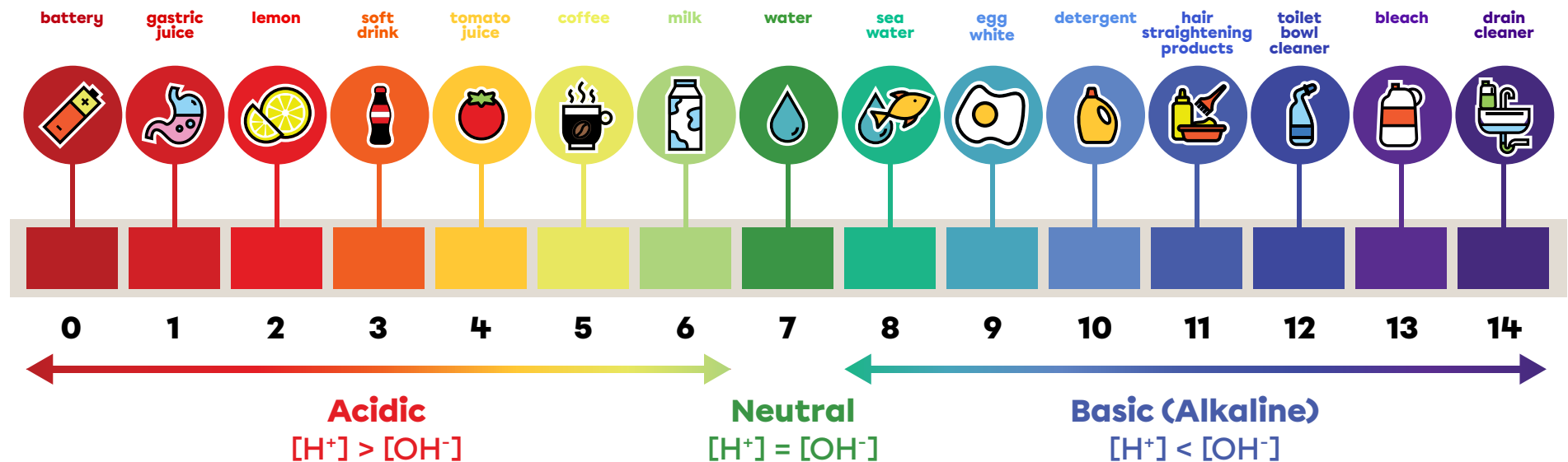


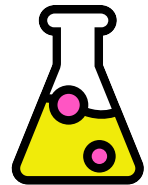
The pH Scale

Acidity and basicity are characteristic properties of matter. Acids are found in many acidic foods, but also in our stomachs. The stomach produces gastric juice to digest food and fight infections. Two examples of bases are detergents and bleach. On the pH scale, 0 is the most acidic value, 7 is neutral and 14 is the most basic, or alkaline, value.



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