# POTATOES



## **HOW TO USE**

Boil or microwave potatoes until soft, mash them with a fork, and add a pinch of salt and pepper to a small amount of low fat milk and butter for creamy mashed potatoes; roast potatoes in the oven with a pinch of salt and a teaspoon of oil for a tasty side dish.

#### **HELPS SUPPORT**

Heart health, immune system, and digestion.

### **HOW TO STORE**

Keep potatoes in a cool, dry place for up to 1 month. Only refrigerate them once they are cut or cooked.

# POTATO SALAD

Serves: 6 | Preparation time: 20 minutes

#### **INGREDIENTS**

- 8 small red potatoes, or 3 large potatoes, cut into cubes
- ½ cup light Italian dressing
- ½ tablespoon mustard
- Pinch of salt and pepper
- ½ cup green onions, chopped
- Optional: 1 cup Bell Pepper, any color, chopped



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#### INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. In a pot, cook potatoes in boiling water until tender, about 10 minutes.
- 2. Drain and let the potatoes cool.
- 3. In small separate bowl, combine dressing, mustard, salt, and pepper and pour the mixture over the potatoes.
- 4. Stir in the green onions and bell peppers if you have them.
- 5. Chill in the refrigerator until ready to be eaten.

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