



You'll need a total of 40 slices of pepperoni for your pizza dip. 10 of the slices will be quartered and mixed in with the cheeses, and you'll use at least 30 for the top. Feel free to use more for the top as the edges will curl up forming little cups as they bake.

## Ultimate Pepperoni Pizza Dip

ACTIVE: 10 min | TOTAL: 35 min  
SERVES: 8

### INGREDIENTS:

- 1 (5 oz) pkg Hormel Pepperoni Cup N' Crisp Bold, divided
- 1 (8 oz) pkg cream cheese, room temperature
- 2 cups shredded mozzarella cheese, divided
- 1 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese, divided
- 1 tsp Italian seasoning
- 1 tsp garlic powder
- 1 cup pizza sauce

### DIRECTIONS:

- 1** Heat oven to 350°F. Spray 9-inch pie plate or 9x9 casserole dish with cooking spray.
- 2** Slice 10 pepperoni slices into quarters. In medium bowl, combine quartered pepperoni slices, cream cheese, 1½ cups mozzarella cheese, ¼ cup Parmesan cheese, Italian seasoning, and garlic powder; mix well.
- 3** Spread cheese mixture evenly in prepared serving dish. Spread pizza sauce over cheese mixture. Sprinkle remaining ¾ cup shredded mozzarella cheese over pizza sauce. Place 30 pepperoni slices around the serving dish. Sprinkle with remaining Parmesan cheese.
- 4** Bake 25 minutes. Cool slightly before serving.