



Tomato Soup, Condensed, 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.
- Tomatoes are an important source of many nutrients, including vitamins A, C, and an antioxidant called lycopene which is good for heart health and eyesight.

Uses & Tips

- Tomato soup may be heated and served as a hot meal on a cold day. Add low-fat cheese on top for added protein and flavor. Serve with a side of crackers, whole wheat bread, or tortillas.
- Tomato soup packs a flavorful punch and can be used as a base for casseroles, stews, soups, and chilis.

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 tomato soup in a cool, clean, dry place.
- Store remaining opened tomato soup in a tightly covered container that is not made from metal in the refrigerator





Tomato Chili Rice Soup

Makes 6 servings Ingredients:

- 4 cups chicken broth
- ³/₄ cup uncooked instant rice (or ¹/₂ cup cooked rice)
- 2 tablespoons catsup
- 1/2 cup finely chopped celery
- 1 can (10.5 ounces) condensed, low-sodium tomato soup
- 2 teaspoons chili powder

Directions: Wash hands with soap and water.

- 1. Combine all ingredients in a large saucepan.
- 2. Simmer for 10 minutes or until rice is tender

Recipe adapted from Oklahoma Nutrition Network

Chicken Tortilla Casserole

Makes 6 servings

Ingredients:

- 1 can (10.5 ounces) condensed, low-sodium tomato soup
- 1 can (12 ounces) evaporated skim milk
- 1 can (4 ounces) chopped green chilies
- 2 cups diced cooked chicken non-stick cooking spray
- 8 corn tortillas (6 inches), cut horizontally and vertically into four pieces for a total of 32 triangles
- ³/₄ cup reduced-fat cheddar cheese, grated

Directions: Wash hands with soap and water.

- 1. In a bowl, mix soup, milk, chilies, and chicken.
- 2. Coat 8x8 inch baking dish with non-stick spray. Use half of the tortilla pieces to cover the bottom of the dish.
- 3. Put half of the chicken mixture on top of tortillas. Sprinkle with half of the cheese.
- 4. Place the rest of the tortilla pieces on the chicken mixture. Top with the rest of the chicken mixture. Sprinkle the rest of the cheese on the top.
- 5. Cover and refrigerate overnight.
- 6. Bake at 350 degrees F for 40 45 minutes.

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