

## Epulaeryu

### Tossed Salad

7 Meatless salad fare tonight.  
5 high-calories in  
7 greasy dressing, toss the greens,  
5 onions, carrots, small  
5 tomatoes, peppers  
3 in a heap.  
1 Yuck!

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1. 7-line stanzas. Heptastich
2. Syllable Count: 7-5-7-5-5-3-1
3. Exclamation point at end of line 7.
4. One thought per line. Focus on main course of meal. Final line expresses the poet's emotion regarding the meal.
5. Rhymed at poet's discretion.