CA	2EV1510	530	.139	.220	.126	915	15130	16045
114	CA	2EV1610	568	.208	.466	.261	1503	16132	17635
18	CA	3EV 830						8317	8317
32	CA	3EV 960						9619	9619
46	CA	3EV 910	.058				.058	9118	9176
60	CA	3EV 990	.067	.018			.085	9920	10805
74	CA	3EV1030	.148	.063			.211	10321	10532
88	CA	3EV1230	.172	.051	.081		.304	12325	12629
44	CA	4EV1159						11613	11613
58	CA	4EV1319	.443				.443	13216	13659
72	CA	4EV1325	.849	.020	.050		.919	13276	14195
86	CA	4EV 996	.732	.043	.087		.862	9980	10842
100	CA	4EV 992	.856	.067	.110		1033	9940	10973
114	CA	4EV1023	.793	.065	.100		.958	10250	11208
41	CA	5MO 978	.279	.018			.297	7652	7949
55	CA	5MO1239	.032	.024			.056	9626	9682
69	CA	5MO1373	.146	.046			.192	8677	8869
83	CA	5MO1386	.173	.049			.222	8760	8982
97	CA	5MO1508	.501	.084			.585	9530	10115
111	CA	5MO1406	.554	.096			.650	8886	9536
174	CA	5MO1110	.879	.142	.028		1049	6948	7997
188	CA	5MO1150	.740	.154	.008	.032	934	7199	8133
330	CA	5MO1140	.268	.184	.302	.142	.896	7342	8238

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AGE	ID	MILK	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID	MILK	GRAND
DAYS	NO.	CANS					TOTAL		TOTAL
341	CA	5MO1229	.302	.126	.202	.082	.712	7915	8627
358	CA	5MO1208	.370	.100	.238	.301	1009	7780	8789
372	CA	5MO1121	.331	.145	.172	.268	.916	7219	8135
469	CA	5MO1194	.293	.084	.067	.268	.712	6866	7578
483	CA	5MO1035	.242	.081	.118	.304	.745	5951	6698
497	CA	5MO1112	.147	.087	.146	.160	.540	6394	6934
511	CA	5MO1102	.197	.072	.071	.183	.523	6336	6859

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41	CA	6EV1250						12525	12525
55	CA	6EV1260	.090			.030	.120	12625	12745
69	CA	6EV1180	.160	.008	.026		.194	11824	12018
84	CA	6EV1170	.240	.019	.017		.276	11723	11999
98	CA	6EV1140	.394	.027	.024		.445	11423	11863
112	CA	6EV1220	.430	.029	.024		.483	12224	12617
39	CA	7EV1275						12776	12776
54	CA	7EV1348	.172	.013			.185	13507	13692
68	CA	7EV1421	.320	.057			.377	14238	14615
82	CA	7EV1332	.480	.110			.590	13347	13937
96	CA	7EV1381	.517	.185			.702	13838	14540
111	CA	7EV1358	.517	.185			.702	13607	14309
125	CA	7EV1281	.517	.185			.702	12936	13638
39	CA	8MO1360	.022				.022	8595	8617
53	CA	8MO1069	.114	.018			.132	6756	6888
67	CA	8MO1477	.031	.011			.042	9335	9377
81	CA	8MO1540	.106	.033			.139	9733	9872
95	CA	8MO1447	.439	.059			.498	9145	9643
109	CA	8MO1474	.452	.083			.535	9316	9851
179	CA	8MO1198	.842	.079	.186	.029	1.136	7499	8635
193	CA	8MO1292	.693	.119	.172	.027	1.011	8088	9099
207	CA	8MO1193	.627	.099	.280	.029	1.035	7468	8503
221	CA	8MO1309	.712	.113	.159	.039	1.023	8194	9217
318	CA	8MO1617	.689	.128	.178	.066	1.061	10413	11474
348	CA	8MO1362	.758	.148	.243	.054	1.203	8771	9974
453	CA	8MO 757	.856	.206	.298	.470	1.830	4353	6183
467	CA	8MO 886	.797	.214	.359	.305	1.675	5094	6769
481	CA	8MO1096	.617	.214	.296	.530	1.657	6302	7959
495	CA	8MO 734	.404	.176	.078	.143	.801	4220	5021
96	CA	9EV1386	.517	.185			.702	13888	14590
111	CA	9EV1353	.517	.185			.702	13557	14259
125	CA	9EV1355	.517	.185			.702	13377	14079
39	CA	10EV1210	.058				.058	12124	12182
53	CA	10EV1460	.057				.057	14629	14686
67	CA	10EV1350	.057	.004			.061	13527	13588
81	CA	10EV1400	.057	.008			.065	14028	14083
95	CA	10EV1390	.049	.008			.057	13928	13985
109	CA	10EV1490	.057	.008			.065	14930	14995

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TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)									TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)								
AGE* DAYS	ID NO.	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID TOTAL	MILK	GRAND TOTAL	AGE DAYS	ID NO.	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID TOTAL	MILK	GRAND TOTAL
34 P	1M0	1282	.056			1338	5628	6966	341 P	5M0	.320	.230	.880	.730	2160	6047	8207
49 P	1M0	1268	.113			1481	5633	7114	358 P	5M0	.390	.220	1060	1000	2670	5943	8613
63 P	1M0	1887				1887	5761	7648	372 P	5M0	.340	.260	.530	1480	2610	5515	8125
77 P	1M0	2704	.194			2898	4890	7788	469 P	5M0	.360	.150	.500	.700	1710	5874	7584
91 P	1M0	2549	.140			2789	5141	7930	483 P	5M0	.270	.110	.500	.810	1690	5092	6782
105 P	1M0	3584	.178			3762	5432	9194	497 P	5M0	.180	.130	.520	.420	1250	5471	6721
118 P	1M0	3747	.204			3951	5196	9147	511 P	5M0	.240	.160	.270	.470	1140	5422	6562
189 P	1M0	3630	.210	.410	.760	5010	5432	10442									
203 P	1M0	3720	.230	.260	1440	5650	5545	11195									
217 P	1M0	3900	.250	.370	1440	5960	5584	11544									
231 P	1M0	3850	.250	.370	1370	5840	5364	11404									
329 P	1M0	1300	.390	.910	1130	3730	5004	8734	41 P	6EV						10275	10275
343 P	1M0	1770	.430	1030	1080	4310	5392	9702	55 P	6EV	.110			.110	.220	10357	10577
357 P	1M0	1860	.450	1030	2150	5490	5791	11281	69 P	6EV	.195	.011	.031		.237	9699	9936
371 P	1M0	.720	.620	.800	4220	6360	4959	11319	84 P	6EV	.292	.026	.020		.338	9517	9955
469 P	1M0	.940	1200	.730	5650	8520	6622	15142	98 P	6EV	.480	.036	.024		.530	9371	9901
481 P	1M0	.420	.920	.630	3640	7810	6439	14045	112 P	6EV	.525	.038	.024		.587	10028	10615
495 P	1M0	.420	1080	.700	5500	7700	6642	14342	39 P	7EV						10480	10480
509 P	1M0	.420	1100	.620	6280	8420	6981	15401	54 P	7EV	.210	.018			.228	11080	11308
									68 P	7EV	.390	.078			.468	11681	12149
									82 P	7EV	.585	.150			.735	10949	11684
44 P	2EV						8549	8549	96 P	7EV	.630	.252			.882	11352	12234
58 P	2EV		.067			.067	9453	9520	111 P	7EV	.630	.252			.882	11163	12045
72 P	2EV		.091			.091	8578	8969	125 P	7EV	.630	.252			.882	10512	11494
86 P	2EV	1376	.127	.605		2108	9864	9972									
100 P	2EV	.633	.280	.360	.385	1658	12412	14100	39 P	8M0	.022	.002			.024	6591	6715
114 P	2EV	.625	.461	.914	1301	2301	13234	15535	53 P	8M0	.119	.039			.156	5259	5415
									67 P	8M0	.032	.027			.059	7267	7326
18 P	3EV						6823	6823	81 P	8M0	.109	.067			.176	7577	7753
32 P	3EV						7891	7891	95 P	8M0	.449	.129			.578	7119	7697
46 P	3EV	.055				.055	7480	7535	109 P	8M0	.500	.162			.662	7252	7914
60 P	3EV	.070	.020			.090	8138	8228	179 P	8M0	1101	.209	.332	.597	2239	5894	8133
74 P	3EV	.180	.098			.278	8467	8745	193 P	8M0	.844	.279	.250	.486	1860	6357	8217
88 P	3EV	.210	.079	.082		.371	10111	10482	207 P	8M0	.766	.183	.316	.605	1866	5870	7736
									221 P	8M0	.924	.255	.358	.700	2237	6440	8677
44 P	4EV						9527	9527	318 P	8M0	.771	.233	.340	.479	1819	7956	9769
58 P	4EV	.540				.540	10842	11382	348 P	8M0	.900	.220	.510	.410	2040	6701	8741
72 P	4EV	1035	.032	.078		1145	10392	12037	453 P	8M0	1630	.260	.470	1790	4150	3724	7874
86 P	4EV	.876	.072	.134		1082	8187	9269	467 P	8M0	1450	.300	.910	1130	3790	4359	8149
100 P	4EV	1013	.110	.170		1293	8154	9447	481 P	8M0	1280	.240	.740	1950	4210	5392	9602
114 P	4EV	.958	.107	.156		1221	8409	9630	495 P	8M0	1110	.220	.230	.740	2300	3611	5911
41 P	5M0	.309	.042			.351	6016	6367	96 P	9EV	.630	.252			.882	13888	14770
55 P	5M0	.038	.060			.098	7566	7664	111 P	9EV	.630	.252			.882	13557	14439
69 P	5M0	.160	.102			.262	6755	7017	125 P	9EV	.630	.252			.882	13377	14259
83 P	5M0	.191	.093			.284	6819	7103									
97 P	5M0	.591	.193			.784	7419	8203	39 P	10EV	.059				.059	9946	10005
111 P	5M0	.650	.226			.876	6918	7794	53 P	10EV	.070				.070	12001	12071
174 P	5M0	1615	.325		.275	2215	5461	7676	67 P	10EV	.070	.009			.079	11097	11176
188 P	5M0	1664	.344	.016	.378	2402	5658	8060	81 P	10EV	.070	.018			.088	11508	11596
330 P	5M0	.280	.280	1180	.830	2570	5609	8179	95 P	10EV	.060	.018			.078	11426	11504
									109 P	10EV	.070	.018			.088	12248	12336

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TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)									TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)								
AGE* DAYS	ID NO.	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID TOTAL	MILK	GRAND TOTAL	AGE DAYS	ID NO.	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID TOTAL	MILK	GRAND TOTAL
34 NA	1MO	1115	.212			1327	3398	4725	341 NA	5MO	180	210	4460	1260	6110	3650	9760
49 NA	1MO	1097	.414			1511	3401	4912	358 NA	5MO	350	270	5340	2140	8100	3588	11688
63 NA	1MO	1668	.579			2247	3478	5725	372 NA	5MO	350	230	2880	2750	6210	3329	9539
77 NA	1MO	2313	.800			3113	2952	6065	469 NA	5MO	460	290	2720	1570	5040	3546	8586
91 NA	1MO	2287	.507			2794	3107	5901	483 NA	5MO	290	220	2870	1810	5190	3074	8264
105 NA	1MO	3141	.707			3848	3279	7127	497 NA	5MO	210	220	3340	930	4700	3303	8003
118 NA	1MO	3284	.908			4212	3136	7348	511 NA	5MO	230	270	1520	1050	3070	3273	6343
189 NA	1MO	3260	.800	1880	1570	7410	3279	10689									
203 NA	1MO	3230	.990	1100	3130	8450	3447	11797									
217 NA	1MO	3360	1.060	1610	3070	9100	3371	12471									
231 NA	1MO	3350	1.100	1980	3100	9530	3359	12889	41 NA	6EV						5612	5612
329 NA	1MO	1130	.570	4720	2240	8660	3020	11680	55 NA	6EV	.104			.073	.177	5657	5654
343 NA	1MO	1560	.670	4850	2150	9230	3255	12485	69 NA	6EV	.186	.004	193		.383	5298	5681
357 NA	1MO	1630	.820	5430	4310	12190	3496	15686	84 NA	6EV	.279	.035	125		.439	5253	5692
371 NA	1MO	.580	.970	4640	6960	13150	2994	16144	98 NA	6EV	.458	.039	142		.639	5119	5758
469 NA	1MO	.840	.710	5750	8850	16150	3998	20148	112 NA	6EV	.500	.040	142		.682	5478	6160
481 NA	1MO	.370	.300	5200	8660	14530	3885	18415	39 NA	7EV						5725	5725
495 NA	1MO	.360	.610	5770	8440	15180	4010	19190	54 NA	7EV	.200	.031			.231	6052	6283
509 NA	1MO	.360	.620	5830	9120	15930	4214	20144	68 NA	7EV	.372	.136			.508	6380	6888
									82 NA	7EV	.558	.262			.810	5981	6791
44 NA	2EV						4670	4670	96 NA	7EV	.601	.441			1.042	6201	7243
58 NA	2EV		.027			.027	5164	5191	111 NA	7EV	.601	.441			1.042	6097	7149
72 NA	2EV		.288			.288	4849	5137	125 NA	7EV	.601	.441			1.042	5796	6838
86 NA	2EV	1445	.098	4245		5788	5388	11176									
100 NA	2EV	.598	1.243	2517	.716	5074	6780	11834	39 NA	8MO	.018	.002			.020	4039	4059
114 NA	2EV	.501	1.550	5349	2206	8606	7229	15835	53 NA	8MO	.095	.155			.250	3175	3425
									67 NA	8MO	.026	.115			.141	4387	4528
18 NA	3EV						3727	3727	81 NA	8MO	.087	.250			.337	4574	4911
32 NA	3EV						4310	4310	95 NA	8MO	.360	.476			.836	4298	5134
46 NA	3EV	.062				.062	4041	4103	109 NA	8MO	.407	.584			.991	4378	5369
60 NA	3EV	.074	.016			.090	4445	4535	179 NA	8MO	.920	.718	1.722	1.086	3.618	3558	7176
74 NA	3EV	.172	.249			.421	4625	5046	193 NA	8MO	.797	.893	1.429	.828	3.947	3837	7784
88 NA	3EV	.200	.202	.684		1.086	5523	6609	207 NA	8MO	.722	.664	1.995	1.092	4.473	3543	8016
									221 NA	8MO	.784	.785	1.615	1.207	4.391	3888	8279
44 NA	4EV						5204	5204	318 NA	8MO	.637	.234	1.991	1.037	3.919	4802	8721
58 NA	4EV	.515				.515	5922	6437	348 NA	8MO	.850	.200	3.100	.900	5.050	4045	9095
72 NA	4EV	.987	.068	.530		1.585	5949	7534	453 NA	8MO	4.810	.330	3.220	2.870	11.230	2248	13478
86 NA	4EV	.831	.148	.918		1.897	4472	6369	467 NA	8MO	5.090	.330	5.470	1.740	12.630	2631	15261
100 NA	4EV	.959	.230	1.166		2.355	4454	6809	481 NA	8MO	5.160	.260	4.520	1.950	11.890	3255	15145
114 NA	4EV	.911	.223	1.060		2.194	4593	6787	495 NA	8MO	5.240	.280	1.510	.770	7.800	2180	9980
41 NA	5MO	.252	.126			.378	3636	4014	96 NA	9EV	.601	.441			1.041	6223	7264
55 NA	5MO	.031	.192			.223	4572	4795	111 NA	9EV	.601	.441			1.041	6075	7116
69 NA	5MO	.134	.305			.439	4078	4517	125 NA	9EV	.601	.441			1.041	5994	7035
83 NA	5MO	.156	.261			.417	4116	4533									
97 NA	5MO	.489	.656			1.145	4479	5624	39 NA	10EV	.058				.058	5433	5491
111 NA	5MO	.537	.845			1.382	4176	5358	53 NA	10EV	.067				.067	6555	6622
174 NA	5MO	1.400	1.278		.700	3.378	3297	6675	67 NA	10EV	.067	.021			.088	6062	6150
188 NA	5MO	1.450	1.440	.095	1.010	3.995	3416	7411	81 NA	10EV	.067	.042			.109	6286	6395
330 NA	5MO	.280	.210	6390	1.660	8540	3386	11926	95 NA	10EV	.057	.042			.099	6241	6340
									109 NA	10EV	.067	.042			.109	6690	6799

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TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)									TOTAL INTAKE FOR 14 DAYS (GRAMS)								
AGE	ID	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID	MILK	GRAND	AGE	ID	CER	FRUIT	VEG	MEAT	SOLID	MILK	GRAND
DAYS	NO.					TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL	DAYS	NO.					TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL
34 K	1MO	.944	.611			1555	7116	8671	341 K	5MO	.190	3110	1460	1180	5940	7644	13584
49 K	1MO	.918	1288			2206	7122	9328	358 K	5MO	.240	2660	1930	1010	5840	7514	13354
63 K	1MO	1476	1523			2999	7284	10283	372 K	5MO	.220	2730	1620	2050	6620	6973	13593
77 K	1MO	1897	2141			4038	6183	10221	469 K	5MO	.330	1860	920	490	3600	7427	11027
91 K	1MO	1925	1669			3594	6701	10295	483 K	5MO	.190	2140	910	560	3800	6438	10238
105 K	1MO	2771	2081			4852	6367	11719	497 K	5MO	.150	2280	1110	290	3830	6917	10747
118 K	1MO	2911	2165			5076	6568	11644	511 K	5MO	.130	1580	.540	330	2580	6854	9434
189 K	1MO	2032	2152	2097	1675	7956	6867	14823	POTASSIUM --- BOYS								
203 K	1MO	2131	2213	1120	3088	8552	7010	15562	41 K	6EV						13525	13525
217 K	1MO	2238	2205	1929	3249	9621	7060	16681	55 K	6EV	.061			.027	.088	13633	13721
231 K	1MO	2199	2246	1894	3214	9553	7035	16588	69 K	6EV	.108	.204	.196		.508	12768	13276
329 K	1MO	.730	4410	2870	1510	9520	6326	15846	84 K	6EV	.162	.412	.127		.701	12659	13360
343 K	1MO	1010	4380	3210	1910	10510	6817	17327	98 K	6EV	.266	.605	.129		1000	12335	13335
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72 K	2EV		1138			1138	11686	12824	125 K	7EV	.350	2793			3143	13969	17112
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188 K	5MO	.940	2980	.110	1020	5050	7153	12203	95 K	10EV	.033	.158			.191	15040	15231
330 K	5MO	.180	3300	2670	1340	7490	7091	14581	109 K	10EV	.039	.158			.197	16122	16319

AGE AT MID-POINT OF 14-DAY INTERVAL

FIGURE LEGENDS

- Fig. 1. Daily volume of milk drunk by infants given human milk, whole cow's milk, evaporated milk, or low-mineral prepared formulas.
- Fig. 2. Daily calcium intake of infants given human milk, whole cow's milk, evaporated milk, or low-mineral prepared formulas.
- Fig. 3. Daily phosphorus intake of infants given human milk, whole cow's milk, evaporated milk, or low-mineral prepared formulas.
- Fig. 4. Daily sodium intake of infants given human milk, whole cow's milk, evaporated milk, or low-mineral prepared formulas.
- Fig. 5. Daily potassium intake of infants given human milk, whole cow's milk, evaporated milk, or low-mineral prepared formulas.
- Fig. 6. Fraction of total number of infants fed various milks from birth through 10 months of age during calendar year 1965. Data of Cox (20).
- Fig. 7. Fraction of total number of 1-month-old infants fed various milks from 1950 through 1968. Data of Cox (20) and Martinez (31).

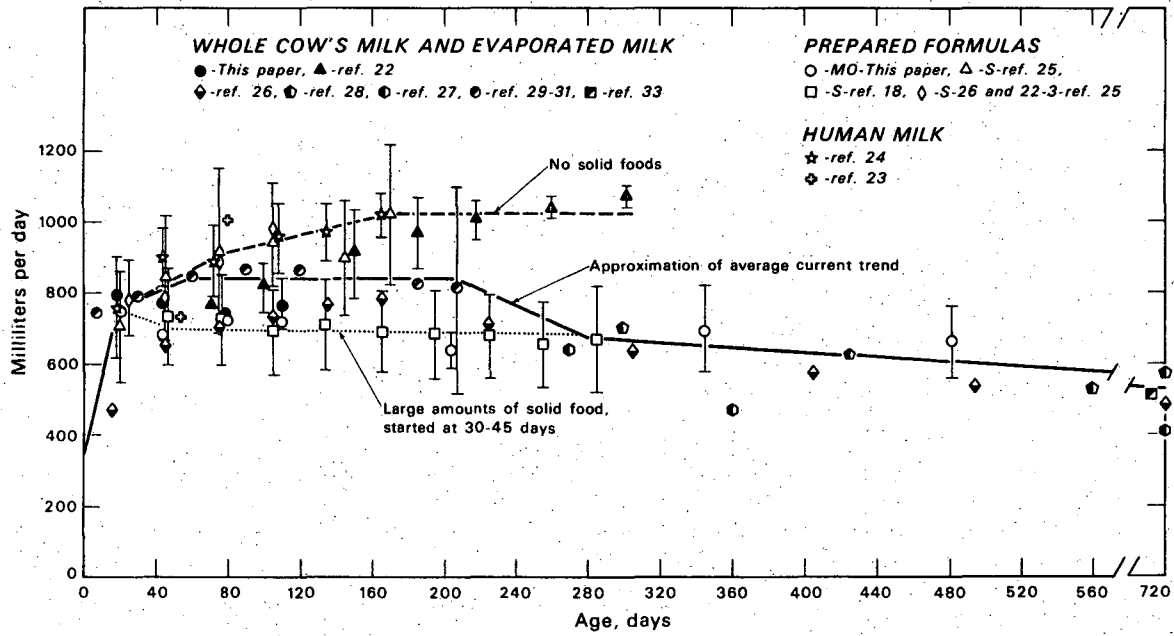


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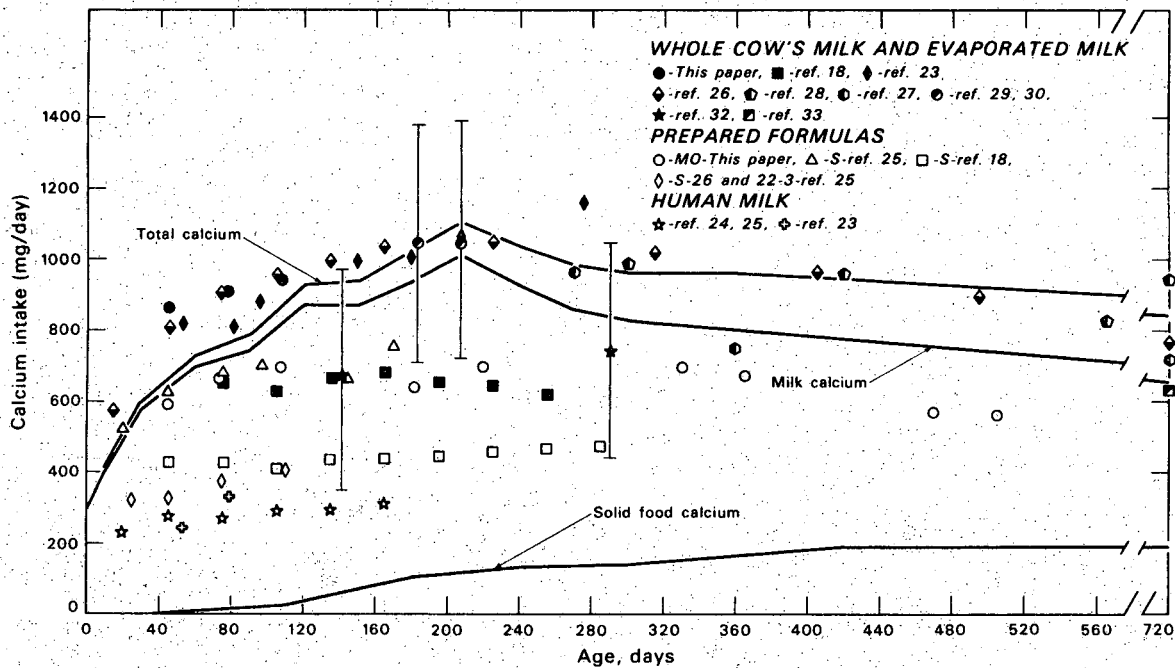


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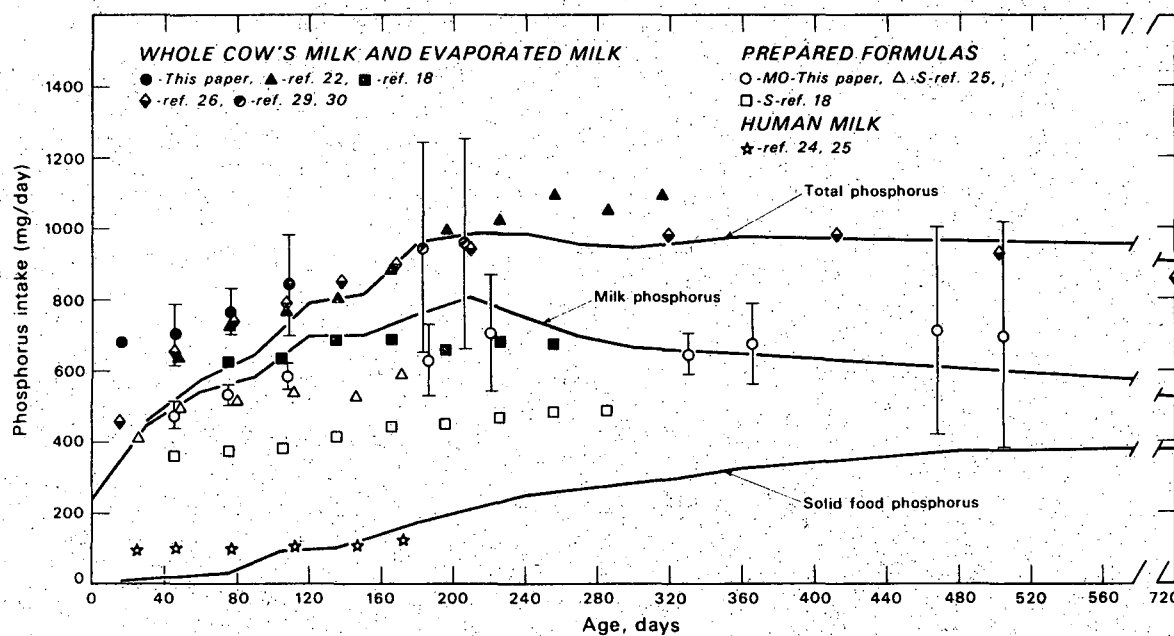


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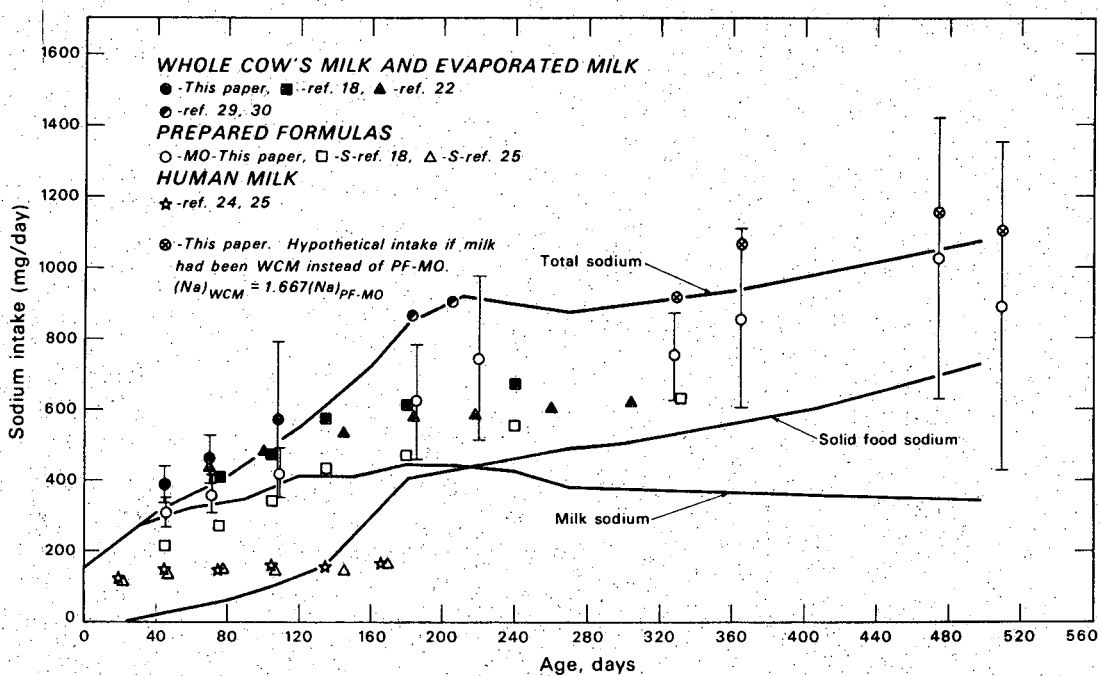


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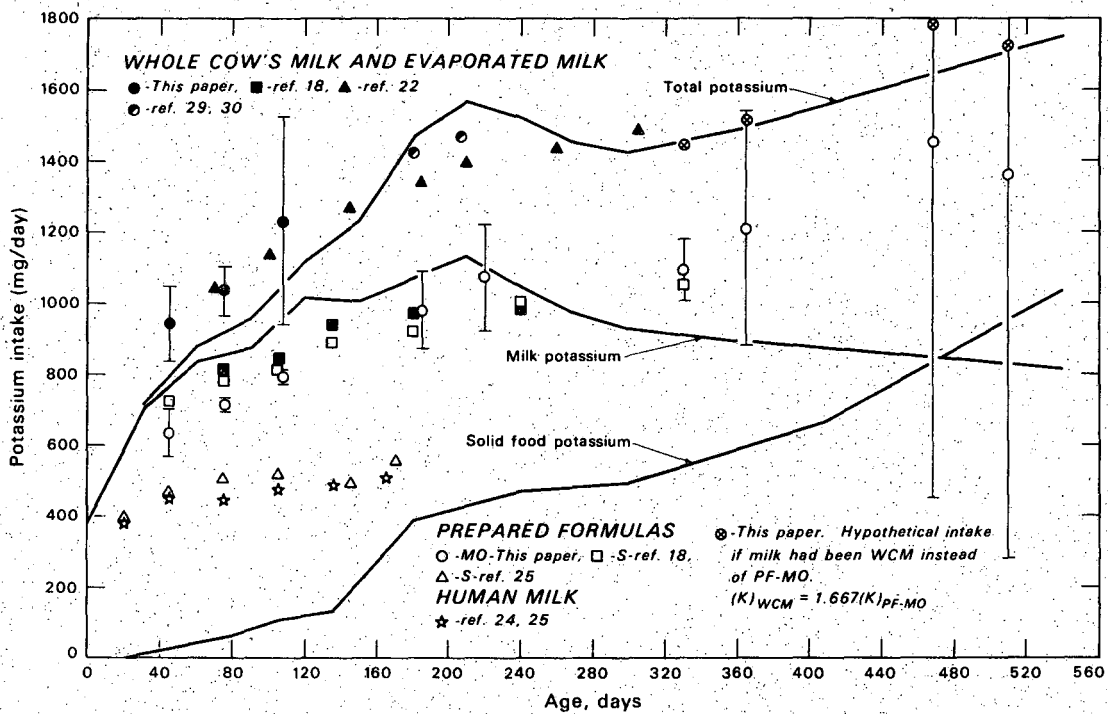


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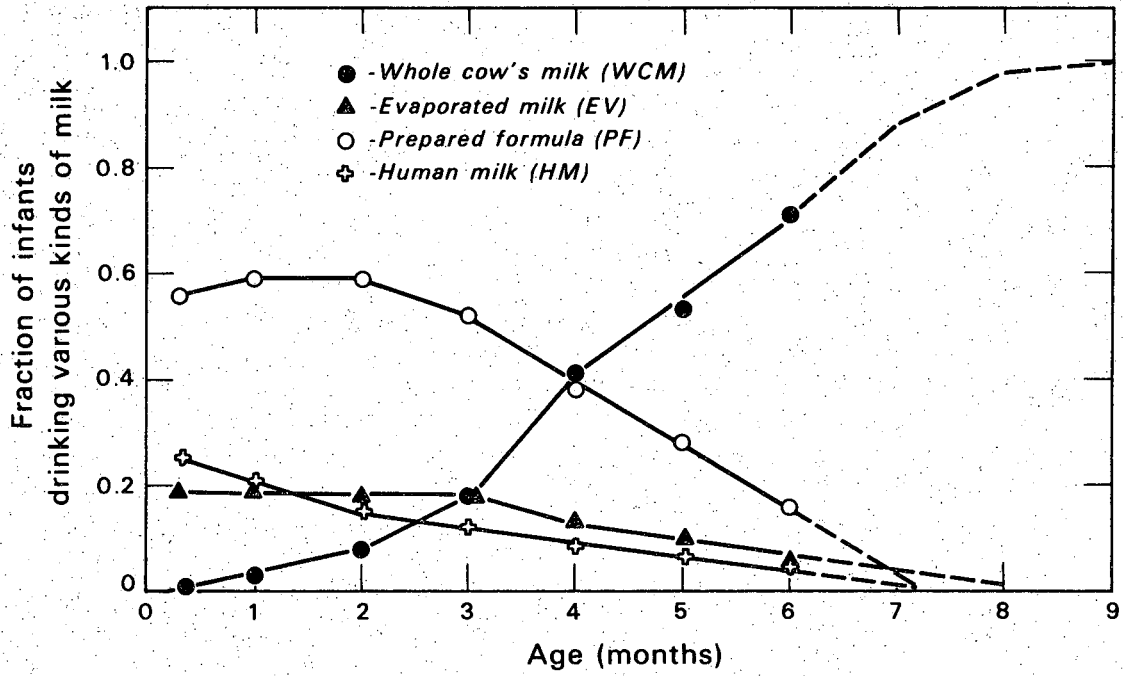


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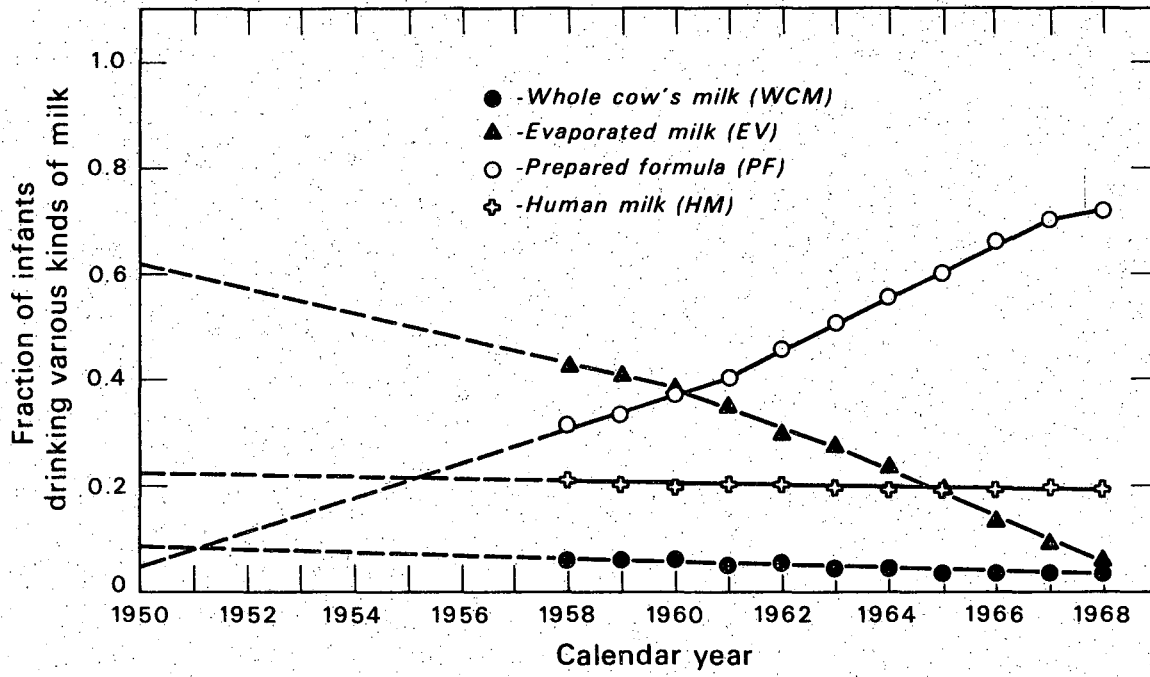


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