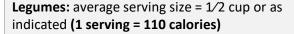
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- Split peas, sweet green peas, lentils
- Beans garbanzo, pinto, fat-free refried, kidney, black, lima, cannellini, navy, mung, green soy beans
- Hummus (1/4 cup)
- Bean soups, 3/4 cup

Category 1 Vegetables: Servings: Unlimited

- Asparagus
- Artichokes
- Bamboo shoots
- Bean sprouts
- Bell or other peppers
- Broccoli
- Brussels sprouts
- Cauliflower
- Celery
- Cucumber/dill pickles
- Cabbage (all types)
- Chives, onion, leeks, garlic
- Greens: bok choy, escarole, Swiss chard, kale, collard greens, watercress, spinach, dandelion, mustard, or beet greens
- Lettuce/mixed greens romaine, red and green leaf, endive, spinach, arugula, radicchio, watercress, chicory

Nuts and Seeds: serving size as indicated (1 serving = 100 calories)

- Almonds, or hazelnuts, 10-12 whole nuts
- Walnut or pecan halves, 7-8
- Peanuts, 18 nuts or 2 Tbsp.
- Pistachios, sunflower, pumpkin, sesame seeds, 2 Tbsp.
- Nut butter, 1 Tbsp. made from above nuts

Fruit:

(1 serving = 80 calories)

- Apple, 1 med
- Apricot, 3 med
- Berries: blackberries & blueberries, 1 cup; raspberries strawberries, 11/2 cups
- Cherries, 15
- Fresh figs, 2
- Grapes 15
- Grapefruit 1 whole



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Category 1 Vegetables: Servings: Unlimited (cont.)

- Salsa (sugar-free)
- Sea vegetables (kelp, etc.)
- Tomato or mixed vegetable juice
- Eggplant
- Green beans
- Mushrooms
- Okra
- Radishes
- Snow peas
- Sprouts
- Tomatoes
- Water chestnuts, 5 whole
- Zucchini, yellow, summer, or spaghetti squash

Dairy: average serving size = 6 oz.

(1 serving =80 calories)

- Low-fat yogurt, plain, 100g
- Fat-free yogurt, plain, 100g
- Soy milk, plain
- Buttermilk
- Non-fat, 1% or 2% fat milk

Category 2 Vegetables: average serving size = 1/2 cup or as indicated. (1 serving = 45 calories)

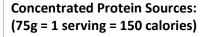
- Carrots, 2 med. raw or 12 baby; 1/2 cup cooked
- Rutabaga, parsnips, turnips, 1/3 cup cooked
- Beets, winter squash (acorn or butternut)
- Sweet potatoes or yams, 1/2 medium baked
- Yukon Gold potato, 1/2 medium

Oils: average serving size = 1 tsp. or as indicated (1 teaspoon = 40 cal.)

- Flax seed oil (keep refrigerated)
- Extra virgin olive, canola and walnut oils
- Mayonnaise made with canola or grapeseed oil
- Olives, 8 –10 medium
- Avocado, 1/4



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Meat, poultry, and fish should be grilled, baked, roasted, and fish can also be poached

- Eggs, 2 whole eggs or 3 egg whites plus 1 whole egg
- Egg substitute, 2/3 cup
- Fish, including shellfish, 3 oz fresh or 3/4 cup water-canned
- Poultry: chicken or turkey
- Leg of lamb, lean cut
- Beef, very lean
- Low fat cottage cheese, 3/4 cup
- Ricotta, part skim or nonfat, 1/2 cup
- Mozzarella, part skim or nonfat, 2 oz. or 1/2 cup (shredded)
- Parmesan cheese, 2 Tbsp grated = 1/2 serving
- Tofu (fresh), 8 oz or 1 cup or 100g (baked)
- Tempeh, 3 oz or 1/2 cup
- Soy or veggie burger, 100g
- TVP (soy protein concentrate), 1/3 cup = 1/2 serving

Whole Grains: Average serving size: 1/2 cup cooked or as indicated. (1 serving =75-100 calories)

- Amaranth, teff, and quinoa
- Basmati and other brown rice, wild rice
- Bulgur (cracked wheat)
- Barley, Buckwheat groats, or millet
- Whole oats, raw, 1/3 cup; cooked oatmeal 3/4 cup
- Whole wheat, spelt or kamut berries
- 100% whole wheat, spelt, or kamut pasta
- Whole grain rye crackers, 3 each (e.g. Ryvita, Sesame
- Rye; WASA, Lite Rye; or Fiber Wheat
- Bread: mixed whole grain or 100% whole rye, 1 slice
- Whole wheat tortilla or pita, 1/2
- Low-carb tortilla, 2 small or 1 large

Beverages:

Decaffeinated herbal or green tea, decaffeinated coffee, water, seltzer, plain or flavored.

Condiments:

Cinnamon, mustard, horseradish, tamari soy sauce, vinegar, lime, lemon, flavored extracts (e.g., vanilla or almond), other herbs/spices, stevia, agave nectar

