

Southwest Tofu Scramble USDA Recipe for Schools

Tofu, quinoa, and colorful peppers blend with curry and Mexican spices to create a healthy and filling vegetarian way to start your day!

NSLP/SBP CREDITING INFORMATION

³/₄ cup (6 fl oz spoodle) provides 1 oz equivalent meat alternate, ¹/₈ cup additional vegetable and 0.75 oz equivalent grains.

INGREDIENTS	50 SERVINGS		100 SERVINGS		DIDECTIONO
	Weight	Measure	Weight	Measure	DIRECTIONS
Quinoa	3 lb 2 oz	2 qt ¼ cup 1 Tbsp 1 tsp	6 lb 4 oz	1 gal ½ cup 2 Tbsp 2 tsp	 Rinse quinoa in a fine mesh strainer until water runs clear, not cloudy.
Water		3 qt		1 gal 2 qt	2 Combine quinoa and water in a large, covered stock pot.
					Bring to a boil. Reduce heat to low. Simmer uncovered for 10–15 minutes until water is completely absorbed. Note: When done, quinoa will be soft and a white ring will pop out of the kernel. The white ring will appear only when it is fully cooked. Fluff.
					 4 Critical Control Point: Heat to 135 °F for at least 15 seconds.



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					5 Pour 3 qt (about 3 lb 14 oz) quinoa into a steam table pan (12" x 20" x 2½").
					For 50 servings, use 2 pans. For 100 servings, use 4 pans.
					6 Critical Control Point: Hold for hot service at 135 °F.
					7 Set aside for step 11.
Olive oil		2 Tbsp 2 tsp		¼ cup 1 Tbsp 1 tsp	8 In a large stock pot, add oil and crumbled tofu. Heat uncovered over medium heat for 2–3 minutes, stirring occasionally.
Tofu, firm, crumbled	7 lb	1 gal 1 qt 1 cup	14 lb	2 gal 2 qt 2 cups	
Garlic, minced		1⁄4 cup		¹∕₂ cup	9 Add garlic, cumin, red pepper flakes, salt, pepper, turmeric, bell peppers, and onions. Heat uncovered over medium heat for 1–2 minutes, stirring constantly.
Cumin, ground		2 Tbsp		¼ cup	
Red pepper flakes, crushed		2 tsp		1 Tbsp 1 tsp	
Salt		1 Tbsp 1 tsp		2 Tbsp 2 tsp	
Black pepper, ground		1 tsp		2 tsp	
Turmeric, ground		¼ cup l tsp	2¼ oz	¹⁄₂ cup 2 tsp	
*Red bell pepper, fresh, diced	2 lb	1 qt 2 cups	4 lb	3 qt	



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*Green onions, fresh, top and bottom, diced	1 lb	2¼ cups 2 Tbsp	2 lb	1 qt ¾ cup	
					10 Critical Control Point: Heat to 135 °F for at least 15 seconds.
					11 Pour 3 qt (4 lb 9 oz) vegetable mixture over each pan. Stir well to combine.
					For 50 servings, use 2 pans. For 100 servings, use 4 pans.
					12 Critical Control Point: Hold for hot service at 135 °F.
					13 Portion with 6 fl oz spoodle (³ / ₄ cup).



NUTRITION INFORMATION

For ³/₄ cup (6 fl oz spoodle).

NUTRIENTS	AMOUNT
Calories	82
Total Fat	3 g
Saturated Fat	N/A
Cholesterol	0 mg
Sodium	194 mg
Total Carbohydrate	9 g
Dietary Fiber	1 g
Total Sugars	1 g
Added Sugars included	N/A
Protein	4 g
Vitamin D	0 IU
Calcium	51 mg
Iron	2 mg
Potassium	116 mg

N/A=data not available.

SOURCE

USDA Standardized Recipes Project.

MARKETING GUIDE					
Food as Purchased for	50 Servings	100 Servings			
Mature green onions Red bell peppers	1 lb 4 oz 2 lb 8 oz	2 lb 8 oz 5 lb			

NOTES

*See Marketing Guide for purchasing information on foods that will change during preparation or when a variation of the ingredients is available.

Cooking Process #2: Same Day Service.

YIELD/VOLUME				
50 Servings	100 Servings			
About 15 lb 6 oz	About 30 lb 12 oz			
About 1 gal 3 qt 2¾ cups/2 steam table pans (12" x 20" x 2½")	About 3 gal 3 qt 1½ cups/4 steam table pans (12" x 20" x 2½")			

