CALORIES DO COUNT

When you are counting calories, choose very lean, well-trimmed meats, poultry and fish without skin, broiled or baked—not fried or deep fried; all vegetables (eat less often corn, kidney and lima beans, peas, potatoes and winter squash); fresh and/or unsweetened canned fruits or juices; fruits rich in

vitamin C (oranges, grapefruit, strawberries, cantaloupes); whole grain, enriched, restored or fortified cereals and breads; fortified skim, buttermilk, nonfat dry milk; dry or 2% creamed cottage cheese, farmer or pot cheese, Neufchâtel and other low-calorie cheeses.

MEAT		FRUITS	
Bacon (2 slices)	100	Apple (2½-inch), Orange (3-inch)	70
Baked ham (3 ounces)	245	Banana (6x1½ inches)	85
Beef (3 ounces)		Grapefruit (half, 41/4-inch)	60
hamburger, broiled	245	Peach (2-inch)	35
T-bone steak, broiled	400	Pear (3x2½ inches)	100
Frankfurters (2)	310	BREADS	
Lamb chop (3 ounces), broiled *	300	Biscuit (1 medium)	140
Pork chop (3 ounces), broiled	320	Graham cracker (1 medium)	30
Spareribs (6 medium)	245	Pancake (4-inch)	60
FISH AND SEAFOOD		Saltine (1 square)	20
Fish sticks (4)	160	Sweet roll	135
Salmon, canned (3 ounces)	120	Waffle (5½x4½ inches)	210
Shrimp, canned (3 ounces)	100	White, whole wheat, raisin, rye (1 slice)	60
Tuna, water packed (3 ounces)	110	•	
		CEREALS	
POULTRY	400	Oatmeal, cooked (½ cup)	65 98
Chicken breast (3 ounces), broiled	100	Toasted oat cereal (1 cup)	101
Chicken drumstick (3 ounces meat), broiled	110	Whole wheat flake cereal (1 cup)	101
Turkey (3 ounces)	160	DESSERTS	
CHEESE AND EGGS		Brownie (2-inch square)	145
American cheese (1 slice)	105	Cake (2-inch piece)	
Cottage cheese (¼ cup)	60	angel food, unfrosted	110
Egg (1 large)	80	chocolate, with chocolate frosting	445
Fried or scrambled egg	110	Cookie (3-inch)	120
Omelet (2 eggs)	215	Gelatin, flavored (½ cup)	70
VEGETABLES		Ice cream (½ cup), Ice milk (½ cup)	140
	20	Pie (¼ of 9-inch)	345
Asparagus (¼ cup) Beets (½ cup), Carrots (½ cup)	30	apple	305
Broccoli (½ cup), Cabbage (½ cup)	20	lemon meringue	490
Cauliflower (½ cup)	10	pecan (¼ of 9-inch) Sherbet (½ cup)	130
Celery (1 stalk)	5	Sherbet (1/2 cup)	100
Corn (5-inch ear)	70	BEVERAGES	
Green beans (½ cup)	20	Chocolate malted milk	500
Lettuce, iceberg (¼ head)	15	Cola-type (8 ounces)	95
Peas (½ cup)	60	Lemonade (1 cup)	110
Potatoes		Milk (1 cup)	
baked (medium)	90	skim	90
French-fried (10 pieces)	155	2%	140
mashed, with milk and butter (1/2 cup)	95	whole	160
Spinach (½ cup)	20	Orange juice (½ cup)	55 20
Tomato (1 small)	30	Tomato juice (½ cup)	20

Note: These caloric values are averages not specifically calculated for the recipes in this book.