# Golden Carrot Bake

#### **Ingredients - Part 1**

3 cups shredded carrots

1½ cups water

<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup uncooked brown rice

½ teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper



#### **Directions - Part 1**

Combine in a saucepan and bring to a boil. Reduce heat, cover, and simmer for 25 minutes. Do not drain.

### **Ingredients - Part 2**

 $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups Monterey Jack cheese (shredded) 1 cup milk

2 eggs (beaten)

1/4 cup onion (chopped)

Pinch of ground nutmeg

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#### **Directions - Part 2**

Stir in and transfer into a 1½-quart casserole dish. Bake uncovered at 350°F for 1 hour.

Sprinkle on ½ cup Monterey Jack cheese. Return to oven long enough to melt cheese, about 2 minutes.

## All About Carrots

Lightly steaming carrots brings out bio-availability of beta carotene. Steam for five minutes.

Long, mature carrots have more nutrition than baby carrots.

Shred carrots and add them to salads, soups, and even tomato-based sauces.

For a natural treat, roast in the oven with a drizzle of honey.