## **Chocolate Hummus**

Portion Size: 1/4 cup

Yield: 7 servings



### Ingredients:

Garbanzo Beans, dry

Semi Sweet Chocolate Chips

Cocoa Powder

Maple Syrup

Skim Milk

Salt

Vanilla Extract

3 % oz
1/3 cup
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2 tbsp
4 tbsp
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2 ½ tsp

- 1. Soak garbanzo beans overnight.
- 2. Cover garbanzo beans with water and cook until very tender (beans should be starting to split).
- 3. Drain beans.
- 4. Melt chocolate chips over a double boiler.
- 5. In a food processor, combine cooked garbanzo beans, melted chocolate, cocoa, maple syrup, skim milk, salt, and vanilla.
- 6. Process until smooth.

Dietitian Note: Pair with fresh fruit

Nutrition Info (per serving): Cal: 140, Total Fat: 4g, Sat Fat: 2g, Sodium: 105mg, Carbs: 24g, Protein: 4g, Sugar: 13g, Fiber: 3g

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# Butternut Squash, Queso Dip

Portion Size: 1/4 cup

Yield: 6 servings



### Ingredients:

Butternut Squash 12 oz  $\frac{1}{2}$  tsp Red Onions, fine chopped 3 tbsp Garlic, minced 1 tsp Pepper Jack Cheese, shredded ½ cup Canned Diced Tomato, No Added Salt, drained 1/3 cup Jalapeno Peppers, minced 2 tbsp Chili Powder  $\frac{1}{4}$  tsp Cumin, ground  $\frac{1}{4}$  tsp Salt 1/8 tsp

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F.
- 2. Cut butternut squash in half lengthwise, scrape and discard seeds from halves.
- 3. Wrap butternut squash halves in foil and bake until very tender, about 1 hour.
- 4. Scrape flesh from squash and place in high powered blender. Blend until very smooth.
- 5. Heat oil in a sauté pan. Sweat onions and garlic until translucent. Add to the blender with shredded pepper jack cheese and blend until very smooth.
- 6. Place butternut squash mixture in a bowl and stir in tomatoes, jalapeno, chili powder, cumin and salt.
- 7. Place in baking dish and bake until heated through and cheese is melted.

Dietitian Note: Pair with vegetable crudité

## Greek Yogurt, Spinach and Artichoke Dip

Portion Size: 1/4 cup Yield: 6 servings



#### Ingredients:

Baby Spinach	7 oz
Shallots, minced	2 tbsp
Garlic, minced	½ tsp
Fat Free Greek Yogurt	3 tbsp
Neufchatel Cream Cheese	2 tbsp
Parmesan Cheese, grated	2 tbsp
Canned Artichoke Hearts, chopped	5 oz
Part Skim Mozzarella Cheese, shredded	1/3 cup
Black Pepper	1/8 tsp

- 1. Steam spinach until wilted. Squeeze out excess water. Roughly chop spinach and set it aside.
- 2. In a food processor combine shallots, garlic, fat-free Greek yogurt, Neufchatel cream cheese and parmesan. Pulse until smooth.
- 3. In a bowl, stir together artichoke hearts, mozzarella, black pepper, spinach and Greek yogurt mixture.
- 4. Bake until bubbling and golden brown, about 20-30 minutes.

Dietitian Note: Pair with vegetable crudité

Chef's Note: Neufchatel is reduced fat cream cheese

Compare the Difference: Traditional Spinach Artichoke Dip vs Greek Yogurt Spinach Artichoke Dip Traditional Spinach Artichoke Dip: 1/4 cup portion, 260 calories, 8g sat fat, 350mg sodium Greek Yogurt Spinach Artichoke Dip: 1/4 cup portion, 70 calories, 2g sat fat, 200mg sodium

Nutrition Info (per serving): Cal: 70, Total Fat: 3g, Sat Fat: 2g, Sodium: 200mg, Carbs: 6g, Protein: 5g, Sugar: 1g, Fiber: 2g

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# Black Bean Dip, Cheddar, Tomato Dip

Portion Size: 1/4 cup Yield: 7 servings



#### **Inaredients:**

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Black Beans, dry	3 oz	Tomatoes, canned, diced	1/3 cup
Salt	1/4 tsp	Corn Kernels	1/3 cup
Jalapeno Peppers, diced	2 tbsp	Reduced Fat Cheddar	3 tbsp
Salsa	3 tbsp	Cheese, shredded	0 1030
Cumin	½ tsp	Cherry Tomatoes, halved	1/3 cup
Red Chili Pepper Flakes	1 tsp	Scallions, chopped	1 tsp
Chili Powder	½ tsp	Cilantro, chopped	1 tsp
Reduced Fat Cheddar	3 tbsp	Lime Juice	1 tsp

- 1. Soak beans overnight. Cover beans in a pot with water and bring up to a simmer. Cook until tender. Drain.
- 2. In a food processor, combine HALF of the cooked beans, salt, jalapenos, salsa, cumin, red pepper flakes, chili powder and cheddar. Process until smooth.
- 3. Stir remaining cooked whole beans, diced tomatoes and corn into pureed bean mixture.
- 4. Place mixture in a baking dish and top with cheddar cheese. Bake in a 350°F degree oven until heated through and cheese is melted, about 15-20 minutes.
- 5. In a bowl, toss together tomatoes, green onion, cilantro, and lime juice. Just before serving top bean dip with tomato salad.

Dietitian Note: Pair with vegetable crudité