Drink smart and keep the calories at bay

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How much is your drink worth?



Champagne (150ml)





1 slice of fried luncheon meat



22 min walking



Regular beer (355ml)







= 1 handful of deep-fried mixed nuts 16 min swimming



Red wine (145ml)







11 potato chips



35 min strength training



Margarita (120ml)







5.5 butter cookies



32 min dancing



Pina colada (207ml)







1 slice of pepperoni pizza + 4 sticks of chicken satay, without sauce



34 min cycling



Rum and cola (235ml)







1 fried chicken drumstick



16 min running



Vodka and tonic (207ml)





2 pineapple tarts



27 min rollerblading



Whiskey sour (89ml)





7 love letters (kuih kapit)



15 min aerobics



Tips for a healthier waistline

Eat first. Have a balanced meal to avoid drinking on an empty stomach.

Sip smart. Alternate drinks with water and avoid salty snacks.

Choose light. Opt for low-calorie options like light beer or zero-alcohol cocktails.

Stay active. Dance or move to burn off extra calories.

Know your limits. Stick to one drink for women, two for men.



Sources: Omni Calculator Calories Burned Calculator, Health Promotion Board Energy & Nutrient Composition of Food Visuals are for illustration purposes only.