NUTRITION NUGGET #5

Question: How healthy is juice from concentrate even if labeled 100% juice?



Answer: In 100% juice labels, juices from concentrate have either a similar, a higher or lower sugar amount than juice not from concentrate. CHECK NUTRIENT LABELS, INGREDIENT LISTS, CHOOSE 100% JUICE AND LIMIT INTAKE.

Facts:

- Choose whole fruits (fresh, canned in 100% juice, frozen or dried), more often than
 juice. Natural sugars in foods, such as fruits and milk, come with a total package of
 nutrients (fiber, potassium, magnesium). Foods with added sugars or 100% juices
 supply calories but few or no essential nutrients and no dietary fiber.
- Select 100% juice (from concentrate or not from concentrate). But limit how much you drink because when consumed in excess, juice can contribute extra calories.
- Cut back on fruit drinks (not labeled 100% juice on the package) which are sugar-sweetened beverages. Fruit drinks, soda, sports and energy drinks have added sugars and little juice. Strong evidence shows children and adolescents who drink more sugar-sweetened beverages have a higher body weight than those who drink less.
- The nutrient label shows total amount of sugar (both natural and added sugars) but no daily value for sugar (there is no amount recommended). Look for beverages with added sugars by reading the ingredients list (Table A4-2, Example of Added Sugars That Can Be Listed as an Ingredient).
- Fruit juice concentrate is a form of sugar made when water is removed from whole juice to make it more concentrated. Fruit concentrate is not added sugar if water is added to make it into juice. In contrast, fruit juice concentrate may be added sugar when a blend of juice concentrates is added to juice. (Read note on Table A4-2). Examples comparing amount of sugar in 100% juices: from concentrate and not from concentrate: 1) Pineapple juice- concentrate had less sugar than not from concentrate and 2) Apple juice-concentrate had more sugar than fresh apple juice and juice from concentrate.

Apply: What can you share about fruit juice?

Reference: US Department of Agriculture and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. *Dietary Guidelines for Americans*, 2010. 7th Edition, December 2010. Image from http://www.freefoto.com/images/09/08/09_08_58---Fruit-Pineapple_web.jpg?&k=Fruit+-+Pineapple. Accessed 02-28-2011.

Example 1) Rineapple - Concentrate Less Sugar than Pineapple Juice



Pineapple Juice

Not From Concentrate

LIVE WELL

- 100% Juice
- · Fortified with Vitamins A. C. & E
- Naturally Sweet

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 8 fl. oz. (240ml) Servings Per Container about 6

ı	Amount	Per Serving	

Calories 130 Calories from Fat 0

0% **Total Fat Og** Saturated Fat Og Trans Fat Og Cholesterol Omg 0%

0% Sodium 5mg Potassium 330mg 9% **Total Carbohydrate 32g** 11%

2%

Sugars 30g Protein <1g

Dietary Fiber <1g

Vitamin A 10% • Vitamin C 120% Vitamin E 10% • Iron

Calcium 4%

Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs:

Calories: 2,000 | Colorest Potassium Total Carbohydrate Dietary Fiber

Calories per gram: Fat 9 • Carbohydrate 4 • Protein 4

INGREDIENTS: PINEAPPLE JUICE, ASCORBIC ACID (VITAMIN C), VITAMIN E, AND VITAMIN A

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4 FL. OZ. (46 FL. OZ.) 1.36L

PINÉAPPLE JUICE 100% JUICE FROM CONCENTRATE

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size: 8 fl. oz. (240ml) Servings Per Container: 6

Amount Per Serving

Calories 110 Calories from Fat 0

Total Fat 0g Saturated Fat 0g 0% Cholesterol 0mg 0% Sodium 10mg 0% Potassium 240mg 7% Total Carbohydrate 26g Dietary Fiber 0g

Sugars 23g

Protein Less than 1g

Vitamin A 0% • Vitamin C 100% Calcium 2% • Iron 4%

Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs

INGREDIENTS:WATER, CONCENTRATED PINEAPPLE JUICE, ASCORBIC ACID ©1995 DISTRIBUTED BY DEL MONTE FOODS SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

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DEL MONTE® Pineapp Juice is made from carefully-selected pineapples. No sugar preservatives are add So it's pure and delici as well as a great sou of vitamin C.

To serve: Chill, shake well, and pour.

To store: After openin refrigerate unused jui in covered glass or plastic container.

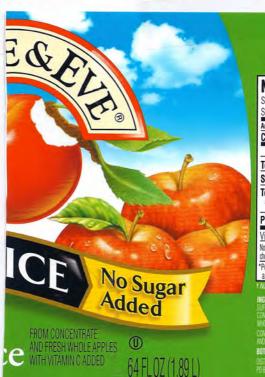
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Example 2) Apple juice - Concentrate More Sugar than Concentrate and Apple juice



Apple Juice

100% JUICE

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 8 fl. oz. (240 mL) Servings Per Container 8

unt Per Serving Calories 110 Cal. from fat 0

%Daily Value* Total Fat Og 0% Sodium 5mg 0% Total Carb. 26g 9%

† Sugars 22g Protein 1g

Vitamin C 120% Not a significant source of saturated fat, trans fat cholesterol, dietary fiber, vitamin A, calcium or iron *Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet.



juice with no sugar. artificial sweeteners, or preservatives added.

After Opening **Pasteurized**

Gluten Free ME/HI 5¢ Deposit



CONTAINS 100% JUICE

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 8 fl oz (240mL) Servings Per Container 8

Amount Per Serving

Calories 120

Total Fat Og 0% Sodium 10mg

0%

Potassium 290mg 8% Total Carbohydrate 29g 10%

Sugars 28g

Protein Og

Vitamin C 120% Not a significant source of calories from fat, saturated fat, trans fat, cholesterol, dietary fiber, vitamin A, calcium and iron.

Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. WATER, APPLE JUICE CONCENTRATE,

ASCORBIC ACID (VITAMIN C).

**Provides 2 serving of fruit per 8 fl oz. Per MyPyramid, 1 serving = ½ cup. USDA 2005 Dietary Guidelines recommend a daily intake of 2 cups of fruit for a 2,000 calorie diet.

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100% Apple Juice ORIGINAL

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TABLE A4-2. Examples of Added Sugars That Can Be Listed as an Ingredient

Lactose
Malt syrup
Maltose
Maple syrup
Molasses
Nectars (e.g., peach nectar, pear nectar)
Pancake syrup
Raw sugar
Sucrose
Sugar
White granulated sugar

Other added sugars may be listed as an ingredient but are not recognized by FDA as an ingredient name. These include cane juice, evaporated corn sweetener, fruit juice concentrate, crystal dextrose, glucose, liquid fructose, sugar cane juice, and fruit nectar.