Supplemental Table 1: Sources of information and searches conducted in France, based on methods developed by Mialon et al. (Mialon, Swinburn and Sacks, 2015)

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| Nature of the source of information | Category | Source of information | Specific data to be collected (once during data collection period, unless otherwise stated) |
| Food industry material | Country-specific website of the industry actor | * **ANIA (Association Nationale des Industries Alimentaires):**   http://www.ania.net/   * **Carrefour:**   http://www.carrefour.fr/  http://www.carrefour-bio.fr/  c-lefoot.fr  http://www.fondation-carrefour.org/fr   * **Coco-Cola:**   https://www.coca-cola.fr/  https://www.happiness.coca-cola.com/fr/fr (meme site)  http://www.lesportcamedit.fr/  http://www.coca-cola-france.fr/  http://www.cokecce.fr/  http://agissonsensemble.fr/   * **Mc Donald’s:**   https://www.mcdonalds.fr/  http://www.fondation-ronald-mcdonald.fr/Nestlé:   * **Nestlé:**   https://www.croquonslavie.fr/  https://fondation.Nestlé.fr/  http://www.Nestlé.fr/  https://www.nutripro.Nestlé.fr/  https://www.Nestléprofessional.fr/ | • Composition of diet-related committee • Webpages, reports related to diet-related issues • Voluntary initiatives, commitments and policies related to diet-related issues • Awards to researchers • Research units or groups on diet-related issues • Submissions to public consultations  • Education material about diet-related issues  • Qualitative analysis for information relevant to the conceptual framework (Mialon et al., 2015) |
| Country-specific CSR webpages or report or website, webpages or information in annual reports of a company's philanthropic activities (or the company’s country-specific activities on its international website) | * **Carrefour:**   http://www.pourmoipourtous.fr/   * **Coca:**   http://www.coca-cola-rse.fr/   * **Mc Donald’s:**   http://www.mcdonalds-donneescorporate.fr/   * **Nestlé:**   http://www.Nestlé.com/asset-library/documents/library/documents/corporate\_social\_responsibility/Nestlé-in-society-summary-report-2014-fr.pdf | Qualitative analysis for information relevant to the conceptual framework (Mialon et al., 2015) |
| Government material: departments (and related agencies) responsible for diet- related issues | Websites of departments and related agencies in charge of health (National level) | * Ministère de la santé (Ministry of Health): http://www.sante.gouv.fr/ * Transparence de la santé publique (Public Health transparency): https://www.transparence.sante.gouv.fr/flow/main;jsessionid=D2FE6612DC630913296855629B876952.sunshine-public?execution=e1s1 * Consultation publique du Ministère de la santé (public consultations -Ministry of Health) : http://www.sante.gouv.fr/consultations-publiques.html * ANSES (French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety): https://www.anses.fr/fr   Members of working groups: https://www.anses.fr/fr/content/comit%C3%A9s-dexperts-sp%C3%A9cialis%C3%A9s-et-groupes-de-travail and https://www.anses.fr/fr/liste-membres  Consultations publiques (public consultations): https://www.anses.fr/fr/content/avis-en-consultation  Appels à contributions (calls for contributions): https://www.anses.fr/fr/content/appels-%C3%A0-contributions   * Alimentation (diet): alimentation.gouv.fr * Observatoire de la qualité de l'alimentation (Observatory for the diet quality): https://www.oqali.fr/ - Done * Conseil national de l'alimentation (Diet National Centre): http://www.cna-alimentation.fr/ - Done | • Submissions to public consultations for the period Jan 2013- Aug 2015  • Working groups on diet-related issues and conflicts of interest for the period Jan 2013- Aug 2015 • Public private initiatives for the period Jan 2013- Aug 2015  • Qualitative analysis for information relevant to the conceptual framework (Mialon et al., 2015) |
| Websites of the Parliament and Senate (National level) | * Assemblée Nationale (Parliament) and Senat (Senate): http://www.hatvp.fr/annuaire/ | • Submissions to public consultations: Not applicable, the industry and individuals are not allowed to contribute directly to the laws.  • Declarations of interests of all members (2015) |
| Register of lobbyists (National level) | * http://www2.assemblee-nationale.fr/representant/representant\_interet\_liste | Lobbyists on behalf of the food industry (2015) |
| Websites of major political parties and websites of commissions in charge of elections (National Level) | * Parti Socialiste (Socialists): http://www.parti-socialiste.fr/ * Union pour la Majorité Parlementaire (Republicans): http://www.u-m-p.org/ | French laws strictly forbids political parties to receive any money from companies, non-for-profit organisations, foreign governments… and limit personal donations to 7,500 euros per year per person |
| Other material | Major universities with a school/department of nutrition/dietetics/exercise or physical activity | * Ecole de diététique et nutrition humaine (School of dietetics and human nutrition): http://www.ednh.fr/ | • Funds received or sponsor from the food industry  • Research projects, fellowships or grants funded by the selected food industry actors  • Prizes to students |
| Major conferences on diet-, public health- or physical activity-related issues (National level) | * Entretiens de nutrition de l'Institut Pasteur de Lille (Pasteur Lille Institute congress on Nutrition) (2015): http://www.pasteur-lille.fr/fr/nutrition/les-17-me-entretiens-de-nutrition/ * Ateliers de nutrition de l'Institut Pasteur de Lille (Pasteur Lille Institute workshops on nutrition) (2015): http://www.pasteur-lille.fr/fr/nutrition/les-ateliers-de-nutrition/ * Journée Francophone de nutrition (Francophone days on nutrition) (2015): http://www.lesjfn.fr/ * Journée d'étude de l'association française des diététiciens nutritionnistes (Study day of the French dietitians and nutritionists association): http://je.afdn.org/ | Booths of the food industry |
| Presentations from or supported by the food industry (poster presentation, oral presentation) |
| Sponsors from the food industry |
| Awards from the food industry |
| Major professional bodies in diet-, public health- or physical activity related health issues (National level) | * Association française des diététiciens nutritionnistes (French dietitians and nutritionists association): http://www.afdn.org/ * Société française de nutrition (French society of nutrition): http://www.sf-nutrition.org/ * Fédération nationale des associations médicales de nutrition (National federation of medical nutrition associations): http://www.fnamn.fr/ | Funds received or sponsors from the food industry |
| Awards from the food industry |
| Qualitative analysis for information relevant to the conceptual framework (Mialon et al., 2015) |
| Media | News and media releases | * Search on Google News with the name of the company * **ANIA:**   ania.net  https://twitter.com/ANIA\_FRANCE   * **Carrefour:**   https://twitter.com/carrefourfrance   * **McDonald's:**   mcdonalds.fr/entreprise/espace-presse   * **Coco-Cola:**   https://twitter.com/cocacolafr   * **Mc Donald:**   https://twitter.com/mcdonaldsfrance   * **Nestlé:**   https://twitter.com/Nestléfr  @Fond\_Nestlé\_FR - not done (due to time contraints) | Twitter accounts and media monitored from March to August 2015. Twitter was monitored on a weekly basis. The media webpages of industry actors were consulted once a month. Qualitative analysis for information relevant to the conceptual framework (Mialon et al., 2015) |

Mialon, M., Swinburn, B., Sacks, G., 2015. A proposed approach to systematically identify and monitor the corporate political activity of the food industry with respect to public health using publicly available information. Obesity Reviews 16, 519-530. 10.1111/obr.12289