

Table. Estimated Correlations: Energy & Sodium and Energy & Potassium, 2005-2006

Age group (years)	Sample size	Correlations between Energy & Sodium r-values	Correlations between Energy & Potassium r-values
2-18 ^a	3778	0.84	0.74
19-50	2847	0.80	0.73
51 and older	1924	0.73	0.72
19 and older	4771	0.79	0.71
2 and older ^a	8549	0.80	0.72

^a Excludes breastfed children.

Source: USDA, Agricultural Research Service, Food Surveys Research Group, What We Eat in America, NHANES 2005-2006, Day 1.