UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

**USDA Foods Product Information Sheet** 

For Child Nutrition Programs



100359—Beans, Black (Turtle), Low-sodium, Canned

Category: Legume Vegetable/Meat Alternate



# **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

This item is Grade A canned, dried black turtle beans. This is a low-sodium formulation with 36-140 mg sodium per 1/2 cup serving. This product is available in cases with six #10 cans.

#### **CREDITING/YIELD**

- One case of black beans provides about 83 1/2-cup servings of heated, drained beans or 125 1/2-cup servings of unheated, drained beans.
- CN Crediting: 1/2 cup beans credits as 1/2 cup legume vegetable OR 2 oz equivalent meat/meat alternate.

## **CULINARY TIPS AND RECIPES**

- Black beans can be cooked and used as a meat alternate in dishes such as burritos, tacos, or quesadillas.
- Black beans can also be cooked as a side dish or used in cold salads with other vegetables such as corn and diced peppers.
- Drain and rinse canned beans before adding to recipes to reduce the sodium.
- For more culinary techniques and recipe ideas, visit the <u>Institute of Child Nutrition</u> or USDA's <u>Team Nutrition</u>.

## FOOD SAFETY INFORMATION

 For more information on safe storage and cooking temperatures, and safe handling practices please refer to: <u>Developing a School</u> <u>Food Safety Program Based on the Process</u> <u>Approach to HACCP Principles.</u>

## NUTRITION FACTS

Serving size: 1/2 cup (120 g) black beans, canned, low-sodium

Amount Per Serving

Calories 109

#### Total Fat 0g

Saturated Fat 0g

Trans Fat 0g

Cholesterol 0mg

Sodium 140mg

Total Carbohydrate 20g

Dietary Fiber 8g

Sugars 0g

Protein 7g

Source: USDA National Nutrient Database

Allergen Information: Specification requires no allergens or allergen advisory labels. Please refer to allergen statement on the outside of the product package to confirm. For more information, please contact the product manufacturer directly.

Nutrient values in this section are from the USDA National Nutrient Database for Standard Reference or are representative values from USDA Foods vendor labels. Please refer to the product's Nutrition Facts label or ingredient list for productspecific information.