WHOLE FOODS MARKET
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Our 2027 Food Trends are here!

Explore all the trends

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THE BEAN BOOM

Once a humble staple, beans are now inspiring viral recipes and restaurant dishes.

SIMPLi
GIGANTE BEANS

GROWN WITH BETTER FARMING PRACTICES

A DOZEN COUSINS
TRINI CHICKPEA CURRY

CARIBBEAN COMFORT WITH 5 GRAMS OF FIBER PER SERVING

Crafted WITHOUT 500+ BANNED INGREDIENTS.

BIENA
EDAMAME
DILL PICKLE

THESE PACK 12 GRAMS OF PROTEIN PER SERVING

lentiful
Instant Lentils
French Mirepoix

HEARTY, PLANT-POWERED AND READY IN MINUTES

NEW ERA ITALIAN FOOD
BRAMI
LUPINI BEANS
SUPERBEANS GENTLY PICKLED WITH CHILI & LIME

BRIGHT ZESTY BITES THAT BRING THE HEAT

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dish REINVENTION

Familiar classics are getting reimagined in new, unexpected ways.

AN ITALIAN TRADITION gets a MISO-REMIX.

CROSS ROADS
SAFFRON ROAD
Lemon Miso Chicken Alfredo

Van Leeuwen
MANGO STICKY RICE
FRENCH ICE CREAM

THAI FLAVORS folded into FRENCH ICE CREAM.

COMING SOON!

LAOBAN
BEEF BIRRIA SOUP DUMPLINGS
WITH Taqueria Xochi

new
JUICY, WARMING and hand-wrapped.

COMING SOON!

WHOLE FOODS MARKET KITCHENS
ZUPPA TOSCANA TAKE-AND-BAKE PIZZA
No spoon required for this Tuscan favorite.

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ORGANIC
CACIO E PEPE VINAIGRETTE
PREMIUM SALAD

CREAMY, CHEESY, PEPPERY forkfuls.

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The YŌSHOKU effect

Japanese ingredients lend rich flavor and texture.

Wild Caught

MISO MARINATED
BLACK COD
(SABLEFISH)

ALASKAN LEADER SEAFOODS
MISO-MARINATED BLACK COD
DEFROST THIS MISO-GLAZED FAVORITE.

KIMONO MOM'S
The Original
UMAMI SAUCE

FLAVOR BOOSTER FOR SOUPS, SAUCES AND MORE.

POINT REYES
TomaRashi
ARTISAN CHEESE TOGARASHI CHILE SPICE

ENJOY IN EGGS, AS A SNACK OR WITH JAPANESE-STYLE BEER.

Must be 21+.
Please drink responsibly.

WHOLE FOODS MARKET KITCHENS
JAPANESE-STYLE MILK BREAD
GREAT FOR A CLASSIC SANDO OR TOPPED WITH JAM.

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More 2027 TRENDS

BEAUTRITION

Food ingredients that support skin nutrition from within.

purely elizabeth.
WITH COLLAGEN
VANILLA PECAN

TERROIR'S NEW TERRITORY

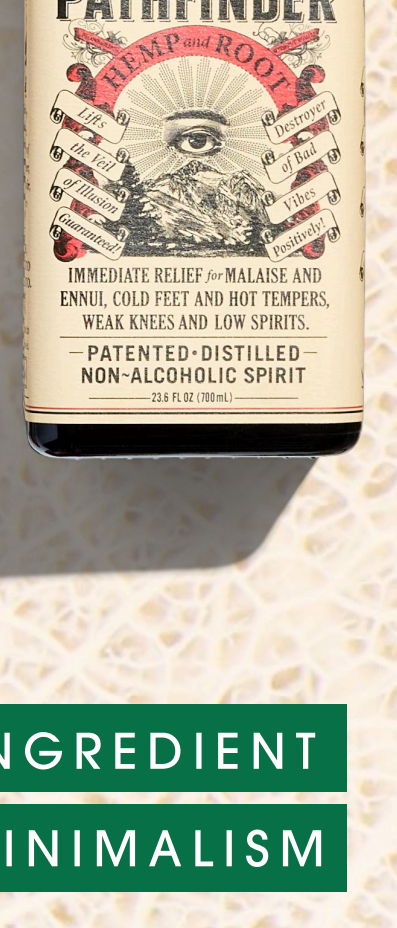
Flavors shaped by their origins.

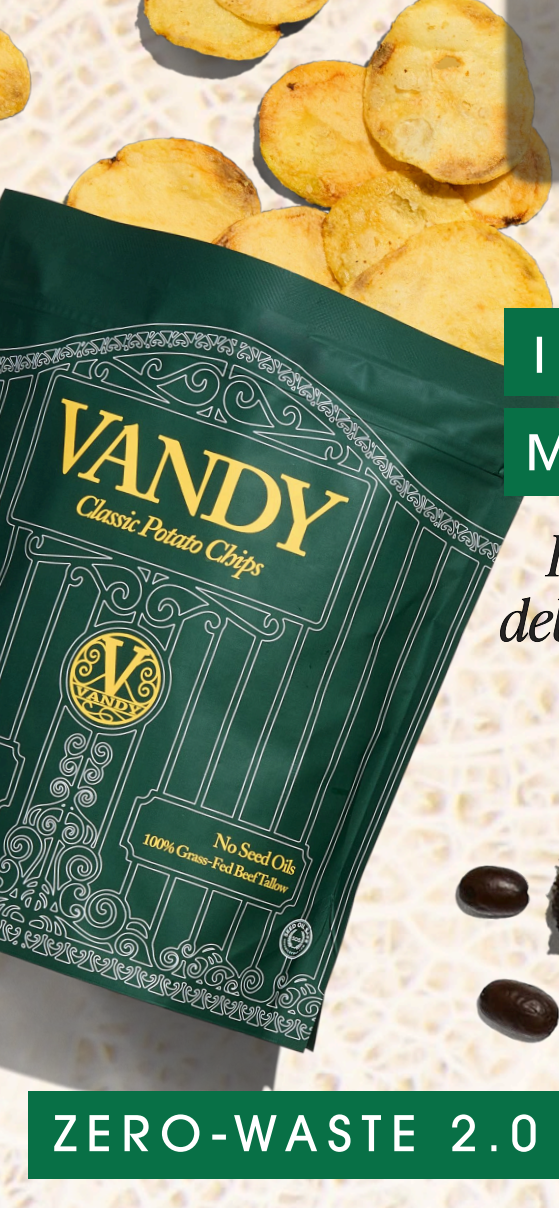
Damya
EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL

BADGER FLAME BEETS
SWEET GARLEEK
ROW 7

BITTER DONE BETTER

Complex, bitter flavor profiles are moving beyond normal spaces.


THE PATHFINDER
HEMP and ROOT
IMMEDIATE RELIEF for MALAISE AND ENNUI, COLD FEET AND HOT TEMPERS, WEAK KNEES AND LOW SPIRITS.
PATENTED·DISTILLED NON-ALCOHOLIC SPIRIT



INGREDIENT MINIMALISM

Ingredient lists debut a less-is-more makeover.

VANDY
Classic Potato Chips
No Seed Oils
100% Grass-Fed Beef Tallow

ZERO-WASTE 2.0

Upcycling transforms by-products into must-buy products.

UpCircle
FACE SCRUB
with coffee + rosehip oil

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TRICK OR TREAT

No high-fructose corn syrup or artificial sweeteners like sucralose.

new
Tart potions made from fruit.
LIMITED TIME ONLY!

GOGO SQUEEZ
Slymez
HALLOWEEN
SWEET N' SOUR FRUIT GEL ON THE GO
MADE WITH REAL FRUIT
NO SUGAR ADDED*

new
A Halloween classic with a date-sweetened remix.

Harken
SALTED CARAMEL

LIMITED TIME ONLY!

365
Organic Gummy Pumpkins

new
Fruit and vegetable juices bring the color.

LIMITED TIME ONLY!

new
Just one gram of sugar per bag.

LIMITED TIME ONLY!

1g SUGAR PER BAG
SMART SWEETS minis
MINI SWEET FISH

Tiny TATE'S
CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES

Limited Time
Bring the bakery to the candy bowl.

26 snack packs
100% real simple ingredients
UNREAL

Limited Time
No soy. No gluten. Only non-GMO ingredients.

SPOOKY SPACE BALLS
REAL ORGANIC CHEDDAR
USDA ORGANIC
18 BAGS

Limited Time
A savory curveball for a bag full of sweets.

20 MINI PACKS
TRICK OR TREAT
DELICIOUS CRUNCHY CORN
LOVE, CORN
sea salt

Limited Time
Roasted, irresistible crunch.

Garden Veggie Chips
Ghosts+Bats
Sea Salt
12 TRICK-OR-TREAT sized bags

Limited Time
Spooky shapes with garden roots.

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