

Tex-Mex Black Bean Dip



Ingredients

- l teaspoon vegetable oil
- I medium onion, chopped
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- I medium tomato, diced
- $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon ground cumin
- 1/2 teaspoon chili powder

I 15-oz. can low-sodium black beans, drained & rinsed 1/4 cup water 1/4 cup shredded Monterey jack cheese 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro Juice of I lime

Directions

- I. Heat the skillet on medium-low and pour the oil into the pan.
- 2. Add the onion and sauté for 2 minutes, until it begins to turn clear.
- 3. Add the garlic and tomatoes to the pan and sauté for another 3-4 minutes.
- 4. Add the ground cumin, chili powder, beans, and water. Cook for about 5 minutes, stirring gently the entire time.
- 5. Remove from the heat and partially mash with a large fork or potato masher.
- 6. Add the cheese, cilantro, and lime juice. Stir until the cheese melts completely.
- 7. Serve warm or at room temperature.

Serves: 6 • Serving Size: 1/2 cup • Prep Time: 15 minutes • Cook Time: 15 minutes

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- 1. Add additional ingredients such as leftover chicken or veggies
- 2. Make a meal out of this by serving it with grilled chicken or in a burrito/quesadilla
- 3. Use it to make nachos pour the dip over tortilla chips, sprinkle with cheese, and microwave for 30 seconds
- 4. Try using a small can of drained & diced tomatoes instead of fresh
- 5. Use I tablespoon dried cilantro instead of fresh, adding it during step 4

Supplies

- Measuring cups
- Measuring spoons
- Cutting board
- Knife
- Non-stick skillet
- Wooden spoon
- Serving dish



Nutrition Facts Per Serving: 89 Calories, 2 g Fat, 14 g Carbohydrate, 6 g Protein, 134 mg Sodium

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