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# Urea

National Diabetes Information Clearinghouse (NDIC)

## Definitions

### Protein

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### Liver

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### Kidney

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### Urine

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## Source

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A waste product found in the blood that results from the normal breakdown of **protein** in the **liver**. Urea is normally removed from the blood by the **kidneys** and then excreted in the **urine**.