

# Aflatoxin

Aflatoxin B<sub>1</sub> is produced by mold *Aspergillus flavus*, we sometimes find it as a peanut contaminant.<sup>[1]</sup> It is an effective hepatocarcinogen, it acts synergistically with the **Hepatitis B virus**. It causes the conversion of G to T.<sup>[1]</sup>

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