

Activity Quiz 6

The Flow of Food: Preparation



Name _____ Date _____

True or False?

- ① _____ Coolers are designed to cool hot food quickly.
- ② _____ Cook a whole turkey to a minimum internal cooking temperature of 155°F (68°C) for 15 seconds.
- ③ _____ The first step in cooling TCS food is to cool it from 135°F to 70°F (57°C to 21°C) within three hours.
- ④ _____ Fish cooked in a microwave must be cooked to a minimum internal temperature of 145°F (63°C).

Methods of Thawing

What are the four acceptable methods of thawing food?

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- _____
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Minimum Internal Cooking Temperatures

Match each food item with its minimum internal cooking temperature by writing the correct letter in the space provided. (Temperatures may be used more than once.)

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| ① _____ Swordfish steaks | A 165°F (74°C) for <1 second |
| ② _____ Whole chicken | B 155°F (68°C) for 17 seconds |
| ③ _____ Pork chops | C 145°F (63°C) for 15 seconds |
| ④ _____ Ground-beef patties | D 145°F (63°C) for 4 minutes |
| ⑤ _____ Glazed carrots for hot-holding | E 135°F (57°C) |

Cooling Food

What is one way you can correctly cool a large pot of chili?

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- _____
- _____
- _____

Answer Key

True or False?

- ① F
- ② F
- ③ F
- ④ F

Methods of Thawing

Here are the four acceptable methods of thawing food:

- In the cooler
- Under running drinkable water at 70°F (21°C) or lower
- In a microwave
- As part of the cooking process

Minimum Internal Cooking Temperatures

- ① C
- ② A
- ③ C
- ④ B
- ⑤ E

Cooling Food

Divide it into smaller containers and use one of the following methods for cooling it:

- Place it in an ice-water bath and stir it.
- Stir the chili with ice paddles.
- Place it in a blast chiller.
- The chili could also be made with less water than required. Cold water or ice could then be added after cooking to cool the chili and provide the remaining water.