vanilla pudding (US) Jello-brand vanilla pudding 6-packs contain six  $3\frac{1}{2}$ -oz. servings [100g]

→ In the US, custard is usually called vanilla pudding.

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## DATES, DRIED

WITH PITS [STONES, UK]

dense & meaty dates 1 cup = about 170g;

 $100g = about \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{3} cup;$ 

1 lb. = about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  cups

small, dryish dates 1 cup = about 100g [about 15 dates]

PITTED [STONED, UK]

dense & meaty dates 1 cup pitted (about 23 meaty dates)

= about 135g;

100g pitted = about  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup

small, dryish dates 1 cup pitted = about 90g

WITH-PITS TO PITTED 1 cup with pits = scant cup pitted

(regardless of whether meaty or

dryish dates)

READY-TO-EAT (REHYDRATED) 1 cup chopped = about 140g;

 $100g \text{ chopped} = \text{about } ^3/_4 \text{ cup}$ 

→ The density, dryness and size of dried dates affect their weight.

A cup of dense & meaty pitted dates was 135g whilst a cup of withered parched pitted dates was just 90g, so I've listed both types, above, to make you aware of this. Many American books list 1 pound of dates with pits as equalling 2½ cups; this is based on meaty dense dates so if the dates you're using are mummified and mean, use the 'dryish dates' equivalents above.