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# SLIM DOWN WITH LOW CALORIE MILK GROUP FOODS

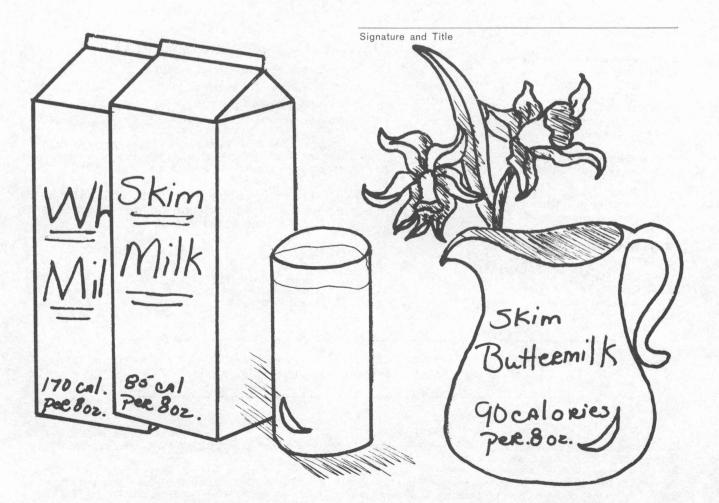
#### Dear Homemaker:

Adults continue to need at least two servings of milk each day while losing weight. Milk is our best source of calcium which is needed throughout life for strong bones, teeth and blood. Milk is also a good source of protein, riboflavin and other nutrients.

Milk products that still contain the butterfat have more calories. Choose fat-free or non-fat milk products such as skim milk, buttermilk, non-fat dry milk and low fat yogurt to lose weight and keep it off.

Read the label to compare the number of calories in a serving of different forms of milk products.

Sincerely,



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- 21/2 cups non-fat dry milk powder
- 1/3 cup unsweetened cocoa powder 1/4 cup sugar or sugar replacement
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg (optional)

In a quart jar, combine non-fat dry milk, cocoa powder, sugar replacement and spices. Shake well to thoroughly combine. Store in a covered glass jar. Makes 21/2 cups mix or 13 servings.

To prepare one serving Hot Spiced Cocoa, place 2 heaping teaspoons of mix in a cup; blend in 3/4 cup boiling water. Additional sugar replacement may be added if desired

This drink has 41 calories per serving if made with sugar replacement and 56 calories if made with sugar. (For a better blended drink, stir cold water into dry mix; heat.)



## COMPARE CALORIES IN MILK PRODUCTS

### **Calories in Milk Products**

The following list shows the approximate number of calories in 1 cup (8 fluid ounces) of selected milk and other dairy products:

#### MILK

Buttermilk, made from skim milk	
Chocolate milk, made from whole milk and chocolate	210
Chocolate-flavored drink, made from lowfat mi and cocoa	
Dry (mixed with water): Nonfat Whole	
Evaporated (diluted with equal volume of wat Skim Whole	
Fresh skim or lowfat: Lowfat (1 percent milkfat) Skim (nonfat) 2 percent 2 percent (added nonfat milk solids)	80-90
Fresh whole, homogenized Sweetened condensed, undiluted Yogurt, made from partially skimmed milk	

#### HALF-AND-HALF

Half-and-half (11 percent milkfat)	325
Sour half-and-half (11 percent milkfat)	325

#### CREAM

Sour (18 percent milkfat)	485
Table or coffee (18 percent milkfat)	505
Whipping (unwhipped):	840
Heavy (36 percent milkfat) Light (30 percent milkfat)	

#### FROZEN DESSERTS

ce	cream,	rich (16	percent	milkfat)			 	330
ce	milk (5	percent	milkfat)				 <b>.</b>	200
ce	milk, so	oft-serve	(5 perce	nt milkf	at) .	<i>.</i>	 gim	265
She	rbet, fru	uit (1.2 p	ercent m	ilkfat) .			 	260

NOTE: The number of calories in frozen desserts varies with the amount of milkfat in the mix and the volume of air incorporated into the product during processing.

For milk products frequently used in small amounts, the approximate number of calories in 1 tablespoon is listed below:

#### MILK

1:		
	Nonfat, instant (dry)	15
	Whole, instant (dry)	
	Evaporated (whole, undiluted)	

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