# Facts about USDA Commodities for the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs

# MARINARA SAUCE

(Ohio Processed)

## **Product Description**

Multi-purpose marinara sauce is a smooth red-orange color sauce with tomato pieces and Italian spices.

#### Pack Size

One case contains 6/#10 cans.

#### **Yield**

One case provides approximately 145 servings of 4.3 ounces (½cup) of marinara sauce. There are 24 servings per can.

#### Uses

Marinara sauce may be used as a dipping sauce or as a sauce for pasta. Marinara sauce may be used to meet the vegetable component of the NSLP pattern.

#### Storage

Store marinara sauce in dry storage in original shipping containers off the floor at 55-80° F.

# Best If Used By\*

Marinara sauce is "best-if-used" withing 30 months of processing.

## Preparation

Open, heat and serve or add your own seasonings as desired.

#### Nutritional value

½ cup serving of marina sauce (4.3oz.) provides:

| Calories      | 70    |
|---------------|-------|
| Protein       | 2g    |
| Carbohyrates  | 11g   |
| Fat           | 2.5g  |
| Saturated Fat | 0g    |
| Trans Fat     | 0g    |
| Cholesterol   | 0mg   |
| Vitamin A     | 15%   |
| Vitamin C     | 20%   |
| Iron          | 6%    |
| Calcium       | . 4%  |
| Sodium        | 550mg |
| Dietary fiber | 2g    |
| Sugars        | 3g    |

\*The "Best If Used By" date is intended to tell you how long the product will retain best flavor or quality. The term is not a safety date. "Best If Used By" dates are intended as useful guidelines. Some foods may deteriorate more quickly and other foods may last longer than the times suggest. A number of factors can shorten the useful life of a food product, such as improper handling and inadequate storage temperatures. The inventory control method of "first-in-first-out" should be practiced by those responsible for managing commodity inventories and distribution to the State and local level. Products kept past the "Best If Used By" dates are not necessarily unusable. Food products mat be consumed after the "Best If Used By" date if the product has been properly stored and handled, and the primary container is in good condition.



# REDPACK MULTI-PURPOSE MARINARA SAUCE, 6 / #10 CANS

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# **INGREDIENT DECLARATION**

Tomato puree (water, tomato paste), diced tomatoes, soybean oil, high fructose corn syrup, salt, spices, dried garlic, dried parsley, citric acid, natural flavors.