

Quinoa Lettuce Wraps with Spicy Peanut Sauce

Experiment with other grains, such as brown rice or barley, to change the texture and flavor of the wrap. Great way to use leftovers!

<u>U.S.</u>		<u>Metric</u>
Filling:		
1/2 cup	Quinoa, uncooked	113 g
1 cup	Water	237 ml
1/2 medium	Red Bell Pepper, diced small	1/2 medium
1/4 small	Red Onion, diced very small	1/4 medium
2 Tbsp	Cilantro, chopped finely	7 g
4 cloves	Garlic, minced	4 cloves
2 Tbsp	Lime Juice	30 ml
To taste	Black Pepper, ground	To taste
12 leaves	Bibb Lettuce	12 leaves
Sauce:	Hamair	15 1
1 Tbsp	Honey	15 ml
2 Tbsp	Soy Sauce, low sodium	30 ml
2 Tbsp	Peanut Butter	30 ml
1 Tbsp	Lime Juice	15 ml
1 Tbsp	Water	<u>1</u> 5 ml
1 tsp	Sriracha Hot Sauce	<u>5</u> ml
To taste	Black Pepper, ground	To taste

Preparation:

- Gather all ingredients and equipment.
 In a small saucepan, combine quinoa and 1 cup of water. Bring to a boil. Lower heat and cook, covered, for 15-20 minutes. Remove pot from heat and let stand for 5 minutes, covered. Remove the lid- you will notice a slight "spiral" from the quinoa that happens when the germ separates from the seed. This indicates that it is fully cooked. Fluff gently with a fork. Set aside.
- 3. While the guinoa is simmering, chop and dice bell pepper, red onion, cilantro, and garlic.
- 4. In a medium-sized bowl, combine bell pepper, red onion, cilantro, garlic, lime juice, black pepper, and guinoa. Mix thoroughly and set aside.
- 5. To make the sauce: Combine honey and peanut butter in a small, microwave-safe bowl. Microwave for 15 seconds.
- 6. Add remaining sauce ingredients to the peanut butter and honey mixture. Mix until combined.
- 7. To create wraps, lay one lettuce leaf flat and place 2 Tbsp quinoa mixture in center. Top each lettuce wrap with 2 tsps (10 ml) of peanut sauce. Serve warm.

Nutrition Facts			
12 Servings	2		
Serving size	2 wraps		
Amount per serving			
Calories	60		
Calories from Fat	15		
Total Fat	2 g		
Saturated Fat	0 g		
Trans Fat	0 g		
Monounsaturated Fat	0 g		
Cholesterol	0 mg		
Sodium	120 mg		
Total Carbohydrate	8 g		
Dietary Fiber	1 g		
Total Sugars	2 g		
Includes 1.5 g Added Sugars			
Protein	2 g		
Vitamin D	0 %		
Calcium	0 %		
Iron	2 %		
Potassium	63 mg		
Phosphorus	35 mg		