





# THE BRISTOL STOOL FORM SCALE

*Type 1*



Separate hard lumps,  
like nuts (hard to pass)

*Type 2*



Sausage-shaped  
but lumpy

*Type 3*



Like a sausage but with  
cracks on its surface

*Type 4*



Like a sausage or snake,  
smooth and soft

*Type 5*



Soft blobs with clear-cut  
edges (passed easily)

*Type 6*



Fluffy pieces with ragged  
edges, a mushy stool

*Type 7*



Watery, no solid pieces  
**ENTIRELY LIQUID**



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