PASTA SALAD WITH ZUCCHINI

Grades: K-12 Yield: 25 or 50 portions

INGREDIENTS	25 SERVINGS	50 SERVINGS	DIRECTIONS
	WEIGHT MEASURE	WEIGHT MEASURE	
Multi Grain Penne Pasta, cooked	6.5 cups	13 cups	1. Sanitize work area with bleach & water
Prepared Italian Dressing, low fat	4.75 cups	9.5 cups	solution.
Green Peppers, diced	2.5 cups	5 cups	2. Wash Hands.
Celery, diced	1.5 cups	3 cups	3. Put on food service gloves.
Zucchini, unpeeled, diced	4.5 cups	9 cups	Preparation Methods
Onions, chopped fine	1.5 cups	3 cups	1. Prepare pasta per package directions for al
Carrots, peeled, halved, thinly sliced	2.5 cups	5 cups	dente. Chill to 45°F.
			2. In large bowl, combine all vegetables, prepared as indicated.
			3. Add dressing and pasta. Toss to coat all
			veggies. 4. Chill overnight to enhance flavors.
Adjusted from What's Cooking?			Serving Instructions
USDA Mixing Bowl Recipe			1. Hold at 45°F or lower throughout serving.
			Check temperature again during serving. If
			above 45°F, remove from line, replace with
			chilled product and chill the warmed salad
			to 45°F or cooler.
			Note: Discard unused cooked product.

Serving Size:

3/4 Cup - 8 oz solid spoodle

Meal Pattern Contribution:

1/2 cup Other Vegetable and $\frac{1}{4}$ cup grain equivalent

Allergens: None

HACCP INSTRUCTIONS

Product must be chilled to 45°F and must be held at 45°F maximum.

Rapidly chill the food using an appropriate cooling method if the temperature is found to be above $45\,^{\circ}\text{F}$ and the last temperature measurement was $45\,^{\circ}\text{F}$ or below and taken within the last 2 hours:

- o Place food in shallow containers (no more than 2 inches deep) and uncovered on the top shelf in the back of the walk-in or reach-in cooler.
- o Use a quick-chill unit like a blast chiller.
- o Stir the food in a container placed in an ice water bath.
- o Add ice as an ingredient.
- O Separate food into smaller or thinner portions.







