

Raw Feeding for IBD Cats

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Macronutrient Content of Raw Proteins

On a dry matter basis, **the macronutrient content of a feral cat's diet** (with essentially no access to human food or garbage) **is 62.7% protein, 22.8% fat, 11.8% ash (bone/minerals) and just 2.8% carbs/fiber** (mostly fur from prey animals).*

Value per 100g

(Meat only unless skin or fat trim amount is indicated: composite unless specific cut noted).

AS FED	Chicken						Turkey			Domestic Lamb	
	meat & Skin	Chix Thigh	Chix Breast	Cornish Hen	Duck	Quail	Thigh	Pheasant	Rabbit	Wild Rabbit	trimmed to 1/4" fat
USDA #	05006	05096	05062	05309	05141	05158	05187	05154	17177	17180	17003
Moisture	65.99	76.42	75.79	75.84	73.77	70.03	76.01	72.77	72.82	74.51	73.42
Protein	18.6	19.26	21.23	20.04	18.28	21.76	21.28	23.57	20.05	21.79	20.29
Fat	15.06	4.11	2.59	3.33	5.95	4.53	2.5	3.64	5.55	2.32	5.25
Carb	0	0	0	0	0.94	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ash/Sugars (by difference)	<u>0.35</u>	<u>0.21</u>	<u>0.39</u>	<u>0.79</u>	<u>1.06</u>	<u>3.68</u>	<u>0.21</u>	<u>0.02</u>	<u>1.58</u>	<u>1.38</u>	<u>1.04</u>
	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

DRY MATTER BASIS

Protein	54.69	81.68	87.69	82.95	69.69	72.61	88.7	86.56	73.77	85.48	76.34
Fat	44.28	17.43	10.7	13.78	22.68	15.12	10.42	13.37	20.42	9.1	19.75
Carb	0	0	0	0	3.58	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ash/Sugars (by difference)	1.03	0.89	1.61	3.27	4.05	12.28	0.88	0.07	5.81	5.42	3.91

* Plantinga et al. 2011. *Estimation of the dietary nutrient profile of free-roaming feral cats: possible implications for nutrition of domestic cats*. Br Jour Nutr (2011) 106, S35-S48.

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Value per 100g	Pork	Beef			Whole		
	trimmed	trimmed	Ground		Chicken	Chicken	Chicken
AS FED	to 1/4"	to 1/8"	Beef		Egg	Egg Yolk	Egg White
	<u>fat</u>	<u>fat</u>	<u>grass-fed</u>	<u>Vension</u>	<u>Egg</u>	<u>Egg Yolk</u>	<u>Egg White</u>
USDA #	10002	13795	13047	17164	01123	01125	01124
Moisture	73.21	62.02	67.13	73.57	76.15	52.31	87.57
Protein	21.2	18.68	19.42	22.96	12.56	15.86	10.9
Fat	4.82	17.15	12.73	2.42	9.51	26.54	0.17
Carb	0	0	0	0	0.72	3.59	0.73
Fiber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ash/Sugars (by difference)	<u>0.77</u>	<u>2.15</u>	<u>0.72</u>	<u>1.05</u>	<u>1.06</u>	<u>1.7</u>	<u>0.63</u>
	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
DRY MATTER BASIS							
Protein	79.13	49.18	59.08	86.87	52.66	33.26	87.69
Fat	17.99	45.16	38.73	9.16	39.87	55.65	1.37
Carb	0	0	0	0	3.02	7.53	5.87
Fiber	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ash/Sugars (by difference)	2.88	5.66	2.19	3.97	4.45	3.56	5.07