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# **USDA** Commodity Food Fact Sheet for Schools & Child Nutrition Institutions

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## A409 - PEACHES, CANNED, CLINGSTONE, DICED, #10

CATEGORY	Vegetables/Fruits
PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	• U.S. Grade B or better. Canned diced peaches; yellow clingstone. May be packed with fruit juice or light syrup. Sugar or similar sweetener, such as corn syrup, may be added.
PACK/YIELD	<ul> <li>6/#10 cans per case. Each can contains about 106 oz (12½ cups) diced peaches and juice.</li> <li>One #10 can AP yields about 79 oz (8¾ cups) drained, diced peaches and provides about 35.4 ¼-cup servings drained, diced peaches OR about 48.6 ¼-cup servings of fruit and juice.</li> </ul>
	• CN Crediting: ¼ cup diced peaches and juice OR ¼ cup drained, diced peaches provides ¼ cup fruit.
STORAGE	Store unopened canned diced peaches in a cool, dry place. Never store canned goods in a damp storage area or any place exposed to high or low temperature extremes.
	Store opened canned diced peaches covered and labeled in a dated nonmetallic container under refrigeration.
	Use First-In-First-Out (FIFO) storage practices to ensure use of older product first.



## **Nutrition Information**

Peaches, diced, light syrup, fruit and juice

	1/4 cup	½ cup
	(63 g)	(126 g)
Calories	34	68
Protein	0.28 g	0.56 g
Carbohydrate	9.13 g	18.26 g
Dietary Fiber	0.8 g	1.6 g
Sugars	8.31 g	16.63 g
Total Fat	0.02 g	0.04 g
Saturated Fat	0 g	0 g
Trans Fat	0 g	0 g
Cholesterol	0 mg	0 mg
Iron	0.23 mg	0.45 mg
Calcium	2 mg	4 mg
Sodium	3 mg	6 mg
Magnesium	3 mg	6 mg
Potassium	61 mg	122 mg
Vitamin A	11 IU	23 IU
Vitamin A	222 RAE	444 RAE
Vitamin C	1.5 mg	3 mg
Vitamin E	0.31 mg	0.61 mg



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PREPARATION/ COOKING INSTRUCTIONS	<ul> <li>Use a clean cloth to wash the lids of canned foods before opening to keep dirt from getting into the food.</li> <li>Use a clean and sanitized can opener.</li> <li>Diced peaches can be used right from the can, chilled or at room temperature.</li> </ul>
USES AND TIPS	<ul> <li>Serve canned peaches chilled in their own juices, or chilled and drained as part of fruit salad, or with cottage cheese.</li> <li>Combine with other fresh, canned, or frozen fruit for fruit cups or compotes.</li> <li>Add peaches to gelatin.</li> <li>Serve peaches heated as a garnish for main dishes. Use as directed in recipes specifying peaches.</li> <li>Serve canned peaches chilled or use in recipes for main dishes, breads, cakes, cookies, or desserts.</li> </ul>
FOOD SAFETY INFORMATION	<ul> <li>As long as the can is in good shape, the contents should be safe to eat, although the taste, texture and nutritional value of the food can diminish over time.</li> <li>NEVER USE food from cans that are leaking, bulging, or are badly dented.</li> <li>DON'T TASTE canned food with a foul odor, or that spurts liquid from the container when opened.</li> </ul>
BEST IF USED BY GUIDANCE	<ul> <li>For guidance on how to effectively manage, store, and maintain USDA commodities, please visit the FDD Website at: <a href="http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/facts/biubguidance.htm">http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/facts/biubguidance.htm</a>.</li> <li>For additional information on product dating, go to page 6 of <i>Choice Plus Food Safety Supplement</i> at: <a href="http://www.nfsmi.org/Information/choice-plus-food-safety-supplement.pdf">http://www.nfsmi.org/Information/choice-plus-food-safety-supplement.pdf</a>.</li> </ul>