portion-size chart

FOOD	SYMB0L	COMPARISON	PORTION SIZE
DAIRY: MILK, YOGURT, CHEESE			
Cheese (string cheese)	700	Pointer finger	1½ ounces
Milk and yogurt (glass of milk)		One fist	1 cup
VEGETABLES	(5)		
Cooked carrots		One fist	1 cup
Salad (bowl of salad)		Two fists	2 cups
FRUITS	(5)		
Apple	9	One fist	1 medium
Canned peaches	9	One fist	1 cup
GRAINS: BREADS, CEREALS, PASTA	6		
Dry cereal (bowl of cereal)		One fist	1 cup
Noodles, rice, oatmeal (bowl of noodles)		Handful	½ cup
Slice of whole-wheat bread		Flat hand	1 slice
PROTEIN: MEAT, BEANS, NUTS			
Chicken, beef, fish, pork (chicken breast)		Palm	3 ounces
Peanut butter (spoon of peanut butter)		Thumb	1 tablespoon

