

Nutrient composition of whole sunflower seeds.

Item	Sunflower seed type	
	Oilseed	Nonoilseed
	g/kg	
Dry matter	900	900
Crude protein	196	235
NE ₁ (Mcal/kg)	3.04	2.13
TDN	1010	760
Fat (oil)	440	250
NDF	241	320
ADF	165	285
Crude fiber	225	241
Ash	37	38
Ca	2.6	3.0
P	6.7	6.0

NE₁ = net energy for lactation, TDN = total digestible nutrients, NDF = neutral-detergent fiber, ADF = acid-detergent fiber.

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