

PHASE ALL LEVELS

During Phase 3, use the following list to determine which foods to purchase from the grocery store, and how much of these foods constitutes one serving. Remember, the foods you choose to incorporate in your diet are up to you—just make sure the portions fit within the parameters of your determined nutrition level.

ENDURANCE MAXIMIZER

PORTION APPROACH FOODS LIST

FATS

each serving = 120 cal.

3 oz_Avocado 1 tbsp_Canola oil 1 tbsp_Flaxseed oil

Olive oil_1 tbsp
Olives_4 oz

PROTEINS

each serving = 100 cal.

3 oz_Boneless, skinless, chicken or turkey breast 6_Egg whites 3 oz_Fish and shellfish 3 oz_Ham slices, fat-free 3 oz_Pork tenderloin 1/3 cup_Protein powder 3 oz_Red meat (top sirloin, skirt steak) 3 oz_Red meat, lean

Soy burger_1
Soy cheese slices_5
Tofu_3 oz
Tuna_3 oz
Turkey bacon_2 slices
Veggie burger_1
Veggie dog_1

CARBOHYDRATES

each serving = 200 cal.

1 medium_Bagel, whole wheat
1 cup_Baked beans
1 cup_Beans (kidney, black, etc.)
1_Bran muffin (2.5 oz)
2 slices_Bread (whole wheat, rye, or pumpernickel)
1 cup_Cereal, whole grain
1 cup_Couscous
12_Crackers
2_English muffins, whole wheat
1 cup_Hummus
1 cup_Lentils
1 cup_Oatmeal

Pancakes (3.6 oz)_3
Pasta or noodles_1 cup
Pita, whole wheat_1 large
Potato (2" x 4-3/4")_1
Quinoa_1 cup
Refried beans, low-fat_1 cup
Rice, brown or wild_1 cup
Sweet potato_1 medium
Tortillas, corn_3
Tortilla, whole wheat_1 large
Waffles, whole wheat_2
Wheat berries_1 cup

DAIRY PRODUCTS

each serving = 120 cal.

1-1/2 oz_Cheese, low-fat 1 cup_Cottage cheese, 1% 1-1/2 oz_Feta cheese 1-1/2 oz_Goat cheese, semisoft 1-1/2 oz_Mozzarella, part-skim Parmesan cheese_3 oz Skim milk_8 oz Soy cheese_1-1/2 oz Soy milk_8 oz Yogurt, nonfat plain_8 oz

FRUITS

each serving = 100 cal.

1 medium_Apple
1 cup_Apricots
1 medium_Banana
1/4 medium_Cantaloupe
1 cup_Cherries
1 oz_Dried fruit
6 oz_Fresh-squeezed juice
1 medium_Grapefruit
1 cup_Grapes
1 cup_Kiwi
1/2 medium_ Mango

Nectarine_1 medium
Orange_1 large
Papaya_1/2 medium
Peach_1 medium
Raspberries, blueberries,
blackberries_1 cup
Strawberries, sliced_2 cups
Tangerine_1 medium
Watermelon_1 cup

VEGETABLES

each serving = 50 cal.

1 cup = cooked vegetables,
vegetable juice,
or vegetable soup
2 cups = leafy greens

Asparagus Lettuce Beets Marinara sauce Bok choy Mushrooms Broccoli Peas Brussels sprouts Peppers Cabbage Spinach Carrots **Sprouts** Cauliflower Squash (summer or winter) Celery String beans Collard greens **Tomatoes** Cucumber V-8® juice, low-sodium Eggplant Vegetable soup Kale

CONDIMENTS

each serving = 2 tbsp = 50 cal.

SNACKS

single serving = 100 cal. double serving = 200 cal. BBQ and other low-fat sauces and marinades, fat-free dressings, mustard, honey, pure fruit jams

1 oz_Dried fruit
3_Fig Newtons
1_Frozen fruit bar
1 medium piece_Fruit
8 oz_Fruit sorbet
12_Mini rice cakes
4 oz_Nonfat frozen yogurt
1 tbsp_Peanut butter with celery sticks
1 oz_Pita chips
3 cups_Popcorn, lite
1 large_Pretzel, sourdough
2 oz_Soy nuts
1-1/2 oz_String cheese
1 oz_Tortilla chips, low-fat
8 oz_Yogurt, nonfat plain

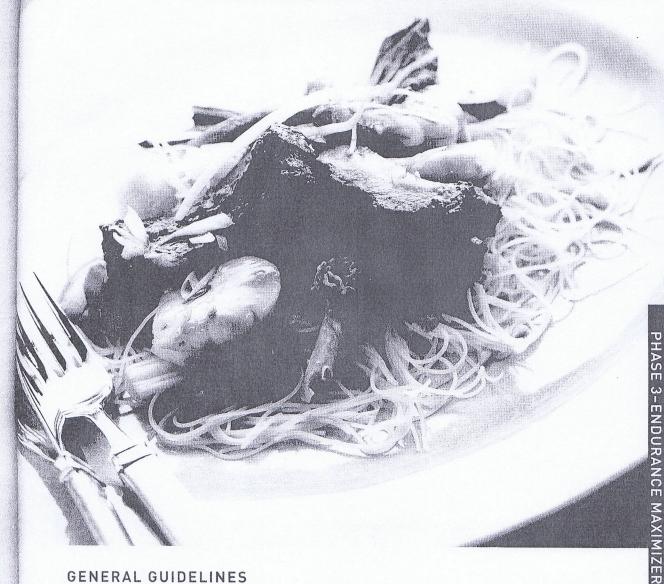
Bean dip_4 thesp with chips_1 oz
Cheese, low-fat_1 oz with crackers_6
Hummus_4 thesp with carrot sticks
Nuts_1 oz
P90X Peak Performance Protein Bar_1
P90X Peak Recovery Formula_12-16 oz
Soy nuts_4 oz
String cheese_3 oz
Yogurt, nonfat fruit-flavored 8 oz

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MEAL PLAN APPROACH

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GENERAL GUIDELINES

If you've been craving those traditional carb favorites like pancakes, pasta, and potatoes, then welcome to Phase 3. The high-carbohydrate recipes in this section will help keep you energized during the final stretch. Additionally, there are plenty of great-tasting meat, poultry, and seafood entrees to ensure fast muscle recovery.

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, Recipe included

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LEVELI PHASE

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BREAKFAST 1	SNACK	LUNGA	SNACK	DINNER
1_Blueberry Muffin 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Berries	1_Recovery drink	1_Veggie burger 1/2_Whole grain bun 2 cups_Salad greens 2 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)	3_Fig Newtons 1_Sourdough pretzel	6 oz_Chicken 2 tbsp_Apricot Sauce 1/2_Baked yam, medium 1 cup_Green beans, steamed 1/4_Mango
DAY 2 2_Whole grain waffles 1 tbsp_Peanut butter 8 oz_Skim milk 1_Banana, medium	1_Recovery drink	1_Pasta Salad	12_Mini rice cakes 1_Frozen fruit bar	6 oz_Halibut 2 tbsp_Mustard CreamSauce 1 cup_Brown rice 2 cups_Spinach, steamed 1 cup_Raspberries
1_Whole grain roll 1/2 cup_Low-fat ricotta cheese 4 slices_Roma tomato drizzle_Olive oil 1 cup_Cantaloupe	1_Recovery drink	1 cup_Black and White Bean Chili == 2 cups_Salad greens 2 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)	3 cups_Lite popcorn 4 oz_Nonfat frozen yogurt	6 oz_Flank steak, grilled 2 tbsp_Steak sauce 1_Baked potato, medium 1 cup_Onion, zucchini, and stewed tomato sauté 1_Nectarine, medium
1/2 cup_Low-fat granola 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Strawberries, sliced	1_Recovery drink	1_Stuffed Baked Potato 2 cups_Salad greens 2 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)	1 oz_Dried fruit 2 oz_Soy nuts	6 oz_Mediterranean Shrimp Kebabs 1 cup_White rice 1_Orange, medium
3_Oatmeal Pancakes 2 tbsp_Low-sugar maple syrup 1 cup_Applesauce	1_Recovery drink	1_Grilled Veggie Focaccia 1 cup_Melon	8 oz _Fruit sorbet 12 _Mini rice cakes	6 oz_Chicken 2 tbsp_Barbecue Sauce 1 cup_Nonfat baked beans 2 cups_Salad greens 2 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)
8 oz_Cottage cheese, 1% 1 cup_Pineapple chunks 2 slices_Whole wheat toast 2 tsp_Pure fruit jam	1_Recovery drink	1_Spicy Chinese Noodles	1_Sourdough pretzel 4 oz_Nonfat frozen yogurt	6 oz_Salmon 2 tbsp_Dijonnaise Sauce 1 cup_Quinoa 1 cup_Broccoli, steamed 1 cup_Grapes
1_Whole wheat bagel 2 thsp_Fat-free cream cheese 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Berries	1_Recovery drink		1 _Medium fresh fruit 1 tbsp_Peanut butter w/ celery sticks	6 oz_Pork Chop with Apple and Sweet Potato = 1 cup_Peas 2 cups_Salad greens 2 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)

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	SNACK	MUN(A)	SNACK	DINNER
DAY 1	1_Recovery drink	1_Veggie burger 1_Whole grain bun 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Melon	1 oz_Almonds 1-1/2 oz_String cheese	9 oz_Chicken 3 tbsp_Apricot Sauce 1_Baked yam, medium 1 cup_Green beans, steamed 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 4_Mango
3_Whole grain waffles 2 tbsp_Peanut butter 8 oz_Skim milk 1_Banana, medium	1_Recovery drink	1_Pasta Salad 1 cup_Melon	1 oz_Low-fat tortilla chips w/ 4 tbsp_Bean dip 1_Medium fruit	9 oz_Halibut 3 tbsp_Mustard Cream Sauce 1 cup_Brown rice 3 cups_Spinach, steamed 1_Peach, medium
1_Whole grain roll 1/2 cup_Low-fat ricotta cheese 4 slices_Roma tomato drizzle_Olive oil 1 cup_Cantaloupe	1_Recovery drink	2 cups_Black and White Bean Chili 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Grapes	3 cups_Lite popcorn 8 oz_Nonfat fruit-flavored yogurt	9 oz_Flank steak, grilled 3 tbsp_Steak sauce 1_Baked potato, medium 2 cups_Onion, zucchini, and stewed tomato sauté 1_Nectarine, medium
1/2 cup_Low-fat granola 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Strawberries, sliced	1_Recovery drink	2_Stuffed Baked Potatoes 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1_Orange, medium	1 oz_Pita chips w/ 4 tbsp_Hummus w/ carrot sticks	9 oz_Mediterranean Shrimp Kebabs 1 cup_White rice 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Melon
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3_Oatmeal Pancakes 3 tbsp_Low-sugar maple syrup 1 cup_Applesauce 8 oz_Skim milk	1_Recovery drink	1_Grilled Veggie Focaccia 1 cup_Tabouli salad 1_Peach, medium	8 oz_Fruit sorbet 1-1/2 oz_String cheese 6_Crackers	9 oz_Chicken 3 tbsp_Barbecue Sauce 1 cup_Nonfat baked beans 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Fruit salad
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1_Whole wheat bagel 2 thsp_Fat-free cream cheese 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Berries	1_Recovery drink	1_Vegetarian Tostada 1 cup_Fruit salad	1 oz_Cashews 1 oz_Dried fruit	9 oz_Pork Chop with Apple and Sweet Potato 1 1 cup_Peas 3 cups_Salad greens 3 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)

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LEVEL III PHASE

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BREAKFAST	SNACK	LUNCI	SNACK	DINNER
1_Blueberry Muffin 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Berries 1/2 cup_Low-fat granola	1_Recovery drink	1_Veggie burger 1_Whole grain bun 4 cups_Salad greens 4 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Melon	1 oz_Almonds 1 oz_Dried fruit 8 oz_Nonfat frozen yogurt	12 oz_Chicken 4 tbsp_Apricot Sauce = 1_Baked yam, medium 1 cup_Green beans, steamed 4 cups_Salad greens 4 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1/4_Mango
4_Whole grain waffles 2 thsp_Peanut butter 8 oz_Skim milk 1_Banana, medium	1_Recovery drink	1_Pasta Salad	1 oz_Low-fat tortilla chips w/ 4 tbsp_Bean dip 1_Frozen fruit bar	12 oz_Halibut 4 tbsp_Mustard Cream Sauce 1 cup_Brown rice 3 cups_Spinach, steamed 1_Peach, medium
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1_Whole grain roll 1/2 cup_Low-fat ricotta cheese 4 stices_Roma tomato drizzle_Olive oil 1 cup_Cantaloupe	1_Recovery drink	2 cups_Black and White Bean Chili 4 cups_Salad greens 4 thsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Grapes 6_Crackers	3 cups_Lite popcorn 8 oz_Nonfat fruit- flavored yogurt 2 oz_Soy nuts	12 oz_Flank steak, grilled 4 tbsp_Steak sauce 1_Baked potato, medium 2 cups_Onion, zucchini, and stewed tomato saute 1_Nectarine, medium
1 cup_Low-fat granola 8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Strawberries, sliced	1_Recovery drink	2_Stuffed Baked Potatoes 4 cups_Salad greens 4 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1_Orange, medium	1 oz_Pita chips 4 tbsp_Hummus w/ carrots 1 oz_Dried fruit	12 oz_Mediterranean Shrimp Kebabs m 1 cup_White rice 4 cups_Salad greens 4 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Melon
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4_Oatmeal Pancakes 4 tbsp_Low-sugar maple syrup 1 cup_Applesauce 8 oz_Skim milk	1_Recovery drink	1_Grilled Veggie Focaccia 1 cup_Tabouli salad 1_Peach, medium	8 oz_Fruit sorbet 1-1/2 oz_String cheese w/ 6_Crackers 3 cups_Lite popcorn	12 oz_Chicken 4 tbsp_Barbecue Sauce 1 cup_Nonfat baked beans 4 cups_Salad greens 4 tbsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Fruit salad
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8 oz_Cottage cheese, 1% - 1 cup_Pineapple chunks 4 slices_Whole wheat toast 3 tsp_Pure fruit jam	1_Recovery drink	1_Spicy Chinese Noodles made 4 cups_Salad greens 4 thsp_Dressing (your choice) 1 cup_Fruit salad	1_Sourdough pretzel 8 oz_Frozen yogurt 1_Fruit, medium	12 oz_Salmon 4 tbsp_Dijonnaise Sauce 1 cup_Quinoa 1 cup_Broccoli, steamed 1 cup_Grapes
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1_Whole wheat bagel 2 tbsp_Fat-free cream cheese 8 oz Nonfat plain vogurt	1_Recovery drink	1_Vegetarian Tostada 📰 1 cup_Fruit salad	1 oz_Cashews 1 oz_Dried fruit	12 oz_Pork Chop with Apple and Sweet Potato

1_Sourdough

pretzel

1 cup_Peas

4 cups_Salad greens 4 tbsp_Dressing (your choice)

8 oz_Nonfat plain yogurt 1 cup_Berries

1/2 cup_Low-fat granola

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Now that your body has become an efficient fuel-burning machine, you're ready for an athletic diet which will help you push your body to the limit.

These recipes, full of complex carbohydrates, lean protein, and low fat

GENERAL GUIDELINES

will give you the extra push you need to maximize your endurance and get in the best shape of your life.

NOTE: All per-serving nutritional information is based on 1 LEVEL I serving. LEVEL II and LEVEL III will vary, depending on portion size.

RECIPES

APRICOT SAUCE

per serving:

1/2 cup apricot preserves 1/8 cup Dijon mustard 1/4 cup low-sodium soy sauce

56 Calories (kcal) trace Total Fat (3% calories from fat) 1 g Protein 14 g Carbohydrate 0 mg Cholesterol 353 mg Sodium

Serves 8

In a small bowl, combine all ingredients and blend well.

LEVELI

2 tablespoons = 1 condiment

LEVEL II

3 tablespoons = 1-1/2 condiments

LEVEL III

4 tablespoons = 2 condiments

DIJONNAISE SAUCE

per serving:

4 ounces nonfat yogurt 4 ounces low-fat mayonnaise 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard 1 teaspoon fresh dill, chopped 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce black pepper to taste dash Tabasco sauce

34 Calories (kcal) 2 g Total Fat (51% calories from fat) 1 g Protein 3 g Carbohydrate trace Cholesterol 47 mg Sodium

Serves 8

In a small bowl, combine all ingredients and blend well.

LEVELI

2 tablespoons = 1 condiment

LEVEL II

3 tablespoons = 1-1/2 condiments

LEVEL III

4 tablespoons = 2 condiments

MUSTARD CREAM SAUCE

per serving:

4 shallots, chopped

1-1/4 cups fat-free chicken broth, low sodium

1-1/4 cups sweet vermouth

1/2 teaspoon arrowroot

1/2 cup evaporated skim milk

1/4 cup Dijon mustard

1/2 teaspoon salt

dash white pepper

1 tablespoon chopped chives, for garnish

43 Calories (kcal)
trace Total Fat
(6% calories from fat)
2 g Protein
4 g Carbohydrate
trace Cholesterol
164 mg Sodium

Serves 8

r tablespoon chopped chives, for garnish

- 1. Coat the bottom of a saucepan with cooking spray and place over medium heat.
- 2. Add the shallots and sauté until tender, using 1/4 cup of the broth to deglaze the pan as necessary.
- 3. Stir in the remaining broth and the vermouth. Simmer until reduced to 3/4 cup.
- 4. Dissolve the arrowroot in a small amount of cold water and add to the pan. Stir until slightly thickened.
- 5. Transfer the sauce to a blender. Add the evaporated milk, mustard, salt, and pepper and process until smooth. Garnish with chives.

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2 tablespoons = 1 condiment

LEVEL II

3 tablespoons = 1-1/2 condiments

LEVEL III

4 tablespoons = 2 condiments

BARBECUE SAUCE

1/4 cup ketchup

1/4 cup chili sauce

2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce

2 tablespoons red wine vinegar

2 teaspoons stone-ground mustard

1 teaspoon dark brown sugar

dash cayenne pepper

2-1/2 teaspoons garlic, crushed

per serving:

16 Calories (kcal)

trace Total Fat

(1% calories from fat)

trace Protein

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4 g Carbohydrate

0 mg Cholesterol

128 mg Sodium

Serves 8

Blend all ingredients together in a small bowl. Refrigerate until ready to use.

LEVELI

2 tablespoons = 1 condiment

LEVEL II

3 tablespoons = 1-1/2 condiments

LEVEL III

4 tablespoons = 2 condiments

SAUCES

BLUEBERRY MUFFINS

per serving:

1-3/4 cups whole wheat pastry flour

2-1/2 teaspoons baking powder

1 cup powdered fructose

3/4 cup low-fat buttermilk

3 egg whites

1 cup thawed frozen blueberries, reserving juice

167 Calories (kcal)

1 g Total Fat

(2% calories from fat)

4 g Protein

40 g Carbohydrate

1 mg Cholesterol

135 mg Sodium

Serves 12

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Line 12 muffin cups with papers.
- 2. In a small bowl, combine the flour, baking powder, and fructose.
- 3. In a mixing bowl, whisk together the buttermilk, egg whites, and 2 tablespoons of reserved berry juice.
- 4. Add the flour mixture to the wet ingredients, stirring just to combine. Stir in the berries.
- 5. Spoon the batter into the prepared muffin cups, mounding slightly. Bake until lightly browned, about 20 minutes.

LEVEL

1 muffin = 1 carbohydrate

LEVEL II

1 muffin = 1 carbohydrate

LEVEL III

1 muffin = 1 carbohydrate

OATMEAL PANCAKES

per serving:

1/2 cup quick-cooking oats
1/2 cup low-fat buttermilk
1/2 cup skim milk
2 egg whites

1 tablespoon canola oil
2 tablespoons brown sugar, packed
1/2 teaspoon salt, or to taste
1 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 cup whole wheat flour
1/2 cup all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon cinnamon

228 Calories (kcal) 5 g Total Fat (19% calories from fat) 9 g Protein 37 g Carbohydrate 2 mg Cholesterol 468 mg Sodium

Serves 4

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

- 1. In a medium bowl, combine the oats, buttermilk, and milk. Set aside for 15 to 20 minutes to let the oatmeal soften.
- 2. Beat in the egg whites and oil and mix well. Add the sugar, salt, and cinnamon, then the baking powder, baking soda, and flour. Stir just until moistened.
- 3. Heat a lightly oiled or nonstick griddle over medium-high heat (375 degrees for electric frying pan). For each pancake, pour about 1/8 cup batter onto the griddle. Turn when the tops are covered with bubbles and the edges look cooked. Turn only once.

LEVELI

3 pancakes = 1 carbohydrate

LEVEL II

3 pancakes = 1 carbohydrate

LEVEL III

4 pancakes = 1 carbohydrate

BLACK AND WHITE BEAN CHILI

per serving:

1 teaspoon canola oil

1 cup onion, diced

2 cups fat-free chicken broth, low sodium

6 ounces canned tomato paste

4 ounces green chilies, chopped

1 teaspoon cumin

16 ounces canned black beans, drained and rinsed

16 ounces canned navy beans, drained and rinsed

202 Calories (kcal)
2 g Total Fat
(8% calories from fat)
15 g Protein
35 g Carbohydrate
0 mg Cholesterol
964 mg Sodium

Serves 6

- 1. In a large soup pot, heat the oil over medium-high heat. Add the onions and cook for 5 minutes.
- 2. Add the broth, tomato paste, chilies, cumin, and beans. Bring to a boil.
- 3. Reduce heat to low and simmer for 10 to 15 minutes, stirring occasionally.

LEVELI

1 cup =

1 carbohydrate

LEVEL II

2 cups =

2 carbohydrate

LEVEL III

2 cups =

2 carbohydrate

GRILLED VEGGIE FOCACCIA

VEGGIE FOCACCIA per serving:

1 large portobello mushroom, sliced thin
1 large zucchini, sliced thin
1 large yellow squash, sliced thin
1-1/2 ounces part-skim mozzarella cheese

2 slices Italian focaccia bread

284 Calories (kcal) 9 g Total Fat (28% calories from fat) 19 g Protein 33 g Carbohydrate 23 mg Cholesterol 467 mg Sodium PHASE 3-ENDURANCE MAXIMIZER

Serves 1

- 1. Grill or broil vegetables for 3 to 5 minutes using olive oil spray.
- 2. Place mozzarella cheese on one slice of bread, and toast until cheese is melted.
- 3. Place vegetables on same side as cheese and top with second slice of bread.

LEVELI

1 carbohydrate,

2 vegetable

LEVELII

1 carbohydrate,

2 vegetable

LEVEL III

1 carbohydrate,

2 vegetable

LUNCH

STUFFED BAKED POTATO

per serving:

1 medium baking potato
10 ounces frozen chopped spinach
1/2 cup broccoli, chopped
1 tablespoon green onions, finely chopped
1-1/2 ounces low-fat cheddar cheese
dash salt
dash pepper
dash garlic powder

291 Calories (kcal)
4 g Total Fat
(12% calories from fat)
23 g Protein
46 g Carbohydrate
9 mg Cholesterol
505 mg Sodium

(Levels II & III, please double ingredients)

- 1. Bake the potato at 425 degrees for 45 to 60 minutes, or microwave for about 8 minutes and then let stand for 3 to 5 minutes.
- 2. When the potato is done, scoop its insides into a small bowl, reserving skin.
- 3. Add the spinach, broccoli, green onions, cheese, and seasonings. Mash.
- 4. Fill the potato skin with the mixture and bake in the oven 10 minutes longer to blend the flavors.

LEVELI

1 potato = 1 carbohydrate, 1 vegetable, 1 dairy

LEVEL II

2 potatoes = 2 carbohydrate, 2 vegetable, 2 dairy

LEVEL III

2 potatoes = 2 carbohydrate, 2 vegetable, 2 dairy

PASTA SALAD-LEVEL I

per serving:

2 ounces pasta

1 cup broccoli florets, steamed
2 whole green onions, sliced
1 tablespoon olive oil
1 cup cherry tomatoes, halved
1/2 teaspoon fresh basil
1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
1 ounce fat-free Parmesan cheese, grated

453 Calories (kcal)
15 g Total Fat
(29% calories from fat)
20 g Protein
63 g Carbohydrate
23 mg Cholesterol
242 mg Sodium

- 1. Cook the pasta according to the directions on the package. Drain.
- 2. While pasta cooks, steam the broccoli and chop the green onions.
- 3. Combine the cooked pasta, broccoli, green onions, olive oil, tomatoes, basil, and garlic powder. Mix well.
- 4. Sprinkle with cheese and toss again. Chill before serving.

LEVELI

1 carbohydrate, 2 vegetable, 1 fat

LEVEL II

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LEVEL III

PASTA SALAD-LEVEL II

per serving:

3 ounces pasta

1 cup broccoli florets, steamed
2 whole green onions, sliced
1-1/2 tablespoons olive oil
1 cup cherry tomatoes, halved
1/2 teaspoon fresh basil
1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
1 ounce fat-free Parmesan cheese, grated

628 Calories (kcal)
22 g Total Fat
(31% calories from fat)
24 g Protein
86 g Carbohydrate
23 mg Cholesterol
248 mg Sodium

- 1. Cook the pasta according to the directions on the package. Drain.
- 2. While pasta cooks, steam the broccoli and chop the green onions.
- 3. Combine the cooked pasta, broccoli, green onions, olive oil, tomatoes, basil, and garlic powder. Mix well.
- 4. Sprinkle with cheese and toss again. Chill before serving.

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LEVEL II

1-1/2 carbohydrate, 2 vegetable, 1 fat LEVEL III

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PASTA SALAD-LEVEL III

per serving:

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4 ounces pasta

1-1/2 cups broccoli florets, steamed
3 whole green onions, sliced
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 cup cherry tomatoes, halved
1 teaspoon fresh basil
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
1 ounce fat-free Parmesan cheese, grated

802 Calories (kcal)
30 g Total Fat
(32% calories from fat)
29 g Protein
109 g Carbohydrate
23 mg Cholesterol
259 mg Sodium

- 1. Cook the pasta according to the directions on the package. Drain.
- 2. While pasta cooks, steam the broccoli and chop the green onions.
- 3. Combine the cooked pasta, broccoli, green onions, olive oil, tomatoes, basil, and garlic powder. Mix well.
- 4. Sprinkle with cheese and toss again. Chill before serving.

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LEVEL II

See above

LEVEL III

2 carbohydrate, 2 vegetable, 1 fat

LUNCH

SPICY CHINESE NOODLES-LEVEL I

per serving:

2 ounces pasta

2 tablespoons chunky peanut butter

1-1/2 tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce

1-1/2 tablespoons rice vinegar

1 teaspoon honey

dash cayenne pepper

1 tablespoon green onions, finely chopped

429 Calories (kcal)
17 g Total Fat
(35% calories from fat)
16 g Protein
56 g Carbohydrate
0 mg Cholesterol
1,056 mg Sodium

- 1. Cook the pasta according to the directions on the package. Drain.
- 2. While the pasta is cooking, combine in a small saucepan the peanut butter, soy sauce, vinegar, honey, and cayenne.
- 3. Mix together the pasta and the peanut butter sauce. If the pasta is too dry, add a little fat-free chicken broth to thin the sauce. Garnish with green onions.

LEVELI

1 carbohydrate, 1 condiment, 1 fat LEVEN VELL

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LEVEL III

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SPICY CHINESE NOODLES-LEVEL II

per serving:

3 ounces pasta

3 tablespoons chunky peanut butter
2 tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce
2 tablespoons rice vinegar
1-1/2 teaspoons honey
dash cayenne pepper
2 tablespoons green onions, finely chopped

660 Calories (kcal)
26 g Total Fat
(33% calories from fat)
25 g Protein
89 g Carbohydrate
0 mg Cholesterol
1,444 mg Sodium

- 1. Cook the pasta according to the directions on the package. Drain.
- 2. While the pasta is cooking, combine in a small saucepan the peanut butter, soy sauce, vinegar, honey, and cayenne.
- 3. Mix together the pasta and the peanut butter sauce. If the pasta is too dry, add a little fat-free chicken broth to thin the sauce. Garnish with green onions.

LEVELI

See above

LEVEL II

1-1/2 carbohydrate, 2 condiment, 1 fat LEVEL III

SPICY CHINESE NOODLES-LEVEL III

per serving:

4 ounces pasta

3 tablespoons chunky peanut butter
3 tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce
3 tablespoons rice vinegar
2 teaspoons honey

dash cayenne pepper

3 tablespoons green onions, finely chopped

789 Calories (kcal)
26 g Total Fat
(28% calories from fat)
29 g Protein
115 g Carbohydrate
0 mg Cholesterol
2,047 mg Sodium

- 1. Cook the pasta according to the directions on the package. Drain.
- 2. While the pasta is cooking, combine in a small saucepan the peanut butter, soy sauce, vinegar, honey and cayenne.
- 3. Mix together the pasta and the peanut butter sauce. If the pasta is too dry, add a little fat-free chicken broth to thin the sauce. Garnish with green onions.

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LEVEL II

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LEVEL III

2 carbohydrate, 2 condiment, 1 fat

VEGETARIAN TOSTADA-LEVEL I

per serving:

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1 large whole wheat tortilla

1 cup fat-free canned refried beans
1/4 cup tomato, diced
2 tablespoons red onion, diced
1 cup iceberg lettuce, shredded
2 tablespoons low-fat sour cream

449 Calories (kcal)
7 g Total Fat
(14% calories from fat)
22 g Protein
75 g Carbohydrate
6 mg Cholesterol
1,437 mg Sodium

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
- 2. Spray tortilla with corn oil spray and brown tortilla for several minutes until crisp.

2 tablespoons salsa

- 3. Meanwhile, heat beans in a small saucepan.
- 4. Remove tortilla and layer with beans, tomato, onion, lettuce, sour cream, and salsa.

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VEGETARIAN TOSTADA-LEVEL II

per serving:

1 large whole wheat tortilla

. 1 cup fat-free canned refried beans

1/2 cup Spanish-style rice, cooked

1/2 cup tomato, diced

3 tablespoons red onion, diced

2 cups iceberg lettuce, shredded

2 tablespoons low-fat sour cream

3 tablespoons salsa

575 Calories (kcal) 8 g Total Fat (12% calories from fat) 25 g Protein 102 g Carbohydrate 6 mg Cholesterol

1,510 mg Sodium

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

2. Spray tortilla with corn oil spray and brown tortilla for several minutes until crisp.

3. Meanwhile, heat beans in a small saucepan.

4. Remove tortilla and layer with beans, rice, tomato, onion, lettuce, sour cream, and salsa.

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VEGETARIAN TOSTADA-LEVEL III

per serving:

1 large whole wheat tortilla

1 cup fat-free canned refried beans

1 cup Spanish-style rice, cooked

1/2 cup tomato, diced

3 tablespoons red onion, diced

2 cups iceberg lettuce, shredded

2 tablespoons low-fat sour cream

3 tablespoons salsa

701 Calories (kcal)

8 g Total Fat

(10% calories from fat)

27 g Protein

130 g Carbohydrate

6 mg Cholesterol

1,510 mg Sodium

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

2. Spray tortilla with corn oil spray and brown tortilla for several minutes until crisp.

3. Meanwhile, heat beans in a small saucepan.

4. Remove tortilla and layer with beans, rice, tomato, onion, lettuce, sour cream, and salsa.

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3 carbohydrate,

2 vegetable, 1 condiment

MEDITERRANEAN SHRIMP KEBABS-LEVEL I

per serving:

6 shrimp (1 ounce each)

1/8 red onion, cubed

1/2 zucchini, cut in 1-inch-thick slices

1/4 yellow pepper, seeded and cubed

4 white mushrooms

1/4 cup fresh lemon juice

1 tablespoon olive oil

1 teaspoon oregano

2 metal or wooden skewers

349 Calories (kcal)
17 g Total Fat
(42% calories from fat)
36 g Protein
14 g Carbohydrate
259 mg Cholesterol

257 mg Sodium

- 1. Assemble kebabs by alternating vegetables with three shrimp per skewer.
- 2. In a small bowl, blend lemon juice, olive oil, and oregano to make a marinade.
- 3. Brush marinade over kebabs and place on grill for 7 to 10 minutes.
- 4. Turn and brush with remaining marinade while grilling until vegetables are cooked and shrimp are opaque.

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MEDITERRANEAN SHRIMP KEBABS-LEVEL II

per serving:

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9 shrimp (1 ounce each)

1/8 red onion, cubed

1/2 zucchini, cut in 1-inch-thick slices

1/4 yellow pepper, seeded and cubed

6 white mushrooms

1/4 cup fresh lemon juice

1 tablespoon olive oil

1 teaspoon oregano

3 metal or wooden skewers

435 Calories (kcal) 18 g Total Fat (37% calories from fat) 53 g Protein 14 g Carbohydrate 388 mg Cholesterol

382 mg Sodium

- 1. Assemble kebabs by alternating vegetables with three shrimp per skewer.
- 2. In a small bowl, blend lemon juice, olive oil, and oregano to make a marinade.
- 3. Brush marinade over kebabs and place on grill for 7 to 10 minutes.
- 4. Turn and brush with remaining marinade while grilling until vegetables are cooked and shrimp are opaque.

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3 protein, 1 vegetable, 1 fat

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DINNER

MEDITERRANEAN SHRIMP KEBABS-LEVEL III

4 metal or wooden skewers

per serving:

12 shrimp (1 ounce each)
'1/8 red onion, cubed

1/2 zucchini, cut in 1-inch-thick slices

1/4 yellow pepper, seeded and cubed

8 white mushrooms

1/4 cup fresh lemon juice

1 tablespoon olive oil

1 teaspoon oregano

636 Calories (kcal)
27 g Total Fat
(1% calories from fat)
73 g Protein
28 g Carbohydrate
517 mg Cholesterol
513 mg Sodium

- 1. Assemble kebabs by alternating vegetables with three shrimp per skewer.
- 2. In a small bowl, blend lemon juice, olive oil, and oregano to make a marinade.
- 3. Brush marinade over kebabs and place on grill for 7 to 10 minutes.
- 4. Turn and brush with remaining marinade while grilling until vegetables are cooked and shrimp are opaque.

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4 protein, 2 vegetable, 1 fat

PORK CHOP BAKED WITH APPLE AND SWEET POTATO-LEVEL I

per serving:

6 ounces lean boneless pork loin 1 medium sweet potato 1 medium apple

415 Calories (kcal) 8 g Total Fat (17% calories from fat) 33 g Protein 53 g Carbohydrate 77 mg Cholesterol 80 mg Sodium

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees.
- 2. Slice the sweet potato thinly. Quarter, core, and slice the apple into eight pieces.
- 3. On a large piece of foil, layer sweet potato slices, pork chop, and then apple slices. If desired, sprinkle with cinnamon, salt, and pepper.
- 4. Wrap well and bake for 40 minutes.

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2 protein,

1 carbohydrate, 1 fruit

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