Taste (Ta'am) Transfer: Spicy/Charif: Sitting in Container

Cold, spicy/*charif*, solid food (with no liquid) does not transfer gender UNLESS it was under pressure, so simply sitting in an opposite-gender or non-*kosher* container does not have any effect.

NOTE Cold, spicy/*charif*, liquid food sitting in an opposite-gender or non-*kosher* container is *kosher* only if it sat less time than needed to become cooked.

EXAMPLE You ate cold (less than 120° F, or 49° C) spicy/*charif* food of one gender on a cold plate of the opposite gender:

Liquid Food

If the cold spicy/*charif* food is liquid but it is in contact with a utensil of the opposite gender for less time than it takes to boil, it would be *kosher* but, again, you should only do this ad hoc.

Also see Spicy/Charif Soaking: Long Enough To Be Cooked: Food and Utensil.

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