

Your body is probably home to a chemical called bisphenol A, or BPA. It's a synthetic estrogen that United States factories now use in everything from plastics to epoxies — to the tune of six pounds per American per year. That's a lot of estrogen.

More than 92 percent of Americans have BPA in their urine, and scientists have linked it—though not conclusively—to everything from breast cancer to obesity, from attention deficit disorder to genital abnormalities in boys and girls alike. **Now it turns out it's in our food.**

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