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

TRIANGLE HASH BROWN PATTIES, FROZEN

(Ohio Processed)

Product Description

Formed triangular hash brown potato patties

Pack Size

30 lb case containing 6/5 lb packages

Yield

One 30-pound case provides approximately 96-½ cup servings of 5.0 ounces each (2.5 pieces) of hash brown potatoes.

Uses

Hash brown triangle potato patties are frozen and ready to cook and serve. Hash brown potatoes may be used to meet the vegetable component of the NSLP pattern

Storage

Store hash brown triangle potato patties frozen in original shipping containers off the floor at 0ºF or below.

*Best If Used By**

Frozen hash brown triangle potato patties are best if used within 18 months of production.

Preparation

Place frozen hash brown triangle potato patties in convection oven at 425ºF for ten (10) – fifteen (15) minutes or deep fry 1.5 lbs. for two and a half (2 ½) – three (3) minutes at 350ºF.

Nutritional value

½ cup serving of hash brown triangle potato patties (5.0oz- 2.5 pieces) provides:

Calories……..….280
Protein…….……..3g
Carbohyrates……...….33g
Fat...……...…..15g
Saturated Fat……...2.5g
Trans Fat…… 0g
Cholesterol...……..0mg
Vitamin A……..……..0%
Vitamin C……...…….6%
Iron……..0%
Calcium…… 0%
Sodium……..……..350mg
Dietary fiber…….……5g

**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.*

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Potatoes, Vegetable Oil (Contains one or more of the following: Canola Oil, Soybean Oil, Cottonseed Oil, Sunflower Oil, Corn Oil), Salt, Natural Flavoring, Dehydrated Granulated Onion, Dextrose, Sodium Acid Pyrophosphate Added To Preserve Natural Color.

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