



Tomato, Olive and Green Bean Couscous

Prep Time: 15 min

Cook Time: 15 min

Serves: 4

NUTRITION FACTS, PER SERVING:

343 calories

6.52 g fat

604 mg sodium



INGREDIENTS: **** Items not included in kit**

- 1/4 cup sun-dried tomatoes
- 12 oz. green beans, trimmed & cut into 1 inch pieces
- 1 cup Israeli pearl couscous
- 1 pint cherry or grape tomatoes
- 1/2 cup pitted Kalamata olives
- 1/4 cup packed fresh flat-leaf parsley
- 1 (15 oz.) can pinto beans, rinsed & drained
- 1 lemon, zested & juiced
- 2 TB Champagne vinegar
- 1 TB olive oil**
- 1 tsp sugar**
- Salt & black pepper**

DIRECTIONS:

1. Trim and cut **green beans** into 1 inch pieces. Bring a large pot of water to a boil and add trimmed **green beans** and a **pinch of salt**. Cook 4-5 minutes or until crisp-tender; drain green beans, set aside. If serving salad cold: Fill large bowl with ice and water add cooked green beans to **ice water**. When cool, drain well and set aside.
2. Cook **Israeli couscous**: Bring 1 1/4 cups of water to a boil in a medium size pot. Add **couscous** to the pot, cover and reduce heat to a simmer for 8-10 minutes, stirring occasionally. If serving cold: When done, drain, rinse with cold water and drain again. Then set aside.
3. Rinse **grape/cherry tomatoes** then cut in half, set aside. Chop **Kalamata olives, sun-dried tomatoes, and parsley**, set aside. Drain and rinse the **pinto beans**, set aside.
4. In a large bowl, whisk together **1 tsp lemon zest, 1 lemon juiced (about 2 TB), 2 TB Champagne vinegar, 1 TB olive oil, 1 tsp sugar, and 1/4 teaspoon salt & 1/4 tsp black pepper**. Add trimmed and cooked **green beans**, cooked **couscous**, halved **tomatoes**, chopped **olives**, chopped **parsley**, chopped **sun-dried tomatoes**, and drained & rinsed **pinto beans**. Stir until well combined. Can be served warm or cooled.

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