# Moussaka II

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#### Servings: 6

1 large eggplant salt olive oil 1 1/4 pounds ground beef or lamb 2 medium onions, chopped 2 cloves garlic, minced 1 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon dried whole thyme 1/2 teaspoon dried whole oregano 1 teaspoon dried whole basil 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg 2 1/2 tablespoons fresh parsley, chopped 1 cup canned tomatoes, drained 1/2 cup dry vermouth 2 egg whites 1/2 cup fine breadcrumbs, divided 1/4 cup (one ounce) Parmesan cheese, grated WHITE SAUCE 3 tablespoons butter or margarine 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour 1 1/2 cups milk 2 egg yolks 1/2 teaspoon salt

Preheat the broiler.

Peel the eggplant and cut into 1/2-inch-thick slices. Sprinkle both sides of the slices with salt. Allow to sit for 30 minutes. Rinse and pat dry.

Prepare the white sauce. In a heavy saucepan over low heat, melt the butter. Add the flour, stirring until smooth. Cook for 1 minute, stirring constantly. Gradually add the milk. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until the mixture is thickened and bubbly. In a bowl, beat the egg yolks until thick and lemon colored. Gradually stir about one-fourth of the hot mixture into the yolks. Add to the remaining hot mixture, stirring constantly. Stir in the salt. Set aside.

Arrange the eggplant slices on a baking sheet. Brush with olive oil. Broil for 3 to 5 minutes or until lightly browned. Turn the eggplant slices and repeat the procedure. Set aside.

In a large skillet, brown the meat, onion and garlic. Drain off the pan drippings. Stir in the seasonings, tomatoes and vermouth. Cover.

Reduce the heat and simmer for 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Remove from the heat. Cool.

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees.

Add the unbeaten egg whites and 1/4 cup of breadcrumbs to the meat mixture, stirring until blended.

Sprinkle the remaining 1/4 cup of breadcrumbs in a greased 13x9x2-inch baking dish. Top with the eggplant. Cover with the meat mixture. Top wih white sauce.

Bake for 40 minutes.

Top with Parmesan cheese. Bake for an additional 5 minutes.

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 197 Calories; 10g Fat (48.3% calories from fat); 6g Protein; 17g Carbohydrate; 3g Dietary Fiber; 95mg Cholesterol; 713mg Sodium. Exchanges: 0 Grain(Starch); 1/2 Lean Meat; 2 Vegetable; 0 Non-Fat Milk; 2 Fat.

#### Sauces and Condiments

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48.3%
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1mg
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13mg
824IU
151 1/2RE

Vitamin B6 (mg): Vitamin B12 (mcg): Thiamin B1 (mg): Riboflavin B2 (mg): Folacin (mcg): Niacin (mg): Caffeine (mg): Alcohol (kcal):	.2mg .4mcg .1mg .2mg 46mcg 1mg 0mg 23
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Food Exchanges	
Grain (Starch):	0
Lean Meat:	1/2
Vegetable:	2
Fruit:	0
Fruit: Non-Fat Milk:	0 0

## **Nutrition Facts**

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Calories 197	Calories from Fat: 95
	% Daily Values*
Total Fat 10g	15%
Saturated Fat 5g	27%
Cholesterol 95mg	32%
Sodium 713mg	30%
Total Carbohydrates17gDietary Fiber3g	6%

Protein 6g	13%
Vitamin A	16%
Vitamin C	21%
Calcium	13%
Iron	8%

\* Percent Daily Values are based on a 2000 calorie diet.