Lemon Kale Rice

Source: Spork Foods

About the Recipe

297 Calories · 6 g Protein · 5 g Fiber Side Dish

Ingredients

Makes 6 Servings

- 3 cups lightly salted water
- 1 1/2 cups short-grain brown rice
- 1 tablespoon neutral-tasting high-heat oil (safflower)
- 2 cloves garlic, finely chopped
- 1/3 cup yellow corn kernels
- 4 cups curly kale, stemmed and finely shredded, packed
- 1/2 teaspoon sea salt
- 1/4 teaspoon finely ground black pepper
- 2 teaspoons brown rice syrup or agave
- 2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice, plus zest of 1 lemon (2 teaspoons zest)
- 1 carrot, shredded (1/2 cup)
- 1/4 head purple cabbage, finely shredded (1 1/2 cups)
- 6 ounces hot or barbecue sauce, for serving (using 1 ounce per portion)
- 2 tablespoons fresh chives, finely chopped

Directions

- 1. Bring salted water to a boil. Add rice and cook according to directions, about 30-35 minutes. Set aside.
- 2. Heat a saute pan and add 1 tablespoon oil. Add garlic, corn, and kale and cook to wilt kale, about 5 minutes. Remove from heat.

- 3. Add cooked rice to a large bowl and add sauteed kale mixture. Add sea salt, pepper, brown rice syrup or agave, and lemon juice and zest. Add carrot and cabbage and fold to incorporate.
- 4. To serve, divide rice into 6 containers or plates. Garnish with hot sauce or barbecue sauce and chives.

Nutrition Facts

Per serving:

Calories: 297

Fat: 4 g

Saturated Fat: 1 g

% Calories From Fat: 13%

Cholesterol: 0 mg

Protein: 6 g

Carbohydrate: 60 g

Sugar: 14 g Fiber: 5 g

Sodium: 316 mg **Calcium:** 55 mg

Iron: 2 mg

Vitamin C: 27 mg

Beta-Carotene: 1,336 mcg

Vitamin E: 2 mg