

# HW Staple Foods in South Africa

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#### 2023 DEVELOPMENTS

High fibre is leading health and wellness claim due to greater understanding of the need for fortification in diets Health and wellness claims for breakfast cereals perform well despite inflationary pressures Woolworths offers consumers inspiration on how to prepare quick meals using staple foods during blackouts

# PROSPECTS AND OPPORTUNITIES

Proposed rigorous food labelling to potentially disrupt breakfast cereals

High fibre to remain popular claim and offers further growth potential as consumers look to fortified staple foods as part of healthier eating plans Niche of digestive health set to gain momentum

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