



# **Potatoes, Sliced, Low-Sodium, Canned** MyPlate Food Group: Veggie

## **Nutrition Information**

- Based on their nutrient content, vegetables are organized into 5 subgroups: dark-green vegetables, starchy vegetables, red and orange vegetables, beans and peas, and other vegetables.
- Most vegetables are naturally low in fat. None have cholesterol. Sauces and seasonings may add fat, calories, and/or cholesterol.
- Starchy vegetables like potatoes contain carbohydrates which give you energy.

## **Uses & Tips**

- Canned, sliced potatoes are safe and ready to eat out of the can. Just heat and serve!
- Canned potatoes can be added to soups, chilis, casseroles, and salads.
- Puree canned potatoes and use to thicken stews, soups, and gravies.

# **MyPlate Facts**

- Vegetables are naturally low in calories.
  Eat vegetables in place of foods that may be higher in calories to help lower calorie intake.
- Eating a diet rich in vegetables and fruits as part of an overall healthy diet may reduce the risk of heart disease, including heart attack and stroke
- Adding vegetables can help increase the intake of fiber and potassium, which are important nutrients that many Americans do not get enough of in their diet.

## **Storing Foods at Home**

- Store unopened cans of sliced potatoes in a cool, clean, dry place.
- Store remaining opened sliced potatoes in a tightly covered container that is not made from metal in the refrigerator.





### Hearty Potato, Vegetable, and Beef Casserole

### Makes 6 servings Ingredients:

- 1 can (5.5 ounces) low-sodium sliced potatoes, drained
- 1 can (15.5 ounces) low-sodium sliced carrots, drained
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 cup onion, sliced
- <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> pound extra-lean ground beef or turkey, browned and drained
- 1 can (15.5 ounces) low-sodium green beans, peas or corn, drained
- 1 can (10.5 ounces) low-sodium tomato soup

#### Directions: Wash hands with soap and water.

- 1. In a Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- 2. Grease baking pan or casserole dish.
- 3. Layer the ingredients in the order found in the ingredient list.
- 4. Cover and bake for 30 minutes.
- 5. Uncover and bake for 15 more minutes.
- 6. Serve hot.

 $Recipe \ adapted \ from \ The \ Arizona \ Commodity \ Supplemental \ Food \ Program$ 

# **Potato Salad**

### Makes 16 servings Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup light mayonnaise
- 1/2 cup nonfat, plain yogurt
- 1 tablespoon prepared mustard
- 1 tablespoon vinegar
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 2 cans (15.5 ounces) low-sodium potatoes, drained, cubed into bite-sized pieces
- $1^{1/2}$  cups celery, chopped
- <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup onion, chopped
- 1/4 cup sliced black olives

Directions: Wash hands with soap and water.

- 1. In a large mixing bowl, stir together mayonnaise, yogurt, mustard, vinegar, and sugar.
- 2. Add potatoes, celery, onion, and olives and stir to coat evenly.
- 3. Refrigerate until ready to serve.

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