## FRUITS (ALL FRUITS EXCEPT PINEAPPLE)

Serving Size: ½ Cup = 4 oz.

## Ingredients:

	1 portion	2 portions	4 portions
Frozen	4 oz.	8 oz.	16 oz.
Canned	4 oz.	8 oz.	16 oz.
Fresh	1 piece	2 pieces	4 pieces

## Directions:

- 1. Thaw frozen fruits and drain well; drain canned fruits; and peel fresh fruits, making sure they are ripe and easy to chew.
- 2. Puree in blender. DO NOT add liquid.
- 3. If fruit is too thin, add thickener or gelatin slurry for a pudding like consistency.
- 4. Chill and serve.

**NOTE:** Recommend using the gelatin slurry to thicken fruit to stand alone on the plate. You can make a beautiful fruit plate if you use the slurry.

Diabetic: Use fresh fruits or fruits packed in natural juice; 1 fruit exchange.

Low Sodium: OK.

Low Fat/Low Cholesterol: OK.

Bland: As tolerated