

Earth Day Salad

Ingredients:

34 cup bulgur wheat, uncooked 1-½ cups water, boiling 1/2 cup low-sodium chickpeas 1/2 cup low-sodium black beans 1 yellow squash, diced 1 tomatoes, diced, de-seeded 3 green onions, chopped 1/2 bunch cilantro, chopped 1 cup arugula, packed

Honey Lime Vinaigrette
½ cup lime juice
2 tablespoons olive oil
2 tablespoons honey
1 tablespoon ground black
pepper
1 tablespoon ground cumin
zest of 1 lime

Instructions:

- 1. To cook the bulgur, place the bulgur and add boiling water into a bowl. Cover and allow to sit for about 20 minutes. Stir and fluff and leave covered and you continue with the recipe.
- 2. Drain and rinse the chickpeas and black beans, then add to a bowl along with squash, tomato, green onions, cilantro, and arugula.
- 3. When cooled, add the bulgur wheat to the mixing bowl and mix together.
- 4. In a separate bowl, whisk together the lime juice, olive oil, honey, pepper, cumin, and lime zest to make the vinaigrette.
- 5. Add the dressing to the salad, mix, and enjoy!

Variations:

- You can use your favorite seasonal vegetables in place of our suggestions.
- Use your own favorite healthy salad dressing in place of this one.
- Make this gluten-free by replacing the bulgur wheat with quinoa, brown rice, buckwheat, or millet.
- Have this salad as a hearty main dish by adding 3 ounces (per serving) of your favorite lean protein – try tofu, free-range chicken or turkey breast, or grass-fed beef.

Prep Time: 30 minutes

Cooking Time: 30 minutes

Equipment:

medium saucepan with lid measuring cups and spoons cutting board and knife large mixing bowl small mixing bowl mixing spoons can opener

Servings: 4

Serving Size: 1 cup



Nutrition Facts: 210 Calories, 1.5 g Fat, 00 g Saturated Fat, 42 g Carbohydrates, 10 g Protein, 12 g Fiber, 4 g Sugar, 120 mg Sodium.

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