

How to Stock a Pantry

Anchovies
Assorted pasta shapes
Baking chocolate squares
Canned tomatoes: whole, diced, crushed, pureed
Capers
Couscous
Dijon mustard
Dried and canned beans: cannellini, chickpeas, black, pinto
Dried chiles
Dried porcini mushrooms
Extra-virgin olive oil
Flour, white and whole-wheat
Imported, oil-packed tuna
Kasha
Lentils: brown and French green
Marinated artichokes
Olives
Olive paste
Quick-cooking polenta
Red-wine vinegar
Rice: arborio and basmati
Sugar, granular and confectioner's
Sun-dried tomatoes